

Terms of Reference

We are writing to invite an expression of interest from you for the development of a short project video (10-12 minutes) on our ongoing project titled *Empowerment of Marginalized families to Overcome Structural Poverty in Bangladesh and India (MORZADA)*.

The video will be screened at several meetings and sharing workshops by the end of the project, tentatively scheduled for May 2026.

The project is designed to build resilience of marginalized people and those affected by climate change in Murshidabad and Birbhum districts of West Bengal (India) through strengthened livelihoods and protecting and promoting the rights of them. It also focuses particularly on strengthening women's leadership in climate risk reduction and community resilience.

The key objectives of the project include:

- women-led civil society organizations (CSOs) are building their capacity to support their members to profitably implement their IGAs and scale up their risk reduction strategies
- CSOs improve their capacity to demand their rights and hold state institutions from the local to the national level accountable in a conflict-sensitive democratic dialogue
- the experiences and perspectives of affected communities at the micro level are documented, processed and shared with relevant policy makers, public service providers and the public from local to national

The project has been implemented over the past three years across four blocks of Murshidabad and Birbhum districts: Nabagram, Bhagwangola I, Rajnagar, Khoyrasole and has engaged 1600 tribal households.

The purpose of the video is to present the project's journey, process, field engagement and key achievements in a compelling and accessible audio-visual format for a mixed audience of policymakers, practitioners, civil society organizations and community representatives.

Specifically, the proposed video should:

- Document the project context, approach and methodology.
- Capture field processes and community-led initiatives.
- Highlight women's leadership and local voices, including the turning points in the communities' journey with the project.
- Present key outcomes, innovations and lessons learned.

We will provide coordination support for field visits and interviews as well as access to relevant project documents.

If you are interested, please apply with:

- Your profile and credentials
- Links to relevant previous work (especially documentary/development/field-based films)
- An indicative budget range and timeline

We would be glad to review your materials and take the discussion forward.

Please send us your proposal to quotation@drcsc.org by 7th March 2026. For any query, please feel free to call Ms. Sumedha Das at 7602369502.