ENTHUSIASTIC RESPONSE TO RFQ FOR PPP OF JAIPUR METRO RAIL PROJECT

The Jaipur Metro Rail Project has received an enthusiastic response from 11 major companies from India and abroad for its RFQ seeking PPP Concessionaire for the Project. The Applications were opened today on 31st May, 2011 at 1530 hrs in the Jaipur Metro Rail Corporation office at Khanij Bhawan, Jaipur. Besides leading Indian infrastructure companies like Reliance Infrastructure, Essar Projects, Gammon, Soma, SREI and Coastal Projects; major international companies operating in the Metro Rail sector worldwide have also put in applications. The international parties include Iridium Concessions and Inversiones En Concesiones Ferroviarias (ICF) from Spain, Ansaldo & SELI from Italy, and Samsung from Korea. Out of the above, Reliance has bid as a Sole Applicant while others have formed consortiums for a total of Five Applications as below:

1. Reliance Infrastructure Limited
2. SREI-Ansaldo-Coastal-SELI
3. Gammon Infrastructure – Iridium Concessions
4. Soma – ICF
5. Essar Projects – Samsung CNT

It may be recalled that the RFQ for the Jaipur Metro Rail Project was floated on 14th March, 2011 and the Pre-Bid for the same was held on 30th of March, 2011.