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REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

IAME OF PROJECT: STATISTICS FOR RESULT PROJECT (RWANDA)

JOAN NO. /CREDIT NO. /GRANT NO.: TF011927

ASSIGNMENT TITTLE: RECRUITMENT OF A NATIONAL INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANT TO CONDUCT THE 2014 USER SATISFACTION SURVEY FOR THE NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF STATISTICS OF RWANDA

REFERENCE NO: 050/REOI/2013-2014/NISR/NC UNIT/NSDS B F /USER SATISFACTION SURVEY

The National Institute of Statistics of Rwanda received financing from the Basket Fund towards the cost of the STATISTICS FOR RESULT PROJECT, and intends to apply part of the proceeds for consulting services.

The consulting services ("the Services") include recruiting a National Individual Consultant to conduct a User Satisfaction Survey of 2014 to provide the level of users satisfaction with available statistical outputs as a result of NSDS1 implementation, improvement made based on the baseline provided the by User Satisfaction Survey of 2012.

The National Institute of Statistics of Rwanda (NISR) has been implementing a 5 Year programme referred to as the" National Strategy for the Development of Statistics (NSDS 2009-2014)" in Rwanda with 2013/2014 being the last year of implementation. The main objective of elaborating and implementing the NSDS is to provide relevant, reliable, coherent, timely and accessible statistical information and services to various sectors of society in a coordinated and sustainable manner within the National Statistical System (NSS), as well as to increase the capacity to formulate policies and make informed decisions for development by increased use of better statistics.

The National Institute of Statistics of Rwanda now invites eligible Individual Consultants to express their interest in providing the required services - conducting a User Satisfaction Survey of 2014. Interested Consultants should provide information demonstrating that they have the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the Services. The short listing / selection criteria will be based on the following; the desired consultant must have:

(a) An advanced university degree in statistics or economics

(b) At least 5 years of relevant experience in conducting similar surveys. In particular, the consultant must have working experience preferably in developing countries.

- (c) 5 years' experience in developing the statistical capacity of institutions and sound experience in the national statistical system of developing African countries is also essential.
- (d) Experience in the design and implementation of data management strategies, providing high-'quality statistical information for policy makers and planners, etc;
- (e) Experience in senior positions whether at home or other countries.

The attention of interested Consultants is drawn to paragraph 1.9 of the World Bank's Guidelines: Selection and Employment of Consultants [under IBRD Loans and IDA Credits & Grants] by World Bank Borrowers [January 2011] ("Consultant Guidelines"), setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest.

A Consultant will be selected in accordance with the Individual Consultant Selection method set out in the Consultant Guidelines.

Further information can be obtained at the address indicated below during office hours from 1700 hours to 1700 hours on all working days.

interested and suitably qualified candidates should submit their applications including CV and a motivation letter highlighting how they meet the above requirements. All applications should be submitted to the Central Secretariat of the NISR and should be addressed to:

The Director General,
National Institute Of Statistics of Rwanda (NISR),
Avenue de la Paix, former MINIPLAN Building, Muhima (Nyarugenge District)
P.O. Box 6139 Kigali.

Electronic applications will also be accepted and may be sent through: info@statistics.gov.rw, sandra.rusagara@statistics.gov.rw, alphonse.shumbusho@statistics.gov.rw

The outer cover for envelope shall be clearly marked: REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI) $N^{0.}$ 050/REOI/2013-2014/NISR/NC UNIT/NSDS B F /USER SATISFACTION SURVEY

The deadline for submission of expression of interest will be not later than 4th August 2014, at 11:00 hours Kigali time.

For the detailed Terms of Reference for this assignment with specific objectives and scope of the tasks, Key outputs and deliverables, Specific Tasks/activities, Timing, Competence and Qualifications and other requirements, please visit www.statistics.gov.rw, **DG market website.**

Done at Kigali, on

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