

## REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST CONSULTING SERVICES

Selection #: SU-T1127-P001

Selection Method: Simplified Competitive Selection (SCS)

Country: Suriname Sector: Water

Funding – TC #: ANT/OC-17519-SU

Project #: SU-T1127

TC name: Support to the Suriname Water Company (SWM) Modernization Program and Sanitation

Improvement in Suriname

Description of Services: Consultancy for Strengthening Surinam Water Company (SWM) Accounting and IT

Systems

Link to TC document: <a href="https://www.iadb.org/projects/document/EZSHARE-1895759439-20?project=SU-T1127">https://www.iadb.org/projects/document/EZSHARE-1895759439-20?project=SU-T1127</a>

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. Expressions of interest must be delivered using the IDB Portal for Bank Executed Operations ( <a href="http://beo-procurement.iadb.org/home">http://beo-procurement.iadb.org/home</a>) by: December 23, 2021, 5:00 P.M. (Washington D.C. Time).

The consulting services ("the Services") include:

- 1. Assessing the reliability of the electronic data processing (EDP Audit) system of the SWM.
- 2. Integration of different information systems, especially NAVISION and VIS 2020. NAVISION is an accounting system (Microsoft) and VIS 2020 is a CRM system
- 3. Setting up a financial accountable accounting system aimed at processing projects data. Setting up a financial project organization.

The assignment is to be executed from March to July 2022.

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 Work</u> - GN-2765-1. All eligible consulting firms, as defined in the Policy may express an interest. If the Consulting Firm is presented in a Consortium, it will designate one of them as a representative, and the latter will be responsible for the communications, the registration in the portal and for submitting the corresponding documents.

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: *Mr. Evan Cayetano via evanc@iadb.org* 

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