



ADMINISTRAÇÃO NACIONAL DE ESTRADAS, IP
Gabinete do Director-Geral

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST (INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANTS)

Name of Project: Mozambique Safer Roads for Socio-Economic Integration Program (as Phase 1 of the Multiphase Programmatic Approach) (P174639)
Grant N°: E078-MZ
Assignment Title: **Consultancy Services for Recruitment of an Environmental Safeguards Expert for the Center of Excellence**
Reference N°: 47A003041/CP/37/2023
Client: Administração Nacional de Estradas, IP

1. The Government of Mozambique (GOM) has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the Safer Roads for Socio-Economic Integration Program, and intends to apply part of the proceeds for Consultancy Services for Recruitment of an Environmental Safeguards Expert for the Center of Excellence (COE).
2. The objective of the consultancy assignment is to support and advise the COE and team to ensure compliance with the applicable Safeguards Policies, Environmental and Social Standards including the World Bank Group Environmental, Health and Safety Guidelines (EHSG) and implementation of all ESMP actions, fully considering environmental risk management requirements stipulated by the project's Funded Activity Agreement (FAA).
3. The detailed Terms of Reference (ToR) for the assignment can be obtained at the address below.
4. The Administração Nacional de Estradas, IP now invites eligible Individual Consultants to express their interest in providing the Services during 2 years. Interested Consultants should provide information demonstrating that they have the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the Services.
5. The evaluation of expressions of interest will be made on qualitative basis according to a robust matrix of strengths and weaknesses and the shortlist will be composed from **the list of qualified individual consultants considering the following criteria:**
 - Advanced degree (Masters or preferably PhD) in Environmental Science, Environmental Engineering, Civil Engineering, or related subject;
 - Minimum of 8 years of relevant professional experience in developing projects, report writing and data analysis. Being a professional environmental expert (IAIA equivalent membership of an internationally recognized professional association) is an advantage. **In addition, the following selection criteria apply:** Experience in broad and complex projects, involving the participation of multi-disciplinary teams or involving large-scale infrastructure, and in particular a portfolio of large dams, ports, energy, waste treatment, water supply, and other large scale infrastructure projects that pose high environmental, social, health and safety (ESHS) risks;

- Knowledge of WBG operations including strong familiarity with WBG instruments;
 - Experience in designing and implementing environmental safeguards or environmental risk management (including Occupational Health and Safety); and monitoring environmental safeguards compliance, for international financial institutions, engineering companies or extractive industries is required;
 - Knowledge of the environmental and social health and safety risks (ESHS) management and procedures in large projects with (ISO 45001, OHSAS 18001:2007, NEBOSH);
 - Previous experience with the application of World Bank's Safeguards Policies or World Bank's ESF (Environmental and Social Framework) or other International Financing Institutions will be desirable;
 - Experience in preparing, reviewing and environmental audits is essential;
 - Experience in facilitating technical training and/or capacity building both at a central level as well as community/local level.
 - Proven strong analytical skills and ability to synthesize and organize complex information from various written and oral sources into clearly written and comprehensive, policy-oriented documents.
 - Excellent command of Portuguese and English language (oral and written) is required.
6. 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" November 2020 ("Procurement Regulations"), setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest.
 7. A Consultant will be selected in accordance with the Individual Consultant (IC) method set out in the Procurement Regulations.
 8. Further information can be obtained at the address below during office hours, from 07.30 - 15.30 hours local time, Mondays to Fridays, except Public Holidays.
 9. Expressions of interest in English Language clearly marked Reference N.º: **47A003041/CP/37/2023- "Consultancy Services for Recruitment of an Environmental Safeguards Expert for the Center of Excellence"** must be delivered in a written form to the address below (in hard copy, or by post mail or by e-mail) on **or before 15.30 (local time), on 18th of October 2023.**

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