





Request For Expressions of Interest (REOI)

Climate Smart Irrigated Agriculture Project (CSIAP) – IDA 6346 LK Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock, Lands and Irrigation

Hiring of a Consultant Firm to produce and perform a street drama on Cascade Management in project area of the CSIAP to make public aware of the importance of safeguarding the cascade system in the dry zone of Sri Lanka.

RFP Reference No: LK-MOA-437878-CS-CQS-PMU

The Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka has received a credit financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the Climate Smart Irrigated Agriculture Project (CSIAP) - Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock, Lands and Irrigation and intends to apply part of the proceeds for Consultancy Service for "produce and perform a street drama on Cascade Management in project area of the CSIAP to make public aware of the importance of safeguarding the cascade system in the dry zone of Sri Lanka. RFP Reference No: LK-MOA-437878-CS-CQS-PMU.

The Consultancy services ("the Services") include to produce a street drama capturing the challenges faced by the village community due to degradation of cascade system in the dry zone and to perform the drama to educate public, targeted farmer community and other stakeholders of the cascade system in 11 districts of the project area aiming to protect and manage the cascades properly through providing information on the issues of cascades and to make citizenry critically aware and mobilize them to safeguard 72 cascade systems in the project area of the CSAIP. The detailed of the assignment is given in the Terms of Reference (TOR). Consultancy period is nine (9) months. Expected start date of the assignment is 14th February 2025.

The detailed Terms of Reference (TOR) for the assignment can be downloaded at the following website: www.csiap.lk , www.agrimin.gov.lk or can be obtained at the address – Project Director, Project Management Unit, Climate Smart Irrigated Agriculture Project (CSIAP) No: 61/1, M.D.H Jayawardena Mawatha, Madinnagoda, Rajagriya from 9.00 to 16.00 hrs. during the working days.

The Ministry Consultants Procurement Committee on behalf of The Climate Smart Irrigated Agriculture Project of the Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock, Lands and Irrigation, now invites eligible consulting firm/s ("Consultant/s") to indicate their interest in providing the Services. Interested Consultant/s should provide information demonstrating that they have the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the Services. The shortlisting criteria are core business and years in business, relevant experience, technical and managerial capability of the firm. Key Experts will not be evaluated at the shortlisting stage.

The attention of interested Consultants is drawn to Section III, paragraphs, 3.14, 3.16, and 3.17 of the World Bank's "Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers" July 2016, Revised November 2017, August 2018, November 2020 and September 2023 ("Procurement Regulations"), setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest.

Consultants may associate with other firms to enhance their qualifications, but should indicate clearly whether the association is in the form of a joint venture and/or a sub-consultancy. In the case of a joint venture, all the partners in the joint venture shall be jointly and severally liable for the entire contract, if selected.

A Consultant will be selected in accordance with the "Consultant's Qualification Based Selection" (CQS) method set out in the Procurement Regulations.

Further information can be obtained from the Project Director, Climate Smart Irrigated Agriculture Project (CSIAP) No: 61/1, M.D.H Jayawardena Mawatha, Madinnagoda, Rajagriya Tel: 0112871293,0112053252 Fax; 0112053167 from 9.00 to 16.00 hrs. during the working days.

Expressions of interest must be delivered in a written form to the address below (in person, or by mail) on or before 15.00 hrs on 6th December 2024.

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