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CORRIGENDUM - 1

Inviting of Expression of Interest (EOI) for the selection of New NGOs / CBOs to implement Targeted Intervention (TI) Programme in 7 Districts (**Chennai, Thiruvallur, Kancheepuram, Dharmapuri, Pudukottai, Thoothukudi & Sivagangai**) and Link Worker Scheme (LWS) Programme in 2 Districts (**Dharmapuri & Trichy**) with the last date of receiving of Applications in the prescribed format with the letter of interest on or before 15.07.2019 at 5.00 p.m published by Advertisement No.DIPR/692/Display/2019 on 04.07.2019.

The last date of receiving of Application is further extended to **05.08.2019 at 5.00 p.m.** Other Terms & Condition remain the same

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Invitation for Expression of Interest (EOI) for hiring of Organisations to act as 'District Implementation Agency' for Implementation of Targeted Intervention in 7 Districts (Chennai, Thiruvallur, Kancheepuram, Dharmapuri, Pudukottai, Thoothukudi & Sivagangai) and Link Workers Scheme in 2 Districts (Trichy & Dharmapuri) of Tamil Nadu

1. National AIDS Control Organisation (NACO), Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Govt. of India is implementing Fourth Phase of National AIDS Control Programme (NACP-IV) with financial support from various donor partners. In its pursuit to meet the programme goal and objectives, NACO is implementing Targeted Intervention (TI) and Link Workers Scheme (LWS) aiming at prevention of HIV infection among High Risk Groups as well as utilizing Civil Society Organizations for providing access of vulnerable populations to various HIV/AIDS Interventions (details available at www.naco.gov.in) in 163 high Prevalence / highly vulnerable district, distributed in 17 states. At the State level, the programme is being implemented by State AIDS Control Society (SACS).

2. Tamil Nadu State AIDS Control Society (TANSACS) propose to select qualified and experienced Organisations as '**District Implementation Agency**' to implement Targeted Intervention (TI) in 7 Districts (**Chennai, Thiruvallur, Kancheepuram, Dharmapuri, Pudukottai, Thoothukudi & Sivagangai**) and Link Workers Scheme (LWS) in 2 Districts (**Trichy & Dharmapuri**) of Tamil Nadu.

3. For the purpose of short-listing of prospective organizations, TANSACS invites qualified organisations to submit their "Expression of Interest" to act as 'District Implementation Agency' for the Districts. Short-listing of organisations will be based on their technical, programmatic, financial and execution capacity to manage similar projects. The criteria for short-listing and final selection of Sub-Recipients would include the following.

- a) Experience of outreach in rural communities of specified district, good understanding of community mobilization and working with youth, women and poverty group;
 - b) Ability to manage funds of large project;
 - c) Willingness to abide by principles and framework of NACP IV;
 - d) Geographical reach of current Projects;
 - e) Capabilities and strengths to deal with high risk and vulnerable groups necessitating specific Skills and abilities, as there are specific features not normally handled in a community Development project; and
 - f) Should have substantial turnover, large management capacity, adequate existing Professional Capacity and experience in corporate sector;
 - g) NGOs / CBOs should have been registered under the Tamil Nadu Society Registration Act of 1975, Charitable and Religion Act 1920 / Indian Trust Act 1882.
 - h) The NGOs should have been registered for a minimum period of three years and CBOs should have been registered for a minimum period of one year.
- 4) The Organisations are requested to submit their Expression of Interest clearly indicating interest in the district, along with documentary evidences / write-up / brochure etc. in support of the above criteria.
- 5) Please note that no financial proposals are invited at this stage. The Organisations short-listed through the EOI process would later be issued 'Request for Proposal' (RFP).

The format of the application, letter of interest and criteria for selection, are available on the website <http://www.tnsacs.in>. The application should be sent only in the prescribed format with the letter of interest on or before **15-07-2019 at 5.00 P.M** to the Project Director, TANSACS, No.417, Pantheon Road, Egmore, Chennai – 600 008 by Registered post only with acknowledgement due.

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