1. The Department of Tourism, Government of Tamil Nadu intends to promote niche segments of Tourism like Camping, Eco tourism, Adventure activities etc. In this regard, the Department has framed guidelines for registration of the following categories of tourism operators:
   a) Adventure Tourism Operators
   b) Camping operators
   c) Bed and Breakfast / Homestay Establishments
   d) Caravan Tour Operators / Caravan Park operators.

2. The Guidelines for Registration mandate a physical inspection. The Department desires to empanel third-party inspection agencies with requisite resources including adequate qualified and experienced staff and having sufficient experience/ expertise for conducting inspection of the Tourism Operators/ Establishment for registration under the guidelines and proposes to appoint agency / firms for third party inspection. The agency / firms should have a proven record of having done similar assignments.

3. In this regard, the Director, Directorate of Tourism, Tamil Nadu Tourism Complex, No.2, Wallajah Road, Chennai – 2, invite proposals for the above mentioned assignment.

4. The assignment is open to all eligible firms, Expression of Interest (EOI) may be downloaded and used free of cost from the websites viz. www.tenders.tn.gov.in & www.tamilnadutourism.tn.gov.in

5. The proposals must be delivered in the office of the Director, Directorate of Tourism, Tamil Nadu Tourism Complex, No.2, Wallajah Road, Chennai – 2 on or before 15.00 hrs on 20.05.2022 and cover alone will be opened on the same day at 15.30 hours, in the presence of the firms who wish to attend. If the office happens to be closed on the date of receipt of the proposals as specified, the proposals will be received and opened on the next working day at the same time and venue.

6. The pre-bid conference will be held on 16.05.2022 at 11.00 a.m. hours at the office of Director of Tourism, Chennai – 2 to clarify queries if any as stated in the EOI.

7. Other details are available in the EOI.

8. The EOI should be accompanied by a Fee to the value of INR 10,000 (INR 10,000 + 9% CGST + 9% SGST) in the form of a Demand Draft only drawn on any Indian Nationalized/Scheduled Commercial Bank in favour of “Director of Tourism”, payable at Chennai. It is a non-refundable payment.

9. Addendum or corrigendum if any will be notified only in the above said websites.