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To,
Vice Chairman
Mathura Vrindavan Development Authority
Mathura

Sub: Regarding Eligibility Criteria Specified in Tender issued by MVDA

Dear Sir,

With reference to the above mentioned subject, we would like to bring into your kind notice that the tenders issued by MVDA in which the sub section of the Tender mentioned as under restricts the right of an Architect who is working for private sector or otherwise. You are requested to kindly pay attention towards the clause which has a discriminative nature among the consultants who are providing services to private sector.

Tender/RFP ID: Architectural Firm/MVDA/2023-24(2023_UPMVD_829959_1) clause no. 17(i) of section IV: Technical and Evaluation Criteria which is reproduced as under;

- (i) The Applicant should have experience of working with government departments/authority/PSUs. **Any consultants who did not work in any of the government department not liable to practice in this empanelment**

We value the principle of fairness, transparency and equal opportunity to everyone who is eligible. It is essential to recognize the immense potential and innovation of young Architects, who did not work in any government department. Excluding them from such opportunity is unjust, therefore, we request you to revise the above mentioned clause and provide chance to everyone who wish to render their services to

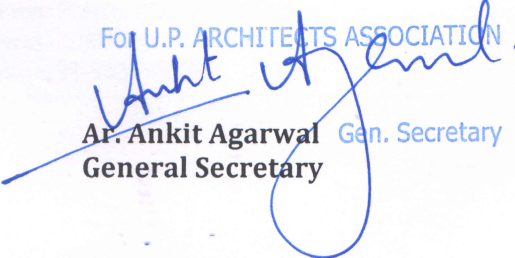
For U.P. ARCHITECTS ASSOCIATION

Gen. Secretary

Mathura Vrindavan Development Authority. We believe that by revising the abovementioned clause you may promote more inclusive and equitable environment that nurtures the talents and potential of our Architects.

Thanks & Regards

For U.P. ARCHITECTS ASSOCIATION.


An. Ankit Agarwal Gen. Secretary
General Secretary

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- 1. Principal Secretary,
Housing & Urban Development, Govt. of UP**
- 2. President, Council of Architecture**