

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST
(CONSULTING SERVICES – INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANTS SELECTION)

Intergovernmental Authority on Development (IGAD)
Regional Pastoral Livelihoods Resilience Project (RPLRP)- P129408

Assignment Title:

Consultancy for the Project Impact Evaluation of Regional Pastoral Livelihoods Resilience Project

The Intergovernmental Authority on Development (IGAD) has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of Regional Pastoral Livelihoods Resilience Project (RPLRP)-P129408, and intends to apply part of the proceeds for consulting services.

Overall objective of the Assignment

The overall objectives of the assignment are to undertake project end impact evaluation of the IGAD RPLRP to determine the extent to which the project has met its development objectives and draw lessons for future regional (drought resilience) projects/programmes. *(The Detailed Terms of Reference (ToRs) are attached to this REoI).*

The **IGAD** now invites eligible **Individual Consultants** to indicate their interest in providing the subject consultancy services. Interested qualified applicants should send letters Expressing their Interests, updated Curriculum Vitae, and Copies of academic and work experiences.

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](#) dated January 2011 ("Consultant Guidelines"), setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest.

The Consultant will be selected in accordance with the **Individual Consultant** selection method set out in the Procurement Regulations mentioned above.

Qualifications and experience required:

(i) **Academic Qualifications:**

Master's degree or equivalent in agriculture, economics, rural development, or related fields.

(ii) **Work Experience and Competencies:**

- Proven track record of impact evaluation and project reviews
- At least 10 years of working experience in Agriculture, natural resource management, or rural development programming and management,

(iii) **Other Experience/ Knowledge / Abilities:**

- Ability to strategically plan, generate information and analysis,

- Strong interpersonal skills and experience of working with a regional and international organization.
- Experience of working on Agricultural/Rural Development project in Ethiopia, Kenya and Uganda or at least in two of the three countries.
- Verbal and written communication skills in English. French will be added advantage.
- Ability to communicate and discuss in local language with the targeted groups/communities.

Selection Criteria:

The selection criteria are academic qualification, work experiences (as described above), good track record in delivering similar assignments, the experience of working in the IGAD region and familiarity with pastoralism and rangelands context.

Further information can be obtained by writing to the e-mail addresses below during office hours *0800 to 1600 hours EAT*:

Expressions of interest must be sent to the addresses: procurement@igad.int , copy to: beverlyne.nyanchera@igad.int , linda.soubagle@igad.int no **later than** 8th of June 2021, 4:00 p.m.(E.A.T)

[ToR attached here](#)