Government of Nepal Ministry of Science, Technology and Environment Department of Hydrology and Meteorology

Building Resilience to Climate-Related Hazards Project, Kathmandu.

(Pilot Project for Climate Resilience - PPCR) Project ID No. P127508

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST (EOI) FROM INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANTS (First Date of Publication: July 23, 2014)

The Department of Hydrology and Meteorology has applied for financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the Building Resilience to Climate-Related Hazards Project and intends to apply a portion of the financing to eligible payments under this contract for individual consulting services.

The Project aims to strengthen the capacity of the Department of Hydrology and Meteorology to meet Nepal's need for timely and accurate weather, climate and water related information and alert services.

The main objective of hiring Financial Management Specialist is to support Project Management Unit based in the Kathmandu, central office. The project invites Expression of Interest (EOI) with detailed curriculum vitae from interested and experienced individuals. The individual consultant is required to assist the PMU in the implementation of the project in his respective areas of expertise and provide support to the Project Implementation Units and district level offices.

The individual will be selected and engaged on the basis of his qualification for the assignment in accordance with the **Guidelines on The Use of Consultants by World Bank and its Borrowers, November 2011.** Based on the qualifications, first ranked Individual will be invited for negotiation.

The interested individual may obtain detailed Terms of Reference (TOR) and further information from the Project Office within office hour and may also visit the website: www.dhm.gov.np/notices.

Qualification, experience and person-months inputs are given below in Table below:

S. N.	Contract ID No. and Position	Qualification Requirements	Person-months
1	PPCR/DHM/S/IND-28 Financial Management Specialist-1	Master's degree in Accounting or Finance or Business Management or Public Administration or other relevant field. Training in relevant field (Management, Financial Management) is preferable. S/He must have a minimum of seven years of work experience in financial management. Experience in donor funded projects is preferable; additional work experience with national and or international nongovernmental organizations will be an added advantage.	Initially 12 MM (with possibilities of extension based on performance)

The IC must include the detailed signed CVs including proposed position, membership in professional associations, related trainings, employment records with the name of employing organization, name of the project, location of the work, time period, position held, details of works carried out and value of the project involved.

The EOI along with detailed CV must be delivered to the address given below not later than the working hours on or before August 08, 2014. If the last date of submission happens to be holiday, the next working day will be the last date for submission. The scan copy of EOI with signed CV in pdf format may also be submitted to the email provided below.

Further information or clarification on the EOI may be obtained from the address given below during office hours. The project reserves the right to accept or reject any or all applications without giving any reason whatsoever,

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