

**GOVERNMENT OF HIMACHAL PRADESH  
DEPARTMENT OF TECHNICAL EDUCATION  
VOCATIONAL & INDUSTRIAL TRAINING**

**“Invitation for Expression of Interest (EoI) for becoming the Industry Partner/Corporate Partner for setting-up of an Institute of Hotel Management & Catering Technology at Bala Kharot (Parour), Tehsil Palampur, Distt. Kangra, H.P. under the Public Private Partnership (PPP) mode”**

**EXPRESSION OF INTEREST  
From  
THE INTERESTED PARTIES  
For**

**Setting up of Institute of Hotel Management & Catering Technology in PPP mode at Bala Kharot, Tehsil Palampur in Distt. Kangra, Govt. of Himachal Pradesh.**

- The Department of Technical Education, Vocational & Industrial Training, Himachal Pradesh is inviting Expression of Interest (EoI) from the interested and eligible reputed Industry Partners for setting up of Institute of Hotel Management & Catering Technology at Bala Kharot, Tehsil Palampur in Distt. Kangra, Himachal Pradesh through Public Private Partnership (PPP) mode for which the necessary Notification has been issued by the State Govt. on 29-06-2016.
- The Institution shall be established conforming to the latest norms and procedure laid down in the Approval Process Handbook of AICTE/fulfilling norms of affiliating University in Himachal Pradesh. The State Government may also assist in getting affiliation from an appropriate University subject to fulfillment of all statutory norms. The State Government and the Industry Partner/Corporate Partner will be the stakeholders in this project. It is proposed that the Institute shall run job oriented UG programme and other courses in the fields of Hospitality & Culinary as also in related fields such as Retail and Event Management etc as decided by Board of Governors from time to time. The industry partner may also utilize the infrastructure as its Training Centre for its employees/others also with prior approval of Board of Governors.
- The land situated at Khasra Nos. 1189 and 1891, Total Kita-2 Tadadi Rakba 01-88-03 hectare, which is located at Balla Kharot in Tehsil Palampur, Distt. Kangra is available with the Department and is proposed to be used for the

said purpose. The State Govt. shall provide this land on a long term lease basis alongwith its existing additional infrastructure located on the said land on as is and where is basis.

- The Private Partners to be engaged for the said Project must have a minimum turnover of Rs. One Hundred Crore per annum during the previous three years in the Hospitality related Sector. The Partner should preferably be a listed company with good governance and well regarded in the business community. For Partner not listed, demonstration of good track record and governance is required and must be a member of relevant Industry Association such as Federation of Hotel & Restaurant Association of India, Hotel Association of India/any International Association, etc.
- There may be multiple Partners/Consortium for setting up of the Institute of Hotel Management & Catering Technology which shall bring diversity in domain competencies. The Partners should normally have been in operation for at least 5 years.

The purpose of the present EOI is to search for Industry Partner which can develop an integrated campus which not only meet today's needs of an IHMCT, but also provides scope for expansion for facilities like incubators, R & D which are essential for the IHMCT to achieve its objective of becoming a best-in-class research institute. The Partner will be responsible for planning and designing strategies to achieve the above objective of the IHMCT of becoming a best class tourism Institute.

Hence, the Interested Partners/Companies in Hospitality Sector/Consortium who are interested in associating with the State Govt. in producing a World Class Institute under PPP mode are requested to submit their details/Firm Data Sheet, proposal alongwith their detailed presentation about their capabilities and proposed possible courses to the Director, Technical Education Vocational & Industrial Training, H.P. at Sundernagar, Distt. Mandi-175018 within 15 days from the issue of this notice. The proposals so received shall be examined by a committee so constituted for said purpose and further action shall be taken accordingly.

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