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# **REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI)**

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Title of the EOI: Development and Support of the Climate Action Portal			
Date of this EOI:	20 December 2018 Closing Date for Receipt of EOI: 18 January 2019		
EOI Number: E	EOIUNFCCC15870		
Address EOI response by fax or e-mail to the Attention of: Procurement Officer			
Fax Number:			
E-mail Address:	quotation@unfccc.int		
UNSPSC Code:	81111509, 81112101		

## **DESCRIPTION OF REQUIREMENTS**

The UN Framework Convention on Climate Change is the focus of the intergovernmental process to address climate change. The UNFCCC secretariat supports the Convention and the Paris Agreement, through a range of activities, including substantive and organizational support to meetings of the Parties.

Under the Sustainable Development Mechanisms (SDM) programme, Global Climate Action is leading in the development and effective implementation of innovative approaches to broaden the engagement in and effectiveness of action to mitigate climate change and drive sustainable development. GCA supports the operationalization of the cooperative approaches established by Article 6 of the Paris Agreement and broader efforts to engage non-Party stakeholders in climate action. GCA manages the Climate Action Portal, supports the COP Presidencies' high-level Climate Action Champions and supports the implementation of the three Kyoto mechanisms: the Clean Development Mechanism (CDM), Joint Implementation (JI), and International Emissions Trading (IET).

The secretariat of the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC) is seeking vendors able to provide a high level of expertise in developing, supporting and hosting data driven web platforms.

The scope of required work will include, but is not limited to:

- A. Hosting, maintenance and support of the Climate Action Portal;
- B. Developing solutions and new features to address the evolving needs of the Climate Action Portal;
- C. Supporting data processing associated with the receipt of information from external and internal

sources

## SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS / INFORMATION (IF ANY)

To be eligible to participate in the solicitation process, please provide a signed declaration confirming the following:

Your company has a written corporate environmental policy, consistent with ISO 14001 (International Organisation for Standardisation), or equivalent. Please attach a copy of your corporate environmental policy

Your company observes the UN Global Compact ten core values in the areas of human rights, labour standards, environment, and anti-corruption.

Your company has not declared bankruptcy, is not involved in bankruptcy or receivership proceedings, and there is no judgement or pending legal action against your company that could impair your company's operations in the foreseeable future

Your company has no unpaid debts to any public organization exceeding €15,000.00

Your company is not under formal investigation, nor has been sanctioned within the preceding three years, by any national authority of a United Nations Member State for engaging or having engaged in proscribed practices, including but not limited to, corruption, fraud, coercion, collusion, obstruction, or any other unethical practice

Your company has not been found guilty of grave professional misconduct, including non-compliance with environmental legislation, or of having not fulfilled obligations relating to the payment of social security contributions.

#### NOTE

Information on tendering for the UN Procurement System is **available free of charge** at the following address: <u>https://www.ungm.org/Public/Notice</u>

Only the United Nations Global Marketplace (UNGM) has been authorised to collect a nominal fee from vendors that wish to receive automatically Procurement Notices or Requests for Expression Of Interest. Vendors interested in this Tender Alert Service are invited to subscribe on <a href="http://www.ungm.org">http://www.ungm.org</a>

Vendors interested in participating in the planned solicitation process should complete/submit the Vendor Response Form of this EOI either electronically (through the link available on the next page) or send it via fax or e-mail to United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC) before the closing date set forth above.

# **VENDOR RESPONSE FORM**

EOI Number: EOIUNFCCC15870

TO: Procurement Officer

### **Email:** quotation@unfccc.int

FAX:

FROM:

**SUBJECT:** Development and Support of the Climate Action Portal

### NOTICE

- Companies can only participate in solicitations of the UN Secretariat after completing their registration (free of charge) at the United Nations Global Marketplace (<u>www.ungm.org</u>).
- As you express interest in the planned solicitation by submitting this response form, please verify that your company is registered under its **full legal** name on the United Nations Global Marketplace (www.ungm.org) and that your application has been submitted to the UN Secretariat.
- We strongly recommend all companies to register at least at **Level 1** under the United Nations Secretariat prior to participating in any solicitations.

PLEASE NOTE: You can express your interest to this REOI by filling out this form manually or electronically (recommended) at: https://www.un.org/Depts/ptd/node/add/interest-expressed?EOI=EOIUNFCCC15870

To be completed by the Vendor (All fields marked with an '\*' are mandatory)

#### **COMPANY INFORMATION**

**UNGM Vendor ID Number\*:** 

Legal Company Name (Not trade name or DBA name) \*:

Company Contact \*:

Address *:			
City *:	State:		
Postal Code * :			
Country *:			
Phone Number *:			
Fax Number *:			
Email Address *:			
Company Website:			

We declare that our company fully meets the prerequisites A, B, C, D, E and F, for eligibility to register with the United Nations as outlined in the paragraph 1 of the EOI INSTRUCTIONS page.

Signature :\_\_\_\_\_

Name and Title :\_\_\_\_\_

Date:

#### 1) <u>Registering as a Vendor with the United Nations</u>

Vendors interested in fulfilling the requirement described above must be registered at the UN Global Marketplace (<u>www.ungm.org</u>) with the UN Secretariat in order to be eligible to participate in any solicitation. Information on the registration process can be found at <u>https://www.un.org/Depts/ptd/vendors</u>.

#### Prerequisites for Eligibility

In order to be eligible for UN registration, you must declare that:

- A. Your company (as well as any parent, subsidiary or affiliate companies) is not listed in, or associated with a company or individual listed in:
  - I. the Compendium of United Nations Security Council Sanctions Lists (https://www.un.org/sc/suborg/en/sanctions/un-sc-consolidated-list), or
  - II. the IIC Oil for Food List website or, if listed on either, this has been disclosed to the United Nations Procurement Division in writing.
- B. Your company (as well as any parent, subsidiary or affiliate companies) is not currently removed or suspended by the United Nations or any other UN organisation (including the World Bank);
- C. Your company (as well as any parent, subsidiary of affiliate companies) is not under formal investigation, nor have been sanctioned within the preceding three (3) years, by any national authority of a United Nations Member State for engaging or having engaged in proscribed practices, including but not limited to: corruption, fraud, coercion, collusion, obstruction, or any other unethical practice;
- D. Your company has not declared bankruptcy, are not involved in bankruptcy or receivership proceedings, and there is no judgment or pending legal action against your company that could impair your company's operations in the foreseeable future;
- E. Your company does not employ, or anticipate employing, any person(s) who is, or has been a UN staff member within the last year, if said UN staff member has or had prior professional dealings with the Vendor in his/her capacity as UN staff member within the last three years of service with the UN (in accordance with UN post-employment restrictions published in ST/SGB/2006/15.
- F. Your company undertakes not to engage in proscribed practices (including but not limited to: corruption, fraud, coercion, collusion, obstruction, or any other unethical practice), with the UN or any other party, and to conduct business in a manner that averts any financial, operational, reputational or other undue risk to the UN.

**For Registered Vendors:** Vendors already registered at the UN Global Marketplace with the UN Secretariat must ensure that the information and documentation (e.g. financial statements, address, contact name, etc.) provided in connection with their registration are up to date in UNGM. Please verify and ensure that your company is registered under its full legal name.

**For Vendors Interested in Registration:** Vendors not yet registered should apply for registration on the United Nations Global Marketplace (<u>http://www.ungm.org</u>); information on the registration process can be found at <u>https://www.un.org/Depts/ptd/vendors</u>. Vendors must complete the registration process prior to the closing date of the REOI. Vendors who have not completed the UNGM registration process with the UN Secretariat before the closing date of the REOI are not considered eligible to participate in solicitations of the UN Secretariat. We strongly recommend all companies to register at least at Level 1 under the UN Secretariat prior to participating in any solicitations.

# IMPORTANT NOTICE: Any false, incomplete or defective vendor registration may result in the rejection of the application or cancellation of an already existing registration.

#### 2) EOI Process

Vendors interested in participating in the planned solicitation process should forward their expression of interest (EOI) to United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC) by the closing date set forth in this EOI. <u>Due to the high volume of communications UNFCCC is not in a position to issue confirmation of receipt of EOIs.</u>

Please note that no further details of the planned solicitation can be made available to the vendors prior to issuance of the solicitation documents.

This EOI is issued subject to the conditions contained in the EOI introductory page available at <a href="https://www.un.org/Depts/ptd/eoi">https://www.un.org/Depts/ptd/eoi</a>.

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