



FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF SOMALIA
MINISTRY OF FINANCE
ECONOMIC AND FINANCIAL GOVERNANCE INSTITUTIONAL SUPPORT PROJECT
EXPRESSION OF INTEREST for CONSULTING SERVICES
Long Term Macro-economic and Fiscal Expert

Funding Organization: African Development Bank

Grant Agreement reference: 2100155026368

Project ID No.: P-SO-KFO-001

*Name of the assignment: **Strengthening Macroeconomic and Financial Management in Somalia through improved Macroeconomic Framework and Budget Formulation***

Place of assignment: Mogadishu Somalia

Duration of assignment: 24 Months

Expected start date of the assignment: December 15, 2015

Last date for expressing interest: November 15, 2015 2:00 pm, Mogadishu time.

Expression of interest to be submitted to: pfmreformunit@gmail.com cc:

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1. Background

The Ministry of Finance of the Federal Republic of Somalia has received financing from the African Development Bank toward the cost of the *Economic and Financial Governance Institutional Project*, and intends to apply part of the agreed amount for this *grant* to payments under the contract for *strengthening macroeconomic and financial management in Somalia through improved macroeconomic framework and budget formulation*. The project has three components: (i) enhancing fiscal planning and economic analysis underpinning the national budget, (ii) strengthening the budget preparation process for accountable and effective allocation of resources; and (iii) support to capacity development in PFM and macroeconomic management and project management.

2. Scope of the work

Undertake an assessment of the macro-fiscal planning, budgeting, and expenditure allocation processes, identifying major challenges and opportunities related to the current fiscal planning and expenditure framework at the Federal level, Advise on the establishment of a Macro-fiscal Unit (MFU) in the Ministry of Finance, including responsibilities and staffing, Develop a forecasting module to be used by the unit for the purpose of developing Medium Term Fiscal Framework (revenue and expenditure forecast linked to macro-economic parameters), Strengthen analytical capacities of the professional staff in the Ministry of Finance and Central Bank of Somalia, Design a Macro-economic and fiscal framework, Develop monitoring arrangements for macroeconomic and fiscal developments, Provide hands-on training for MFU staff in particular and other people from the revenues department, Monitor and evaluate training and capacity building initiatives and propose adjustments as required.

The *Ministry of Finance* now invites eligible individual consultants to indicate their interest in providing these services. Interested individual consultants must provide **resume and cover letter** indicating that they are qualified to perform the services (description of similar assignments, experience in similar conditions etc...) and a **monthly all-inclusive lump sum fee in USD Dollars** to perform the services.

Eligibility criteria, establishment of the short-list and the selection procedure shall be in accordance with the African Development Bank's "***Rules and Procedures for the use of Consultants***" " ***May 2008 Edition, Revised July 2012***, which is available on the Bank's website at <http://www.afdb.org>.

Interested consultants may obtain further information by sending their request in writing at the following email: pfmreformunit@gmail.com cc: Procurement.fgs@gmail.com

Expressions of interest must be delivered **via email** or **by hand** to the addresses below by ***November 15, 2015, 2:00 pm, Mogadishu time*** and clearly marked "***Economic and Financial Governance Institutional Support Project***" and quote the Bid reference number: **MOF/EFGP/IC/2015/0023**

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