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No. **GENS/1647/2025-SECTION CGSRLM /DDU-GKY/L-01**

Expression of Interest (EoI) for submission of proposals under Deen Dayal Upadhyaya Grameen Kaushalya Yojana (DDU-GKY 2.0) Regular Projects in the State of Chhattisgarh

Chhattisgarh Gramin Aajeevika Samvardhan Samiti (CGSRLM - Bihan) invites proposal from registered Project Implementation Agencies (PIAs) under DDUGKY 2.0 scheme to allot target of skilling of **14580 candidates (including 729 for Person with Disabilities)** for the Financial Year 2026-28.

1. Interested project implementing agencies may submit their proposals online at <kaushal.rural.gov.in> along with non-refundable application fee of Rs. 29,500/- (Including GST) and All the proposals will go through an initial screening.
2. The PIAs which qualify the initial screening round will be required to submit a non-refundable Qualitative Appraisal fee of ₹1,47,500 (including GST).
3. The initial screening fees and the qualitative appraisal fees has to be paid in the following bank account:-

Name of the Bank	: State Bank of India
Name of the Account	: NIRDPR DDUGKY – APPRAISAL
Account Number	: 62431332037
Name of the Branch	: NIRD Campus, Rajendranagar, Hyderabad – 500030, Telangana
IFSC	: SBIN0020965

4. Applicant PIA should read the guidelines and Standard Operating Procedures (SOP) of DDU-GKY 2.0 carefully before filling up the application. The SOP and guideline are available on the website <https://kaushal.rural.gov.in>.
5. Proposals should be submitted online on MoRD ERP portal on or before **05th June 2026, 05.00 PM**. Applications received after the scheduled date and time shall not be considered.
6. It is to be noted that the agencies applying for the DDUGKY project shall bear the expenses as detailed above for undertaking the project appraisal by agency on behalf of CGSRLM- Bihan. Under DDUGKY 2.0 project, agencies that can train and place candidates according to the skill gap existing in different sectors are encouraged to apply.
7. For **Persons with Disabilities** PWDs with minimum target of 729 reserved under the PWD Category. The PWD Category Guidelines will be applicable as per the notification no. 43/2017.
8. **In order to be eligible to apply for a project, an entity should be:-**

- a. Registered under Indian Trust Acts or any State Society Registration Act or any State Cooperative Societies Act or Multi-State Co-operative Acts or the Companies Act 2013 or the Limited Liability Partnerships Act 2008, or SHGs and its federations namely Cluster Level Federation/Block Level Federations;
- b. A Government or semi-government organization at the State and National Levels
- c. NGOs applying must be registered with NITI Aayog's Darpan Portal
- d. Agencies should be more than three years old at the time of application.

9. There shall be four categories of PIA as mentioned in the Guidelines of DDUGKY 2.0

- a. **Priority A-** Captive Employers
(Captive employer is any Employer/Industry who provides employment to candidates in their own organization or one of its subsidiaries and have suitable inhouse training facilities.)
Note:- EoI for captive employers projects is released separately.
- b. **Priority B-** Existing PIAs (Across PAN INDIA) having experience of greater than 50% placement with DDU-GKY
- c. **Priority C-** Skilling Agencies who do not have any DDU-GKY experience
- d. **Priority D-** Start-ups for Skilling **recognized** by Dept. of Industrial Policy & Promotion, Ministry of Commerce & Industry, GoI

(Start ups are applicable as per the, the Gazette of India Notification dated: 19th Feb., 2019, Ministry of Commerce and Industry- Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade.

10. All agencies applying against this EoI must generate new PRN through <https://kaushal.rural.gov.in> for DDUGKY 2.0 for applied category.

11. The following shall not be eligible for applying as PIAs in DDU-GKY:-

- a. Existing PIAs who got DDU-GKY Projects sanctioned and have recovery proceedings going on anywhere in India.
- b. Existing PIAs (PAN India-all States) who were unable to place minimum 50% of trained candidates under DDU-GKY.
- c. Skilling agencies having officials at key managerial personnel as per accounting standard 18, who were earlier associated with defaulting PIAs against whom recovery proceedings were initiated due to default.
- d. Sister concern/subsidiary of any organization against whom default action for recovery of funds initiated.
- e. Skilling Agencies having Directors involved in agencies that defaulted earlier with DDU-GKY. A provision shall be built into the system for validating the DIN of directors of the applicant organization through Ministry of Corporate Affairs database.
- f. Skilling Agencies blacklisted by any State Govt. or Govt. of India.
- g. No consortium is allowed for this EoI.

12. Project implementing agencies are required to strictly follow the DDUGKY 2.0 Guidelines, Standard Operating Procedure (SOP), Notifications/Order as notified by

the Ministry of Rural Development (MoRD, GoI) and Chhattisgarh State Rural Livelihood Mission (Bihan) from time to time.

13. Applicant agency can apply only for regular DDU-GKY 2.0 project under this EoI projects for Roshni Districts and aspirational districts shall not be eligible to apply under this EoI. Allotment of the districts will be done by CGSRLM based on the requirement/demand.

Note:- EoI for Roshni and Aspirational projects is released separately.

14. The training duration must be of 3 to 6 months duration and should fully residential.
15. MoU will be signed with selected PIAs as per the terms and conditions of CGSRLM. PIAs have to submit bank guarantee of 10% of the total project cost.
16. All selected PIAs have to commence the training on or before 31st October, 2026. All trainings must be concluded on or before 31st December 2027 and placement or self/Gig-employment of trained candidates must also begin on or before 31st March 2028.
17. The entire process of application of proposal, screening and selection will be done strictly as per the guidelines and norms laid out by MoRD, GoI.
18. CGSRLM reserves the rights regarding
 - a. Allotment of Targets/Districts/Sectors/Trades.
 - b. Accept/reject the proposal.
 - c. To award project with modification to the proposal before sanctioning the project.
19. For any clarity needed/required with reference to this EoI, interested PIAs can contact DDU-GKY Cell via E-mail on ddugky2.0cg@gmail.com and on Phone No. 0771-2960615. on all working days between 11:00 AM to 04:00 PM before the deadline of submission of proposals.

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