

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST CONSULTING SERVICES

Selection # as assigned by e-Tool: RG-X1244-P005 Selection Method: Simplified Competitive Selection

Country: Regional

Sector: IFD/CMF - Capital Markets

Funding – TC #: RG-X1244

Project #: NA

TC name: LAC Green Finance Program to Mobilize Private Investment in Mitigation Actions and Low-Carbon

and Sustainable Business Models through National Development Banks

Description of Services: International consultancy to support Banobras in the design and implementation of its Environmental and Social Risk Management System (SARAS)

Link to approved document

The Inter-American Development Bank (IDB) is executing the above-mentioned operation. For this operation, the IDB intends to contract consulting services described in this Request for Expressions of Interest.

The consulting services ("the Services") consist in providing Support the beneficiary in the detailed design of his SARAS that allows them to analyze the environmental and social risks associated to his credit activity. This system should be in accordance with the current regulatory framework, best practices at the international level in this area and the specific needs of the institution. Specifically, the team assigned by the selected company will advise a work team of the beneficiary designated for such purposes in the development of said system, closely follow the work of said team and offer all those recommendations that it deems relevant for the development of a system Which meets the specific needs of the institution. Once the implementation phase is over, the team will support this phase, especially in the pilot phase and in the necessary SARAS dissemination and training actions.

Eligible consulting firms will be selected in accordance with the procedures set out in the Inter-American Development Bank: <u>Policy for the Selection and Contracting of Consulting firms for Bank-executed Operational</u> Work - GN-2765-1. All eligible consulting firms, as defined in the Policy may express an interest.

The IDB now invites eligible consulting firms to indicate their interest in providing the services. Interested consulting firms must provide information establishing that they are qualified to perform the Services (brochures, description of similar assignments, experience in similar conditions, availability of appropriate skills among staff, etc.). Eligible consulting firms may associate in a form of a Joint Venture or a subconsultancy agreement to enhance their qualifications. Such association or Joint Venture shall appoint one of the firms as the representative.

Interested eligible consulting firms may obtain further information during office hours, 09:00 AM to 05:00 PM, (Washington D.C. Time) by sending an email to: isabelleb@iadb.org

Expressions of interest must be delivered by 05:00 PM of August 30th, 2017 (Washington D.C. Time) using the

IDB Portal for Bank Executed Operations (http://beo-procurement.iadb.org/home)

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