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Request for Expression of Interest (REOI)

(Consultancy Services for Design & Construction Supervision which includes Design & Supervision Consultancy with Subproject Inventory & Mapping, Environmental Screening & Auditing, PSM and related activities)

Assignment Title: Consultancy Services for Design & Construction Supervision

Reference No: CSAWM-WDB-PCU-SD-01

Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh has received financing from the World Bank towards the cost for the **Climate-Smart Agriculture and Water Management (CSAWM) Project (BWDB Part)**, and intends to apply part of the proceeds for consulting services.

The objectives of the project are (a) to rehabilitate and modernize the FCD and FCDI subprojects to enhance agriculture and aquaculture/fisheries production by improving the water use efficiency, management transfer & capacity building of WMOs and to enhance institutional performance of BWDB.

(b) to improve national water resources management introducing IWRM and to build resilience to climate change risks by involving the local communities to play an expanded role in all stages of the Participatory Subproject Cycle Management (PSM), from planning and design to operations and management.

The main objectives of the assignment are to provide the Climate-Resilient detail Engineering Design with specifications & construction drawings, supervise the construction works; Screening and Technical & Environmental auditing of selected sub-projects including preparation of EIA,SIA,EMP; updating & implementation of Sub-Project Information Management System-Smart (SiMS-Smart) ; assist in formation of WMOs, its capacity building & involve them in PSM.

The Consultants services will be commenced on around July, 2023. Duration of assignment will be about 36 (thirty six) months. The detailed Terms of Reference (TOR) for the assignment can be seen and downloaded from the BWDB's official website link: <http://bwdb.gov.bd/live-tender> or can be collected from the address given below.

Bangladesh Water Development Board (BWDB) now invites eligible consulting firm/firms ("Consultants") to indicate their interest in providing the Services. Interested Consultants should provide information demonstrating that they have the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the Services. The qualifications and experiences for short listing are:

1. General Experience of the Firm in providing services (core business and years in business)
2. Experience in similar projects of compatible size, complexity and technical specialty in the required area: Consultancy Services for Design & Construction Supervision includes Design & Supervision Consultancy with Subproject Inventory & Mapping, Environmental Screening & Auditing, PSM and related activities.
3. Experience in development partners funded National/Regional Water Resources Management Projects.

Consultants are requested to submit, but not limited to, the following supporting documents in support of the above-mentioned criteria:

- (i) The Firm's Incorporation/Trade/registration documents from the country of the firm
- (ii) Firm's brochures
- (iii) description of similar consultancy contracts, including the scope, contract amount, name of Client,



period of the contract (date of contract signing to date of completion), location/country of the services, (iv) Support services of the firm etc. Key Experts will not be evaluated at the shortlisting stage.

The attention of interested Consultants is drawn to the Section III, Para 3.14, 3.16, and 3.17 of the World Bank's "Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers, July 2016 and updated in November 2020," setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest.

Consultants may associate with other firms to enhance their qualifications, but should indicate clearly whether the association is in the form of a Joint Venture (i.e. all members of the joint venture shall be jointly and severally responsible) and/or Sub-consultants. The qualifications of sub-consultants will not be considered in the EOI evaluation and shortlisting process.

It is suggested to limit the maximum number of firms including their associates to a maximum of 05 (five). All member of the association shall have well defined inputs to the assignment.

Selection of the Consultant will be based on the Quality and Cost Based Selection (QCBS) method set out in the Procurement Regulations.

Further information can be obtained at the address of the undersigned given at the letter head, during office hours from 9:00 hours to 16:00 hours Bangladesh Standard Time (BST).

Duly completed Expressions of interest (EOI) in hard copy [(1 original + 2copies and one (1) soft copy(PDF Format) in CD/DVD / Flash drive)] must be delivered to the address mentioned below, clearly mentioning the name of the assignment, in sealed envelopes at or before 15:30 hours (Bangladesh Standard Time) of December 27, 2022.

The client will not be responsible for any expenses incurred by the firm(s) in connection with the preparation or delivery of the REOI.

BWDB reserves the right to reject all REOIs or annul the short listing process at any stage.

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