

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

GY-G1007: Guyana Utility Scale Solar Photovoltaic Program (GUYSOL)

Individual Consultancy

Senior Project Engineer/Solar Photovoltaic Specialist

The Government of the Cooperative Republic of Guyana (GCRoG) has earned financing under the Guyana - Norway Partnership Agreement towards the cost of the Guyana Utility Scale Solar Photovoltaic Program. The financing earned will be administered in accordance with the Policies of the Inter-American Development Bank (IDB). The GCRoG intends to apply part of the proceeds from the Program towards consulting services to strengthen the Executing Agency's (Guyana Power and Light Inc.) Program Execution Unit.

The objective of this consultancy is for an individual to support the Program Execution Unit with supervision of the Works and related activities under the Program, and to facilitate knowledge transfer and capacity building within GPL, enabling independent implementation of future renewable energy projects.

The intended outcome of the consultancy is successful completion of all Works and related activities under the Program and the company's enhanced capacity to implement renewable energy projects.

The Consultant should have at least a bachelor's degree in engineering (Electrical/Electronics/Mechanical) with a minimum of five years' experience constructing utility scale ground mounted arrays above 3MWp and two years' experience constructing commercial or utility scale battery energy storage systems above 1MW/4MWh. The individual will possess extensive experience in the design, engineering, implementation, and management of renewable energy projects.

In order to be considered for short-listing, interested consultants having the relevant resources, qualifications and experience; and who are from the Bank's Member Countries are herewith invited to submit their curriculum vitae showing the: (i) legal name of the Consultant; (ii) address; (iii) telephone number; (iv) e-mail address; (v) information about the Consultant and principal areas of expertise and activities; (vi) description of specific experience in renewable energy projects.

Interested consultants must provide information establishing that they are qualified to perform the services (description of similar assignments, experience in similar conditions, appropriate skills, etc.).

The consultancy is to be executed over 12 months (renewable) resident in Guyana.

Interested consultants will be determined to be short-listed by demonstrating in their Expressions of Interest that they have the relevant qualifications and experience to carry out the services associated with this consultancy.

The working language of the consultancy will be English, and reports will therefore be presented in that language.

The consultant will be selected in accordance with the procedures set out in the Inter-American Development Bank: <u>Policies for the Selection and Contracting of Consultants financed by the Inter-American Development Bank</u> GN-2350-[15]. Only Individuals recognized from the Bank Member countries will be considered eligible.

Interested consultants can obtain a copy of the terms of reference by accessing the following link: https://bit.ly/GUYSOL_SPE-PVS or scanning the QR code below.

Expressions of Interest including curriculum vitae must be submitted by electronic mail to the addresses shown below on or before the extended deadline of 15:00 hours on Friday, 19 May 2023.

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