REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST (EOI)
(Individual Consultant)

THE REPUBLIC OF MOZAMBIQUE

NACALA CORRIDOR BUSINESS LINKAGES TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE PROJECT

Sector: SMES, Construction
Financing Agreement reference: FAPA Grant No:– 5700155002701
Project ID No: P-MZ-KB0-001

The Republic of Mozambique, will receive financing from the African Development Bank’s Fund for African Private Sector Assistance (FAPA) towards the cost of implementing the Nacala Corridor Business Linkages Technical Assistance Project, and intends to apply part of the agreed amount for this grant to payments under the contract for a procurement expert.

The objectives of the TA PROJECT are to strengthen the business management skills and industry knowledge of SMEs in the construction industry to enable them take advantage of business opportunities provided by the Nacala rail and port project and other investments and provide knowledge, expertise and tools to SME support institutions to enable them continue supporting SMEs in construction industry.

The consultancy services under this assignment, is for 6 months, to be implemented over a 12 month period and will include:

- Prepare customized Bidding Documents and Request for Proposals (RFP) using the African Development Bank’s Standard Bidding Documents,
- Prepare and update the Project’s Procurement Plan detailing contract packages for services, the estimated cost for each package, monitor procurement implementation and update the procurement plans prepared at the beginning of the project for the procurement of goods, and services whenever it becomes necessary to do so
- Support the project management unit to evaluate consulting firms’ proposals, and ensuring that the appropriate guidelines are followed to arrive at the recommendations for award in favor of consulting firms;
- Provide support and training to the various CPI procurement staff involved in the project on the operation of the Bank procedures

Eligible and interested individual consultants are invited to indicate their interest in providing the above described services. Interested eligible consultants shall provide information on their qualifications and experience demonstrating their ability to undertake this assignment (documents, reference to similar services, experience in similar assignments, availability etc.), in addition to their CV.

The eligibility criteria for short list and the selection procedure shall be in accordance with the Procurement Policy for the Bank Group funded operations dated October 2015, which is available on the Bank’s website at http://www.afdb.org –.

Interested consultants may obtain further information at the address below during office hours from Monday to Friday 09:00 am to 15:00 PM Mozambique Time, in English and Portuguese.

Expressions of interest must be delivered or submitted by email or hard copy to the address below not later than Thursday, 22 June 2017 at 14:00pm and must be specifically marked “Expression of Interest for the Procurement Expert”.
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