## REPUBLIC OF IRAQ

## EMERGNECY OPERATION FOR DEVELOPMENT PROJECT – ADDITIONAL FINANCING Construction Supervision of REHABILITATION & MAINTENANCE OF KHALIS- ETHAIM HIGHWAY Part (2)

Loan No. IBRD – 87930 / Project ID No. P155732
Procurement reference number: EODP-AF/MOCHPM/D-C6

## REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

The Government of Iraq (GOI) has received additional financing of an amount of US \$(400) four hundred million Dollars from the World Bank toward the cost of the Emergency Operation for Development Project (EODP-AF), and intends to apply part of the proceeds for Construction Supervision of REHABILITATION & MAINTENANCE OF KHALIS- ETHAIM HIGHWAY Part (2). The rehabilitation works includes, but not limited to; The rehabilitation works contract includes but not limited to: milling and demolishing of the existing distressed asphalt layers for the outer and inner lanes, and compensate with new asphalt layers and then overlaying of new asphalt binder layers using polymer type (76-10), and construction of half pipe culverts, manholes and shoulders and U turns, maintenance of deck slab, expansion joints and handrails of 3 bridges on the road, Strengthening the road by rigid pavement at the security check point and road marking and signs). The Project Employer is Roads and Bridges Directorate at the Ministry of Construction and Housing and Municipalities and Public Works.

The main objective of the assignment is a to undertake supervision and design review on the works to ensure compliance with the design, internationally acceptable technical specifications, environmental and social safeguards and sound engineering practices.

The period for the execution of the works is twelve (12) months. Interested consulting firms or Joint Ventures may obtain further information at the address below (9:00 am- 2:00 pm), (GMT+3).

The Employer invites eligible consulting firms and eligible joint ventures ("Consultants") to express their interest in providing the Services. Interested "Consultants" should provide information demonstrating that they have the required qualifications and relevant similar experience to perform the Services. The shortlisting will be based on previous proven experience, history of the consultant, the technical and managerial skills resident in the firm and the volume of similar project. Experience in the region will be considered as a plus.

The attention of interested Consultants is drawn to the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest. After shortlisting, a Request for proposals will be launched and a Consultant will be selected in accordance with the *Quality and Cost based Selection (QCBS) method* as per the World Bank's procurement guidelines.

Complete set of documents, submitted by the interested Consultants, must not exceed 20 pages and should be in English. Expressions of interest can be delivered by email <u>or</u> hard copy to the address below no later than December 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2020 at 12:00 noon, Baghdad local time.

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