



Bangladesh Investment
Climate Fund (BICF)

ECONOMIC RESEARCH GROUP

Investment Climate Research Program 2009

Call for Research Proposals

Deadline for submission of proposal: 21 November 2009

Economic Research Group in partnership with BMB Mott MacDonald is pleased to announce the launch of the Investment Climate Research Program 2009, supported by the Bangladesh Investment Climate Fund (BICF).

We are seeking research proposals from individuals or organizations on Investment Climate Issues in Bangladesh. Detailed guidelines for submission and relevant evaluation criteria are available at www.ergonline.org/ifc.

The research needs to be completed within 6 (six) months time within a budget provision of US\$5,000-\$15,000. Proposals will be selected based on merit of the proposal and number of proposals to be selected will be limited by availability of fund. Funding will be committed only to successful proposals based in order of ranking. Individuals/organizations are expected to provide audited accounts of the research funds at the end of the research.

The deadline for submission of proposals is November 21, 2009 (Saturday) by 5pm. Only the short-listed proposals will be called for formal presentation in a day-long workshop. Interested researchers should submit 3 hard copies of the proposal along with a soft copy in MS Word format to the following address:

Economic Research Group, 9/4 Lalmatia, Block:D, Dhaka: 1207, Bangladesh. Softcopy may be submitted to: icrp@ergonline.org



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