

JUTE MACHINERY DEVELOPMENT

NOTICE INVITING EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

Under Mini Mission IV of the **Jute Technology Mission (JTM)**, JMDC invites Expressions of Interest (EOIs) from reputed machinery manufacturers in Jute / Textile and other allied sectors for the CJMD and / or ISMDCP schemes.

The objective is **development of new generation jute machinery** for higher productivity, efficiency, cost savings and better product quality as per the demands of the industry.

The initiative has two Schemes namely:

(A) Setting up of a Centre for Jute Machinery Development (CJMD) by a suitable private machinery manufacturer - *To develop prototypes of new generation Jute machinery through R & D and mill trials and also to arrange for successful commercialization of the developed prototypes.* Part Funding to be provided by JMDC for

- Setting up of the Centre
- Working Capital for development of machines in the Centre
- Expenditure for running the Centre
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(B) Individually Sponsored Machinery Development & Commercialisation Projects (ISMDCP) - *To develop and commercialise modern Jute Machinery with features as identified by the Industry through private machinery manufacturers.* Part Funding by JMDC proposed for projects for development of individual machines

Both the Schemes will be carried out through Public Private Partnership (PPP) to ensure that projects taken up are commercially viable and that the project deliverables are available to the industry as a whole.

Details of the scheme (***Jute Technology Mission, Mini-Mission IV, 6.2, Scheme for Machinery Development***) are posted on this web-site **here**.

EOIs should contain the following:

- Profile of the Firm
- Outline of businesses / products / services
- Relevant experience in development of machinery
- Track record in commercialization, if any
- Financial track record for the past 5 years and financial resources
- Profile of promoters and key personnel
- Available facilities and infrastructure for prototype machine development and its validation by material testing
- Tie-ups with Foreign agencies, access to Technology etc
- Any other relevant details

The **final bid document** for selecting Private Partner for the PPP/s **will be based on feedback received** from interested parties **through their Expressions of Interest**. Interested parties should therefore send in their feedback about these schemes to the address / e-mail indicated below. The parties may submit EOIs and offer feedback concurrently.

EOIs (Hard copies) should be sent within **three weeks** of the date of the publication of this Notice to **Secretary, Jute Manufactures Development Council**.

JMDC reserves the right to reject EOIs / suggestions on the Schemes without assigning any reasons whatsoever. **JMDC also reserves the right to accept, at any point of time, applications from reputed machinery manufacturers for participating in the schemes to ensure quality of development of Jute machinery with modern features.**
