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EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI) FOR CONSULTANCY SERVICES FOR PRE-FEASIBILITY STUDY ON DEVELOPMENT OF SMALL HYDRO POWER PLANTS AND REHABILITATION/REDEVELOPMENT OF KENGEN SMALL HYDROPOWER PLANTS

(Open International)

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Clarification No. 2

In accordance with the "Expression of Interest (EOI) for Consultancy Services for Pre-Feasibility Study on Development of Small Hydro Power Plants and Rehabilitation/Redevelopment of KenGen Small Hydropower Plants" KenGen hereby issues Clarification No. 2 as follows;

NO.		BIDDER'S QUESTION	KENGEN'S RESPONSE
1	4.0 Evaluation Criteria (v) List of consultancy services on Hydropower Feasibility studies of at least 5MW, power plant design and feasibility studies for brown field hydro power plants, design and construction carried out in the last 15 years. Including a brief description of the study (scale and scope) and the status of the projects.	Kindly clarify whether consultants will be required to demonstrate <u>design and construction carried out in the last 15 years</u>	The consultant shall demonstrate experience as per the terms of the Expression of Interest.

2	4.0 Evaluation Criteria (iii) Certified copies of Memorandum / Articles of Association.	Under section 4, "Evaluation Criteria – bullet no. (iii)", it lists Certified copies of Memorandum/Articles of Association as a requirement for shortlisting. Since this document is no longer a necessity when registering new companies in Kenya, we propose that this document be replaced by others like CR-12 or a valid Business License or both to ensure more inclusion of interested bidders.	This requirement is amended as per Addendum 1.
3	Objectives 2.0 (b) To carry out a detailed study to determine the overall feasibility for the development of Small Hydropower Projects across the country taking into consideration technologies such as CHPP, SMH or other technology options available.	Is it possible to know the specific number of sites that KenGen has identified for detailed study and referred to under the Objectives 2.0 (b)	This data shall be shared in the RFP stage
4		The delivery of the EOI per email in pdf format is also acceptable. While we do understand that at the RFP stage, you need to have the split of the envelopes and therefore the submission in paper version, we would kindly ask you to consider submission of the Expression of Interest in digital form too per email.	Requirements of the Expression of Interest are sufficient.
5	4.0 Evaluation Criteria (vii) Demonstrate comprehensive and proven knowledge of hydropower plant operations:	As technical consultants we have strong know-how in designing, specifying, financing, supervising, building, and operating hydropower assets, including power generation, transmission and distribution. We also have the experience to advise clients on the condition and performance of their assets. However, we do not operate assets. We would be grateful if you can	Demonstration of comprehensive and proven knowledge of hydropower plant operations is adequate.

		further elaborate which option you expect at EOI stage:	
6	4.0 Evaluation Criteria (v) List of consultancy services on Hydropower Feasibility studies of at least 5MW, power plant design and feasibility studies for brown field hydro power plants, design and construction carried out in the last 15 years. Including a brief description of the study (scale and scope) and the status of the projects. (viii) Experience in feasibility study for brownfield hydropower plant will be an added advantage:	Please confirm that you expect the consultant to justify its experience in assessing and improving existing facilities (i.e. brownfield sites), rather than developing new facilities (i.e. greenfield sites). Should the consultant instead provide suitable experience to justify strong experience to advise and support KenGen with both existing and new facilities?	Consultant is expected to demonstrate experience for development for both new and existing hydro power plants.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF CLARIFICATION NO 2.

We, the undersigned hereby certify that the Clarification is an integral part of the document and the alterations set out in the clarification have been incorporated in the EOI proposal.

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