



REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

Grant No. and Title: 0652/0653-KIR: SOUTH TARAWA WATER SUPPLY PROJECT

Assignment Title: SAFEGUARDS MANAGER (NATIONAL)

Reference No: STWSP CSI-4

The South Tarawa Water Supply Project (STWSP) has an estimated total budget of approximately US\$91 million which is co-financed by the Green Climate Fund (GCF), the Asian Development Bank (ADB), the World Bank (WB) and Government of Kiribati (GoK). The main objective of the project is to provide all households in South Tarawa with access to a reliable, safe and climate resilient water supply. The Government of Kiribati's Implementing Agency (IA) for STWSP is the Ministry of Infrastructure and Sustainable Energy (MISE). MISE's Project Management Unit (PMU) will be the core unit responsible for the overall implementation of the STWSP.

MISE is seeking a qualified individual consultant for the PMU **Safeguards Manager (National)**. The initial term of this consulting services assignment is 2 years or 24 months, with the possibility to extend subject to satisfactory performance. The implementation phase of the STWSP is expected to be completed by 2027.

Terms of Reference: Details of the scope of work and Terms of Reference is available at MISE website: <https://www.mise.gov.ki/index.php/vacancies>

Minimum Qualification Requirements

The consultant will have a minimum degree in social science, social development, environmental science, engineering, or other related discipline with 5 years of general experience and minimum of 3 years relevant experience with management of either social safeguards or environmental safeguards. Details of minimum qualification and eligibility requirements found at the TOR.

How To Apply: Applications should include:

1. Signed letter of application (maximum 3 no. A4 pages) addressing all minimum qualification requirements and summarizing experience relevant to the Safeguards Manager role
2. Curriculum Vitae (CV) - standard ADB format preferred.
3. Signed declaration that the applicant is not a current employee of the Ministry of Finance and Economic Development, Ministry of Infrastructure and Sustainable Energy or the Public Utilities Board.

There are two options for submitting applications for this role:

1. ADB's Consultant Management System (CMS) To submit an application via ADB's CMS, applicants will first need to register using the following link:
https://selfservice.adb.org/OA_HTML/adb/adbpos/jsp/ADBCMSHomepage.jsp
2. Hardcopy or email application to
Dr Farran Redfern
Secretary MISE
E-mail: secretary@mise.gov.ki

Applications close at 4.00pm on 28th July 2023.

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