



REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST
(CONSULTING SERVICES – **INDIVIDUAL SELECTION**)

JAMAICA: Foundations for Competitiveness and Growth Project
Loan No.:8408-JM

Assignment Title: PUBLIC PRIVATE PARTNERSHIPS & PRIVATISATION ANALYST – DEVELOPMENT BANK OF JAMAICA

Reference No.: FCG/CON/070

The Government of Jamaica (GoJ) has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the Foundations for Competitiveness and Growth Project (FCGP) and intends to apply part of the proceeds for consulting services. The Government of Jamaica (GoJ) has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the Foundations for Competitiveness and Growth Project (FCGP), and intends to apply part of the proceeds for consulting services.

The consulting services (“the Services”)

The DBJ, being the central implementing agency for the GOJ’s PPP and Privatisation Programme, has been mandated to improve the pace and efficiency with which PPP and Privatisation (P4) Unit transactions are executed. Under the FCGP support is being offered to increase the DBJ’s capacity to implement process initiatives and to achieve improved efficiency.

The objective of the assignment is to assist the DBJ’s PPP and Privatisation (P4) Unit to improve the overall efficiency with which PPPs are assessed and implemented through standardization and execution of PPP and Privatisation procedures to align with global best practices and the P4 Policy. The anticipated duration of the assignment is twelve (12) months.

The full Terms of Reference can be accessed at the following site:

<https://www.pioj.gov.jm/procurement/>

The Planning Institute of Jamaica now invites eligible individuals (“Consultants”) to indicate their interest in providing the Services. **Interested Consultants should provide curriculum vitae with detailed information demonstrating the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the Services. The shortlisting criteria are:**

- Master’s Degree in Economics, Public Policy, Finance, Business and/or other related fields; **10%**

- The consultant should have at least 10 years' experience providing similar services including developing Standard Operating Procedures for PPP Units; **30%**
- The consultant should have at least 10 years' experience in developing and successfully executing PPP and Privatisation transactions; experience in structured finance, including hands-on experience in originating, structuring, and executing PPP transactions and structured finance transactions for infrastructure projects; **30%**
- Strong project/program management experience; **5%**
- International experience working in PPP infrastructure development with knowledge of international best practice trends in PPP assessment, project development and transaction execution process; **20%**
- At least 2 years' experience in an English Speaking environment. **5%**

Nb. The recommended candidate will be required to provide three relevant, written reference letters from previous clients/employers.

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 dated January 2011, revised July 2014 ("Consultant Guidelines"), setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest.

A Consultant will be selected in accordance with the Selection of Individual Consultants method set out in the World Bank's Guidelines: Selection and Employment of Consultants under IBRD Loans and IDA Credits & Grants.

Detailed curricula vitae must be delivered in a written form to the address below (NB. Due to the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic, submissions must be done via e-mail) by **February 15, 2021 at 11:45pm**. The procurement reference number should be clearly identified in the subject heading, as appropriate.

Further information can be obtained at the address below during office hours 8:30am to 4:00pm local time.

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