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No. SCW-41/17 - 12546

Date:- 10/10/17

**TENDER CALL NOTICE**

Sealed tender is invited from interested reputed independent organizations with sound credentials and expertise in the field of research and action on the issue of women's rights, particularly the DV Act to conduct the following research work of the Commission i.e. Study titled:- **A study on Access to justice of Domestic Violence Survivors under the protection of women of Domestic Violence Act, 2005.**

The Tender completed in all respect shall be deposited in the office of Odisha State Commission for Women, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, Toshali Bhawan, Satyanagar, Bhubaneswar-751007 on or before 24.10.17 by 4.00 P.M. through Registered Post/ Speed Post/ Courier Services only. The General Bid Information and terms & conditions can be downloaded from the website **oscw.nic.in** of this Commission from 11.10.17 to 24.10.17. A tender Fee of Rs. 210/- (including VAT @ 5%) and EMD of Rs.2,000/- is to be deposited in shape of Demand Draft along with the Tender Application at the time of submission of the application. The Screening Committee of the Odisha state Commission for Women has reserved the right to cancel/modify the tender at any point of time.

  
Convenor Secretary,

Odisha State Commission for Women.

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## The General Bid Information & terms & conditions for Research Work of OSCW.

Selection of Research work of the Odisha State Commission for Women Study titled:-**A study on Access to justice of Domestic Violence Survivors under the protection of women of Domestic Violence Act, 2005.**

### Introduction.

The Odisha State Commission for women came into existence in the year 1993 by virtue of Panchayati Raj Department Resolution No. 11399 dated 30.11.1992 . The Odisha State Commission for Women Rules 2006 which came into force w.ef. 26<sup>th</sup> December, 2006 aims at protecting, preserving and safeguarding the rights and interest of women and dealing with atrocities on and offences against women in the State of Odisha. Presently the Commission operates within the Department of W&CD & Mission Shakti, Govt. of Odisha. As per the Odisha State Commission for Women Act,1993, the Commission desire to do a Research Work “ study titled :- **A study on Access to justice of Domestic Violence Survivors under the protection of women of Domestic Violence Act, 2005.**

As the requirement is urgent in nature, the time for submission is less in comparison to the normal time given for submission of the Tender.

### Objective of the Study

The Odisha State Commission for Women proposes to conduct a study in 30 districts in Odisha to look at the implementation of the Protection of Women from Domestic Violence Act, 2005, in the last 2 to 3 years.

The study will mainly focus at 3 primary aspects:

- Functioning of the Protective Mechanisms/Services to the survivors.
  - Functioning of the **Protection Officers**
  - Functioning of **Women and Children Cell formed at the District Head quarters under the office of the Superintendent of Police.**
  - Functioning of the **Service Providers**

- Other assistance like **Shelter homes** etc available to survivors
- Adjudication of domestic violence cases in Courts:
  - Time taken for disposal
  - Number and pendency cases
  - Extent of remedial orders passed (interim and final)
- Awareness among primary stakeholders (women) on accessing support under the DV Act

The proposed study should:

- Cover all 30 districts of Odisha
- Be completed within 4 to 5 months
- Analyses the implementation of the DV Act in the last 2 to 3 years
- Contain case studies of survivors of domestic violence in all 30 districts, with an average of 5 cases studies per districts
- Provide the profile of survivors e.g. socio-economic background (financial strata, caste, religion, etc), age ,educational status
- Document good practices by authorities/agencies in providing support to DV victims
- Analyse the key gaps in the effective implementation of the DV Act, and recommendations for improved functioning

#### Methodology

The Odisha State Commission for Women will appoint a reputed, independent organization with sound credentials and expertise in the field of research and action on the issue of women's rights, particularly the DV Act, to conduct this study.

The study will use the following methodology:

- Desk Review
- In-depth interviews with District Protection Officers
- Interview with Women and Child Cell of District under Superintendent of Police, other relevant police officials
- Focus Group Discussion with (registered) service providers (e.g. medical facilities, shelters) and relevant CBOs of each district
- In-depth interviews with Legal Service Authorities in selected districts, NGOs working with women issues and Magistrates
- RTI Applications
- Random Surveys of primary stakeholders

### **Proposed Activities**

- 15 FGDs with service providers, NGOs
- In depth interviews with 30 Protection Officers
- Interview with Police Officials
- Desk review
- In depth interviews with selected districts Legal Service Authorities
- Random study of gauge the awareness on the law
- Research/Writing of reports
- 20 copies of final reports

### **Time Frame**

4 to 4 months from the date of sanction.

### **Geographical Area**

30 districts of Odisha

### **Format of Proposal**

Interested agencies/organizations are required to send two bids: Technical & Financial.

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Application for Expression of Interest for Research Work

The sealed tender shall contain the financial Bid and should reach the office of Odisha State Commission for Women on before 24.10.17 by 4.00 P.M.. The Sealed tender will be opened on 27.10.17 at 11.00 A.M. in the office of Odisha State Commission for Women, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, Toshali Bhawan, Satyanagar, Bhubaneswar-751007 in presence of Screening Committee of OSCW and Tenderers/representatives.

