

**Montenegro**

**Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry and Water Management**

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

(CONSULTING SERVICES – QUALITY AND COST BASED SELECTION)

**Name of Project:** Second Institutional Development and Agriculture Strengthening Project (MIDAS 2)

**Loan No:** 8820-ME

**Assignment Title:** Preparation of the Preliminary Design, Bidding documents, Geotechnical investigation works, Revision of the Main Design and Supervision of Civil Works for the Animal By-Products (ABP) Processing Plant in Montenegro

**Reference No**. MNE-MIDAS2-8820-ME-QCBS-CS-24-2.1.5.

The Montenegro has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of Second Institutional Development and Agriculture Strengthening Project, and intends to apply part of the proceeds for consulting services for the Preparation of the Preliminary Design, Bidding documents, Geotechnical investigation works, Revision of the Main Design and Supervision of Civil Works for the Animal By-Products (ABP) Processing Plant in Montenegro.

The overall objective of this consulting services (“the Services”) is to prepare a technical design/Preliminary design with all necessary substrates (topography survey, geological survey, geotechnical report etc.) in accordance with national technical codes and legislation, namely prepare all technical documentation in the needed scope according to local technical codes and legal requirements for execution of civil engineering works, including full technical specification, bill of quantities and cost estimate. The design will address the Client's needs as laid out in the Conceptual design of the facilities and technological plan (Annex II). Additionally, the Consultant will provide technical inputs for bidding document and to assist Client during bidding process, with evaluation of technical part of bids; to carry out Technical Control (Review) of Technical Documentation of Final Main Design of the ABP Processing Plant; to carry out the supervision of all works on the project of construction of the building on ABP Processing Plant during the subsequent execution of works.

The assignment will have total duration of 27 months from the date of signing the contract.

The detailed ToR for the assignment can be obtained at the address given below.

The Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry and Water Management, through Technical Service Unit, now invites eligible consulting firms (“Consultants”) to indicate their interest in providing the Services. Interested Consultants should provide information (on English language) demonstrating that they have the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the Services.

The qualification requirements are:

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| Criteria | Points |
| Consultant company should have at least 10 years of experience in the design and supervision. | 30 |
| In the last 10 years at least 2 similar assignments conducted involving design and supervision of an ABP management system and/or rendering plant in the EU Member State or Candidate/Potential Candidate country.  the Consultant should provide clear overview of conducted similar projects in preparation of technical design/technical documentation and supervision. Overview must include: detail data on investors for which project documentation was prepared, description of project, value of the contract for performed services, information on the project realization dates, as well as investor’s contact person. | 60 |
| The capacity and availability of relevant staff and resources to carry out the required work in the required period in accordance with requirements in the ToR. | 10 |

Consultant firms may associate with other firms in the form of a joint venture or a sub-consultancy to enhance their qualifications. Qualifications and experience of the consulting firm associated as sub-consultancy will not be considered for evaluation for shortlisting.

The attention of interested Consultants is drawn to Section III, paragraphs, 3.14, 3.16, and 3.17 of the World Bank’s “Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers” July 2016, Revised November 2017, setting forth the World Bank’s policy on conflict of interest.

A Consultant will be selected in accordance with the Quality and Cost Based Selection (QCBS) method set out in the Procurement Regulations.

Further information can be obtained at the address below during office hours from 08,00 to 14,00 hours.

Expressions of interest must be delivered in a written form to the address below (only via e-mail) by September 16, 2024, 14,00h.

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