

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FOR SELECTION # 1210523

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

Assignment Title	Legal Advisor for Transmission PPP in Mexico
Publication Date	11-Jan-2016
Expression of Interest Deadline	25-Jan-2016 at 11:59:59 PM (Eastern Time – Washington D.C.)
Language of Notice	English

Selection Notice

Assignment Country	MX - Mexico
Funding Sources	The World Bank Group intends to finance the assignment/services under: TF0A0210 - Client Contribution Account- UST LAC INFRASTRUCTURE Dev Program BB - BANK BUDGET
Individual/Firm	The consultant will be a firm.

Assignment Description

SELECTION FOR CONSULTANTS BY THE WORLD BANK GROUP

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST
Electronic Submissions through World Bank Group eConsultant2
<https://wbgeconsult2.worldbank.org/wbgec/index.html>

Assignment Title: 1210523 - Legal Advisor for Transmission PPP in Mexico

Assignment Countries:
- Mexico

ASSIGNMENT DESCRIPTION

The Advisory Services in Public Private Partnership department of the International Finance Corporation (IFC), the private sector arm of the World Bank Group, is being considered as the lead advisor to structure and implement a PPP solution for an electricity transmission project in Mexico.

IFC is currently looking for a Legal Advisor to collaborate with IFC Public-Private Partnerships Advisory Team in the structuring and tendering of a PPP solution for an electricity transmission project in Mexico (the Project). The Project entails the construction and operation of a 600 kilometers +/- 500kV 3,000 MW bipolar HVDC line (the Main Line), and the secondary lines in alternate current, which will connect the Main Line with Mexico City.

The role of the Legal Advisor will be to provide legal and commercial advice in relation to the contractual structure of the PPP, develop the bidding documents for the Project in accordance with Mexican PPP legal framework, and support IFC during the bidding process.

IFC invites eligible consultants to indicate their interest in providing the abovementioned services and provide information demonstrating that they are qualified to perform the services (brochures, description of similar assignments, experience in similar conditions, availability of appropriate skills among staff, etc.).

Qualification Criteria

IFC will only consider the application of those companies that successfully demonstrate experience in: (i) legal structuring of transmission PPPs (experience in transmission PPPs in Latin America is preferred), and (ii) significant experience structuring PPP transactions in Mexico;

The Legal Advisor team should be fully fluent in Spanish;

The transaction will be executed in tight timetable and requires significant presence in Mexico.

Other considerations

Responses shall not exceed 50 pages, annexes included. If the submitted response exceeds 50 pages, IFC reserves the right to read only the first 50.

FUNDING SOURCE

The World Bank intends to finance the assignment / services described below under the following trust fund(s):

- Client Contribution Account- UST LAC INFRASTRUCTURE Dev Program

ELIGIBILITY

The consultant will be a firm.

SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS

The World Bank now invites eligible firms to indicate their interest in providing the services. Interested firms must provide information indicating that they are qualified to perform the services (brochures, description of similar assignments, experience in similar conditions, availability of appropriate skills among staff, etc. for firms; CV and cover letter for individuals). Please note that the total size of all attachments should be less than 5MB. Consultants may associate to enhance their qualifications.

Interested firms are hereby invited to submit expressions of interest.

Expressions of Interest should be submitted, in English, electronically through World Bank Group (<https://wbgeconsult2.worldbank.org/wbgec/index.html>)

NOTES

Following this invitation for Expression of Interest, a shortlist of qualified firms will be formally invited to submit proposals. Shortlisting and selection will be subject to the availability of funding.

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*

Selection and contracting will normally be made from responses to this request for expression of interest. The consultant will be selected from a shortlist, subject to availability of funding.