

Govt. of the People's Republic of Bangladesh
Ministry of Posts, Telecommunications and Information Technology
Information and Communication Technology Division
Department of Information and Communication Technology
Establishing Digital Connectivity (EDC) Project
National Science and Technology Complex,
Level-5, E-13/D-E, Agargaon, Dhaka, Bangladesh.

Request For Re-Expression of Interest (REOI)

1.	Ministry Division	Information and Communication Technology Division
2.	Agency	Department of Information and Communication Technology
3.	Name of Procuring Entity	Project Director, Establishing Digital Connectivity
4.	Procuring Entity District	Dhaka
5.	Expression of Interest for Selection of	Internet Service Provider (ISP) to provide End User Connectivity service for educational institutions, community clinics and government offices up to union level.
6.	EOI Ref. No. & Date	56.04.0000.106.07.073.22/833 Dated: 27.08.2025

KEY INFORMATION

7.	Procurement Method	Quality and Cost Based Selection (QCBS)
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FUNDING INFORMATION

8.	Budget and Source of funds	GoB
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PARTICULAR INFORMATION

9.	Project Code	224351900
10.	Project Name	Establishing Digital Connectivity (EDC) Project
11.	EOI Closing Date and Time	Date: 18/09/2025 & Time: 15.00 pm

INFORMATION FOR APPLICANT

12.	<p>Brief Description: Establishing Digital Connectivity (EDC) Project intends to connect, including but not limited to primary school, high school, college(degree/masters), madrasa, community clinics, government offices and training institutions, National University, Bangladesh Diabetic Society, Textile Department, Ministry of Law, Justice and Parliament with internet up to the village level. EDC will assign an ISP to establish the End-User connection. The ISP will use their network or establish a new network to provide the internet service. The ISP will get their Monthly Recurring Cost (MRC) from the End-Users. All the networks established by ISP will be the property of the Department of Information and Communication Technology (DoICT). The service provider must provide for all hardware installation, software installations, and configurations, including but not limited to equipment, cabling, labor, materials, permits, supplies, tools, and any other goods and services necessary to accomplish the scope of the Connection establishment. The service provider must include in its price all costs associated with the connectivity installation process. The entire installation and 1-year service be completed at the quoted price. Therefore, any items omitted but reasonably necessary to accomplish connectivity establishment must be furnished and installed by the service provider at no additional cost to the EDC Project, DoICT.</p> <p>(For detailed information, please contact with the following address described at 14-17).</p>
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13.	<p>Following documents to be submitted by the applicant:</p> <p>a) Technical eligibility criteria of the ISP :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must have an ISP network in the Cumilla (North), Cumilla (south) and Chandpur geographic area with a minimum of 1000 users. Must have at least two staffs with professional certifications. Must be connected to at least two (2) IIG. Must be connected to NIX. Must be connected to NTTN. <p>b) General Eligibility Criteria of the ISP</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must have valid ISP license from BTRC, and the license must have coverage area of indicated Package. The ISP must be a member of ISPAB (Internet Service Providers Association of Bangladesh). The ISP must have at least 100 staffs for each district. Update Trade License. VAT registration certificate. E-TIN with the updated tax clearance certificate. The Tenderer must have minimum 3 years of general experience in the ISP business. Last 2 years of audit reports. The Tenderer's required minimum average annual turnover is as described below in section (d). The minimum amount is the best for three of the last five (5) years. The minimum amount of liquid assets, i.e., the Tenderer's credit line(s), shall be as described below in section (d). In the case of a Joint Venture, the aggregate annual turnover and liquid assets of partners will be acceptable. <p>c) Tender participation :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> In case , if any tenderer is selected for any packages under Establishing Digital Connectivity (EDC) Project, is not required for this package. In the case of the joint venture, all the partners must be ISP license holders from BTRC. In the case of the joint venture, the Lead Partner must have a ISP Licence which is issued by BTRC to cover the concern Package geographic area.
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d) Description of Division and District and Package wise financial issues


Package Number	Division & District	Name of Upazila	Total Connection	Annual Turn Over (In Crore Taka)	Liquid Asset (In Crore Taka)
SD-141	Chattogram Chandpur	All Upazila of Chandpur District	1891	1.94	2.65
SD-143	Chattogram Cumilla (North)	Chandina, Titas, Daudkandi, Debidwar, Burichong, Brahmanpara, Muradnagar, Meghna and Homna Upazila.	1975	2.02	2.75
SD-144	Chattogram Cumilla (South)	(Cumilla Adarsha Sadar, Chauddagam, Nangalkot, Barura, Manohargonj, Laksam, Lalmai, Cumilla Sadar Dakshin Upazila)	1767	1.82	2.47

PROCUREMENT ENTITY DETAIL

14.	Name of the official inviting EOI	Tangina Islam
15.	Designation of the official Inviting (EOI)	Project Director (Joint Secretary)
16.	Address of the official Inviting EOI	Establishing Digital Connectivity Project, Department of Information and Communication Technology, National Science and Technology Complex, Level-5, E-13/D-E, Agargaon, Dhaka, Bangladesh.
17.	Contact Details of the official Inviting EOI	01712539155

18. The procuring entity reserves the right to accept or reject any or all of the applications/proposals and also to the procurement process at any stage without showing any reason.

19. No person will be considered eligible for the position violating Public Procurement Act 2006 (28 or any other) or Public Procurement Rules 2008 (including all amendments), or any other regulation defined in any other law in Bangladesh.


27.08.2025

Project Director (Joint Secretary)
Establishing Digital Connectivity (EDC) Project