

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST CONSULTING SERVICES – FIRMS SELECTION

Saint Vincent and the Grenadines
OECS Regional Tourism Competitiveness Project

Credit No.: 6001- VC

Design and Supervision of Restoration of Fort Murray, Fort Hamilton, Fort Irene and Fort Rapid and Associated Infrastructure Works

Reference No. SVGRTCP-C-LCS-9

Saint Vincent and the Grenadines has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the **OECS Regional Tourism Competitiveness Project**, and intends to apply part of the proceeds for consulting services.

The consulting services (“the Services”) include providing technical support to the Economic Planning Division within the Ministry of Finance, Economic Planning and Information Technology, for the preparation and delivery of detailed design and work requirements to be used in the construction and bid documents for the restoration works at Fort Murray, Fort Hamilton, Fort Irene and Fort Rapid, as well as for construction supervision. The expected duration of the consultancy is ninety-five (95) weeks.

The **Economic Planning Division** 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. The shortlisting criteria are: (1) Working within the Caribbean region; (2) Designing, interpretive center displays, (3) historic buildings or fort restoration, with at least two (2) similar assignments successfully completed within the past five (5) years.

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 January 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 sub-consultancy to enhance their qualifications. A Consultant will be selected in accordance with the **Least Cost Selection (LCS)** method set out in the Consultant Guidelines.

Further information can be obtained at the address below during office hours 0900 to 1400 hours or at the following website: <http://www.gov.vc/index.php/request-for-expressions-of-interest>

Expressions of interest must be delivered in a written form to the address below (in person, or by mail, or by e-mail) by **September 24, 2021 at 1600 hours**.

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