



Kenya Marine Fisheries Socioeconomic Development Project
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State Department Blue Economy and Fisheries

Kenya Marine Fisheries and Socio-Economic Development Project (KEMFSED)

Credit No: 65400-KE: Project ID. No. 163980

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

CONSULTANCY SERVICES – INDIVIDUAL SELECTION

REOI KEMFSED Project Mid-Term Review Consultant

PROCUREMENT/CONTRACT REF NO.: KE-MOALF-C3-2022-015-ICS-INDV

November 8, 2022

1.0 Project Background

The Government of Kenya, through the State Department Blue Economy and Fisheries and with support from the World Bank, is implementing the Kenya Marine Fisheries and Socio-Economic Development (KEMFSED) project, which aims at supporting the country in its efforts to leverage emerging opportunities in the Blue Economy. The project will strengthen the management of fisheries that are priority to coastal livelihoods, thereby securing stocks at sustainable levels of harvesting. At the same time, the project will strengthen coastal households' access to complementary livelihood activities towards diversifying sources of household income to reduce dependence on capture fishing. By better managing and conserving marine resources, reducing illegal fishing activity, and enhancing the value of the fish products in the value chains, the sector is expected to enhance its contribution to the overall economy.

2.0 The Project Development Objective (PDO) is to improve management of priority fisheries and mariculture and increase access to complementary livelihood activities in coastal communities. The PDO is expected to be achieved through Improving Governance and Management of Marine Fisheries and infrastructure; technical and financial incentives for complimentary livelihoods and diversification of income sources for Coastal Communities and Project Management and coordination of project activities interventions.

3.0 Project Structure and area: KEMFSED is currently under implementation in the five coastal counties of Kenya, namely Kwale, Mombasa, Kilifi, Tana River and Lamu. The Project is implemented through three distinct components, namely:

- (i) Component 1: Improve Governance and Management of Marine Fisheries** - this will contribute to the PDO by focusing on improving the management of marine fisheries in Kenyan waters. Fisheries governance related interventions are being promoted through strengthened co-management of nearshore fisheries and infrastructure development in relation to fisheries management at national and county levels.
- (ii) Component 2: Coastal Community Empowerment and Livelihoods** will contribute to the PDO by strengthening livelihoods in coastal communities through a combination of technical and financial support for the implementation of subprojects, improved access to micro-credit and complementary capacity-building and mentoring of beneficiaries;
- (iii) Component 3: Project Management** this Component will finance supplemental support for project management at both national and county levels to ensure coordinated and timely execution of project activities.

4.0 The objectives of this consultancy are to:

- (i)** Review the implementation of the project since its inception, in particular with reference to results compared to the established "performance indicators", draw lessons and make recommendations for enhancing project implementation arrangements during the remaining project period.

- (ii) Assess performance of the project through a mid-term review which was agreed upon as part of the project approval process given that the project is on its third year of implementation and planned to be completed in March, 2025.

5.0 Scope Of Work / Specific Tasks:

The Consultant will implement the activities as per the TOR available on; www.kemfsed.org / www.kilimo.go.ke / www.worldbank.org

6.0 Duration and Arrangement of The Assignment

The assignment duration: Forty (40) person-days (spread in 2 calendar months). The time taken by the team to review the reports are not counted in the time for this consultancy.

7.0 Terms of References:

Detailed TOR for the assignment can be: a) found on the following website: www.kilimo.go.ke / www.kemfsed.org b) requested by sending an email to: info@kemfsed.org / johnmugo.ke@gmail.com or c) obtained at the address given below.

The Ministry through the Project now invites eligible individual consultants to express 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.

8.0 Shortlisting criteria include;

- (i) At least ten (10) years of specific experience (at an international level) in planning, monitoring and evaluation of projects funded by World Bank and/or other multilateral/international funding agencies.
- (ii) Demonstrated experience in project development/design including knowledge of project planning cycle stages / phases;
- (iii) At least seven (7) years of Experience on development projects identification, design, implementation and management;
- (iv) Knowledge in governance and financial arrangements of a World Bank funded project of similar size;
- (v) Demonstrable expertise and experience in undertaking mid-term and/or end of project evaluations for natural resources management and development projects of a similar size and scope to KEMFSED, with at least **two similar** assignments in the last **five years**

The attention of interested consultants is drawn to Section III paragraph 3.14, 3.16 and 3.17 of the World Bank's Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers Fourth Edition November 2020 (Procurement Regulations) setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest. The consultant firm will be selected in accordance with the Individual Consultant Selection – ICS method set out in the World Bank's Procurement Regulations.

Further information can be obtained at the address below Monday to Friday during office hours 0800 to 1700 hours.

Expressions of Interest clearly marked on top (REOI Consultancy Services for The KEMFSED Project Mid-Term Review Consultant KE-MOALF-C3-2022-015-ICS-INDV) MUST be sent by e-mail or placed in the Tender Box located at Maktaba Kuu House Mezzanine Floor on or before 15th November 2022 By 11.00AM (EAT).

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