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Title: Environment and Natural Disasters-Coastal Zone Management

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REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

The Government of Barbados through the Ministry of Environment and Drainage (MED) and the Coastal Zone Management Unit (CZMU) has received financing from the Inter-American Development Bank (IDB) and intends to apply part of the proceeds to payments for consulting services under the Coastal Risk Assessment and Management Program (CRMP). The Program is for six years and is aimed at building resilience to coastal hazards through enhanced conservation and management of the coastal zone.

As part of this Program evaluation is the preparation of a mid-term evaluation to review progress in implementing the CRMP against its original goals and operational objectives to:

- (i) determine the extent to which the objectives as defined in the Results Framework have been met and assess the likelihood of achieving them upon program completion;
- (ii) identify CZMU's institutional strengths and weaknesses as the implementing agency of the project; and
- (iii) identify potential options for improving the Program, which could include modification and schedule of activities, roles, responsibilities and adequacy of CZMU's staff and stakeholders, management arrangements and budget allocations, among others.

In this context, eligible individual consultants are invited to indicate their interest to conduct a Mid-term evaluation of the Program. The duration of the consultancy is estimated at forty days over a period of three months.

The selection procedure for this consultancy is in accordance with the procedures set out in the Inter-American Development Bank: Policies for the Selection and Contracting of Consultants financed by the Inter-American Development Bank (GN-2350-7) and is open to all eligible bidders as defined in the policies. A consultant will be selected in accordance with Section V – Selection of Individual Consultants method set out in the Policies. International Individual Consultant Selection Based on Qualifications (IICC) will be the selection method used.

Additional information and details on the tasks and responsibilities can be obtained from address (1) below during office hours 8:15 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. from Mondays to Fridays.

Individual consultants must provide information demonstrating that they have the required qualification, knowledge and experience to undertake and successfully execute the assignment. Submissions should include Curriculum Vitae along with two recent references not more than three years old.

Expressions of interest must be delivered in a written form to address (1) below (in person, or by mail, or by fax, or by e-mail) by 4.30 pm (local time) on JULY 15, 2015. All information must be submitted in English.

Address (1)
Coastal Zone Management Unit
Attn: Project Manager, CRMP
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The Government of Barbados is not responsible for any costs or expenses incurred by applicants in connection with the preparation and/or delivery of Expressions of interest.

Individuals interested in any tenders by the Government of Barbados should be aware that the Labour Clause (Public Contracts) ACT CAP 349 and will have to, in so far as is applicable to the tender, apply to any contract made in respect of the tender. Full details of the conditions of the ACT CAP 349 may be obtained from the Government Printery, Government Headquarters, Bay Street, St. Michael. Electronic copies may be obtained from the following website: [www.caricomlaw.org-doc-Labour-Clauses-\(Public-Contracts\)-Act-Cap-349](http://www.caricomlaw.org-doc-Labour-Clauses-(Public-Contracts)-Act-Cap-349).

The Government of Barbados reserves the right to accept or reject any application received.

