



## INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANT PROCUREMENT NOTICE

(Procurement Process ID: PROCESS-48652)

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Assignment Title:	SDG Investor Map - Public Sector Consultant (National Only)
UNDP Practice Area:	Policy and Innovation Hub for Sustainable Development
Cluster/Project:	Integrated National Financing Framework to Catalyze Financing for Achieving the CSDGs
Post Level:	Specialist
Contract Type:	Individual Contractor
Duty Station:	Phnom Penh
Expected Place of Travel:	N/A
Contract Duration:	60 working days from 10 <sup>th</sup> September 2021 to 31 <sup>st</sup> March 2022

### 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 [pheara.lek@undp.org](mailto:pheara.lek@undp.org) and cc [procurement.kh@undp.org](mailto: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, please refer to Annex 1.

### 3. REQUIREMENTS FOR EXPERIENCE AND QUALIFICATIONS:

#### I. Academic Qualifications:

Master's degree in economics, development studies, finance/ public finance, accounting, business administration, data science or related field.

#### II. Years of experience:

- At least 7 years of professional experience in sustainable or impact finance, impact investment, public sector engagement, business development, and research, statistics, and database analysis
- Proven experience of leading research in cooperation with international organizations or other bodies responsible for formulating and monitoring of public policies around sustainable finance.

- Experience of carrying out assessment and preparing reports on implementation of sustainable development goals (SDG);
- Experience in liaising with public and private sector stakeholders and organizing and facilitating public and private sector stakeholder dialogue activities (workshops, round-table, discussions, etc.)

### III. Competencies:

- Demonstrates integrity by modelling the UN's values and ethical standards;
- Promotes the vision, mission, and strategic goals of UNDP;
- Displays cultural, gender, religion, race, nationality and age sensitivity and adaptability;
- Treats all people fairly without favouritism;
- Fulfils all obligations to gender sensitivity and zero tolerance for sexual harassment.
- Strong local networks: within government, research/academic institution, development partners and other public institutions.
- Strong knowledge of market context, of national development needs, and economic/ political priorities for Cambodia.
- Ability to undertake mixed methods research, particularly stakeholder interviews and the navigation of statistical databases
- Experience in the analysis and review of technical and legal documents such as policy documents and/or legal contracts; international agreements and conventions; economic and business-related reports and performance indicators;
- Ability to navigate sensitive political environments
- Strong communication skills, including ability to produce high quality practical advisory reports and knowledge products

## **4. DOCUMENTS TO BE INCLUDED WHEN SUBMITTING THE PROPOSALS:**

1. Proposal: Letter of explaining why they are most suitable for the work
2. Financial proposal (Duly accomplished Letter of Confirmation of Interest and Availability using the template provided by UNDP)
3. Personal CV including past experience in similar projects and at least 3 references

Your offer shall be submitted online through UNDP Online Recruitment System at the URL address [https://jobs.undp.org/cj\\_view\\_job.cfm?cur\\_job\\_id=101334](https://jobs.undp.org/cj_view_job.cfm?cur_job_id=101334) no later than application submission deadline.

**Late application submission will be rejected. UNDP will not consider application submission by email.**

## **4. FINANCIAL PROPOSAL**

This is a Lump sum output-based contract. Therefore, the interested offerors are requested to submit **Final All-Inclusive Price** with cost breakdown

## **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 utilized 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 Offerors 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:

<b>Technical Evaluation Criteria</b>	<b>Obtainable Score</b>
Educational background: Master's degree in economics, development, finance, accounting, business administration, data science or related field.	20
At least 7 years of professional experience in sustainable or impact finance, impact investment, public sector engagement, business development, and research, statistics, and database analysis	35
Proven experience of leading research in cooperation with international organizations or other bodies responsible for formulating and monitoring of public policies around sustainable finance. Experience of carrying out assessment and preparing reports on implementation of SDGs	35
Experience in liaising with public and private sector stakeholders and organizing and facilitating public and private sector stakeholder dialogue activities (workshops, round-table, discussions, etc.)	10
<b>Total Obtainable Score:</b>	<b>100</b>

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

#### **5. 2. Financial/Price Proposal Comparison:**

- Only the financial/price proposal of offeror 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 Offerors 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.  $[\text{Lowest Price} \times 100 / \text{Other Price under Consideration}] = \text{Points for Other Offerors' Price Component}$ .

#### **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:  $\text{Total Score} = \text{Technical Score} \times 0.7 + \text{Finance Score} \times 0.3$

## **6. ANNEX**

### **ANNEX 1- TERMS OF REFERENCES (TOR)**

### **ANNEX 2- INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANT GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

### **ANNEX 3- OFFEROR'S LETTER TO UNDP CONFIRMING INTEREST AND AVAILABILITY**