REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

Republic of Zimbabwe

Emergency Power Infrastructure Rehabilitation Project

Consultancy Service for an Integrated Waste Management Plan for Hwange Power Station

Grant No: 5850155000351

This Request for Expressions of Interest follows the General Procurement Notice for this Project that appeared in United Nations Development Business online (UNDB online) No. AfDB47-816/12 of 1st February 2012, and on the African Development Bank’s Internet Website (www.afdb.org).

The Ministry of Finance and Economic Development, Government of the Republic of Zimbabwe has applied for a grant from the Zimbabwe Multi-Donor Trust Fund (Zim-Fund) administered by the African Development Bank (AfDB) towards the cost of the Emergency Power Infrastructure Rehabilitation Project (EPIRP), and it intends to apply part of the proceeds of this grant to payments for:


The overall project objective is to improve the waste management of HPS to ensure HPS conforms to donor policies and applicable national environmental and social legal requirements.

This assignment will cover the HPS and associated components/infrastructure.

The Consultant will develop an Integrated Waste Management Plan (WMP). The WMP must include procedures for classifying, monitoring and measuring waste (pollutants and contaminants) generated by the operations at the HPS. An introduction to the development of waste separation protocols and recycling initiatives should be included. The main tasks are the following:

Identification of current locations of all existing waste disposal facilities (permitted and unpermitted), including drop-offs, transfers and landfills or dumping sites;

Confirmation of whether waste disposal sites are for the exclusive use of the HPS;

Training on:

- Types of waste and landfill classification;
- Quantification of waste material;
- Legal requirements for waste management in Zimbabwe;
- Best practice recommendations (Good International Industry Practices) for waste management; and
- Reporting requirements.

The Consultant will also conduct a workshop at HPS to introduce waste management protocols to HPS personnel.

The services are expected to be completed in 2 months and comprise approximately 5 person months for the key staff.

The Ministry of Finance and Economic Development has appointed Crown Agents Limited (Crown Agents) to act as its Procurement Agent. Crown Agents now invites eligible consulting firms to indicate their interest in providing these services. Interested firms must provide information indicating that they are qualified to perform the services (description of similar assignments, experience in similar conditions, availability of appropriate skills among staff, etc.). Consultancy firms may constitute joint-ventures to enhance their chances of qualification.
Full details of the successful projects undertaken by the applicant, including contact details (email, fax or telephone number) must accompany the Expression of Interest.

Eligibility criteria, establishment of the short-list and the selection procedure shall be in accordance with the African Development Bank’s “Rules and Procedures for the use of Consultants” (May 2008 revised July 2012), which is available on the Bank’s website at [http://www.afdb.org](http://www.afdb.org) and the Operations Manual of the Zim-Fund. Quality and Cost Based Selection (QCBS) method will be applicable for selecting the consulting firm. Please note Crown Agents are under no obligation to shortlist any consulting firm which expresses interest.

Expressions of Interest must be delivered electronically to the email address below by **16th January 2015 at 1300 hours GMT** and be clearly marked “Expression of Interest for..”, followed by the title of the contract for which the expression of interest is made.

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Consulting firms will be advised, in due course, of the results of their expression of interest. Only firms shortlisted under this procedure will be invited to submit a proposal.

Only eligible and qualified consulting firms will be considered for the short list.