



REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST FOR PROVISION OF CONSULTANCY SERVICES FOR THE DEVELOPMENT AND IMPLEMENTATION OF THE NATIONWIDE CYBERSECURITY AWARENESS STRATEGY

REGIONAL COMMUNICATION INFRASTRUCTURE PROGRAM (RCIP) UGANDA
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The Government of Uganda represented by the National Information Technology Authority - Uganda (NITA-U) has received funding from the World Bank toward the cost of the **Regional Communications Infrastructure Program (RCIP) Uganda** and intends to utilize part of this funding for consultancy services.

The consulting services ("the Services") include **The Development and Implementation of the Nationwide Cybersecurity Awareness Strategy** aiming to is to raise awareness on cyber hygiene and cyber security best practices nationwide. This will contribute to the gradual building of an information security culture among these target groups; youth, internet users, consumers of electronic services, GoU workforce, academia, communities in rural areas and the public. The assignment will be carried out over a period of two (2) years.

NITA-U now invites eligible consulting firms ("Consultants") to indicate their interest in providing the Services. Interested Consultants should provide information demonstrating that they have managerial and organizational capacity, the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the Services.

The shortlisting criteria are:

1. The consulting firm shall be legally registered organizations in Uganda or overseas
2. The consulting firm shall demonstrate a strong track record over the last three (3) years in the development and delivery of creative communications campaigns, public relations, strategic communications planning as well as execution and at least 3 (three) assignments of similar type, scope and nature;
3. The consulting firm must demonstrate ability to field

a team of experts with required qualifications and experience for the assignment

Interested eligible Consultant Firms should also submit detailed Company profile, contact address, and any other relevant qualification documents.

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 and Grants by World Bank Borrowers, dated January 2011, revised July 2014** ("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 sub-consultancy to enhance their qualifications. The type of association whether a joint venture or a sub-consultancy, where applicable, must be clearly indicated in the Expression of Interest.

The consulting firm will be selected in accordance with the selection Based on Consultants Qualification (CQS) method set out in the Consultant Guidelines.

Further information can be obtained at the address below during office hours from 08.00 to 17.00 hours Kampala time on working days and from NITA-U website (www.nita.go.ug).

Expressions of Interest clearly marked **"The Development and Implementation of the Nationwide Cybersecurity Awareness Strategy"** must be delivered in a written form to the address below in person or by e-mail by **30th July, 2019 at 11.00 a.m.**

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