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REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

**SAINT LUCIA
DISASTER VULNERABILITY REDUCTION PROJECT
Grant Agreement SLU EDF Grant TF0A3651**

**Assignment Title: Detailed Designs and Supervision for Reconstruction of the Vanard (Venus) – Anse La Raye Link Road
Reference No. : SLU-DVRP-AF-QCBS-DSAVR-02-17**

Saint Lucia has received financing from the European Union channelled through the World Bank towards the cost of the Disaster Vulnerability Reduction Project (DVRP) and intends to apply part of the proceeds for consulting services for the detailed designs and supervision for reconstruction of the Vanard (Venus) Anse La Raye Link Road.

The consulting services (“the Services”) include preparation of detailed designs (technical information, specifications, work requirements, drawings and detailed bill of quantities) for the rehabilitation/reconstruction of the Vanard (Venus) to Anse La Raye Link Road in *accordance* with international standards approved for climatic conditions similar to that of Saint Lucia including seismic conditions and carry out supervision services of then proposed work. Detailed design services include carrying out an Environmental and Social Impact Assessment, engineering surveys including traffic surveys, preliminary and final designs. The assignment will be for the duration of twenty-one months (Phase #1 – design services will require 16-man months over seven (7) calendar months and Phase 2 - Supervision Services - will require full time supervision over the construction period not to exceed twelve (12) months. The Terms of reference may be obtained on the website of the Government of Saint Lucia (www.govt.lc/consultancy) or at the address below.

The Department of Economic Development, Transport and Civil Aviation now invites eligible consulting firms (“Consultants”) to indicate their interest in providing the Services. Interested Consultants should provide information demonstrating that they have the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the Services; (brochures, description of similar assignments, experience in similar conditions, availability of appropriate skills among staff, *please note that the individual experts’ bio data is not required.*)

The shortlisting criteria are:

The minimum required qualifications and experience of the consulting firm are:

1. Legally established;
2. Must demonstrate at least ten (10) years’ experience in successfully undertaking designs of similar magnitude or complexities (*The Consultancy entails the designs for rehabilitation/reconstruction of approximately 8.75 kilometres of flexible and rigid pavement systems, highways and roadway, designs of associated infrastructure for highways inclusive of; Drains, Culverts, Bridges, Retaining walls and stabilization of slopes inclusive of bioengineering methods*);
3. Provision of consulting services (designs and supervision) within the past ten (10) years for two similar assignments (value of works designed and supervised greater than

US\$4million)

4. Must demonstrate at least ten (10) years' experience in successfully undertaking supervision of construction projects of a similar magnitude.

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 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 subconsultancy to enhance their qualifications. **The associations should clearly indicate the form of the association (Joint-venture or sub-consultancy; member in charge; other member/s and or sub-consultants). Joint ventures shall submit letters of intent indicating their intent to form a joint venture if awarded the contract and shall provide the above mentioned information for each member of the joint venture.**

A Consultant will be selected in accordance with the Selection under a Fixed Budget (FBS) method set out in the World Bank's *Guidelines: Selection and Employment of Consultants under IBRD Loans and IDA Credits & Grants by World Bank Borrowers 2011, revised July 2014* ("Consultant Guidelines").

Further information can be obtained at the address below during office hours 8:00 a.m-4:00 p.m. (0800 to 1600 hours).

Expressions of interest must be delivered in a written form to the address below (in person, or by mail, or by e-mail) by **June 5, 2019**

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