

## REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST CONSULTING SERVICES – FIRMS SELECTION

KENYA KENYA ELECTRICITY MODERNIZATION PROJECT (KEMP) Credit No.5587-KE Project ID No.P120014

Assignment Title: Electrification Project Supervision and Management

**Reference No.**KP1/6E.2/PT/12/16/A57.

The Government of Kenya has received financing from the World Bank towards the cost of the Kenya Electricity Modernization Project (KEMP), and it intends to apply part of the proceeds to payments for consulting services for Project Supervision and Management.

The scope of works, supply and installations for this assignment involves extension of the medium voltage network, installation of approximately 1,000 new distribution transformers (DTs) and outgoing low voltage networks, installation of new service line connections for approximately 125,000 households supplied from the new distribution transformers, stringing of approximately 1,000 kms of 75mm2 ACSR conductor; installation of 1000 distribution transformers, stringing of approximately 25,000 kms of 50mm2 aluminium conductor; installing a total of 3,750 km of 10mm2 aluminium single core cable with communication cable, and; installation of approximately 200,000 electronic energy meters. The supply and installation services are packaged into six (6) lots covering peri-urban locations in thirty-nine (39) counties in Kenya.

The consulting services ("the Services") include pre-construction services and construction supervision services for works, supply and installations within the selected peri-urban locations spread across the country. The Services include preparing a construction supervision manual, assisting with construction mobilization, supervising construction activities, inspecting materials at factory tests, monthly construction site meetings for all contractors, and all contract management activities such as interpretation of contractual items, establishment of contract management tools, progress measurement thresholds, and payment processing. In addition, the consultant shall be required to prepare monthly, and quarterly progress, and in addition project completion reports for all contractors.

The Kenya Power and Lighting Company Limited (KPLC) 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:

- i) Experience in supervision of construction for power distribution networks
- ii) Experience in projects with multiple sites for power distribution
- iii) Experience in implementing International Donor funded projects
- iv) Experience in implementing energy projects in the Region (Africa)

The attention of interested Consultants is drawn to paragraph 1.9 of the World Bank's Guidelines: Selection and Employment of Consultants by World Bank Borrowers, January 11, revised July 2014 ("Consultant Guidelines"), setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest.

Consultants may associate with other firms in the form of a joint venture or a sub consultancy to enhance their qualifications.

A Consultant will be selected in accordance with the QCBS method set out in the Consultant Guidelines.

Further information can be obtained at the address below during office hours, between 0900 to 1200 and 1400 to 1630 hours (East Africa time).

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Expressions of interest must be delivered in a written form to the address below (in person, or by mail) by 13<sup>th</sup> October, 2016.

Attention: The General Manager, Corporate Affairs and Company Secretary, Kenya Power and Lighting Company Limited, Stima Plaza, 7<sup>th</sup> Floor, Kolobot Road, Parklands.

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