



**STATE OF PALESTINE
MINISTRY OF PUBLIC WORKS AND HOUSING
CENTRAL TENDERING DEPARTMENT (CTD)
FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE
PALESTINIAN WATER AUTHORITY**

**REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST
(CONSULTING SERVICES – FIRMS SELECTION)**

Country: State of Palestine
Name of Project: Water Security and Resilience Program (SoP 1)
Project ID No.: P176025
Assignment Title: Consultancy Services for Construction Supervision
Reference No.: PWA/WSRP/CS01/QCBS
Invitation No.: PWA/WB/2023/036EOI-CTD

The Palestinian Liberation Organization (PLO) for the benefit of the Palestinian Authority has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the Water Security and Resilience Program, and intends to apply part of the proceeds for consulting services.

The consulting services (“the Services”) include the construction supervision of the below three works packages.

Package 1: Construction of Water Transmission Pipeline between Salem, Aljalameh and Main Booster Pump Station.

Package 2: Construction of Water Transmission Pipeline from Main Booster Pump Station to the Regional Water Tank.

Package 3: Construction of Water Distribution Systems in villages in North East Jenin including the HH connections.

The required services are available in the detailed Terms of Reference (TOR) for the assignment that can be found at the following website: <http://www.pwa.ps/ebids.aspx>-

The estimate level of effort for the key staff is 130 man-months. The assignment is expected to commence in December 2023, and the implementation period is around thirty four (34) months including Defect Liability Period.

The Central Tendering Department (CTD) now invites eligible consulting firms (“Consultants”) to indicate their interest in providing the Services. Interested Consultants should provide information demonstrating that they have the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the Services. The shortlisting criteria are:

1. General experience: having been in business for at least the past 10 years in the field of managing and supervising the construction of water and wastewater sector infrastructure and preferably has experience in the design and design review;
2. Specific experience: Demonstrate similar services in terms of contracts size; nature of the Services (construction supervision and contract management), technical area and expertise (bulk and water network systems);

Key Experts in the ToRs will not be evaluated at the shortlisting stage.

The attention of interested Consultants is drawn to Section III, paragraphs, 3.14, 3.16, and 3.17 of the World Bank’s “Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers” July 2016 Revised November 2017, August 2018, and November 2020 (“Procurement Regulations”), setting forth the World Bank’s policy on conflict of interest.

Consultants may associate with other firms to enhance their qualifications but should indicate clearly whether the association is in the form of a joint venture and/or a sub-consultancy. In the case of a joint venture, all the partners in the joint venture shall be jointly and severally liable for the entire contract, if selected.

A Consultant will be selected in accordance with the **Quality and Cost Based Selection (QCBS)** method set out in the Procurement Regulations.

Further information can be obtained at the address (1) below during office hours from 8:00 am to 03:00 pm.

Expressions of interest must be delivered in a written form to the address (2) below in person, by mail, or by Email, on or before **Tuesday 06/06/2023) no later than 12:00 noon local time**

The addresses are:

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