

United Nations Economic Commission for Africa
Ethiopia**REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI)**

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Title of the EOI:

PROVISION OF DESIGN REVIEW SERVICES

Date of this EOI: 20 July 2017**Closing Date for Receipt of EOI:** 3 August 2017**EOI Number:** EOIUNECA14110**Address EOI response by fax or e-mail to the Attention of:** Mr. Daniel Mamo**Fax Number:** +251 115 511874**E-mail Address:** mamod@un.org**UNSPSC Code:** 81100000**DESCRIPTION OF REQUIREMENTS**

The United Nations Economic Commission for Africa (ECA) located in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia is seeking Expressions of Interest (EOIs) from qualified companies with the required expertise and experience, from all countries, for the review of Developed Design (pre-tender dossier) related to the "Main Building Works" of Africa Hall Renovation Project.

The scope of the review includes but not limited to assessment of all disciplines composing the design (namely: architecture/heritage, civil, structural, electro-mechanical); a gap analysis to assess whether there are any major design omissions, missing design data or design methodologies; comments log containing detailed observations for the original designer to review and respond; remarks to designers proposed course of action; a comprehensive final report including remarks, comments and advice based on the functional requirements included in the brief to ensure compliance with applicable codes and standards; and review of pre-tender cost estimate.

Request for Proposal (RFP) document will be issued to those companies that expressed interest.

The completed Vendor Response Forms plus all required supplemental documentation should be submitted to the above-mentioned email address or fax number on or before 03 August 2017.

SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS / INFORMATION (IF ANY)

By submitting an EOI, the Applicant acknowledges that neither the United Nations nor the Applicant intends to create any contract or other relationship under which the United Nations is legally obliged to conduct the Expression of Interest process for the works in any manner or to proceed to tender on the basis set out in this Invitation to Expression of Interest or any other basis and that there is in fact no such contract or other relationship in existence. ECA reserves the right to verify statements and not to invite all those companies who had expressed interest.

Interested firms should submit a fully completed Vendor Response Form to the above-listed email address. Please note that the ECA is precluded from entering into a contract with a firm that is not registered with ECA. Those interested in responding to this EOI but not currently registered as vendors with ECA, are encouraged to register before submission of the EOI via the United Nations Global Marketplace (UNGM) website. Further details may be obtained by visiting <https://www.ungm.org/Vendor/Registration>.

As part of the process whereby your company will be considered for UNGM registration, you are required to include a written declaration with regards to the prerequisites for eligibility criteria (items A to F) as set out in the registration instructions attached to this EOI.

NOTE

Information on tendering for the UN Procurement System is **available free of charge** at the following address: <https://www.ungm.org/Public/Notice>

Only the United Nations Global Marketplace (UNGM) has been authorised to collect a nominal fee from vendors that wish to receive automatically Procurement Notices or Requests for Expression Of Interest. Vendors interested in this Tender Alert Service are invited to subscribe on <http://www.ungm.org>

Vendors interested in participating in the planned solicitation process should complete/submit the Vendor Response Form of this EOI either electronically (through the link available on the next page) or send it via fax or e-mail to United Nations Economic Commission for Africa (UNECA) before the closing date set forth above.

VENDOR RESPONSE FORM

TO: Mr. Daniel Mamo
FAX: +251 115 511874
FROM:

EOI Number: EOIUNECA14110

SUBJECT: PROVISION OF DESIGN REVIEW SERVICES

NOTICE

- Companies can only participate in solicitations of the UN Secretariat after completing their registration (free of charge) at the United Nations Global Marketplace (www.ungm.org).
- As you express interest in the planned solicitation by submitting this response form, please verify that your company is registered under its **full legal** name on the United Nations Global Marketplace (www.ungm.org) and that your application has been submitted to the UN Secretariat.
- We strongly recommend all companies to register at least at **Level 1** under the United Nations Secretariat prior to participating in any solicitations.

PLEASE NOTE: You can express your interest to this REOI by filling out this form manually or electronically (recommended) at:

<https://www.un.org/Depts/ptd/node/add/interest-expressed?EOI=EOIUNECA14110>

To be completed by the Vendor (All fields marked with an “*” are mandatory)

COMPANY INFORMATION

UN Global Market Place (UNGM) Vendor ID Number*:

Legal Company Name (Not trade name or DBA name) *:

Company Contact *:

Address *:

City *:

State :

Postal Code * :

Country *:

Phone Number *:

Fax Number *:

Email Address *:

Company Website:

We declare that our company fully meets the prerequisites A, B, C, D, E and F, for eligibility to register with the United Nations as outlined in the paragraph 1 of the EOI INSTRUCTIONS page.

Signature : _____

Date: _____

Name and Title : _____

EOI INSTRUCTIONS

1) Registering as a Vendor with the United Nations

Vendors interested in fulfilling the requirement described above must be registered at the UN Global Marketplace (www.ungm.org) with the UN Secretariat in order to be eligible to participate in any solicitation. Information on the registration process can be found at <https://www.un.org/Depts/ptd/vendors>.

Prerequisites for Eligibility

In order to be eligible for UN registration, you must declare that:

- A. Your company (as well as any parent, subsidiary or affiliate companies) is not listed in, or associated with a company or individual listed in:
 - I. the Compendium of United Nations Security Council Sanctions Lists (http://www.un.org/sc/committees/list_compend.shtml), or
 - II. the IIC Oil for Food List website or, if listed on either, this has been disclosed to the United Nations Procurement Division in writing.
- B. Your company (as well as any parent, subsidiary or affiliate companies) is not currently removed or suspended by the United Nations or any other UN organisation (including the World Bank);
- C. Your company (as well as any parent, subsidiary or affiliate companies) is not under formal investigation, nor have been sanctioned within the preceding three (3) years, by any national authority of a United Nations Member State for engaging or having engaged in proscribed practices, including but not limited to: corruption, fraud, coercion, collusion, obstruction, or any other unethical practice;
- D. Your company has not declared bankruptcy, are not involved in bankruptcy or receivership proceedings, and there is no judgment or pending legal action against your company that could impair your company's operations in the foreseeable future;
- E. Your company does not employ, or anticipate employing, any person(s) who is, or has been a UN staff member within the last year, if said UN staff member has or had prior professional dealings with the Vendor in his/her capacity as UN staff member within the last three years of service with the UN (in accordance with UN post-employment restrictions published in ST/SGB/2006/15).
- F. Your company undertakes not to engage in proscribed practices (including but not limited to: corruption, fraud, coercion, collusion, obstruction, or any other unethical practice), with the UN or any other party, and to conduct business in a manner that averts any financial, operational, reputational or other undue risk to the UN.

For Registered Vendors: Vendors already registered at the UN Global Marketplace with the UN Secretariat must ensure that the information and documentation (e.g. financial statements, address, contact name, etc.) provided in connection with their registration are up to date in UNGM. Please verify and ensure that your company is registered under its full legal name.

For Vendors Interested in Registration: Vendors not yet registered should apply for registration on the United Nations Global Marketplace (<http://www.ungm.org>); information on the registration process can be found at <https://www.un.org/Depts/ptd/vendors>. Vendors must complete the registration process prior to the closing date of the REOI. Vendors who have not completed the UNGM registration process with the UN Secretariat before the closing date of the REOI are not considered eligible to participate in solicitations of the UN Secretariat. We strongly recommend all companies to register at least at Level 1 under the UN Secretariat prior to participating in any solicitations.

IMPORTANT NOTICE: Any false, incomplete or defective vendor registration may result in the rejection of the application or cancellation of an already existing registration.

2) EOI Process

Vendors interested in participating in the planned solicitation process should forward their expression of interest (EOI) to United Nations Economic Commission for Africa (UNECA) by the closing date set forth in this EOI. *Due to the high volume of communications UNECA is not in a position to issue confirmation of receipt of EOIs.*

Please note that no further details of the planned solicitation can be made available to the vendors prior to issuance of the solicitation documents.

This EOI is issued subject to the conditions contained in the EOI introductory page available at <https://www.un.org/Depts/ptd/eoi>.