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REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST (EOI)

RWANDA

NAME OF PROJECT: STATISTICS FOR  
RESULT PROJECT

LOAN NO. /CREDIT NO. /GRANT NO.: TF011927

**ASSIGNMENT TITLE:** RECRUITMENT OF AN INTERNATIONAL INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANT FOR ELABORATION OF SECOND NATIONAL STRATEGY FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF STATISTICS (NSDS2) 2014 – 2019.

**REFERENCE NO:** 008/REOI-IC/2013-2014/NISR/SMRP UNIT/NSDS BF/NSDS2  
ELABORATION

The National Institute of Statistics of Rwanda received financing from the Basket Fund towards the cost of the **Statistics For Result Project And National Strategy For The Development Of Statistics( NSDS1)**, and intends to apply part of the proceeds for consulting services.

The required consulting services (“the Services”) calls for recruitment of an international Individual Consultant to facilitate the quality assurance of design and elaboration of National Strategy For The Development Of Statistics (NSDS2). The consultant will work closely with the NSDS2 task force at NISR to accomplish this assignment and will be expected to commence the assignment in the month of November 2013 and is estimated to be completed in the period of 40 working days, after contract signature, 30 days of which will be used in November 2013, and 10 days will be used in July 2014 in preparation of the launch for NSDS2

The NSDS provides a vision where the National Statistical System (NSS) is positioned during its five year of implementation. It also presents a comprehensive and a unified framework for continual assessment of evolving user needs in a more coordinated, synergistic and efficient manner. Importantly the NSDS demonstrates the existence of a strong National Statistical System in Rwanda, Comprising of data producers, data users and data suppliers including training and research institutions, bound by a common vision, principles and goals, unified and coordinated to implement the chosen strategies and programs. The NISR has been implementing the NSDS1 since its inception in 2010.

**For the detailed Terms of Reference for this assignment with specific objectives and scope of the tasks, Key deliverables, Timing, Competence and Qualifications and other requirements, please visit [www.statistics.gov.rw](http://www.statistics.gov.rw), DG market website, PPS and UNDB online**

The National Institute of Statistics of Rwanda now invites eligible International Individual Consultants to express their interest in providing the required services. Interested Individual Consultants should provide information demonstrating that they have the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the Services.



The short listing / selection criteria for the required Individual Consultant will be based on the following Qualifications and Competencies;

- a) An advanced University Degree in Statistics, Strategic Management, and Economics (a Master's Degree or a PhD)
- b) At least 10 years of relevant experience in design, development and implementation of NSDS line with PARIS 21 guidelines.
- c) Experience in developing the statistical capacity of National statistical institutions
- d) Experience in senior positions at international level whether at home or other countries
- e) A strong background of ten (10) years in management and/ or capacity building of countries NSDS and government statistical systems;
- f) Long experience in the national statistical system of developing African countries is also essential In particular; the consultant must have working experience in developing countries preferably in Sub-Saharan Africa for at least 5 years.
- g) A strong background in either statistics and/or capacity building of national statistical systems
- h) Excellent English language skills (both written and oral)

The attention of interested Consulting firms are 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.

Consultants may associate with other firms in the form of a joint venture or a subconsultancy to enhance their qualifications. Consulting firms will be selected in accordance with **INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANT SELECTION METHOD** set out in the Consultant Guidelines.

Further information can be obtained at the address below during office hours from 0700 hours to 1700 hours on all working days.

Interested and suitably qualified Consulting firms consultants must submit their Expression of Interest documents 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)  
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The outer cover for envelope shall be clearly marked: **REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI) No. 008/REOI-IC/2013-2014/NISR/SMRP UNIT/NSDS BF/NSDS2 ELABORATION**

The deadline for submission of expression of interest will be not later than **23<sup>rd</sup> OCTOBER 2013, at 10:00 hours Kigali time, 8:00 GMT.**

Electronic applications will also be accepted and may be sent through info@statistics.gov.rw, gerald.yemukama@statistics.gov.rw/eric.bugingo@statistics.gov.rw

Done at Kigali on 4<sup>th</sup> October 2013

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