

**REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST  
(CONSULTING SERVICES)**

**COUNTRY:** Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia

**NAME OF PROJECT:** Africa CDC Regional Investment Financing Project (P167916)

**Loan No./Credit No./ Grant No.:** IDA-65040.

**Assignment Title:** Environmental and social Impact Assessment for Construction of Biosafety Level (BSL2) Laboratories

**Reference No. (As per Procurement Plan):** ET-EPHI-233416-CS-CQS

The Ethiopian Public Health Institute *has received* financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the Africa CDC Regional Investment Financing Project, and intends to apply part of the proceeds for consulting services of Environmental and social Impact Assessment for Construction of Biosafety Level (BSL2).

The objective of this assignment is to conduct an Environmental and Social Impact Assessment (ESIA) and develop an Environmental and Social Management Plan (ESMP) for the investment proposal for construction of BSL 2 Laboratories.

The detailed Terms of Reference (TOR) for the assignment can be accessed from our Website <http://www.ephi.gov.et/>

Ethiopian Public Health Institute now invites eligible consulting firms (“Consultants”) to indicate their interest in providing these services. Interested consultants should provide information demonstrating that they have the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the Services (brochures, description of similar assignments, experience in similar conditions, availability of appropriate skills among staff, etc.). The short-listing criteria are: *core business and years in business, qualifications in the field of the assignment, technical and managerial organization of the firm, and general qualifications and number of key staff. Consultants may associate to enhance their qualifications.*

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” August 2018 (“Procurement Regulations”), setting forth the World Bank’s policy on conflict of interest.

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.

A Consultant will be selected in accordance with the Consultant’s qualification based selection (CQS) method set out in the Procurement Regulations.

Further information can be obtained at the address below during office hours 8:30AM up to 5:00PM.

Expressions of interest must be delivered in a written form to the address below in person or by e-mail by June 28, 2021 on or before 2:30 PM.

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