

**INVITATION FOR EXPRESION OF INTEREST (EOI)
(CONSULTING SERVICES)**

THE REPUBLIC OF UGANDA

MINISTRY OF WATER AND ENVIRONMENT

**UGANDA: FARM INCOME ENHANCEMENT AND FORESTRY CONSERVATION PROGRAMME:
PROJECT-2 (FIEFOC-2)**

**CONSULTANCY SERVICES FOR SUPERVISION OF CONSTRUCTION OF IRRIGATION SCHEMES
INFRASTRUCTURE AND FACILITIES**

PROC. REF: MWE/SRVCS/15-16
LOAN No: 2000130014931
PROJECT ID: P- UG-AAD-001

1. The Government of the Republic of Uganda has applied for financing from the African Development Bank (AfDB) towards the cost of Farm Income Enhancement and Forestry Conservation Programme: Project-2 (FIEFOC -2), and intends to apply part of the agreed amount for the Loan to payments under the Contract for Consultancy Services for Supervision of Construction of Irrigation Schemes Infrastructure and Facilities for Wadelai, Tochi, Mubuku II, Doho II and Ngenge.
2. The services under this consultancy will include: (i) review of designs to ensure correctness, completeness and compliance with nationally and internationally acceptable standards and update where necessary; (ii) supervision of the irrigation infrastructure contracts to ensure that the works comply with the technical designs, drawings, specifications, conditions of contract, quality assurance standards and sound engineering practice; (iii) preparation of final construction report, design modifications, as-built drawings and operation and maintenance manuals of all completed works; (iv) supervision of the defects liability monitoring period and (v) preparation of the project completion report (PCR). The irrigation infrastructure works will comprise earth impounding structures, storage reservoirs, flood control structures, diversion headworks, hydraulic intake and control structures, conveyance main canals, primary/secondary/tertiary canals, drainage systems, scheme access and farm roads, scheme office blocks and facilities. The works supervision execution involved is categorized into two (2) lots as below;
Lot 1: Consultancy Services for Supervision of Construction of Irrigation Schemes Infrastructure and Facilities for Wadelai in Nebbi District and Tochi in Oyam District.
Lot 2: Consultancy Services for Supervision of Construction of Irrigation Schemes Infrastructure and Facilities for Mubuku II in Kasese District, Doho II in Butaleja District and Ngenge in Kween District.
The consultancy services are expected to be executed for a duration of thirty six (36) months.
Consultants are free to express interest in one or all the assignments. Consultants should clearly indicate the assignment (lot) they are expressing interest in and their order of preference.
3. The Ministry of Water and Environment now invites eligible consultants to indicate their interest in providing these services. Interested consultants must provide information indicating their qualifications for performing the services supported with relevant documentation. Such information may include; (a) Brochures, (b) Description of assignments of similar nature conducted in the last 10 years, (c) Experience in similar conditions and in the region, and (e) Availability of appropriate managerial and technical skills among staff related to the assignment and specific experience in irrigation schemes infrastructure development, etc. Consultants may constitute joint-ventures to enhance their chances of qualification.
4. Eligibility criteria and selection procedure shall be in accordance with the African Development Bank's "**Rules and Procedures for the Use of Consultants**, May 2008, and revised July 2012", which is available on the Bank's website at <http://www.afdb.org>.

Interested consultants may obtain further information at the address given below from (Monday to Friday, 08:30 – 17:00 hours, except on public holidays).

5. Expressions of interest must be delivered to the address below by 15 March 2016 at 11: 00 *hours* and mention;

“**Lot 1:** Consultancy Services for Supervision of Construction of Irrigation Schemes Infrastructure and Facilities for Wadelai in Nebbi District and Tochi in Oyam District”.

or

“**Lot 2:** Consultancy Services for Supervision of Construction of Irrigation Schemes Infrastructure and Facilities for Mubuku II in Kasese District, Doho II in Butaleja District and Ngenge in Kween District”.

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