

# THE KERALA STATE HOMOEOPATHIC CO.OPERATIVE PHARMACY LTD.

Pathirappally.P.O, ALAPPUZHA, KERALA -688521

No.: HOMCO-C/000316/2025 Date:12.08.2025

## Re-EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI) FOR APPOINTMENT OF STATUTORY AUDITOR

The Kerala State Homoeopathic Co-operative Pharmacy Ltd. (HOMCO), a co-operative society functioning under the Department of AYUSH, Government of Kerala, invites **Expression of Interest (EOI)** from qualified and experienced Chartered Accountants or Cost Accountants for conducting the **Statutory Audit** of HOMCO for the financial year 2024–25, in accordance with the applicable provisions of the CGST Act, SGST Act, and relevant rules and notifications.

## 1. SCOPE OF WORK

The selected auditor shall be responsible for:

- Conducting Statutory Audit for HOMCO in compliance with applicable statutory requirements.
- Verification and reconciliation of GST returns (GSTR-1, GSTR-3B, GSTR-7, GSTR-9, etc.) with books of accounts.
- Identification of input tax credit mismatches, tax liabilities, and areas of non-compliance, if any.
- Preparation and submission of the necessary statutory audit report, certification, and annexures.
- Advising on corrective actions to ensure compliance and avoid future discrepancies.
- Assisting in responding to any GST-related audit queries or notices, if required.

#### 2. ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

Firms or individuals expressing interest must meet the following criteria:

- Must be a practicing Chartered Accountant or Cost Accountant registered with ICAI/ICMAI.
- Should have a minimum of **5 years' experience** in conducting Statutory Audit.
- 1. Must have handled GST audits of at least **two government enterprises** or 2 cooperative institutions having average annual turnover of Rs.10Cr.
- Must have a branch or functional office in **Kerala**, preferably in **Alappuzha District**.
- Should not be blacklisted by any government agency or authority.

#### 3. SUBMISSION OF EOI

Interested firms are requested to submit their Expression of Interest with the following documents:

- Firm/Practitioner Profile and Registration Details
- Details of Statutory Audit Experience with documentary proof
- List of clients (preferably public sector/co-operative bodies)
- Copy of PAN, GST Registration, and ICAI/ICMAI membership certificate
- Financial quote (in a sealed envelope or as per Annexure, if applicable)

The EOI must be submitted in a sealed envelope superscribed "EOI for Appointment of Statutory Auditor – HOMCO" to the following address on or before 23<sup>rd</sup> August 2025 by 5:00 PM:

#### To:

The Managing Director
The Kerala State Homoeopathic Co-operative Pharmacy Ltd. (HOMCO)
Pathirappally P.O., Alappuzha – 688521, Kerala

## 4. TERMS & CONDITIONS

- HOMCO reserves the right to reject any or all EOIs without assigning any reason.
- Shortlisted firms may be called for further discussion or presentation.
- The appointment shall be made based on experience, capability, and financial quote.
- The audit must be completed within the timeline stipulated by HOMCO or as per statutory deadlines.

For any queries, please contact: Email: homcotenders@gmail.com

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Sd/-Managing Director HOMCO