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

Intergovernmental Authority on Development (IGAD)

Assignment Title:

Consultancy to Undertake Country Data and Policy Analysis for Sustainable and Resilient to Climate Change Livestock Development Strategy Preparation in IGAD Member States

The Intergovernmental Authority on Development (IGAD) through its IGAD Centre for Pastoral Areas and Livestock Development (ICPALD) and World Bank are partnering on a Program for Climate-smart Livestock (PCSL) with aims of fostering climate-smart livestock policy, management practices and monitoring system. To this end, the World Bank is providing technical and financial support for ICPALD in order to develop an IGAD Strategy for sustainable livestock production and resilience to climate change. IGAD intends to apply part of the proceeds for consulting services.

Overall objective of the Assignment

IGAD through its specialized center ICPALD would like to undertake national level data collection, data analysis and policy review to form situation analysis and scenario building for preparation of sustainable and climate resilient livestock development strategy. (*The Detailed Terms of Reference (ToRs) are attached to this REoI*).

The **IGAD** now invites eligible **National Individual Consultants** to indicate their interest in providing the subject consultancy services in each of the seven IGAD Member States including Djibouti, Ethiopia, Kenya, Somalia, South Sudan, Sudan and Uganda. *Interested Individual Consultants from each IGAD Member State are advised to apply to undertake the assignment in their respective country only.* 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 3.14 of the World Bank's Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers (PROCUREMENT IN INVESTMENT PROJECT FINANCING-Goods, Works, Non-Consulting and Consulting Services July 2016), 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.

REQUIREMENTS

Academic qualifications

Masters degree or above in economics, resource economics, statistics, community development, livestock production or any other related field.

Work Experience and Competencies

- At least 5 years work experience in national level data analysis and policy review,
- Proven analytical skill and statistical data analysis
- Proven English language quality report writing.

Other Experience/ Knowledge / Skills

- Knowledge and experience of the livestock sector and climate change issues,
- Successful record of accomplishment of tasks in data collection and policy review,
- Strong interpersonal skills and experience of working with diverse stakeholders,
- Verbal and written communication skills in English and multiple local language.

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: <u>dereje.wakjira@igad.int</u>, copy to: <u>beverlyne.nyanchera@igad.int</u>, <u>linda.soubagle@igad.int</u>_no **later than** 9th of June 2021, 4:00 p.m.(E.A.T)

ToR attached here