

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

(Consultants Services)

Republic of Liberia

**COTE D'IVOIRE, LIBERIA, SIERRA LEONE, GUINEA
Interconnection Project (CLSG)**

Recruitment of a National Consultant (Firm) for the data consolidation of the Resettlement Action Plan (RAP) of CLSG project affected people in Liberia

Sector: Energy

Financing Agreement Reference: ESMP and PAR Budget

Ref. REOI: CS/PAR/03/LB/PIU

The Governments of Liberia, Côte d'Ivoire, Sierra Leone and Guinea have received funding from the African Development Bank, the World Bank, the European Investment Bank and KfW, and also bring the Capital to contribute to the financing of the CLSG Interconnection Project. According to the Financing Arrangements, Governments have lent these funds to CLSG TRANSCO in order to implement the said project. TRANSCO CLSG intends to use part of these funds for the recruitment of a National Consultant (Firm) for the assignment of data consolidation for the Resettlement Action Plan (RAP) of CLSG project affected people.

The objective of the study is to provide a data consolidation of the Resettlement Action Plan (RAP) of CLSG project affected people in Sierra Leone in line with the final corridor of the CLSG Interconnection line. It is part of the updated social data of the Liberian part of the project CLSG following the final implementation of the Interconnection line Corridor to be achieved by the contractor soon the start of construction phase.

The duration of the mission shall not exceed three (03) months (data collection, reporting and submission of interim report section by section).

Services to be provided include but are not necessarily limited to, the following:

- The assessment of all persons whose property is located in the corridor defined by the final implementation of the Interconnection line CLSG project, carried out by construction companies;
- The valuation of assets and losses incurred by the PAPs located in the corridor defined by the final implementation of the project Interconnection line CLSG performed by construction companies;
- Consolidate RAP data in the corridor defined by the final implementation of the Interconnection line CLSG project carried out by the construction companies taking into account the observations of the report of the public inquiry

The Consultant will examine all necessary data and reports on the environmental and social aspects linked to the Liberian corridor CLSG Interconnection Project, and any other additional information that may help in the consolidation of data RAP. He will also examine the environmental and social policies, procedures and national legislation and those of donors.

TRANSCO CLSG now invites eligible consulting firms to indicate their interest in providing the services described above. Interested consultants should provide information demonstrating that they have the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the services through the documentation, references to similar services, experience in similar assignments, availability of qualified personnel, etc.

The eligibility criteria, the establishment of the shortlist and the selection process will be consistent with the consultant selection method as described in the "Public Procurement Regulation of Sierra Leone".

The requirements are:

- (i) A minimum of 10 years of professional experience in performing similar tasks (studies, socio-economic assessments, land and agrarian etc ...);
- (ii) An excellent understanding of the socio-economic assessment principles in the construction of power transmission infrastructure (supported by the completion of at least five (5) similar studies);
- (iii) An excellent understanding of the social assessment principles (RAP) in connection with the construction of power transmission infrastructure (supported by the completion of at least five (5) similar studies);
- (iv) The consultant should have in his team at least the following profiles:
 - a) One (1) Socio-economist: Master's degree in Sociology or Socio Economy or similar with a minimum of ten (10) years of professional experience and have made at least five (5) similar missions as Head of mission;
 - b) One (1) Agricultural Engineer: Diploma of Agricultural Engineer (or similar with a minimum of five (5) years of professional experience and have completed at least three (3) similar missions as a senior expert;
 - c) One (1) Surveyor or diploma in surveying work (Bachelor) or similar with a minimum of five (5) years of professional experience and have completed at least three (3) similar missions;

Interested consultants may obtain further information at the address below during office hours 09:00 to 16:30, Mondays to Fridays inclusive except Public Holidays, or in writing an email at: info@transcocslg.org; mkeita@transcocslg.org; pkolani@transcocslg.org; cniambe@transcocslg.org; bbalde@transcocslg.org.

Expressions of interest **must be submitted by email and delivered by courier service or in person** to the address below by **July 25, 2016 at 16:30 GMT** and mention « **Recruitment of a Non-Governmental Organization (NGO) for the supervision of the compensation process of people affected by the CLSG project in Liberia** ». Only the shortlisted applicants will be contacted. The address is:

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