REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (REOI)
SELECTION OF AN INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANT

15th September 2023

The Project: **South Tarawa Sanitation Project (STSP)**
Ministry of Infrastructure and Sustainable Energy

The Government of the Republic of Kiribati (GOK) has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the **STSP** and intends to apply part of the proceeds for consulting services. The Project Development Objectives are to increase access to improved sanitation in selected areas of South Tarawa and to strengthen related institutions.

The consulting services ("the Services") include the following position to support implementation of project activities.

1. **Sanitation Engineer**

The STSP now invites eligible individuals ("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 and submit the following:

- **Cover letter**
- **Curriculum vitae** with description of **experience** in similar assignments, similar conditions, etc. with supporting documents.

The main objective of these positions, duration of assignment, including detailed scope of works, qualifications, experiences etc., are all detailed in their respective Terms of References (TORs) and can be obtained by contacting ttebau@mfep.gov.ki and bbaeni@mfep.gov.ki. The criteria for selecting the Consultant are also included in the TOR as summarized below:

Qualification, Skills and Experience Requirement

1. ***Essential:***

a) A minimum bachelor's degree in Environmental or Civil, engineering or any related engineering field;

b) At least 5 years of demonstrated experience in water and sanitation engineering, construction, supervision and operation, servicing works.

2. ***Desirable:***

c) Experience and exposure to ADB or World Bank funded projects;

d) Advance degree and other applicable postgraduate trainings/certificates specific to Sanitation.

e) Experience in Kiribati or similar small island countries

The attention of interested Consultants is drawn to Section III, paragraphs, 3.14, 3.16, and 3.17 of the World Bank's "Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers" July 2016, revised November 2017 and August 2018Fifth edition, September 2023 ("Procurement Regulations"), setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest.

Deadline for submission of EOIs is **no later than 5:15pm, 29 of September, 2023.** Submission is to be made to Secretary Ministry of Infrastructure & Sustainable Energy at secretary@mise.gov.ki and copy to Procurement Officer at ttebau@mfep.gov.ki