



GRASSFIELD PARTICIPATORY AND DECENTRALIZED RURAL DEVELOPMENT PROJECT (GP-DEUDEP II)

EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI)

NO: 018/2018/EOI/GRASSFIELD II OF 03/04/2018 TO CARRY OUT A STUDY OF THE EMERGENCE OF THE PRIVATE SECTOR IN THE BASINS, A STUDY OF THE RURAL FINANCING SECTOR AND ASSESSMENT OF NEEDS OF MFE & VB IN THE NWR AS WELL AS SUPPORTING THE SETTING UP AND CAPACITY BUILDING OF MFE & VB.

Financing: counterpart funds of the Loan/grant Number: 2100150030193 / 2100155026167

The Government of Cameroon has received financing from the African Development Bank toward the cost of the Grassfield Support Project for Rural Infrastructures and Participatory Development (GRASSFIELD II), and intends to apply part of the agreed amount of the counterpart funds for this loan/ grant to payments under the contract for the consultancy services to carry out a study of the emergence of the private sector in the basins, a study of the Rural Financing sector and assessment of needs of MFE & VB in the NWR as well as supporting the setting up and Capacity building of MFE & VB.

The services included under this project are divided into five lots as follows:

Carry out a study of the emergence of the private sector in the basins, a study of the Rural Financing sector and assessment of needs of MFE & VB in the NWR as well as supporting the setting up and Capacity building of MFE & VB.

- **Study of the emergence of the private sector in the basins,**
- **Study of the Rural Financing sector and assessment of needs of MFE & VB in the NWR, and**
- **Supporting the setting up and Capacity building of MFE & VB.**

The duration of the assignment shall be twelve (12) months.

The Grassfield Support Project for Rural Infrastructures and Participatory Development (GRASSFIELD II) as Implementation Unit now invites eligible consultants to indicate their interest in providing these services. Interested consultants must provide information indicating that they are qualified to perform the services (brochures, description of similar assignments, experience in similar conditions, availability of appropriate skills among staff, etc.). Consultants may constitute joint-ventures to enhance their chances of qualification.

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 at the address below during office hours (8:00-17:00)

Expressions of interest prepared in one volume in 4 copies (1 original and 3 copies) must be delivered in a sealed envelope to the address below latest the **17/04/2018** at 2:00 P.M. local time clearly marked

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