



Tocantins State Government
Secretariat of Planning and Public Management Modernization

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FOR TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE FOR THE
STATE'S FREIGHT TRANSPORT LOGISTICS PLAN UNDER THE TOCANTINS
INTEGRATED SUSTAINABLE REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT PROJECT (PDRIS)

EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EoI) Nº 006/SEINFRA/2012/BIRD/PDRIS
REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS (RfP) Nº 006/SEINFRA/2012/BIRD/PDRIS

1. The State of Tocantins has requested a loan from the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development (IBRD) to implement the Tocantins Integrated Sustainable Regional Development Plan (PDRIS) and intends to apply part of proceeds for consulting services.
2. The consulting services aim at preparing the State's Freight Logistics Plan including (i) socioeconomic diagnosis, (ii) analysis of the logistics system, (iii) evaluation of current freight flows and major products through field surveys and database development for cargo traffic, (iv) traffic forecast in the medium and long term, (v) preparation of an action plan (infrastructure, regulation, and etc.) fostering the transport and logistics sector in the State of Tocantins. The expected duration of the contract is 15 months.
3. The Secretariat of Planning and Public Management Modernization (SEPLAN) invites eligible consultants to submit an expression of interest in providing the consulting services. Interested consultants should provide information demonstrating that they have qualifications, capabilities and experience to perform the services (brochures, description of relevant assignments and experiences, and etc.). Consultants may create a consortium or an association with other firms to enhance their qualifications.
4. A consultant will be selected in accordance with the Quality and Cost Based Selection (QCBS) method set out in the World Bank's Guidelines: Selection and Employment of Consultants by World Bank Borrowers, January 2011.
5. Interested consultants may obtain further information on the address shown below, Monday through Friday, from 8:00 to 12:00 and 14:00 to 18:00 (local time).
Secretaria do Planejamento e da Modernização da Gestão Pública – SEPLAN, Diretoria Geral de Assuntos Estratégicos, Att: Belizário Franco Neto, Praça dos Girassóis, S/Nº - Esplanada das Secretarias, Palmas - Tocantins, CEP 77001-002 – Brasil.
Phone number (++5563) 3212-4513 – e-mail. belizario.franco@seplan.to.gov.br
6. Expressions of interest must be delivered to the following address below in person or by mail by 16:00 on the day of 22 June, 2012. Secretaria do Planejamento e da Modernização da Gestão Pública – SEPLAN, Diretoria Geral de Assuntos Estratégicos, Att: Belizário Franco Neto, Praça dos Girassóis, S/Nº - Esplanada das Secretarias, Palmas - Tocantins, CEP 77001-002 – Brasil.
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