

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST (CONSULTING SERVICES – FIRMS SELECTION)

Republic of Armenia
Statistical Capacity Building and Implementation Support for Armenia's Pilot Agricultural
Census Project
Grant No. TF013918

Assignment Title: Consultants Services for Developing of Schematic maps for Preparation
and Conducting of 2014 Agricultural Census of RoA

Reference No. (as per Procurement Plan): SAPSC C- 2.1.1

The Republic of Armenia has received a Grant from the World Bank toward the cost of the Grant TF 013918 for “Statistical Capacity Building and Implementation Support for Armenia's Pilot Agricultural Census”, and intends to apply part of the proceeds for consulting services.

The main objective of this assignment is to develop Schematic maps of the villages of Sasounik, Kosh, Ujan, Arteny, Aragats (Aparan region), Karby, Voskevaz, Byurakan, Parpy, Ohanavan, Kuchak, Tsaghkahovit, Hnaberd, Mastara of Aragatsotn marz; Kaghrashen, Aygezard, Pokr Vedi, Norashen, Hovtashat, Taperakan, Verin Artashat, Aygavan, Azatavan, Dalar, N. Dvin of Ararat marz; Baghramyan (region of Ejmiadzin), Haytagh, Jrarat, Norakert, Geghakert, Janfida, Bambakashat, Voskehat, Gai, Merdzavan, Armavir, Aghavnatun, Arshaluys, Dalarik, Myasnikyan, Karakert, Aragats of Armavir marz; Shahumyan, Jrashen, Mrgahovit of Lori marz; village of Lernanist of Kotayk marz; Panik, Pemzashen, Sarnaghbyur, Pokr Mantash, Arapy, Marmashen, Voskehask, Amasia, Ashotsk, Anushavan, Horom, Mets Mantash of Shirak marz; Azatamut, Bagratashen, Berdavan of Tavush marz.

Implementation period of the assignment is about 4 months.

The National Statistical Service of RA and Foreign Financing Projects Management Center (FFPMC) now invite eligible consulting firms (“Consultants”) to indicate their interest in providing the Services. Interested Consultants should provide information demonstrating that they have the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the Services.

The shortlisting criteria are:

- General experience of consultancy on similar surveys within the scope of projects, implemented by international or donor organizations;
- At least 3 years of record of work experience in the field of implementation of similar assignments;

- Experience in Armenia will be considered as advantage

The attention of interested Consultants is drawn to paragraph 1.6 of the World Bank's "Guidelines: Selection and Employment of Consultants under IBRD Loans & 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.

A Consultant will be selected in accordance with the Selection Based on the Consultants' Qualifications (CQS) method set out in the Consultant Guidelines.

Further information can be obtained at the address below during office hours from 09:00 to 18:00 hours.

Expressions of interest must be delivered in a written form to the address below (in person, or by mail, or by fax, or by e-mail) by April 16, 2014, 18:00 (local time).

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