



REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FOR CONSULTING SERVICES TO DRAW UP THE MUNICIPALITIES BASIC SANITATION PLANS THAT TAKE PART OF PALM RIVER HYDROGRAPHIC BASIN , TOCANTINS STATE

**EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (MI) No. 008/2014/SEMADES/BIRD/PDRIS**  
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- 1 THE STATE OF TOCANTINS has requested a loan from the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development (IBRD) to implement the Integrated Sustainable Regional Development Plan - PDRIS and intends to apply part of the resources of this loan in acceptable payments for Consultancy Services.
- 2 The services object of this request for expressions of interest aims the elaboration of the "Municipal Sanitation Plans of Arraias, Dianópolis, Lavandeira, Paranã and Taguatinga within the Palm River Basin", reducing pressure on aspects of quality and quantity of water resources, making possible the creation of public mechanisms of municipal infrastructure management related to the four axes of basic sanitation; a) Completion of the Public Water Supply Systems: present solutions to the universalization of water supply of the urban cores basin, within a perspective of social well-being and sustainable development; b) Collection Systems Deployment and Urban Sanitary Sewage Treatment: propose actions in the urban sanitation area, with a focus on the interfaces of this sector with the area of water resources, in order to prevent the degradation of water quality by the discharges of untreated domestic sewage; c) Collection and Final Disposal of Municipal Solid Waste: propose actions aimed at the collection and proper disposal of municipal solid waste in order to prevent water bodies contamination in the basin, via drainage system; d) Deployment of Urban Drainage Systems: give solutions for rainwater drainage in larger urban centres, preventing erosion and improving the conditions of cities, population's health and the environment.
- 3 The Secretariat of Planning and Public Management Modernization - SEPLAN, invites eligible consultants to submit expression of interest in order to provide these consulting services. Interested consultants must demonstrate that they are qualified to perform the services, and shall present information proving his qualifications, ability and experience (printed, description of similar services, experience in similar conditions, etc.). The formation of consortiums and associations for this project is permitted.
- 4 The consultant will be selected in accordance with the procedures established by the World Bank's Guidelines for the Selection and Employment of Consultants by World Bank Borrowers, January 2011, Quality and Cost-Based Selection (QCBS).
- 5 Interested consultants may obtain further information at the coordinates provided below, from Monday to Friday, from 08:00 to 12:00 am and from 02:00 to 6:30 pm (local time). The Secretariat of Planning and Public Management Modernization – SEPLAN in the Project Management Unit UGP-PDRIS, FAO: Andréa Murakami AANO - *Esplanada das Secretarias, Palmas, Tocantins, CEP 77.001-002 – Brazil. Phone 55 (63)3212-4473 - email: andrea.murakami@seplan.to.gov.br. The Term of Reference is available on [www.semades.to.gov.br](http://www.semades.to.gov.br).*

Expressions of interest must be delivered at the address stated below in person or via normal mail, no later than 04:00pm on **October 10th , 2014.**

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