REPUBLIC OF CROATIA
Adriatic Sea Environmental Pollution Control Project I
Grant No.: TF017706

Assignment Title: Updating the EIA with public consultation and dissemination process including control investigation works and monitoring
Reference No. (as per Procurement Plan): TA/1-2

This request for expressions of interest follows the General Procurement Notice for this project that appeared in Development Business online on 9 July 2013 (reference number WB3624-07/13).

The Republic of Croatia has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the Adriatic Sea Environmental Pollution Control Project I, and intends to apply part of the proceeds for consulting services.

The consulting services (the Services) include providing the beneficiary with a Plan of investigation works, Maintenance and monitoring of exploratory wells report (control investigation works with drilling included), Submission of request for Screening for evaluation of the impact of the project on the ecological network, Revised and updated Environmental Impact Study (EIS), Submission of request for an Environmental Impact Assessment, Non-technical summary of the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) for the landfill „Dilsa” in the City of Zadar. Planned implementation period is eight months.

The Environmental Protection and Energy Efficiency Fund now invites eligible consulting firms (“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: The firms are invited to send their letter of interest with documents in English and/or Croatian on not more than 30 pages, containing the following information:

* Description of the firm, staff qualifications and basic financial indices in operation of the firm during the last 5 years,
* Reference list of similar projects carried out in the last 5 years,
* Confirmation of availability of appropriate skills among staff (CVs are not required at this stage, just description and confirmation), especially about the staff who would be assigned to work on the relevant project.

The attention of interested Consultants is drawn to paragraph 1.9 of 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.

Consultants may associate with other firms in the form of a joint venture or a subconsultancy to enhance their qualifications.

A Consultant will be selected in accordance with the procedures set out in the World Bank’s Guidelines: Selection and Employment of Consultants under IBRD Loans and IDA Credits & Grants by World Bank Borrowers, January 2011. Environmental Protection and Energy Efficiency Fund will carry out the selection of the consultants who will be included in the short list and invited to participate in the competition. Selection of Consultants for performing Services will be selected in accordance with Consultant’s Qualifications Selection Method – CQS.

Further information can be obtained at the address below during office hours 09:00 to 15:00 hours’ local time.
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 January 19, 2015.

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