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**Amendments of RFP and ToR for Hiring of Technical Support Agency for Project Management  
Support to Odisha Rural Development and Marketing Society (ORMAS)**

Reference: RFP No 190

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