



## INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANT PROCUREMENT NOTICE

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**Title of consultancy:** Individual Consultant (IC)- Consultancy to Undertake the economic impacts of climate change in Botswana

**COUNTRY:** Botswana

**DESCRIPTION OF ASSIGNMENT:** A consultancy to lead and undertake the study to determine the Economic Impact of Climate Change on the Agriculture Sector in Botswana

**PROJECT NAME:** UNDP Climate Promise Initiative.

**PERIOD OF ASSIGNMENT/SERVICES:** 8 weeks in the month of July to September 2020

### 1. BACKGROUND

Climate change presents the single biggest threat to sustainable development and is already causing widespread, unprecedented impacts that disproportionately burden the poorest, marginalized and most vulnerable. These impacts could drive 100 million people globally into extreme poverty by 2030. Climate change will reverse hard-won human development gains, worsen inequalities, and trigger forced migration and conflict. It is also a key driver of disaster risks, leading to increased frequency, magnitude and impacts of climate-induced disasters on lives, livelihoods and socio-economic development.

In its effort to demonstrate the effects of climate change on the Botswana economy the Ministry of Environment Natural Resources Conservation and Tourism wishes to conduct a study to determine the Economic Impact of Climate Change on Botswana's GDP. The results of the study will provide quantified impacts of climate change that will be used by the ministry to effectively advocate for political will and societal ownership of the NDCs and other climate initiatives and actions in the country.

Therefore, the project requires the services of a consultant to lead the assessment of the impacts of Climate change on Botswana's economy as articulated in the scope of work below.

**DETAILED TERMS OF REFERENCE** and instructions to bidders should be obtained from:  
<https://www.bw.undp.org/content/botswana/en/home/procurement.html>

## **2. SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS**

Proposals should be submitted with a subject line: **“Individual Consultant (IC)- Consultancy to Undertake the economic impacts of climate change in Botswana”**

to:

[procurement.bw@undp.org](mailto:procurement.bw@undp.org)

- 3. SUBMISSION DATE:** Proposals should be submitted to the address above no later than **12.00 Noon Botswana Time** on the **02<sup>nd</sup> July 2020**
- 4. REQUEST FOR CLARIFICATION:** Any request for clarification must be sent in writing, or by standard electronic communication to [enquiries.bw@undp.org](mailto:enquiries.bw@undp.org) UNDP Botswana will respond in writing or by standard electronic mail and will send written copies of the response, including an explanation of the query without identifying the source of the inquiry to all prospective candidates.

**NOTE:** *Consultancy firms/companies interested in applying for this assignment are free to do so provided they submit a CV of only one qualified consultant and present its bid in a manner that would allow for evaluation of the bid in accordance with the evaluation criteria specified in these solicitation documents. That is, the experience required is that of the individual whose CV would have been submitted by the company rather than that of the company. In this regard, the company by submitting a CV is bidding as an individual bidder rather than a company/firm. Further, if the submitted bid wins, the ensuing contract will be between the UNDP and the company/firm, not the individual.*