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CABO VERDE HUMAN CAPITAL PROJECT

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST (CONSULTING SERVICES)

COUNTRY: CABO VERDE
PROJECT: CABO VERDE HUMAN CAPITAL
PROJECT ID N°: P175828

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Assignment Title: Technical Assistance for the elaboration and validation of the curricular programs for 12th grade and elaboration textbooks, guides, audio and interactive resources in key subjects for grades 10, 11, and 12

1. The Government of Cabo Verde has received from the International Development Association – IDA / World Bank (hereafter named “World Bank”), the Credit ref. 70780 to fund the Cabo Verde Human Capital Project aims to assist the Ministry of Education in the management and coordination of the implementation of the National Plan for Teacher Training - Horizon 2020/30, and intends to apply part of the amount of said credit for: **Technical Assistance for the elaboration and validation of the curricular programs for 12th grade and elaboration textbooks, guides, audio and interactive resources in key subjects for grades 10, 11, and 12.**
2. The Consulting Services (“the Services”) aims to provide technical assistance to the Ministry of Education of the Republic of Cabo Verde in the drafting and scientific and pedagogical validation of the 12th grade secondary school programs and in the drafting and editing of the new school materials (student handbook, teacher's guide and audio and interactive resources) for the 10th, 11th and 12th grades of secondary education.

The services are to be provided by a specialized firm, working under the direct supervision of the National Directorate for Education (DNE). The duration of the contract/AT will be 3 (three) years. Its renewal will depend on a positive evaluation by the beneficiary (Ministry of Education) of the teaching materials produced for the first package. For each package of didactic materials (programs, manuals, and audio and interactive materials) prepared, there will be a experimentation/testing phase and a delivery of the final version.

3. The detailed Terms of Reference (ToR) for the assignment shall be requested by email address given below, from 8 a.m. until 4 p.m. (local time), during the working day or can be found at the following websites <https://ugpe.gov.cv/concursos?page=1> ; www.mf.gov.cv.
4. The UGPE now invites eligible **consulting firms** (“Consultants”) to indicate their interest in providing this service. Interested consultants must provide



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documentation/information demonstrating that they have the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the Services namely, description of similar assignments, experience, and contact references in similar service is required. **(Relevant material must not exceed 30 pages overall).**

5. The shortlisting criteria are:
 - i. Core business and years in the related business;
 - ii. Experience in performing similar work object of the consultancy;
 - iii. Relevant experience for this assignment demonstrating experience in the area of elaboration and edition curricular programs and didactic materials (textbooks, guides, audio and interactive resources) for secondary education;
 - iv. Specific experience in countries with similar conditions or context of Cabo Verde;
 - v. The technical and managerial capability of the firm.
6. Key Experts will not be evaluated at the shortlisting stage.
7. The attention of interested Consultants is drawn to Section III, paragraphs, 3.14, 3.16, and 3.17 of the World Bank's "Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers", Fourth Edition November 2020 ("Procurement Regulations"), setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest, can be found at website www.worldbank.org
8. Consultants may associate with other firms to enhance their qualifications but should indicate clearly whether the association is in the form of a joint venture and/or a sub-consultancy. In the case of a joint venture, all the partners in the joint venture shall be jointly and severally liable for the entire contract, if selected.
9. A consultant will be selected under the Quality and Cost Based Selection (QCBS) method set out in the World Bank's "Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers", Fourth Edition November 2020.
10. Interested Consultants may obtain further information at the emails address below from 8 a.m. until 4 p.m. (local time), during the working days.
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11. Expressions of interest must be delivered by e-mail, and indicating the title of the assignment and the name of the project, **by May 15, 2023.**

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