

# REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

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Nam Ngiep 1 is a hydropower project (NNP1) under construction in the central provinces of the Lao PDR. The Nam Ngiep 1 Power Company (NNP1PC), co-owned by Kansai Electric Power of Japan, EGAT International of Thailand, and the Lao Holding State Enterprise, is building a 290-MW power plant to provide clean renewable electricity and contribute to poverty reduction in Laos. NNP1PC hereby invites qualified consultant to indicate their interest in the following assignment:

## ASSIGNMENT TITLE: SHORT TERM FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT CONSULTANT (INDIVIDUAL)

#### 1. OBJECTIVE OF ASSIGNMENT

- 1. Enable consistency, efficiency, effectiveness and transparency in fund utilization;
- 2. Ensuring that fund utilization meets the Project obligations specified in the Concession Agreement during the concession period and objectives of the Biodiversity Offset Framework.

#### 2. DELIVERABLES AND OUTPUTS

- Progress notes and verbal reports every 2 weeks submitted to Manager of EMO or her representative;
- A draft Financial Audit Report for pre-WMP and BOMP AIP2019 by 15 January 2020;
- Staff and Institution Capacity Assessment on Financial Management for the State Enterprise/private sector Report which includes findings and recommendations for improvement by 30 January 2020;
- First draft of a revised Financial Management Manual based on the findings from task 1 and 2 for NNP1 WMP and BOMP by 01 February 2020;
- Final draft of Financial Management Manual by 15 February 2019.
- Training on the FMM for GOL and NNP1PCrelevant staff during 15 February to 29 February 2020.

## 3. CONTRACT DURATION:

2 months

## 4. PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND AND QUALIFICATIONS

- Have degree in accounting or relevant university degree with at least 3 years' experience as professional auditor or accountant in public audit practice.
- Have certified license as professional auditor is preferable.
- Experience with audits of projects funded by national and/or international company, donors and institutions as well as project development aid programs.
- Sufficient knowledge of relevant laws, regulations and rules in Lao PDR. This includes but is not limited to taxation, social security and labor regulations, accounting and reporting. English working proficiency

Interested National Consultants should submit a CV excluding work certificates or employment contracts by <u>Tuesday December 31, 2019</u> via email as contacts below. The Terms of Reference (ToR) can be obtained by submission in writing to address below:

## **CONTACT PERSON:**

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