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INVITATION ON EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI) FOR 7 PROJECTS IN BANGLADESH ORDNANCE FACTORIES (BOF) BOF letter no. 23.27.0000.282.4112316.24.25

Dear Sir,

We, Eagle International Limited, are pleased to respond to your request for further information, FACTORS FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI), sent to us on the 10th November 2024 relating to Annexes A to F inclusive.

We have responded to each request individually. However, there are a number of common features which we have detailed in brief here as well for clarity.

Eagle's experience in the design and construction of such plants, is as you would expect, a highly confidential matter pertaining to the national security of our clients. Our clients are in the main Governments, and we are therefore unable to share information with you on specific projects. We are sure that you will understand the constraints under which we operate. Similarly we would not divulge sensitive information about Bangladesh's armaments production capability to Third Parties. However, we will ask the Egyptian Government, through our Director of Training and Technology, Maj. Gen. (Retired) Mohamed Mohamed Ismail PhD, MSc, BSc. Explosives Engineering, if a visit can be arranged for a high ranking BOF Officer to one of their munitions factories. This would enable the BOF to gauge that size and scope of such an endeavour. We will make the request but cannot guarantee the outcome given the general sensitives around such undertakings. To assist in this, there are some photographs of factories attached which illustrate the size of such a venture.







Regarding the funding of such a project, we are looking at various options, which we would like to discuss in person with you at the appropriate time. There are a number of options available as the BOF has listed including TOT, Buy Back and a Joint Venture. There is an opportunity to look at financing the whole project externally, funded by Western Financial Institutions and Western Governments. As a consequence of this there may be opportunities for the BOF to enter the world market and earn foreign currency through the export of parts or finished goods. This may also include an option to be a second plant, twinned with a Western one, the aim of which will be to ensure continuity of supply into the global market.

Eagle would be delighted to work with the BOF to ensure that the whole project works as a single unit and realises its full potential. To this end, we have suggested that we set up a meeting to discuss the provisions and requirements at greater length. We are very excited about the opportunity to work on this ambitious project and look forward to hearing from you about next steps.

Yours faithfully

Andrew Henderson
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Pictures of Ammunition Facilities



Figure 1 Radway Green, UK Small Arms Ammunition manufacturing © 2024 Google



Figure 2 Inside one of the Radway buildings









Figure 3 Inside Radway with a staff member to show scale.



Figure 4 The Radford Army Ammunition Plant, Virginia, USA









Figure 5 A new, modernized NAC/SAC facility was constructed at Radford Army Ammunition Plant in 2010. It provides acid for nitrocellulose used to make ammunition for all service members. (U.S. Army photo)



Figure 6 Inside the Scranton Ammunition Plant, USA

Useful videos:

- 1. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SX4KVsztLlg shows the manufacture of 155 mm artillery shells in USA
- 2. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=beMXYDQDW1M shows the manufacture of ammunition rounds in the UK



