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REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

CONSULTING SERVICES

Institution: **Inter-American Development Bank**

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Project: **Improvement Transport Logistics and Competitiveness in Suriname**

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Abstract: **Expressions of Interest for Contracting of firm for a Port Community System implementation**

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Deadline*:* **18 October 2022**

The Ministry of Public Works has received financing from the Inter-American Development Bank (IDB), toward the cost of the Improvement of Transport Logistics and Competitiveness in Suriname (ITLCS) project and intends to apply part of the proceeds for consulting services.

The consulting services ("the Services") include the design and the implementation of the National Port Community System (PCS) of Suriname. The strategic objectives of the implementation of PCS in Suriname are to enhance global competitiveness and become an efficient regional trade and transport hub, to comply with international regulations and standards to secure and facilitate global trade, and to Increase revenue collection for the Government of the Republic of Suriname.

The PCS will be providing a public private data collaboration platform for the orchestration and optimization of inter-organizational business processes from port call, terminal operations, to hinterland inbound and outbound multimodal logistics, enabling visibility and predictability in the supply chain.

Estimated duration of the contract is **24 months.**

Interested consulting firms must provide evidence that they are qualified to perform the indicated services, including but not limited to brochures, description of similar assignments, experience in similar conditions/environments, availability of appropriate skills and expertise, graphic information, pictures, etc. The consulting firms shall also provide: i) general information on the firm's name, address, e-mail, phone and fax numbers, and in the case of an association the name of the representative firm; ii) information on the organization of the firm and its main areas of activity/specialization; and iii) description of specific experiences in similar projects/contracts. At least three (3) similar projects conducted within the last ten (10) years – with at least one (1) similar project with an amount of more than 2 million USD. Firms should demonstrate minimum 10 years of experience in design, implementation, maintenance, and support of PCS. The information requested in ii) and iii) should include at the minimum a description of the activities, which includes the degree or percent of participation in the total work, the execution period and dates, the level of responsibility, the cost of the project and the country location of the project. The curricula vitae of potential personnel to be involved in the above-mentioned services are not required at this stage.

Consultants must provide proof of their legal status as a firm (registry at Chamber of Commerce).

The Ministry of Public Works now invites eligible 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.

Consultants are required to submit their interests accompanied by a properly signed Letter of Interest (LOI), proof of their legal status as a firm (registry at Chamber of Commerce) and the requested evidence (company profile, portfolio, etc.) as described above.

Short lists shall comprise firms with a wide geographic spread not fewer than five (5) and not more than eight (8) eligible firms.

Consultants will be selected in accordance with the procedures set out in the Inter-American Development Bank: Policies for the Selection and Contracting of Consultants financed by the Inter-American Development Bank GN-2350-15 and is open to all eligible bidders as defined in the policies.

Consultants may associate with other firms in the form of a joint venture or a sub-consultancy to enhance their qualifications. For the purpose of establishing the short list, the nationality of a firm is that of the country in which it is legally incorporated or constituted and

in the case of Joint Venture, the nationality of the firm appointed to represent it.

A Consultant will be selected in accordance with the Quality and Cost Based Selection (QCBS) method set out in the Consultant Policies.

Further information can be obtained at the email address below during office hours **8:00 a.m.- 14:00 p.m.**

Expressions of interest must be delivered in a written form to the address below by e-mail by **18 October 2022 before 15:00 p.m. Suriname Time (SRT).**

The Ministry of Public Works through

the PEU of Improving Transport Logistics and Competitiveness in Suriname (ITLCS) project

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Attachments:

https://devbusiness.un.org/system/files/REOI_PCS_23Sept.2022.pdf