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Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh Local Government Engineering Department Second Rural Transport Improvement Project (RTIP-II) Agargaon, Sher-E-Bangla Nagar

Dhaka-1207

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REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST (CONSULTING SERVICES- SELECTION OF INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANTS)

Country: Bangladesh; (Credit No: 6327-BD)

Name of Project: Second Rural Transport Improvement Project (RTIP-II) - Additional Financing

The People's Republic of Bangladesh has received financing from the World Bank towards the cost for the **Second Rural Transport Improvement Project (RTIP-II) - Additional Financing** and intends to apply part of the proceeds for consulting services for the Project by some Individual Consultants. The experience and other requirements are given below:

| Package No | Post & Tentative Duration | Minimum Qualification | | Minimum Experience | Remarks |
|---------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---|--|----------------------|
| AF-S4.1 | Senior Social Development | Minimum Master's degree in Social | | A Minimum 20 years of professional experience. | Details specified |
| | Specialist (12 months) | Science or any relevant discipline. | • | At least 12 years of experience in social safeguards policies. | in the ToR |
| | | | • | At least 15 years of experience in resettlement/ land acquisition for road / infrastructure projects | |
| | | | • | Proven ability to prepare resettlement plan, safeguards reports, compensation plan, and others safeguard report. | |
| | | | • | Working experience with LGED will be preferred. | |
| | | | • | Conversance with the World Bank's safeguard policy will be an asset. | |
| | | | • | Strong written and verbal communication | |
| | | | | skills. | |
| | | | • | Excellent IT / computer skills including MS Office (Word, Excel, and PowerPoint). | |

The Local Government Engineering Department (LGED) now invites eligible Individual Consultants ("Consultants") to indicate their interest in providing the Services. The services include to assists the PMU in implementing and monitoring the project activities in compliance with the Social Impact Management Framework (SIMF) including a Resettlement Policy Framework (RPF) and an Indigenous Peoples Planning Framework (IPPF) for managing safeguards compliance of subprojects under RTIP2. Likewise, the SIMF provides procedures for social screening, social impact assessment and preparation of Social Impact Management Plans (SIMP), Resettlement Action Plans (RAP) and Tribal Peoples Development Plans (TPDP)





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etc. Interested Consultants should provide information demonstrating that he/she has the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the Services.

Consultants are requested to submit supporting documents in support of the above-mentioned criteria, qualification requirements and the information required as mentioned in the ToR.

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) ("Procurement Regulations"), setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest.

Selection of the above mentioned consultants will follow the procedures for selecting Individual Consultants described in the "The World Bank Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers, Procurement in Investment Project Financing Goods, Works, Non-Consulting and Consulting Services, July 2016 revised in November 2017".

Interested Candidates are requested to collect Terms of Reference (ToR) and Curriculum Vitae form to understand detail requirements and tasks for each position from the office of the undersigned. The advertisement is also available on the website of LGED (<u>www.lged.gov.bd</u>) and CPTU (<u>www.cptu.gov.bd</u>).

Further information may be obtained at the address below during office hours. Expressions of interest must be delivered in a written form to the address below (in person, or by mail) by 07/02/2022 up to 2:00pm (Bangladesh Standard Time).

Sd/-

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Copy forwarded for kind information and necessary action to:

- 1. Chief Engineer, Local Government Engineering Department, Agargaon, Dhaka.
- 2. Director General, CPTU, IMED, Planning Commission, Agargaon, Sher-E-Bangla Nagar, Dhaka.
- 3. Additional Chief Engineer (RID&M) & Coordinator, RTIP-II, LGED HQ, Dhaka.
- 4. Mr. Md. Ahsan Habib, Additional Chief Engineer (RID&M), LGED. He is requested to publish the REOI on LGED website.
- 6. The World Bank,
- 7. Mr. / Mrs. /Ms.