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RE-ADVERTISEMENT: JOB OPPORTUNITY

The National Institute of Statistics of Rwanda (NISR) seeks to hire the services of experienced and capable specialist as follows:

2	Procurement	1. Scope of the assignment:
	specialist	The Procurement Specialist is expected to:
		 a) Prepare adverts and place them in relevant media in accordance with the latest World Bank Procurement Guidelines for Goods and Services. b) Prepare technical specifications and terms of reference (ToRs) of goods and services to be procured in close collaboration with key stakeholders (NISR Census Team, NISR Chief Budget Manager and WB Procurement Analyst). c) Prepare tender documents and Request for Proposals (RFP) for Goods and Services to be used during the 2012 Population and Housing Census d) Participate in bids evaluation and draft the technical and financial evaluation reports. e) Draft provisional and definitive notification letters f) Process claims and advise NISR management on the appropriate course of action to take. g) Draft contracts and submit them to successful bidders for review and eventually signature. h) Get NISR DG to sign the contracts.
		2. Specific Tasks/activities:
		The key tasks/activities for the Procurement experts are summarised below: i) ensuring that "prior review result" from the World Bank is received for any procurement above the agreed procurement threshold. j) Ensuring all ToRs are reviewed by the World Bank

- A Master's degree in engineering, economics, finance, business administration, law or related field
- At least 4 years experience in procurement field in a reputable high performing public sector organisation covering high-level complex procurement management functions;
- Demonstrate extensive practical experience and skills in all aspects of international procurement of goods, works and consulting services and administration on World Bank projects with due regard to Government of Rwanda Procurement regulations;
- Computer literate. Good knowledge of MS Office applications. Other software is an advantage.
- Be fluent in English. Knowledge of French and Kinyarwanda is an advantage.

- Ensuring strict adherence to procurement process including advertising, prequalification of consultants, preparation of long/short lists, issuance of RFP, conducting pre-bid meeting, bid receipts, and opening, proposal evaluation, negotiation and signing of contracts.
- Ensuring procurement records and documents are properly documented in the form required and duly authorised by the responsible officers and are readily available for independent review.
- m) Ensuring that all necessary clearances and approvals are obtained before procurements are initiated.
- n) Ensuring all procurement activities are carried out on the basis of approved procurement plans.
- Ensure that all relevant procurement procedures (national, the World Bank or otherwise) are complied with in all material respects, properly documented and managed.
- p) Provide procurement reports on progress every two weeks.
- q) Ensure that all procurements under their responsibility are carried out expeditiously and efficiently and free of wasteful expenditures, fraud, omissions and errors.
- r) Ensure all procurement files in the evaluation process, financial offers not yet opened are kept in a safe and closed location.

3. Key deliverables:

The expected key outputs and deliverables from the assignment are:

- s) Placing procurement adverts in relevant media;
- Drafting Technical Specifications and ToRs for clearance by relevant NISR and WB officials
- u) Finalizing Tenders Documents and RFPs
- v) Drafting technical and financial bids evaluation reports within agreed deadlines
- w) Drafting provisional notification and definitive notification within agreed deadlines
- x) Drafting contracts and submitting them to successful bidders for review and eventually signature.
- y) Filing all procurement related documents promptly and in compliance with the Government and WB procedures.

- Outstanding planning, organizing and controlling skills;
- Excellent leadership, organizational and interpersonal skills
- Excellent communication and analytical skills

Application guidelines:

Interested persons meeting the above qualifications should submit their applications comprising of following:

- Letter of motivation highlighting how they meet the requirements for the post of their preference
- A Detailed CV, copies of academic qualifications, copy of National Identity Card, names of three references;

Submission deadline is 19th June 2012 at 4pm at NISR office, former building-MINIPLAN-Muhima, P.O Box 6139 Kigali. Only short-listed candidates will be contacted.

For more information, regarding specific objectives and scope of the tasks, Key deliverables, Timing, Competence and Qualifications and other requirements, please visit www.statistics.gov.rw, info@statistics.gov.rw and DG market website.

Done at Kigali, on 07th June 2012

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