

## REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST (CONSULTING SERVICES FIRMS - SELECTION)

COUNTRY	KENYA
NAME OF PROJECT	KENYA GREEN AND RESILIENT EXPANSION OF
	ENERGY (GREEN) PROGRAM, PHASE 2 (P180465)
LOAN NO./CREDIT	IDA 7343-KE & 7344-KEGCF LOAN No: TF0C3892-KE &
NO./ GRANT NO	GRANT No: TF0C4072
ASSIGNMENT TITLE	UTILITY SCALE BATTERY ENERGY STORAGE
	SYSTEM (BESS) FEASIBILITY STUDY
REFERENCE NO.	KE-KENGEN-417318-CS-QCBS
(AS PER	
PROCUREMENT	
PLAN)	
EOI REFERENCE	KGN-BDD-015-2024
NUMBER	

- I. The Government of Kenya has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the KENYA GREEN AND RESILIENT EXPANSION OF ENERGY (GREEN) PROGRAM, PHASE 2 (P180465) and intends to apply part of the proceeds for consulting services.
- 2. The consulting services (the Services") include conducting a feasibility study for a Utility Scale Battery Energy Storage System (BESS). The estimated duration of the assignment is six (6) calendar months from contract commencement date.
- 3. The detailed Terms of Reference (TOR) for the assignment can be found at the following website: <a href="https://www.kengen.co.ke">www.kengen.co.ke</a>
- 4. The Kenya Electricity Generating Company PLC ("the Client") 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:
  - a) Core business and years in business: The firm shall be registered/incorporated as a consulting firm for a period of at least eight (8) years.
  - b) Relevant experience: The firm shall demonstrate as having successfully executed and completed at least two (2) assignments of a similar nature both in scope and complexity in similar operating environment in the last five (5) years. Details of the assignment-Name and address of the client, scope, value, and period shall be provided in the submitted expression of interest(EoI).
  - c) Technical and managerial capability of the firm: The firm shall demonstrate as having the requisite technical capacity including relevant equipment, tools, software etc. and managerial capacity to undertake the assignment in the

submitted company profile(s). **Key Experts will not be evaluated at the shortlisting stage.** 

- 5. 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 and revised in September 2023 (5th Edition) ("Procurement Regulations"), setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest.
- 6. 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.
- 7. A Consultant will be selected in accordance with the Quality and Cost-Based Selection set out in the Procurement Regulations.
- 8. Further information can be obtained at the address below during office hours (0800 to 1700 hours East African Time (EAT)).

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- 9. The Expression of Interest can also be viewed and downloaded from this website: <a href="www.kengen.co.ke">www.kengen.co.ke</a>. Bidders are advised to check the websites from time to time up to three (3) days before closing date for any uploaded information through clarification/addendum.
- 10. Expressions of interest must be delivered in the tender box located on Ground Floor R.B.S Building, in a written form to the address below on or before 12 September 2024 11.00 am EAT

General Manager, Supply Chain Kenya Electricity Generating Company PLC, KenGen RBS Building, next to Stima Plaza III, Kolobot Road, Parklands Nairobi, Kenya.

**Tel:** + 254 20 3666000;

- II. The envelope should clearly be marked as "KGN-BDD-015-2024 UTILITY SCALE BATTERY ENERGY STORAGE SYSTEM (BESS) FEASIBILITY STUDY"
- **12.** The EOI shall be opened on **12 September 2024 11.30am EAT** and in the presence of tenderers' representatives who choose to attend.