

## REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FOR SELECTION # 1265244

This Request for Expression of Interest is for a Firm Selection. Please log in as a valid Firm User if you wish to express interest in this selection.

### Selection Information

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| <b>Assignment Title</b>                | Lesotho First Mover PPP Prefeasibility Study                |
| <b>Publication Date</b>                | 29-Oct-2019   |
| <b>Expression of Interest Deadline</b> | 07-Nov-2019 at 11:59:59 PM (Eastern Time – Washington D.C.) |
| <b>Language of Notice</b>              | English   |

### Selection Notice

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| <b>Assignment Country</b> | LS - Lesotho  |
| <b>Funding Sources</b>    | The World Bank Group intends to finance the assignment/services under:<br>BB - BANK BUDGET<br>TF0A7319 - LESOTHO - Country PPP Readiness Diagnostic |
| <b>Individual/Firm</b>    | The consultant will be a firm.  |

### Assignment Description

The consultant will prepare a pre-feasibility study (PFS) for the World Bank of the solar photovoltaic mini-grid public-private partnership (PPP). The PFS will consider strategic, economic, commercial, financial, legal, social, environmental, affordability and value for money factors. The PFS will provide an assessment of the likely overall viability of the PPP project, whether a PPP solution should be pursued, and what form of PPP should be implemented.

The task will be undertaken in close consultation with the Procurement Unit responsible for the PPP, the Ministry of Energy, as well as Ministries of Finance and Development Planning and other stakeholders. The consultant will engage actively with government agencies and stakeholders to obtain and generate data, information and stakeholder feedback required to prepare assessments. A learning-by-doing approach will be employed to develop the capacity of government staff and stakeholders while strengthening PPP systems.

### Attachments

[Optional TOR File](#)

### Qualification Criteria

1. Provide information showing that they are qualified in the field of the assignment.
2. Provide information on the technical and managerial capabilities of the firm.
3. Provide information on their core business and years in business.
4. Provide information on the qualifications of key staff.

\* - *Mandatory*

*Shortlisted consultants will be invited to respond to a Request for Proposal. Contract awards will be made in accordance with the World Bank Group Procurement Policies and Procedures.*