Proposal for External Evaluation of Project Design of a Content Distribution Architecture for Rural Areas Department of Computer Science, IIT Delhi

IITD would like to invite empanelled institutes to propose an evaluation according to the following terms.

Objective: Evaluate the technologies and process design principles demonstrated through various pilots in reference to their potential role in the national e-governance plan.

Evaluation process: The evaluation will be on two fronts, technical and usability:

• Technical evaluation via presentations, papers, and demos of the various technologies: This can be done at IIT Delhi itself.
• Usability evaluation via field visits: Several of our technologies are piloted in the state of Jharkhand, therefore a field visit to our partners in Ranchi will be very useful.

This can be used to extrapolate the use of our technologies and processes for e-governance.

Outputs: The outputs of the evaluation report should include the following:

• Technology evaluation based on innovativeness, research, and robustness.
• Usability evaluation based on ease of use by field staff and community members.
• Impact evaluation based on the potential of using the technology and processes in e-governance.

Selection process:
The faculty selected for evaluation by the applicant institute should have had expertise in evaluating ICTs for development, e-governance, and sound technology knowledge. CVs to be enclosed of the faculty members who will conduct the exercise.

Expenses: An evaluation fees will be paid based on man-days at IIT norms as per government scale. Approximately 6 man-days will be necessary to evaluate the technology in the lab and in the field, plus approximately 10 man-days to write the report. Travel and accommodation expenses will be reimbursed at actual. Air travel will be supported to Delhi to and fro via Air India.

Terms & Conditions:

1. Bids must be submitted in two envelopes. Separate technical and commercial bids are required to be submitted.
2. Bidder must provide complete details for the Charges. Also he can bid for the Lump sum amount.
3. Payment will be processed as per IIT Norms.
4. Pls submit the quote and terms & conditions in clear manner.
5. IITD reserves the right to accept or reject any bid without assigning any reasons thereof.