

The United Republic of Tanzania
President's Office – State House
TANZANIA SOCIAL ACTION FUND



Productive Social Safety Net Project (PSSN)
Credit No.:5093 - TA

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

Assignment Title: Consultancy Services to Conduct Rapid Capacity Gap Assessment for the Second Phase of Productive Social Safety Net (PSSN) Program reference

Reference No. IE/011/2018-19/HQ/C/04

Date: 19th September, 2018

1. The United Republic of Tanzania has received a credit from the International Development Association and support from Department for International Development (DFID), United States Agency for International Development (USAID), United Nations Agencies and the Swedish International Development Agency (Sida) towards the cost of the Productive Social Safety Net Project, and it intends to apply part of the proceeds of this credit to payments under Consultancy Services to Conduct Rapid Capacity Gap Assessment for the Second Phase of Productive Social Safety Net (PSSN) Program reference.
2. The consulting services (“the Services”) include assessing the existing capacity at all levels for implementation of the PSSN II, identifying gaps and recommending strategies to address them. (Terms of reference can be viewed at www.tasaf.org)
3. The Tanzania Social Action Fund now invites eligible *consulting firms* to indicate their interest in providing these services. Interested Consultants should provide information demonstrating that they have the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the Services. The shortlisting criteria are as indicated in paragraph 6.0 of the terms of reference available at www.tasaf.org.
4. The attention of interested Consultants is drawn to paragraph 1.9 of the Consulting services will be selected in accordance with the World Bank’s [*Guidelines: Selection and Employment of Consultants under IBRD Loans and IDA Credits & Grants by World Bank Borrowers, January 2011 \(“Consultant Guidelines”\)*](#), setting forth the World Bank’s policy on conflict of interest.
5. Consultants may associate with other firms in the form of a joint venture or a subconsultancy to enhance their qualifications.
6. A Consultant will be selected in accordance with the selection based on consultant qualifications method set out in the Consultant Guidelines.
7. Further information can be obtained at the address below during office hours 0900 to 1600 hours East African Time.
8. Expressions of interest must be delivered in a written form to the address below (in person, or by mail, or by fax, or by e-mail) by 3rd October, 2018 at 10:00 am East African time.

The address is:

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