The Republic of South Sudan, Ministry of Transport, Roads and Bridges has received a grant of UA 6.93 million from African Development Bank-Fragile State Fund to finance the Technical Assistance for the Development of the Transport Sector Project.

The objectives of the proposed project are to enhance institutional setup and capacity, improve human resource capacity, streamline the transport infrastructure development, provide information for policy makers with regard to economic diversification and strengthen project management and implementation capacity. The outcome of the intervention will provide the basis for the sustainable development of the transport sector in South Sudan.

The project comprises the following components (Consultancy Services):

**Component 1: Human Resource Development**

(a) **TA for Human Resource Development** involves undertaking: (i) training needs assessment; (ii) preparation of a human resource development strategy; and (iii) training of priority personnel.

**Component 2: Technical Studies**

(a) **National Transport Master Plan Study** involves undertaking of review and assessment of the existing transport infrastructure and operations; developing and analyzing a list of investment and operational alternatives; recommendations for feasible funding and packages for the short term priority investments; and developing efficient strategies, legal framework and institutional setup for rolling out the implementation plan.

(b) **River Transport Study** involves review of existing data, information and assessment of the challenges to identify significant constraints as well as identifying required interventions.

(c) **Juba - Mundri – Yambio Road study** involves; conducting feasibility study; Environment and Social Impact Assessment, Resettlement Action Plan, Detailed Engineering Design and preparation of bidding documents of the road project.

(d) **Economic diversification Study** involves preparation of diversification profile, road map as well as a monitoring and evaluation framework to harmonize coordination structures.

**Component 3: Strengthening Project Management and Implementation Capacity**
(a) **Technical Assistance** to the project management in Financial Management; Transport Economics; and Financial Audit.

**Procurement Procedures**

(i) All procurements will in accordance with the *Bank’s Rules and Procedures for the use of Consultants, May 2008, revised July 2012 edition* and the provisions stipulated in the Grant Agreement, using the relevant Bank Request for Proposal Documents.

(ii) Specific Procurement Notices for contracts for consultancy services will be announced as they become available on UNDB and the Bank websites and in *The East African; The Citizen; New Times newspaper; and the Ministry’s Website*.

(iii) Interested eligible firms/individual consultants who wish to receive a copy of the advertisement requesting for expressions of interest for consultancy services, or those requiring additional information, should contact the address below:

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