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**WATER RESOURCES MANAGEMENT PLAN FOR WATERSHEDS**

**Sector: Consulting Services**

**ENSURE WATER AVAILABILITY IN SUB-BASINS**

**Project No. PE-T1054**

**Expressions of Interest**

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The Inter-American Development Bank (IDB) has received financing from the Japanese Trust Fund for Consultancy Services (JCF), and it intends to apply part of the proceeds to payments under the project Water Resources Management Plan for the Mashcón and Chonta Watersheds, with emphasis on ensuring water availability in the sub-basins Paccha, Azufre and Río Grande. The objective of the consultancy is to develop (i) a Water Resources Management Plan (WRMP) that defines the technical, economic, social, environmental, legal and institutional measures to resolve current water management issues in the Mashcón and Chonta Watersheds in Cajamarca, Peru; and (ii) a project, based on the WRMP and developed to the level of feasibility, to achieve the improved management and efficient use of water resources in three sub-basins of the Chonta Watershed. It is anticipated that the majority of this work will be carried out throughout 2008.

The IDB now invites eligible consultants to express their interest in providing the services. Since the JCF is a tied fund “the primary providers of consulting services must be consulting firms or individual consultants that are nationals of Japan”. However, for the current purpose, it is encouraged that the interested Japanese firms sub-contract firms or individuals be nationals of an IDB borrowing member country. Interested firms are requested to provide a short summary (maximum 10 letter-sized or A4 pages) of their organization, of water resources management projects the firm has lead in the last ten years, and of the firm’s experience in Peru, if any. Consultants may associate to enhance their qualifications.

Consultants will be selected, using a quality and cost-based selection process, in accordance with the procedures set out in the IDB’s *Policies for the Selection and Contracting of Consultants financed by the IDB* (current edition) and the Policies of the JCF (see <http://condc05.iadb.org/iadbtrustfunds/funds/DonorDetails.aspx?DonorId=JP> for details). Expressions of interest must be delivered via e-mail to the address indicated below by 5:00 pm (Washington DC time) on 29 October 2007.

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