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INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANT PROCUREMENT NOTICE

(Procurement Process ID: PROCESS-35-40085)

Date: 10 June 2016

Assignment Title:	Consultant to Support Gender Mainstreaming in Mine Action Intervention
Cluster/Project:	Programme Results – Clearing for Results Phase III
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Post Level:	Senior Specialist
Contract Type:	Individual Contractor (IC)
Duty Station:	Phnom Penh, with travel to provinces and other travel as required
Contract Duration:	25 working days from 25 July to 9 September 2016

1. BACKGROUND

United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) in Cambodia is looking for an Individual Contractor to perform the above mentioned assignment. Interested offeror is strongly advised to read the INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANT (IC) PROCUREMENT NOTICE for more detail about term of references, instructions to offeror, and documents to be included when submitting offeror.

Any request for clarification/additional information on this procurement notice shall be communicated in writing to UNDP office or send to email chanpisey.ky@undp.org or procurement.kh@undp.org. While the Procurement Unit would endeavor to provide information expeditiously, only requests receiving at least 5 working days prior to the submission deadline will be entertained. Any delay in providing such information will not be considered as a reason for extending the submission deadline.

2. SCOPE OF WORK, RESPONSIBILITIES AND DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPOSED ANALYTICAL WORK

To assist you in understanding the requirements of this assignment, scope of work, responsibilities, and description of the proposed analytical work, we have attached hereto the following:

- Terms of Reference (Annex 1)
- The Individual Contract and its General Terms and Conditions (which are available on UNDP website at

http://www.kh.undp.org/content/dam/cambodia/docs/Operations/UNDP%20General%20Con

<u>ditions%20for%20Individual%20Contracts.pdf</u>) or Reimbursable Loan Agreement¹ (which are available on UNDP website at

http://www.kh.undp.org/content/dam/cambodia/docs/Operations/UNDP-

<u>Reimbursable%20Loan%20Agreement Eng.doc</u>), which you would be expected to sign in the event you are the selected Offeror in this procurement process.

3. DOCUMENTS TO BE INCLUDED WHEN SUBMITTING THE PROPOSALS

Interested offeror/individual must submit the following documents/information to demonstrate their qualifications:

- Cover letter: Explaining why the candidate the most suitable for the work;
- Sample of Spatial Analyses in the field of conservation;
- Offeror's letter to UNDP confirming interest and availability for the Individual Contractor (IC) assignment and Final all-inclusive price proposal with breakdown of costs as per UNDP template, which is available on UNDP website at
 http://www.kh.undp.org/content/dam/cambodia/docs/Operations/UNDP_Template%20for%20Confirmation%20of%20Interest%20and%20Submission%20of%20Financial%20Proposal.docx;
- UNDP Personal History Form (P11), which is available on UNDP website at http://www.kh.undp.org/content/dam/cambodia/docs/Operations/UNDP-P11%20modified%20for%20SCs%20and%20ICs.doc;
- Note for Interested Candidates above the age of 62: UNDP regulations require, at their own cost, to undergo a full medical examination including x-rays. Medical evaluation documentation does not need to be submitted with the other requested documents listed above, but will be requested should the candidate be chosen.

Your offer [proposal/application] should be submitted online through UNDP Online Recruitment System at the URL address https://jobs.undp.org/cj_view_job.cfm?cur_job_id=66837 no later than application submission deadline. Late application submission will be rejected.

To submit your offer through UNDP Online Recruitment System, please follow the steps below:

- 1. Go to above mentioned URL address;
- 2. Click "Apply Now" button, fill in necessary information on the first page, and click "Submit Application";
- Upload your offer. Please note that UNDP Online Recruitment System allow only one uploading, so please make sure that you merge all your documents into a single file;
- 4. You will receive an automatic response to your email confirming receipt of your application by the system.

4. FINANCIAL PROPOSAL

¹ RLA is an instrument used to engage individuals that are employed with another legal entity, at the time of their engagement with UNDP. It must be the individual who will decide if the contract should be IC or RLA, not UNDP

This is <u>Lump sum contracts</u>. Therefore, the interested offeror is requested to submit <u>Final All-Inclusive Price</u> with breakdown of costs.

5. EVALUATION

Offerors will be evaluated based on the **Cumulative analysis**.

- Technical Qualification (100 points) weight; [70%]
- Financial/Price Proposal (100 points) weight; [30%]

A two-stage procedure is utilised in evaluating the proposals, with evaluation of the technical proposal being completed prior to any price proposal being compared. Only the price proposal of the candidates who passed the minimum technical score of 70% of the obtainable score of 100 points in the technical qualification evaluation will be evaluated.

5. 1. Technical qualification evaluation criteria:

The total number of points allocated for the technical qualification component is 100. The technical qualification of the offeror/individual is evaluated based on following technical qualification:

Technical Evaluation Criteria	Obtainable Score
 At least 5 years of experience in conducting monitoring and evaluation within rural development / community development projects; (20 points) Strong technical background of the rural livelihood / community development sector in Cambodia; (15 points) Good knowledge and experience the gender issues within Cambodia; (20 points) Experience working with local communities and rural livelihood development; (15 points) 	70
 Good experience with project management, monitoring and evaluation Good understanding of RGC and Cambodia's national mine action programme and procedures will be an asset; 	20
Previous relevant work experience with United Nations or other multilateral/bilateral development assistance agencies	10 100
Total Obtainable Score:	

Only the offeror/candidate who have attained a minimum of 70% of total points will be considered as technical qualified offeror/candidate.

5. 2. Financial/Price Proposal Comparison:

- Only the financial/price proposal of offeror/candidate who have attained a minimum of 70% score in the technical evaluation will be considered and evaluated.
- The total number of points allocated for the price component is 100.
- The maximum number of points will be allotted to the lowest price proposal that is opened/evaluated and compared among those technical qualified candidates who have attained a minimum of 70% score in the technical evaluation. All other price proposals will

receive points in inverse proportion to the lowest price. [Lowest Price x 100 / Other Price under Consideration] = Points for Other Candidate's Price Component.

5.3. Selection Method and Award Criteria:

The award of the contract should be made to the individual consultant whose offer has been evaluated and determined as:

- Responsive/compliant/acceptable, and
- Having received the highest score out of a pre-determined set of weighted technical and financial criteria specific to the solicitation. The total score for each offeror will be calculated independently by this formula: Total Score = Technical Score x 0.7 + Finance Score x 0.3

6. Annexes

• Annex 1 – Term of Reference (TOR)