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**Request for Expression of Interest (EoI)**  
**For Short Listing of Banks for the Role of Handling Bank for CREF**

EoI Number : AEPC/CREF/EoI/2077/78-01

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- 1 Government of Nepal (GoN) and Development Partners have allocated fund towards the cost of National Rural and Renewable Energy Programme (NRREP) & other Programmes and intends to apply a portion of this fund to eligible payments under the contract for which this Expression of Interest (EoI) is invited.
- 2 The AEPC/CREF now invites EoI from eligible Class 'A' Commercial Banks of Nepal for the **Role of Handling Bank for CREF**.
- 3 Interested eligible Banks may obtain further information EoI document free of cost at the office of AEPC/CREF as mentioned address above during office hours or may visit e-GP system of Public Procurement Monitoring Office (PPMO): [www.bolpatra.gov.np/egp](http://www.bolpatra.gov.np/egp).
- 4 Interested Banks should meet the requirements of the task as per EoI Document and must provide information indicating that they are qualified to perform the services.
- 5 Expected date of commencement of the assignment is 18 October 2021.
- 6 Handling Bank will be selected in accordance with the procedures set out in the Public Procurement Act (PPA), 2063 and Public Procurement Rules (PPR), 2064.
- 7 EoI shall be delivered online through e-GP system of PPMO: [www.bolpatra.gov.np/egp](http://www.bolpatra.gov.np/egp) on or before **2:00 P.M. on 18 April 2021**. Hard Copy EoI Application will not be accepted.
- 8 In case the last date of submission of the EoI Application happens to be a public holiday, the next working day will be deemed as the due date but the time will be the same as stipulated.
- 9 EoI will be assessed based on **Qualification [25%], Experience [35%] and Capacity [40%]** of Bank and key personnel. Based on evaluation of EoI, three or more shortlisted Banks will be invited to submit the detailed Technical and Financial proposals through a Request for Proposal (RFP).
- 10 Minimum score to pass the EoI is: **70 (Seventy)**.
- 11 AEPC/CREF reserves the right to accept or reject, wholly or partially any EoI application without assigning any reason, whatsoever.