

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

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Expression of Interest for Consultancy Services for Feasibility Study, Detailed Engineering Design and preparation of Tender Documents for Development of Lake Nyasa ports (Mbamba Bay, Itungi, Kiwira, Ndumbi, Manda, Matema, Liuli and Lupingu)

INTERNATIONAL COMPETITIVE SELECTION

Tanzania Ports Authority (TPA) intends to undertake development of Lake Nyasa Ports, in which Mbamba Bay, Itungi, Kiwira, Ndumbi, Manda, Matema, Liuli and Lupingu ports infrastructures will be developed in order to unlock and integrate the southern regions in Tanzania with the national and international economy.

TPA, therefore, intends to engage a competent Consulting firm to undertake a Feasibility study, detailed Engineering designs and preparation of Tender documents for Development of these ports. The consultant shall provide a detailed assessment of technical, economic, financial, commercial, legal, social and environmental viability for development of these ports. The assignment is divided into two phases; (i) Phase One (1): Feasibility Study and Preliminary Design (ii) Phase Two (2): Detailed Engineering Designs and Tender Documents Preparations. At the end of Phase one, there will be a "break point" and a period during which TPA and other stakeholders will review the results and recommendations from Phase one. A decision will then be taken whether to proceed to Phase two or not and only upon approval by TPA the consultant shall proceed with Phase Two.

TPA now invites expressions of interest (EOIS) from eligible and qualified 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 short-listing criteria are: (a) the firm's experience in undertaking similar assignments (b) general and specific qualifications and experience of the proposed team of experts and experience of the firm in the Sub-Saharan Africa region.

Consultants may associate with other firms in the form of a Joint Venture or a Sub-Consultancy to enhance their qualifications. International Consultants must associate with local Tanzanian firms (at a minimum of 20% contribution of the local firm) for targeted transfer of the expertise to Tanzania firms.

Consultant will be selected in accordance with the procedures set out in the Public Procurement Act No. 7 of 2011 and its Regulations of 2013 Government Notice No. 446 as amended in 2016 (hereinafter called Procurement Regulations).

Expression of Interest clearly marked "Consultancy Services for Conducting Feasibility Study, Detailed Engineering Design and preparation of Tender Documents for Development of Lake Nyasa ports Mbamba Bay, Itungi, Kiwira, Ndumbi, Manda, Matema, Liuli and Lupingu." must be delivered in a written form (Original plus one copy) to the address: The Secretary, Central Tender Board, Room No.48, 2nd Floor, Tanzania Ports Authority, One Bandari Road, Kurasini, P. O. Box 91 84, Dar es Salaam, Tanzania by 26th February, 2018 at 10.00 hours local time and will be opened shortly thereafter at TPA Conference Room located on the 2nd floor, Room No.39. Consultants or representatives wishing to witness the opening are welcome to attend.

Late application of expression of interest, electronic applications and, bids not received, bids not Opened and read out in public at the opening session shall not be accepted for evaluation, irrespective of the circumstances.

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