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Request for Expression of Interest for Engagement of Social Safeguard Specialist

Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh has received loan from the World Bank (with co-financing from Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank -AIIB) to finance Rural Water, Sanitation & Hygiene for Human Capital Development Project and intends to engage part of the proceeds for Social Safeguard Specialist services.

The Department of Public Health Engineering (DPHE), under the Ministry of Local Government, Rural Development and Co-operatives, Government of Bangladesh, now invites eligible applicant ("Consultant") to indicate their interest in providing the Services as Social Safeguard Specialist. Interested individual should provide information demonstrating that they have the required qualification and relevant experience to perform the Services as follows.

Contract Package Number	Name of the Position	No.	(a) Required Minimum Qualification, (b) Experience
Package No: RWSHP-SD-10	Social Safeguard Specialist	1	<p>a. Educational Qualification:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Master's in Social Science or related field. <p>b. Experience:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• At least 10 years of experience as social development field, and at least 5 years of experience as Social Specialist in conducting social assessments of water supply, wastewater or other infrastructure sector of similar nature and complexity.• Experience in World Bank/ADB or other development partner funded project will be an added advantage.• Prior experience of preparing one or more Social Impact Assessments (SIAs), Social Management Plans (SMPs), Resettlement Action Plans (RAPs), Labor Management Plans (LMPs) or Social Management Frameworks (SMFs) in accordance with World Bank Safeguard Policy/ESF requirements is a plus.• Understanding of World Bank's ESF Policy, Directive, Standards and procedure.• Details job responsibilities are given in the ToR.

The Applicants are invited to provide information in details indicating their qualification to perform the services (complete CV along with description of similar assignments, experience in similar conditions, general qualifications and financial proposal).

The Consultant will be hired and contracted as per the "Selection of Individual Consultants (SIC)" Selection method of World Bank Procurement Regulations (PR), July, 2016 (Revised November 2017 and August 2018). Duration of the consultancy services will be 58 months or project closing date or credit/loan closing date, whichever is earlier. The TOR is available at the DPHE website (<http://www.dphe.gov.bd>).

Expressions of interest must be delivered in a written form to the address below (in person, or by mail, or by e-mail) by 13 October, 2021 within 3:00 PM and clearly marked "Expression of Interest", contract package number, name of the position applied for and name and address of the individual.

The authority reserves the right to accept or reject any or all of the EOIs or cancel the EOI process at any stage without assigning any reason whatsoever and without incurring any liability to the affected applicant(s).

For Further information and clarification, intending applicant may contact at the address given below during office hours (9:00 AM to 5.00 PM BST).

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