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ADMINISTRATION OF WATER AND SANITATION INFRASTRUCTURES, IP

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (CONSULTING SERVICES - SELECTION OF FIRMS)

Cyclone Idai & Kenneth Resilience and Emergency Recovery Project
Loan N.º: IDA-D5190

Consultancy Service for Preparation of ESIA and RAP and Implementation of RAP for Rehabilitation of the Storm Water Drainage System in the City of Beira – Phase 2

Reference N.º (Procurement Plan): MZ-AIAS-290257-CS-CQS

The Government of Mozambique (GoM) has received from the World Bank, KfW and Invest International via the DRIVE program, a financing donation equivalent to 120 million dollars to fund urban drainage and coastal protection infrastructure investments under the Cyclone Idai and Kenneth Resilient and Recovery Project and intends to apply part of the resources in consulting services.

The requested consultancy services related to the urban drainage investments will be divided into two separate contracts: (i) a Lump Sum contract for the Preparation of Environmental and Social Impact Assessment (ESIA) and a Resettlement Action Plan (RAP) and (ii) a Time-based contract for the implementation of Resettlement Action Plan (RAP) of urban drainage works in the city of Beira. It is to highlight that the intention is to award both contracts to the same firm.

The contract for the preparation of Environmental and Social Impact Assessment (ESIA) and a Resettlement Action Plan (RAP), will be financed by Invest International via the D2B program and, while the contract for the Implementation of Resettlement Action Plan (RAP) will be financed by the World Bank.

The objective of this Consultancy is to develop/prepare an Environmental and Social Impact Assessment (ESIA) and a Resettlement Action Plan (RAP), including the RAP implementation on the 2 (two) main drainage channel, 2 (two) secondary channels and one water storage basin of the Storm Water Drainage System in the City of Beira – Phase 2, namely:

- (i) **Primary Drainage Channel A1** - (start from A0, and divides the neighbourhoods of Matacuane and Macurungo, it crosses the neighborhood of Chota to the neighborhood of Marraza), and some Secondary Channels to be confirmed on the feasibility study;
- (ii) **Primary Drainage Channel A3** - (start from A0 and divides the neighbourhoods of Macurungo, palmeiras and Macute, it crosses the neighborhood of Chota to Muave neighborhood) and some Secondary Channels to be confirmed on the feasibility study;
- (iii) **Estoril Water Basin** – in Estoril neighborhood.

The Consultancy Service for Preparation of ESIA and RAP including the RAP implementation for the Rehabilitation of Storm Water Drainage System in the City of Beira – Phase 2 will have a duration of:

- The ESIA and RAP preparation shall be completed within 6 (six) calendar months from the date of commencement and;
- The RAP implementation shall be completed in 6 (six) months from the date of its approval by National Directorate of Land and Territorial Development (DNTDT) – Ministry of Land and Environment (MITA);

Detailed Terms of Reference (TOR) for these consultancies can be found on the following website: www.aias.gov.mz It is noted that these TOR are a draft version which will be finetuned before the proposal stage of this assignment.

AIAS, IP now invites eligible consulting firms (“Consultants”) to indicate their interest in providing the Services. Interested Consultants should provide information demonstrating that they have the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the Services. **The shortlisting criteria are:**

1. Core business area in Environmental and Social (Resettlement) consulting services.

2. Relevant similar experience, which should specifically include the below:

- ✓ general experience in Preparation of ESIA and RAP projects worldwide and specifically in developing countries, including Sub-Saharan African countries;
- ✓ Significant experience in RAP preparation and implementations in Mozambique, in line with the World Bank Environmental and Social Standards (ESSs) and Mozambique Resettlement Policies. Should also have experience in working with local Government special DNDT (Land National Directory and Land Use Planning), Provincial government (SPA- Environmental Provincial Services, DPADT – Provincial Directory of Environment and Land Use Planning), etc;
- ✓ Have a proven record of successful completion of at least 3 assignments (within the last 10 years) related to the Preparation of ESIA and preparation of RAPs, including its implementation;
- ✓ Technical and Managerial capability of the firm. (Provide only the structure of the organization, general qualifications and number of key staff. Do not provide CV of the staff. Experts will not be evaluated at the shortlisting stage.)

The attention of interested Consultants is drawn to Section III, paragraphs, 3.14, 3.16, and 3.17 of the World Bank’s “Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers” dated November 2020 and August 2018, establishing World Bank policy on conflict of interest.

Consultants may associate with other firms to enhance their qualifications, but should indicate clearly whether the association is in the form of a joint venture and/or a sub-consultancy. In the case of a joint venture, all the partners in the joint venture shall be jointly and severally liable for the entire contract, if selected.

A Consultant will be selected according to the method “QCBS” – Selection Based on Cost Quality established in the Procurement Regulation.

More information can be obtained at the address below, during business hours from 8:00 am to 3:30 pm.

Expressions of interest must be delivered to the address below **by August 30, 2022, at 3:30 pm local time** and must clearly indicate: **“Consultancy Service for Preparation of ESIA and RAP and Implementation of RAP for the Rehabilitation Storm Water Drainage System in the City of Beira – Phase 2”**.

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