## REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST CONSULTING SERVICES

Arab Republic of Egypt Greater Cairo Air Pollution Management and Climate Change Project Project (P172548)

**Assignment Title: Lead Advisory Consultant for Component (1)** 

Reference No. (as per Procurement Plan): EG-EEAA-326989-CS-INDV

The Greater Cairo Air Pollution Management and Climate Change Project aims at reducing air emissions from critical sectors and increase resilience to air pollution in Greater Cairo. The Project aims more specifically at reducing air emissions which is a key step toward the reduction of pollution concentrations and improvement of air quality. The Project will focus on the two main sources of air pollution: open burning of solid waste and vehicle emissions and will geographically cover Greater Cairo (i.e., Cairo, Giza and Qalyoubia Governorates --GC); and will include four main components aiming at: (i) enhancing the air quality decision support system in Egypt; (ii) improving Solid Waste Management services; (iii) reducing air and climate pollutants from vehicle emissions; and (iv) furthering stakeholder engagement, awareness and communication.

The scope of work of the Consultant includes the following 2 main Tasks A) Strategic Guidance and Coordination Tasks; and B) Operational tasks:

## A. Strategic Guidance and Coordination Tasks

The Consultant will provide EEAA/TIU with managerial assistance and strategic guidance in coordinating workflow and project delivery for Component 1 of the Project.

## B. Operational Tasks

These tasks will assist the Environment Quality Sector, EEAA and TIU of Component 1 in advancing EEAA's existing AQM planning efforts. This includes listed below and identified during project

The contract is a full-time, time-based contract for the duration of 1 year, renewable based on an annual performance evaluation. The consultant should expect to stay in Egypt for the entire contract duration and the assignment may require occasional travel inside Egypt.

The detailed Terms of Reference (TOR) for the assignment can be found at: <a href="https://www.eeaa.gov.eg/Portals/0/eeaaReports/GCAP\_Lead\_Consultant\_ToR\_AB.pdf">https://www.eeaa.gov.eg/Portals/0/eeaaReports/GCAP\_Lead\_Consultant\_ToR\_AB.pdf</a>

The Ministry of Environment (MoE) now invites eligible Consultants to indicate their interest in providing the Services. Interested Consultants should provide information demonstrating that they have the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the Services. The shortlisting criteria are:

- University Degree in Engineering, Science, Operations Management, Social Sciences, International Development, Economics, or related fields. Advanced university degree will be preferable.
- At least 20 years relevant work experience, at least 10 of which involve similar senior experience of operational management of projects or programs with strong background and work experience in project management
- Proven track record of experience (minimum 10 years) dealing with air quality and vehicle emissions (planning &monitoring & control & policies).
- Previous working experience with international or regional specialized consultancy firms working in the field of air quality management (policy development, institutional strengthening, technical and operational, etc.)
- Previous working experience with development professionals, including technical and financial partners,
- Broad access to both academic and private sector expertise as well as experience with funding agencies that can contribute knowledge and know-how to EEAA
- Experience working with capacity constraints experienced by low- and middle-income countries in undertaking complex data analysis and environmental assessments.
- Substantive project operational and management experience, including detailed workplan preparation as well as human resources, procurement, ICT, finance, project management and performance, management, and logistics.
- Good oral communication skills and conflict resolution competency to manage intergroup dynamics and mediate conflicting interests of varied actors
- Good written communication skills, with analytic capacity and ability to synthesize project outputs
- Good knowledge of computer proficiency, including MS Office products (Word, Excel, PowerPoint) and web-based management systems
- Fluency in written and spoken English required. Fluency in written and spoken Arabic is also preferred.

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" July 2016 revised November 2017 & Damp; August 2018 ("Procurement Regulations"), setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest. In addition, please refer to the following specific information on conflict of interest related to this assignment: Consultants shall not be hired for any assignment that would be in conflict with their prior or current obligations to other clients, or that may place them in a position of being unable to carry out the assignment in the best interests of the Borrower. Without limitation on the generality of the foregoing,

Consultants shall not be hired under the circumstances set forth below:

A Consultant will be selected in accordance with the "Individual Consultant - IC method" set out in the Procurement Regulations". Further information can be obtained at the address below during office hours 09:00 to 17:00.

Expressions of interest must be delivered in a written form to the address below (by person or mail) by December  $25^{th}$ , 2022 - 12:00 pm

Greater Cairo Air Pollution Management and Climate Change Project

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