

EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI) FOR

EMPANELMENT OF TRANSPORTER

FOR

ASSM BIO ETHANOL PRIVATE LIMITED (ABEPL)



ASSAM BIO ETHANOL PRIVATE LIMITED NRL COMPLEX, NRL SITE, NUMALIGARH, GOLAGHAT, ASSAM, 785699



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INTRODUCTION:

Assam Bio Ethanol Pvt. Ltd. (ABEPL) is India's first commercial bamboo-based 2G bio-refinery, located in Numaligarh, Assam. Established as a joint venture between Numaligarh Refinery Limited (NRL) (a Government of India PSU) and Finnish partners Chempolis Oy and Fortum. ABEPL is designed to process approximately 500,000 metric tons of green bamboo per annum, producing around 49,000 tons of fuel-grade ethanol along with furfural, acetic acid, bio-coal, and captive green energy.

To ensure a steady feedstock supply, ABEPL has developed a sustainable supply chain spanning across Central and Upper Assam and adjoining districts of Arunachal Pradesh, Nagaland, and Meghalaya. This model engages bamboo farmers, harvesters, Local Level Entrepreneurs (LLEs) i.e., decentralized bamboo chipping units, and transporters — strengthening rural livelihoods and boosting the regional economy.

OBJECTIVES:

The objective of this EOI is to identify and engage competent agencies for the transportation of bamboo chips from ABEPL's designated LLEs within Assam and adjoining states to ABEPL plant at Numaligarh, Assam. The agencies will be responsible for ensuring the timely, safe, and efficient movement of materials to support a continuous supply chain. The transportation network is expected to be cost-effective, reliable, and sustainable, while minimizing transit losses and maintaining quality. Through this initiative, ABEPL also aims to encourage the participation of transporters and service providers.

BRIEF SCOPE OF WORK:

The scope of work involves the transportation of bamboo chips from designated LLEs across Assam and adjoining states to ABEPL plant at Numaligarh.

Material to be transported:

o **Bamboo Chips** – approx. 3,75,000 MT per annum.

Logistics requirements:

- Bamboo Chips: 7-45 mm, bulk density 300–350 kg/m³, moisture content 20–30%, transportable by Heavy Commercial Vehicle (HCV) over one-way distances of 40–300 km.
- Regions of operation which include districts of:
- Assam: Charaideo, Dhemaji, Dibrugarh, Golaghat, Jorhat, Kamrup Metro, Karbi Anglong, Morigaon, Nagaon, North Lakhimpur, Sivasagar, Sonitpur, Tinsukia, Udalguri, and West Karbi Anglong.

Nagaland: Wokha, Mokokchung.

Arunachal Pradesh: Papumpare, East Siang, Lower Dibang Valley.

Meghalaya: Ri Bhoi.

Operational requirements:

- Trucks upto 10 wheeler, suitable for transporting bamboo chips with maximum carrying capacity.
- Timely placement of trucks on contracted routes as per transportation plan issued by ABEPL.
- o Centralized fleet movement visibility through GPS/telematics device integration.
- Deployment of adequate fleet, manpower, and maintenance support to ensure uninterrupted operations.
- Capability to manage day-to-day operations through the ABEPL defined digital platform (mobile app/laptop/computer systems) for receiving, responding to, and executing daily transportation indents.



The selected agencies will be expected to deliver services in a safe, efficient, and cost-effective manner while ensuring quality, minimizing transit losses, and contributing to the sustainability of the overall supply chain.

SUBMISSION OF APPLICATIONS:

Interested applicants, whether existing or new transporters, are required to submit complete information in the prescribed Application Format (Annexure-1). Applications may be submitted either via email or by physically submitting a hard copy, as detailed below:

A. E-MAIL SUBMISSION:

Applicants opting for e-mail submission are required to send the duly filled and signed Application Format (Annexure-1) along with scanned copies of all supporting documents in PDF format to purchase@abepl.co.in.

- The subject line of the e-mail should clearly mention: "EOI Transportation Services [Name of Applicant/Organization]".
- All documents must be legible, self-attested, and attached as a single consolidated PDF file (maximum size 10 MB).
- The e-mail submission must be made on or before 03/11/2025.

B. OFFLINE SUBMISSION:

Applicants opting for offline submission should send a hard copy of the duly filled and signed Application Format (Annexure-1) along with all supporting documents to the following address:

KIND ATTN: MR RUDRA PRASAD NAG HEAD- PURCHASE ASSAM BIO ETHANOL PRIVATE LIMITED ADMIN CUM SS BUILDING, NRL COMPLEX, NRL SITE, NUMALIGARH, GOLAGHAT, ASSAM, 785699.

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS REQUIRED:

Applicants are required to submit the following documents along with the duly filled Application Format (Annexure-1):

- 1. Duly filled Annexure-1, signed and stamped by the authorized signatory.
- 2. Proof of organizational type (Proprietorship / Partnership / Private Limited / Limited, etc.).
- 3. Copy of PAN card.
- 4. Copy of GST certificate (if applicable).
- 5. Financial statements for the last three financial years (FY22-23, FY23-24, FY24-25).
- 6. Any other relevant documents, such as permits, licenses, or registrations.
- 7. Fleet size and details of fleet with proper supporting documents

All documents should be legible, complete, and properly self-attested wherever applicable.

For any clarification, applicants may contact purchase@abepl.co.in.
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DISCLAIMER:

This Expression of Interest (EOI) has been issued by ABEPL with the sole intention of inviting interested parties to submit their interest in providing transportation services in the state of Assam, Arunachal Pradesh, Nagaland and Meghalaya. ABEPL is under no obligation to enter into any definitive contractual agreement with any applicant.

Prospective applicants acknowledge and agree that responding to this EOI is entirely voluntary, and any costs or expenses incurred in this process shall be borne solely by the applicant. ABEPL shall not be liable for any loss, damage, or expenditure in the event of cancellation or modification of this EOI.

Note: Applicants are advised to regularly check the ABEPL website for any updates, additions, deletions, modifications, clarifications, or notifications regarding this EOI. No separate notifications will be issued through any other media.

For ASSAM BIO ETHANOL PRIVATE LIMITED



ANNEXURE 1

Application in lieu of EOI published vide Ref No:			
Before filling the Application form, please go through the detailed EOI copy thoroughly.			
То			
Head Purchase			
Assam Bio Ethanol Pvt Ltd			
Numaligarh, Assam			
Pin -785699			

DETAILS OF APPLICANT:

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NO.		2=171120
	(a) Name of the Applicant (Individual/Organization)	
	(b) Type of Organization (whether Proprietorship/ Partnership/ Private Limited/ Limited, etc.)	
	(c) Type of Existing Business	
	(d) Whether existing or new transporter – If Yes, provide supporting documents.	
	(e) Registered Address	
1	(f) Contact/Authorised Person's Name with designation	
	(g) Contact details	Mobile No.:
		Landline No.:
	(h) Email ID	
	(i) PAN No.	
	(j) GSTN (If any)	
	(k) Year of Commencement of business (if applicable)	
2	Yearly Turnover during last 3 Financial Years (if applicable)	Year 1 (2022-23):



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		Year 2 (2023-24):	
		Year 3 (2024-25):	
	FLEET INFORMATION (EXISTING TRANSPORTER ONLY)		
3	i. Fleet size	In Nos.	
	(a)		
	(b)		
	(c) Heavy Commercial Vehicle (HCV) – Trucks	Owned:	
		Leased:	
	ii. Clientele list:		
	iii. Details of similar work handled (e.g., bulk raw materials, agri /forestry products).		
	POTENTIAL FLEET ADDITION (BOTH EXISTING AN	ID NEW TRANSPORTER) IN NOS.	
4	(a)		
	(b)		
	(c) Heavy Commercial Vehicle (HCV) - Trucks		
5		Yes:	
	Whether holding National Permit (Yes/No).	No:	
		If yes, mention permit no.:	
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6	Existing regions and lanes of operation in Assam,Arunachal,Nagaland, Meghalaya Please mention district names only. (if applicable).		
7	Details of GPS, Telematics and Fleet management solutions used currently (if applicable).		
8	Whether warehousing spaces/cross docking facilities/material handling equipment/capabilities available in Assam, Arunachal, Nagaland and Meghalaya (Yes/No).	Yes: No: If yes, please specify:	
9	Preferable regions and lanes of operation in Assam, Arunachal, Nagaland and Meghalaya. Please mention district names only.		

