

GENERAL PROCUREMENT NOTICE

Early Market Engagement

Country: India

Project: Manipur Infotech eNabled Development (MIND) Project

Sector: IT/ITeS

Loan Number: 9571-IN

Project ID No. P176733

The DEA on behalf of the Government of India has entered into a Loan Agreement with the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development (IBRD) of the World Bank for an amount of **USD 46 million** in respect of the Manipur Infotech eNabled Development (MIND) Project (IBRD Loan No. 9571 – IN).

A Project Agreement is also signed between IBRD on one side and State of Manipur (Project Implementing Entity) and Cyber Corporation Manipur Limited (CCML) (Implementing Agency) on the other side in connection with the Loan Agreement.

The project consists of various component(s), which includes (i) Digital Industry, Skills, and Jobs; (ii) Broadband Connectivity, Access, and Use; (iii) Foundations of Digital Government; and (iv) Project Management and Coordination.

The project is accordingly envisaged to be procurement intensive. The procurement under the World Bank financing shall adhere to the procedures as specified in the World Bank's *Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers (November 2020)* (*Procurement Regulations*) and will be open to all eligible firms and individuals as defined in the *Procurement Regulations*.

In line with paragraph 4.4 of the Procurement Regulations, an early market engagement for this Project is planned at the Office of the Cyber Corporation Manipur Limited (CCML), 4th Floor, Western Block, New Secretariat, Imphal, India on 18th August 2025 in face-to-face and virtual mode. Interested Bidders, System Integrators, Suppliers and Consultants may obtain more information about participation in this event from the following:

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