



REPUBLIC OF MOZAMBIQUE
MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATIONS
SPATIAL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST
(CONSULTING SERVICES – FIRMS SELECTION)

Mozambique

National Statistics and Data for Development Project

Grant No.: D228-MZ

Assignment Title: **Elaboration, Development and Implementation of the New Aid Informatics Platform Management System in Mozambique**

The Republic of Mozambique has received World Bank funding to support **the National Statistics and Data for Development Project**, and intends to use part of the IDA grant funds to hire consultancy services to support the Ministry of Economy and Finance (MoFE) component, through its Directorate of Cooperation (DC).

The consulting services (“the Services”) included under this project aim at supporting the Government of Mozambique (GoM) in strengthening its external aid data management processes, through a simple, flexible IT platform, which is integrated with public finance management processes and while allowing to capture Off-Budget funding.

The new Aid Information Management System should include, among others, the following information: data on external aid projects and finance agreements, including Off-Budget ones; disbursements, annual and medium-term commitments; fund execution, information on the monitoring activities on the physical and financial project implementation. Likewise, the new platform should contain documentation repositories related to each of the processes of External Aid management, provide geographical information to the MOZGIS platform.

The Service Provider will be responsible for the Design, Development and Implementation of the New Aid Information Management System in Mozambique, for a period of (78) seventy-eight weeks, counting from the date of the Administrative Tribunal's “Visto”. Detailed Terms of Reference (TOR) can be obtained from the address below.

The SDP in collaboration with the Ministry of Economy and Finance (MoFE), Directorate of Cooperation, invites eligible consulting firms (“Consultants”) to express their interest in providing the services described above. Interested consultants must provide information that demonstrates they meet the required qualifications and have the relevant experience to perform the services, and must therefore present brochures describing jobs and experience in similar conditions, demonstrating appropriate skills at the team level, among others. The main qualification criteria will be, among others:

- Minimum proven market experience of seven (7) years and at least 4 software development, installation and maintenance projects that work in high availability

- using the Java EE programming language and Oracle Database Management Systems;
- Minimum proven market experience of seven (7) years designing and implementing IT systems for Aid or Public Finance Management;
 - Minimum proven market experience of five (5) years creating, analyzing, modelling and validating business processes using one of the following concepts: UML, PMBOK, COBIT, PRINCE, BPMN or equivalent;
 - Minimum proven market experience of five (5) years in the market in designing middleware environments to integrate remote applications.

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 Regulation for IPF Loans", July 2016 ("Procurement Regulation"), setting out the policy Bank on conflict of interest and the consultant will be selected according to the Quality and Cost Based Selection (QCBS) method.

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.

The consulting firm will be selected in accordance with the Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers" July 2016 Edition, in conjunction with Decree 5/2016 of 8 March which regulates the Contracting of Public Works, Supply of Goods and Provision of Services to the State.

More information can be obtained at the address below during office hours (8:00 am to 4:00 pm) local time.

Expressions of interest must be delivered in written form or electronically by **22nd June 2020, 10:30 am** (local time) and mentioning the reference **EOI: MZ-MEF-DC-36145-CS-QCBS** to the address below:

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