

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

SAINT LUCIA

CARIBBEAN REGIONAL AIR TRANSPORT CONNECTIVITY PROJECT

Loan No./Credit No./ Grant No.: IDA-66530

Assignment Title: Design and Supervision of the Upgrade of the Control Room and Construction of Training Room at the Aerodrome Rescue and Firefighting Services (ARFFS) located at the Hewanorra International Airport (HIA).

Reference No.: LC- SLASPA-202718-GO-RFQ /

The Government of Saint Lucia (Ministry of Finance) has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the CARIBBEAN REGIONAL AIR TRANSPORT CONNECTIVITY PROJECT (CATCOP), and intends to apply part of the proceeds for consulting services.

The consulting services (“the Services”) includes the development of approved designs from conceptual drawings and the Supervision of the construction phase. In that regard services will be provided to the CATCOP- Project Implementation Unit (PIU) of the St. Lucia Air and Sea Ports Authority (SLASPA), the Implementing Agency.

The consulting firm shall ensure that designs and construction of the ARFFS enhances its operations and functionality. All national Physical Planning Department’s requirements and regulations must be satisfied; as well as the requirements for ARFFS as stipulated in the International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO) defines the requirements for aerodrome Rescue and Fire Fighting Service (ARFFS) in Annex 14, Volume 1 - Aerodrome Design and Operations. (<https://store.icao.int/en/annex-14-aerodromes>).

The resiliency and sustainability the facility are critical design and construction considerations. The firm will be required to engage stakeholders at pre-determined points in the implementation of the services. Activities will be implemented in compliance with the environmental safeguards and social policies of the World Bank. The Consultant will also be responsible for planning, design, construction supervision, and monitoring of all works contracts for compliance.

The firm will develop detailed design, working drawings and production information, specifications, Bills of Quantities for tender (pre-costed for the Client) tender documents, assist in the production of contract documents and the administration of the project contract, administer the post-contract/construction phase of the project, testing, commissioning and eventual hand-over of the building.

The assignment is expected to start October 2021.

The detailed Terms of Reference (TOR) for the assignment can be found at the following website:

www.govt.lc

www.slaspa.com

The Saint Lucia Air and Sea Port Authority, the implementing agency/client, now invites 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: eligibility to bid on World Bank projects indication of core business and years in business, relevant experience, technical and managerial capability of the firm. Key Experts will not be evaluated at the shortlisting stage.

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” July 2016 (“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 Single Stage One Envelope method set out in the Procurement Regulations.

Further information can be obtained at the address below during office hours 0900 to 1700 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 September 13,2021.

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