

# TANZANIA PETROLEUM DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION



**EOI NO. ISP-DRM-NRG/TZ/AfDB/CS07/QCBS/2018**

**FOR**

## **CONSULTANCY SERVICE ON PREPARATION OF GAS PRICING MODELS**

### **Expression of Interest**

**Date: 31<sup>st</sup> July, 2018**

1. The Government of United Republic of Tanzania has received financing from the African Development Bank towards the cost of the Institutional Support Project for Domestic Resource Mobilization and Natural Resource Governance (ISP-DRM-NRG), and intends to apply part of the agreed amount for this loan to payments under the contract for Consultancy on Preparation of Gas Pricing Models.
2. The Tanzania Petroleum Development Corporation (TPDC) as beneficiary now invites eligible consulting firms to indicate their interest in providing the services which include but not limited to the following tasks:
  - i. Study all relevant documents and scrutinize various qualitative and quantitative information related to natural gas pricing in the country. The task will require reviewing natural gas pricing mechanisms from other countries in the east African region, Africa or anywhere in the world which can help to formulate competitive gas prices. The review should among others, cover sector policies, laws and regulations and other literatures about the petroleum industry natural gas pricing.
  - ii. Develop an integrated pricing model for natural gas customers.
  - iii. Review the Petroleum (Natural Gas Pricing) Regulations 2016; and
  - iv. Provide Training to TPDC staff and support them in the implementation of the proposed pricing model;

The time line for the consultancy works is 16 weeks.

3. Interested consulting firms must provide information indicating that they are qualified to perform the services by submitting consultant's profile, description

of at least three similar assignments, experience in similar conditions, availability of appropriate skills among staff, capacity to undertake the assignment etc. Interested firm should be legally registered, for Local Firms should be able to provide TIN, VAT and Business License while for International Foreign Firms should provide Certificate of Incorporation from the country where the firm has been registered as a Business entity or Certificate of Registration.

4. The Consultant shall be a reputable firm or merger of firms and should demonstrate the necessary expertise in natural gas pricing, legal, technical and commercial fields in relation to petroleum industry. The firm should have practical knowledge and experience in advising issues related to natural gas pricing. The firm should indicate experience of undertaking at least three (3) works of similar nature. The lead Consultant must be a holder of at least Master degree in the field of Economics, Geoscience, Engineering, Petroleum Law, Energy or Finance with at least 10 years working experience in petroleum industry. Furthermore, a team leader should have experience in research and financial modelling and the Technical Team and staff must have the academic qualifications and experience in petroleum industry with the at least a degree in economics, marketing, law, finance, Geoscience and engineering, with a practical work experience of not less than 5 years and should have experience in performing/preparation of contracts in petroleum industry.

Consultants are strongly encouraged to associate to enhance their qualifications.

5. A consultant will be selected in accordance with the procedures set out in the Public Procurement Act No. 9 of 2011 and the Public Procurement Regulations, 2013 – Government Notice No. 446 and its amendment of 2016.
6. Selection will be conducted through the Quality and Cost based selection (QCBS) procedures specified in the Public Procurement Regulations.
7. This is not a request for proposals. After a review of the expression of interest, a shortlist will be prepared, and shortlisted consultants will be invited to submit their proposals through a letter of invitation including specific terms of reference.
8. Interested eligible consultants may obtain further information from the office of the Secretary TPDC Tender Board, Tanzania Petroleum Development Corporation, Benjamin William Mkapa Towers, Tower "A", Azikiwe/Jamhuri Streets, P.O. Box 2774, Dar-es-Salaam, Room number 101 on the 10<sup>th</sup> floor between 9:00 and 15:00 hours from Monday to Friday inclusive except on Public Holidays.
9. Expressions of Interest (EoI) must be delivered to the address below, in a sealed envelope by hand or courier at room number 401 on the 4<sup>th</sup> floor at or before 11:00 hours on 14<sup>th</sup> August, 2018. The outer cover shall be clearly marked; Tender Number **"ISP-DRM-NRG/TZ/AfDB/CS07/QCBS/2018"**

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10. Deadline for submission of bids shall be on Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> August, 2018 at 11:00 hour's local time. Expression of Interest will be opened promptly thereafter and in the presence of Tenderers representatives who choose to attend opening ceremony at Benjamin William Mkapa Pension Towers, Tower "A", Azikiwe/Jamhuri Streets at TPDC Board Room number 106 on the 10<sup>th</sup> floor.
11. Late Expressions of Interest shall not be accepted for evaluation irrespective of the circumstances.

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