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REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FOR SELECTION # 1271556

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Selection Information

Assignment Title Nigeria Renewable Energy Embedded Generation project - Financial

Publication Date 26-Nov-2020

Expression of Interest Deadline 10-Dec-2020 at 11:59:59 PM (Eastern Time – Washington D.C.)

Language of Notice English

Selection Notice

Assignment Country NG - Nigeria

Funding Sources The World Bank Group intends to finance the assignment/services under:

BB - BANK BUDGET

Individual/Firm The consultant will be a firm.

Assignment Description

IFC is conducting an initial project preparation phase for a renewable energy platform in Nigeria, which focuses on embedded solar PV generation and distribution franchises. The platform is expected to be implemented alongside a local financial partner. For this purpose, embedded generation refers to generation projects under 20 MW connected and evacuated through a distribution network.

In this project preparation phase, IFC is seeking a financial advisor to recommend an optimal financial structure for the renewable energy platform. The assignment will include a market assessment (including sizing up the investment opportunity), portfolio strategy analysis, funding & capital structure optimization (at both the platform and project levels), investor sounding, any relevant governance considerations, and recommendations on issues related to the creditworthiness of the DisCos, local currency financing, and other implementation risks that may be identified in this phase.

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.