

# **REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST (CONSULTING SERVICES – FIRMS SELECTION)**

## **ALBANIA**

### **WATER RESOURCES AND IRRIGATION PROJECT**

Project ID No. P121186

Loan No.: IBRD 82110

**Assignment Title:** Supervisory Services for Irrigation and Drainage Works

**Reference No.** (as per Procurement Plan): MAFCP/CS/005

This request for expressions of interest follows the General Procurement Notice for this project that appeared in Development Business online on May 25, 2010 and the GPN Update published on December 20, 2012, DB Reference No. WB5260-12/12.

The Government of Albania has received financing in the amount of EUR 31 million equivalents from the World Bank toward the cost of the Water Resources and Irrigation Project, and intends to apply part of the proceeds for consulting services.

The consulting services (the Services) include the supervision of the Civil Works Contract for the rehabilitation of Irrigation schemes that cover a designated command area not less than 20,000 ha (to be determined subject to the ongoing feasibility study and engineering designs) including reviewing, monitoring, inspection, and reporting activities of standard construction supervision. The supervision contract implementation period is estimated to be during the period September 2016 - June 2017.

The Ministry of Agriculture, Rural Development and Water Administration (MARDWA) now invites eligible consulting 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 short listing criteria are:

1. Documents defining the constitution or legal status, place of registration and principal place of business of the Consultant; - 5 points
2. General qualifications (Core business, years in business, number of key staff); - 20 points
3. Consultants' organization and capacities (technical and managerial organization of the firm); - 30 points
4. Qualifications in the field of the assignment; Experience in similar projects: supervision and design (for every listed project please submit the following information: name of the project, donor/investors, contract value, realization data and contact info from donor/investor side); - 40 points
5. Experience in similar projects in region of 5 points

The attention of interested Consultants is drawn to paragraph 1.9 of the World Bank's Guidelines: [\*Selection and Employment of Consultants by World Bank Borrowers\*](#) edition of January 2011 (Consultant Guidelines), setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest.

Consultants may associate with other firms in the form of a joint venture or a sub consultancy to enhance their qualifications.

A Consultant will be selected in accordance with the Quality and Cost-Based Selection (QCBS) method set out in the Consultant Guidelines.

Further information can be obtained at the address below during office *08:00 a.m. to 16:30 p.m.*

Expressions of interest must be delivered to the address below no later than Wednesday, December 23rd, 2015.

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