

SPECIFIC PROCUREMENT NOTICE

Lebanon
Ministry of Finance
Emergency Fiscal Management Reform Implementation Support Project - EFMIS

Grant No 093850-TF

Consulting Services

Request for Expressions of Interest

Financial Audit for the EFMIS Project

This invitation for expressions of interest follows the general procurement notice for this project that appeared in the Development Business on 05 January 2009.

The Ministry of Finance has received a grant from the *International Development Association (IDA)* –World Bank, and intends to apply part of the proceeds of this *grant* to payments under the contract for **The Provision of Financial Audit for the EFMIS Project** which is being implemented in the Ministry of Finance.

The services include the carrying out of Financial Audit for the EFMIS-TA Project Financial Statements over a period of three fiscal years with the first fiscal year starting on December 15, 2008 and ending on December 31, 2009;

The Ministry of Finance now invites eligible consultants to indicate their interest in providing these services. Interested consultants must provide information indicating that they are qualified to perform the services (brochures, description of similar assignments, experience in similar conditions, general qualifications and number of key staff, and so forth). Consultants may associate to enhance their qualifications.

A consultant will be selected in accordance with the procedures set out in the World Bank's *Guidelines: Selection and Employment of Consultants by World Bank Borrowers*, May 2004, revised October 1, 2006.

Interested consultants may obtain further information at the address stated below. The office hours are from 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM

Expressions of interest must be delivered to the address below by **COB 16 June 2009**

Ministry of Finance

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