# **GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS**

- 1. EOI in the prescribed proforma alongwith CV and requisite testimonials must reach this office on or before 31 March, 2022. The proforma is attached at Page No. 2 of 4.
- 2. Application should be addressed to 'The Secretary, Indian Red Cross Society, Punjab State Branch, Sector-16A, Madhya Marg, Chandigarh-160016' by clearly mentioning 'Application for appointment as Statutory Auditor' outside the envelope.
- 3. The shortlisted candidates can be called for interview on date and time to be communicated later.
- 4. No claim in respect of TA/DA is admissible in case of called for interview.
- 5. Incomplete applications will be rejected straightway without any information of the candidate.
- 6. Punjab Red Cross reserves all rights to postpone/cancel/alter any terms and conditions, guidelines or other provisions related with the appointment of the Statutory Auditor.
- 7. The selected CA/firm (Statutory Auditor) will ensure the completion of the work of Audit & Certification of Accounts of Punjab State Red Cross Branch & its Allied bodies and projects within a stipulated time period as described in 'Scope of Work' at Page No. 3 to 4.
- 8. The Scope of Work may expand in accordance with the guidelines followed by the Red Cross Society from time-to-time.
- 9. For any query please feel free to contact at 94175-01063 and 96468-78394 on any working day from 9.00 am to 5.00 pm.

# **SPECIMEN PROFORMA FOR APPLICATION**

# (TO BE FILLED IN BY THE CA/FIRM)

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1.	Name of the Applicant/Firm in capital letters _	
2.	Address of the office/firm	
		Pin Code
3.	Residential Address	
		Pin Code
4.	Correspondence Address	
		Pin Code
5.	Mobile Number	
6.	Email Address etc.	
7.	Date of Birth	
8.	a) Educational Qualifications	
	b) Additional Qualifications (if any)	
9.	a) Whether empanelled with CAG?	
	b) Date and Year of empanelment	
	(Self attested copy of the proof to be attached)	
10.	Experience of Practising as CA.	
11.	Whether CV has been attached (Mandatory)	
12.	Please indicate expected amount of fee (optional)	Rs
13.	<ul><li>a) Whether having experience of working with any h Society?</li></ul>	umanitarian organization like Red Cross (Yes/No)
	b) If yes, please specify details	
	c) Any type of additional co-operation you can humanitarian organization (mention briefly)	extend to Punjab Red Cross being
14.	a) Whether you have gone through all the contents including scope of work etc. uploaded on our website <a href="www.punjabredcross.com">www.punjabredcross.com</a> (Yes/No)	
	b) If yes, do you agree to abide by these in case Auditor	
	Dated (Signa	ature of the applicant/firm with seal)
	Place	

# **'SCOPE OF WORK' FOR AUDIT THE ACCOUNTS OF PUNJAB RED CROSS**

The selected CA/firm (Statutory Auditor) will ensure the completion of the work of Audit & Certification of Accounts of Punjab State Red Cross Branch & its Allied bodies and projects within a stipulated time period.

The scope of work may also include the guidelines adopted by Red Cross Society from time-to-time which can be broadly as mentioned below: -

## 1. Governance and Management

- (a) Whether the Managing Committee has been constituted as per the provisions of the Act and Rules.
- (b) Whether the General Secretary has been appointed as per the provisions of the Act and the Rules.
- (c) Whether the meetings of the Managing Committee and its various Sub-Committee are held as per the provisions of the Act and the Rules.
- (d) Whether the Minutes of the Meetings of various Committees and Sub-Committees are properly recorded, circulated and maintained.

#### 2. Assets

- (a) Whether Assets Registers have been properly maintained and updated.
- (b) Whether the assets created during the period have been taken into record and properly entered in the stock register.
- (c) Dates of physical verification of assets each year.

#### 3. Vehicles

- (a) Do the Staff Car Rules exist?
- (b) Is the log book of each car properly maintained?
- (c) Is each vehicle within its prescribed normal life?
- (d) Are vehicles repaired after following due process?
- (e) Is the mileage of each vehicle reasonable?

#### 4. Accounting

- (a) Whether all expenditure is properly recorded in the books of accounts and categorized.
- (b) Whether all receipts are properly recorded in the books of accounts and categorized.
- (c) Whether relief material received by the Branches are properly accounted and reflected.

#### 5. Bank and Fixed Deposits

- (a) Whether bank accounts is reconciled monthly.
- (b) Whether the bank balance in most months exceeds by more than 50 percent of the average monthly expenditure.
- (c) Whether the Fixed Deposits are renewed in time
- (d) Whether all the investments are made in accordance with the rules and guidelines
- (e) Whether bank accounts opened are in accordance with the Rule & Guidelines

#### 6. Budget

- (a) Whether the budget has been approved in time for each year.
- (b) Whether the expenditure is kept within the budget?
- (c) Has approval of competent authority taken for expenditure in excess of the approval budget provision?

## 7. Projects and Programs

- (a) Whether the funds received for projects and programs have been spent for the same project or program, on the approved activities and as per approved norms.
- (b) Whether the unspent amount under any project or program has been returned to the NHQ/funding agency in time.
- (c) Whether the expenditure under project and program are duly recorded against proper bills and vouchers.
- (d) Whether the assets created under projects & programs are used for approved purposes and are duly taken on record in the Assets Register.

# 8. Payments

- (a) Whether all claims are paid within the stipulated time and without any payment on out of turn basis.
- (b) Whether payments are made after approval of the competent authority.
- (c) Whether approval of the competent authority exists before orders are issued for procuring goods, works or services.
- (d) Has the system of payment by RTGS/NEFT been adopted?
- (e) Are persons making payments different from the persons approving expenditure?
- (f) Whether vouchers/invoices/bills exist for all payments.
- (g) Whether the TDS and other such statutory provisions of taxation, including GST have been followed in the payments released to different parties.

#### 9. Procurement

- (a) Whether purchases are being made as per the Guidelines lay down.
- (b) Is the expenditure on procurement judicious, reasonable, and comparable with earlier procurements or procurement by others, and as per the judgement that a person with common prudent will apply.
- (c) Whether the Branches are patronizing one firm or party for repair, maintenance and/or any other major expenditure, which is of recurrent nature.

# 10. Employees

- (a) Whether the personal records of the staff and employees, including leave record, have been properly maintained.
- (b) Do the Staff Rules exist?
- (c) Procedure and treatment of staff advances and whether advances are pending for abnormally long time.

#### 11. Borrowings

- (a) Whether the borrowings, if any, are approved by the Competent Authority after following due process.
- (b) Whether the amount borrowed has been used for the purpose for which it was taken.

#### 12. Others

- (a) Whether Contingent Liabilities in the balance sheet have been correctly reflected.
- (b) Whether the amount of contingent liabilities as on 31st March each year is shown in the final accounts, including claims in courts.
- (c) Is there any non-disclosure or relevant details from the financial statements, or not applying the requisite financial reporting standards?

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