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1. BACKGROUND OF INSKEN

Institut Keusahawanan Negara Berhad (INSKEN) is an agency under the purview of Ministry of Entrepreneur Development & Cooperatives (KUSKOP) that offers entrepreneurship development initiatives through its training and coaching programmes.

In line with INSKEN's tagline; "Growing Tomorrow Entrepreneurs", INSKEN ensures all programmes conducted are based on industry needs. Programme are executed through smart collaboration with industry practitioners, professionals and government agencies in order to strengthen the national entrepreneruship ecosystem.

Vision

Realizing the National Entrepreneurship aspiration through capacity development of entrepreneurs with outcomes.

Mission

- i) Strengthening the entrepreneurial development ecosystem by measuring outcomes;
- ii) Enhancing entrepreneur's ability to be resilient, competitive and global:
- iii) Encouraging collaborations between Ministries, Agencies and Industries:
- iv) Preparing entrepreneurs to be catalysts and leading in trends and market.

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2. SCOPE OF WORK - INSKEN COACHING PROGRAMME (IBBC & STC)

INSKEN is soliciting proposals from qualified industry practitioner(s) to deliver **industry specific workshops** and/or **coaching sessions** for entrepreneurs of micro, small and medium businesses, with the objective to develop viable and sustainable businesses.

Summary of INSKEN COACHING PROGRAMME is as follows:

OBJECTIVE	 To guide entrepreneurs to scale up their business through coaching by the industry player (as a coach) for them to achieve their business goals and promoting growth. To ensure entrepreneurs learn and apply business technical know-how in their business for sustainable. To equip the entrepreneurs with relevant knowledge and understanding on the current trends, issues, and challenges in order for them to be sustainable in the
	industry.
OUTCOME	ENTREPRENEURS KPI: At the end of this programme, entrepreneurs need to achieve a certain KPI (depending on their business target), minimum 3 KPI Eg: Increase minimum of 20% turnover (monthly). Improve business gaps (subject to industry requirements). Offer employment opportunity. Completed coaching activities in the programme. Completion of Industry Workshop and/or Coaching Sessions as per schedule set out. To submit progress report on time via INSKEN Mobile Apps (INSKEN IPRO).
	 INDUSTRY COACH RESPONSIBILITY: To ensure 50% of entrepreneurs (participants) will be able to increase a minimum of 20% turnover. To ensure 90% of entrepreneurs (participants) will be able achieve target/ KPI's and give a full commitment in this programme.

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PARTICIPANTS	 Startup entrepreneurs Entrepreneurs who already have a business that is in operation for at least 1 year. Priority given to alumni of INSKEN Industry Business Training (INBT) programme and Kursus Asas Keusahawanan (KAK). Not compulsory to have their business registered before joining programme. Commitment to participate in all activities in the programme. Requires business improvement not only limited to financing. Scale-up entrepreneurs Entrepreneurs who already have a registered business. Entrepreneurs who are active in business operations (min 2 years) and have proper sales records. 		
	 Entrepreneurs who are committed to participate in all activities in the programme. Require business improvement and expansion not only limited to financing. Others criteria subject to INSKEN's guidelines. 		
NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS	 IBBC - Maximum 30 entrepreneurs for one IBBC (same industry) Startup Coaching - maximum 25 entrepreneurs per group (same industry) 		
PROGRAMME MODE	Physical		
DURATION	 IBBC – 4 months Startup Coaching – 6 months 		
PROGRAMME COMPONENTS	 Module 1: Industry Coach / Diagnostic Workshop Module 2: Coaching Sessions Module 3: 2 Trainings (Business Technical Know-How) Module 4: Benchmark/Case Study Visit 		

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INDUSTRY COACH CRITERIA	 Managing own business. Industry-related experience – 5 to 10 years above and currently active in the business. Good business track record (maintain revenue and profit minimum of 3 years, including current year). Willing to develop the entrepreneurs and entrepreneurship ecosystem. Willing to be involved and engaged in social media activities (promotions, marketing, etc). Discipline, high commitment, and good teamwork. Free from any legal actions. Must not openly involved with any political activities. Willing to assist, guide and develop participants (entrepreneurs) and entrepreneurship ecosystem. Experience in business mentoring and coaching. Good networking with related ministries, agencies or relevant entrepreneurship agencies will be value added. Recognition or award (business achievement) from related ministries/bodies will be value
	 Good networking with related ministries, agencies or relevant entrepreneurship agencies will be value added.
NOTES	INSKEN have the rights to change (if any) the programme content to ensure the success of the programme.

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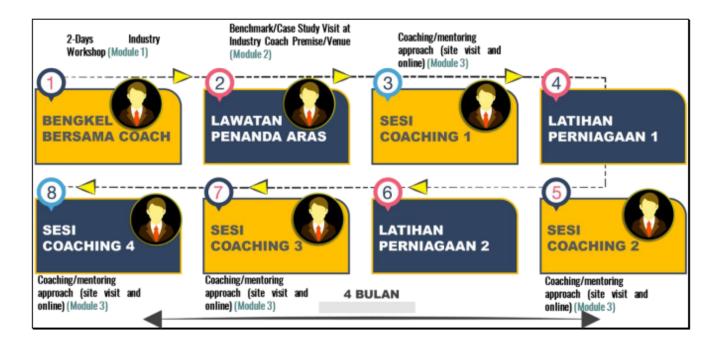
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We would welcome the potential coaches from the following industries:

Code	Industry	
FOOD AND BEVERAGES SERVICES		
FB01	Bakery	
FB02	Café & Restaurant	
FB03	Catering	
FB04	Food Truck	
RETAIL,	WHOLESALE & PRODUCT MANUFACTURING	
RW01	Beauty Care Products	
RW02	Beverage Product Manufacturing	
RW03	Bundle Shop	
RW04	Chocolatier	
RW05	Fashion & Clothing	
RW06	Food Product Manufacturing	
RW07	Furniture	
RW08	Managing Retail Store	
RW09	Online and Offline Retail	
RW10	Retail Market (Export)	
RW11	Retail Market (Increase Sales from Shelves to Cashier)	
RW12	Trading	
TOURISM	И	
TR01	Accommodation Services (Budget Hotel / Guest House / Chalet)	
TR02	Ecotourism	
TR03	Extreme Sports	
TR04	Homestay	
TR05	Travel & Tours	
TECHNOLOGY IN BUSINESS		
TC01	Animation	
TC02	Artificial Intelligence	
TC03	Software Developer & ICT Services	

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SERVICES			
SV01	Air Conditioning & Related Services		
SV02	Arts, Entertainment and Recreation Services		
SV03	Animal Husbandry		
SV04	Barber Shop		
SV05	Beauty Care / SPA		
SV06	Bundled Services		
SV07	Car Workshop		
SV08	Carwash & Detailing Services		
SV09	Childcare (Homebased / Taska)		
SV10	Cleaning & Sanitizing Services		
SV11	Event Management		
SV12	Elderly Care/Nursing Home		
SV14	Florists & Gifts		
SV15	Home Manager / Daily Maid		
SV16	Interior Design Services		
SV17	Kindergarten		
SV18	Landscaping		
SV19	Laundry		
SV20	Motorcycle Workshop		
SV21	Pet Care Services		
SV22	Pharmacy & Health Services		
SV23	Phone & Electronics Repair Services		
SV24	Postnatal Care		
SV25	Printing, Supplies and Services		
SV27	Professional Services		
SV28	Tailoring		
SV29	Traditional & Complimentary Medicine		
SV30	Tuition Centre		
SV31	Wedding Planner		
OTHERS			
OTH1	Others		

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For the purposes of this RFP, "coaching" is defined as 'a process through which entrepreneurs are helped to measurably improve their business performance and personal capability in scaling up the business'.

Industry practitioner (s) may propose:

- i) To deliver coaching sessions for the entrepreneurs
- ii) To conduct Specific Industry Workshop

COACHING REQUIREMENT	 Coaching areas should be based on the entrepreneur's gap analysis (operations, marketing, administration, finance and others). Coaching must implement the practical, more actionable and problem- solving approach. Industry coach need to deliver 2 days workshop covering specific module which is relevant (eg): Current Scenario and Landscape of the Industry Benchmarking & Case studies Pisk mitigation & Key Success Factors 			
INDUSTRY COACH WORKSHOP REQUIREMENT				
BENCHMARK VISIT	Industry coach needs to facilitate INSKEN to arrange for a benchmark visit either at Industry Coach own premise or any other recommended premise that is relevant to the sector.			

3. <u>COPYRIGHT OF PRODUCTS AND/OR DELIVERABLES</u>

Industry practitioner(s) shall acknowledge and agree that any products and/or deliverables created for the purpose of this RFP shall be considered as a "work made for hire" and all rights to the said products and/or deliverables shall belong exclusively to INSKEN. Industry practitioner(s) shall be prohibited from disseminating products and/or deliverables developed and funded under this programme to other parties without prior written consent from INSKEN.

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4. TIMELINE

The RFP process will be conducted as per the schedule below:

		Proposed Dates			
No	Activity	Q1 (Jan – Mar 2023)	Q2 (Apr – Jun 2023)	Q3 (Jul - Sept 2023)	Q4 (Oct - Dec 2023)
1	Issuance of RFP document	23 rd February 2023 onwards			
2	Deadline to register for RFP briefing	3 Mar 2023	3 Apr 2023	3 July 2023	2 Oct 2023
3	Briefing on RFP document	7 Mar 2023	7 Apr 2023	7 July 2023	7 Oct 2023
4	Deadline for submission of proposal (s)	14 Mar 2023	14 Apr 2023	14 July 2023	16 Oct 2023
5	Selection of Service Providers (s)	19 Mar 2023	19 Apr 2023	20 July 2023	19 Oct 2023
6	Proposal Pitching	23 Mar 2023	28 Apr 2023	2 Aug 2023	26 Oct 2023
7	Appointment of Service Providers (s)	28 Mar 2023	8 May 2023	9 Aug 2023	2 Nov 2023
8	Professional work commences	1 Apr 2023 Onward	15 May 2023 Onward	16 Aug 2023 Onward	8 Nov 2023 Onward

Should the industry player (s) did not receive any response from INSKEN within three (3) months from the submission date, the application is considered to be unsuccessful. INSKEN reserve to hold the industry player (s) submitted proposal for reference purposes.

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5. CONTENT OF THE PROPOSALS

All proposals must include the following information:

Part A Company profile & credentials, and content developers, industry player (s) & coaches' profile including team's prof (Please limit maximum 2 pages)				
Part B	 i. Coaching Sessions – Proposed coaching approach. ii. Industry Specific Workshop – Proposed relevant modules. (Please limit maximum 4 pages) 			
Part C	Costing breakdown by components covering coaching fees, workshop, programme evaluation. (Please limit maximum 1 page per workshop)			

Total Maximum page for RFP: 7 pages ONLY

Note: Industries players are requested to refer to "Sample of Proposal" to be submitted to INSKEN.

The "Sample of Proposal" can be downloaded at the following link, www.insken.gov.my/rfp. Please submit your proposal via online submission using the provided template and email to rfp@insken.gov.my with the header as follows:

- RFP2023/C2/Food&Beverages
- RFP2023/C2/Retail&Wholesale
- RFP2023/C2/Tourism
- RFP2023/C2/Services (eg Pet Care Services, Professional Services, Bundled Services)
- RFP2023/C2/TechInBusiness
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6. REVIEW AND SELECTION

The selection panel will review the proposals based on the following criteria:

No	Criteria	Percentage	
1	Organisational information Experience of the industry player (s), and company profile – turnover of the company, manpower and its success stories, recognition (testimony).	20%	
2	Programme Content: Industry Workshop and Coaching Sessions Detailed information on modules for Industry Workshop (2 days) and coaching approaches/ methodologies, implementation plans and outcome-based KPI.	60%	
3	Budget Detailed costing and other information to support the proposed programmes (All matters pertaining to the logistic such as accommodations for trainer & assistant (twin sharing), flight ticket/ transportation, will be borne by INSKEN).	20%	
	TOTAL		

Only shortlisted provider(s) will be contacted and may be required to present their proposals to the selection panel.

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7. ADMINISTRATIVE MATTERS

Industry players interested in participating in the Request for proposal (RFP) process must attend the briefing session as per scheduled in the timeline in Section 4 OR other dates that will be informed by INSKEN.

In order to register and receive the invitation to the briefing session, please email rfp@insken.gov.my before 5.00 pm, on the deadline to register for RFP briefing (refer to Timeline in Section 4). Please state your name, company, phone number and mention your interest to attend the briefing session. Invitation or Links to the Zoom / Google Meet session will be given only to registered industry players.

INSKEN will not entertain inquiries via email or phone calls. All questions will be answered during the briefing sessions only.

INSKEN reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals received, to negotiate with any qualified proposer, or to cancel in part or in its entirety this RFP process if it is in its best interest to do so without giving any reason whatsoever. This RFP does not commit INSKEN to award funding or pay any cost incurred in the preparation of the proposals.

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