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BARBADOS

**PROMOTING COMPETITIVENESS IN THE CARIBBEAN THROUGH TECHNICAL STANDARDS
AND HARMONIZED REGIONAL QUALITY INFRASTRUCTURE FOR IMPROVING MARKET
ACCESS AND COMPETITIVENESS**

Consultants

PROJECT MANAGER (INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANT)

TC/Project No. ATN/MT-8991-RG / RG-M1022 and ATN/MT-9833-RG / RG-M1073

Request for Curriculum Vitae

The CARICOM Regional Organization for Standards and Quality (CROSQ) has received financing from the Multilateral Investment Fund (MIF) of the Inter American Development Bank (IDB) toward the cost of Promoting SME Competitiveness in the Caribbean through Technical Standards and Harmonized Regional Quality Infrastructure for Improving Access and Competitiveness, and it intends to apply part of the proceeds for the selection of a Project Manager.

CROSQ, as the executing agency, is responsible for project execution of both projects and the use of both MIF and counterpart resources. The Project Manager will be attached to CROSQ, with duty station in Barbados, and will be responsible for the general execution of both captioned project components and regional coordination of the product activities. This includes, but is not limited to: (i) Ensuring compliance of the MIF agreements and related annexes; (ii) Coordinating and supervising to ensure timely execution of all project activities; and (iii) Supervising and guiding the Project Executing Unit (PEU) staff. The Project Manager will be assisted by an Administrative Officer and an Accounts Clerk/Administrative Assistant, who, with the Project Manager, will make up the PEU.

CROSQ now invites individual eligible consultants to express their interest in providing the services by submitting their curriculum vitae with description of similar assignments, experience in similar conditions and relevant qualifications.

An individual consultant will be selected in accordance with the procedures set out in the *Policies for the Selection and Contracting of Consultants financed by the IDB* (GN-2350-7 dated July 2006) that may be obtained at the IDB website (www.iadb.org).

Further details on the terms of reference, contract terms and conditions, template of curriculum vitae and application process must be obtained by contacting the CROSQ office at the address below between the office hours of 0900 and 1600 hours, or visiting the website (www.crosq.org).

Interested persons should submit three copies of curriculum vitae in a sealed envelope, clearly indicating the captioned title, by 30 March 2007. All submissions must be in English.

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