# GLOBAL ARCHITECTURAL DESIGN COMPETITION FOR INDIAN NATIONAL WAR MUSEUM & CONNECTING TUNNEL

An open international design competition has been proposed by Ministry of Defence, Government of India to select an Architect for the design and implementation of its proposed "**National War Museum**" to be located at Princess Park, New Delhi, with underground inter connectivity.

## **OBJECTIVES**

The competition seeks to find the comprehensive plan & design for the construction of "National War Museum" on a site of appx.10.71 Acres with plan and design for interconnecting underground tunnel to National War Memorial in C Hexagon near India Gate.

- (a) Portray military campaigns, heroic deeds and victories through a multi sensory display so as to reinforce citizens' faith and pride in the Armed Forces.
- (b) Exhibit relics and records of historical significance and military interest, chronicling ascendency of Armed Forces from ancient times.
- (c) Display items of military interest and historical value including development of arms, equipment and their role in the Indian history.
- (d) Profile human experience of war and chronicle military events which shaped development of our country and national character.
- (e) Enhance awareness of the glorious military heritage of India to instil and motivate citizens to greater devotion and duty to the country.
- (f) Inform about the challenges under which Armed Forces operate to enhance comprehension and understanding of the Armed Forces.
- (g) Act as Military's premier educational research and archive center with multimedia libraries, seminar and exhibition facilities.
- (h) Establish itself as an outstanding landmark in the National Capital Region for Indian and foreign visitors.

# IMPORTANT DATES FOR THE GLOBAL COMPETITION

(a)	Call Notice to Architects for the Competition	15 <sup>th</sup> August 2016
(b)	Closing of Online Registration	13 <sup>th</sup> September 2016
(c)	Last Date for Online Submission	15 <sup>th</sup> September 2016
(d)	Announcement of Result of Stage 1	15 <sup>th</sup> October 2016
(e)	Submission Deadline of Deliverables by selected 9 Competitors	30 <sup>th</sup> November 2016
(f)	Announcement of Final Result	31st December 2016
(g)	Consultants Acceptance as per Council of Architecture	15 <sup>th</sup> January 2017

# **THE JURY**

Eleven Members Jury consisting of Six Technical and Five Non – Technical Members. The names of the Jury Members will be announced by 1st September 2016.

# **AWARDS**

The 1<sup>st</sup> winning entry will receive **USD 75,000**\* the 2<sup>nd</sup> entry will receive **USD 50,000**\*, the 3<sup>rd</sup> winning entry will receive **USD 25,000**\*. The Organizers will give 9 finalists sum of **USD 3000**\* each to compensate upgradation of design and for retaining their drawings.

## INFORMATION AND REGISTRATION

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(\* For Indian designers the said prize money will be equivalent in Indian currency)