



MINISTRY OF WATER AND ENVIRONMENT

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

UGANDA

INTEGRATED WATER MANAGEMENT AND DEVELOPMENT PROJECT

LOAN NUMBER P163782

ASSIGNMENT TITLE: CONSULTANCY SERVICES FOR FEASIBILITY STUDY, DETAILED ENGINEERING DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION SUPERVISION OF KYEGEGWA-MPARA-RUYONZA WATER SUPPLY AND SANITATION PROJECT

REFERENCE NO. MWE/CONS/19-20/00006

The Government of Uganda (GoU) has received financing from the World Bank towards the cost of the Integrated Water Management and Development Project (IWMDP) and intends to apply part of the proceeds for consulting services for **Feasibility Study, Detailed Engineering Design and Construction Supervision of Kyegegwa-Mpara-Ruyonza Water Supply and Sanitation Project**.

The consulting services (“**the Services**”) include: (i) To conduct a feasibility study for the Project area, prepare Detailed Engineering Designs and tender documents, (ii) Prepare Environmental and Social Impact Assessment (ESIA) report and the Resettlement Action Plan (RAP) based on the detailed design of the water supply and sanitation system for the project area, (iii) Prepare a Water Source Protection Plan, Sub- Catchment Management Plan and Design for Implementation based on the Catchment Planning and Water Source Protection Guidelines developed by the Ministry of Water and Environment, and (iv) To provide consulting services in undertaking supervision of construction works under the contract.

The implementation period of the assignment is 48 months and is expected to commence in April 2020.

The detailed Terms of Reference (TOR) for the assignment can be accessed at <https://www.mwe.go.ug/library/tendersprocurement>.

The Ministry of Water and Environment (MWE) now invites eligible consulting firms (“Consultants”) to indicate their interest in providing the services. Interested consultants should provide sufficient information demonstrating that they have the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the services.

The short listing criteria for the firm’s capability and experience are:

1. A Minimum of 10 (ten) years of core business as a consultant in undertaking feasibility studies, detailed engineering designs and construction supervision of water supply and sanitation infrastructure projects.
2. Submit the firm’s organogram to demonstrate the firm’s technical and managerial capability.
3. Experience in at least five (5) assignments similar in terms of scope, nature and value
4. Experience in similar conditions with at least two (2) projects in Sub-Saharan Africa or other countries in the world at similar level of development as Sub-Saharan Africa.
5. Presence of appropriate skills among staff in the areas of: water supply and sanitation engineering, project management, water

network planning, waste water disposal and treatment, civil and electromechanical works, water/wastewater process engineering, catchment management, and environmental safeguards & social safeguards. (Please do not submit CVs and bio data of experts)

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’ July 2016 revised November 2018 [Procurement in investment Project Financing; Goods, Works, Non-Consulting and Consulting Services], setting forth the World Bank’s policy on conflict of interest.

Consultants may associate with other firms to enhance their qualifications in the form of a joint venture and/or lead/sub-consultancy. Consultants shall indicate clearly in the Expression of Interest whether the association is a joint venture and/or 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 in accordance with the **Quality and Cost Based Selection (QCBS)** method set out in the World Bank procurement regulation.

Further information can be obtained at the address below during office hours (Monday to Friday, 08:30 – 17:00 hours, except on public holidays).

Expressions of interest (**One original plus three copies**) must be delivered in a written form to the address below (in person, or by courier, or by e-mail) by **4th September, 2019**.

The packages must be clearly marked **Expression of Interest for Consultancy Services for Feasibility Study, Detailed Engineering Design and Construction Supervision of Kyegegwa-Mpara-Ruyonza Water Supply and Sanitation Project**.

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