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SPECIFIC PROCUREMENT NOTICE (SPN)

Country	Nepal
Project Name	Electricity Transmission
Procurement Title	Consultant for Capacity Building Activities to Enhance Electricity Use
Procurement Ref. Number	MCA-N/ETP/QCBS/011
Type of Procurement	Consulting Services
Employer	Millennium Challenge Account Nepal
Publication Date	19 December 2023
Submission Deadline	02 February 2024

The Federal Democratic Republic of Nepal, acting through the Ministry of Finance (the “Government”) and the United States of America, acting through the Millennium Challenge Corporation (“MCC”), entered into a Millennium Challenge Compact on September 14, 2017, providing for a grant of up to FIVE HUNDRED MILLION United States Dollars (US \$500,000,000) to advance economic growth and reduce poverty in Nepal (the “Compact”), to which the Government will contribute up to US\$197,000,000 for a program to reduce poverty through economic growth in Nepal, and intends to apply part of the proceeds toward payments under the contract to be awarded for **Consultant for Capacity Building Activities to Enhance Electricity Use**.

MCC’s funding is appropriated by the U.S. Congress and obligated to the compact up-front, with no incremental or partial funding. So, when a contract is signed with an MCA Entity, money is already available to the MCA Entity and, for most contracts, invoices are paid directly to Contractors/Consultants/Suppliers by the US Treasury.

MCA-Nepal now invites *proposals* from eligible *consultants* to provide Consultancy Services for Capacity Building Activities to Enhance Electricity Use. The Consultant will be MCA-Nepal’s single point of responsibility for all services required under these terms of reference, although it is anticipated that the Consultant may sublet elements of this Scope of Services to highly experienced individuals or firms with the required skills and experience.

The procurement process will be conducted through the **Quality and Cost-Based Selection (QCBS)** method procedures as specified in the MCC Program Procurement Guidelines (PPG) and is open to all eligible consultants as defined in the PPG.

A complete set of Request for Proposal documents may be obtained by interested eligible consultants upon the submission of a written application at the following email address MCANepalPA@dt-global.com cc to MCANepalPA@mcanp.org and procurement@mcanp.org.

Proposals must be uploaded to the File request link provided below on or before **15:00 hours (local time of Nepal (GMT+5:45) on 02 February 2024**. Only electronic bidding will be permitted. Late



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proposals will be rejected. Proposals will be publicly opened in the presence of the Consultants' designated representatives and anyone who chooses to attend the online meeting using the link <https://us02web.zoom.us/join/91012020000>

Contact Information:

The File request link referred to above is:	The File request link (Dropbox link) for submission of Application is as follows: https://www.dropbox.com/request/wp1TRQcil9kHkFqmzejc
The address referred to above is:	Millennium Challenge Account Nepal 2nd & 3rd Floor, East Wing, Lal Durbar Convention Centre, Yak & Yeti Complex, Durbar Marg, Kathmandu, Nepal.
Attn:	Procurement Agent
E-mail:	MCANepalPA@dt-global.com cc to MCANepalPA@mcanp.org and procurement@mcanp.org
Website:	https://mcanp.org/

For more information:

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