



## General Procurement Notice No. 8

### General Information:

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The Millennium Challenge Compact between the United States of America, acting through the Millennium Challenge Corporation (“MCC”), and the Government of Malawi (the “Government”) signed on April 7, 2011 (the “Compact”) sets forth the general terms on which MCC will provide assistance of up to Three Hundred and Fifty Million, Seven Hundred Thousand United States Dollars (US\$350,700,000) (“MCC Funding”) to the Government for a program to reduce poverty through economic growth in Malawi (the “Program”). The Government incorporated The Registered Trustees of Millennium Challenge Account - Malawi (“MCA-Malawi”), as a public trust under the Trustees Incorporation Act (Cap 5:03) of the Laws of Malawi, to act as its designee in the supervision, management, administration and implementation of the Program.

The Compact focuses on investments in Energy Sector that will increase availability of reliable and quality power; increase the availability of quality power to un-served users; and improve management and service delivery in the Energy sector. Existing businesses will benefit from improved access to power that will enhance their competitiveness on the global market by reducing generation costs and improving their operational performance. In addition, new investment opportunities from existing and new sources will become more attractive encouraging private sector growth that in turn will drive new economic growth, increase incomes and ultimately reduce poverty in the country.

MCA-Malawi works with a number of stakeholders, including Government Departments, ESCOM, EGENCO, MERA, Civil Society Organizations and the private sector, to oversee the management and implementation of the Program, which will continue to 20 September 2018.

The procurement program for the next twelve months covering the period October 1, 2017 through September 20, 2018 includes the following:

### ***Component 1 Infrastructure Development Project***

#### **IDA-A01 Dispute Adjudication Board Members (Individual Consultants)**

MCA-Malawi intends to engage a consultant firm to act in the Adjudicator role for the Nkula A Rehabilitation Works Contract, and the two Transmission and Distribution Network upgrade contracts.

#### **IDA-C01 Dispute Adjudication Board Member (Consultants Qualification Selection)**

MCA-Malawi intends to engage a consultant firm to act in the Adjudicator role for the electrical Transmission and Distributions contract.

## *Component 2 Power Sector Reform Project*

### **BR-B02 Sector Reform Communication Consultant (Consultant's Qualification Selection)**

MCA-Malawi intends to engage a consultant to prepare Sector's Compact Case Study Documentation.

## *Component 3 Environment and Natural Resource Management*

### **EN-A01 Kapichira (base) and Nkula (optional) Dredges (Competitive Bidding)**

MCA-Malawi intends to procure a dredge to be based at the Kapichira dam site, with an option for a similar dredge to be based at the Nkula dam site.

### **EN-A01 TIP and AIDS Material (Shopping)**

MCA-Malawi intends to engage a supplier to prepare Trafficking in Persons and AIDS awareness material for the NCIC and Ministry of Transport.

### **EN-A01 Gender Inclusion and Sexual Harassment (Individual Consultant)**

MCA-Malawi intends to engage a specialist in this area in support of ESCOM & EGENCO Social and Gender Enhancement and Inclusion (SGEI)

### **EN-A01 SGI Closeout Documentation Consultant (Individual Consultant)**

MCA-Malawi intends to engage a specialist in the Silicon Graphics Imagery field in support of the closing documentation for the Compact.

### **EN-A01 VSL Specialist (Individual Consultant)**

MCA-Malawi intends to engage a specialist in the preparation of a Visual Software Library field in support of the closing documentation for the Compact.

### **EN-A01 SGEF Specialist (Individual Consultant)**

MCA-Malawi intends to engage a specialist to enhance the Social Gender Enhancement Fund to strengthen the capacity of ESCOM and EGENCO in this field.

## *Component 5 Programme Administration*

### **PA-A01 Miscellaneous Procurements (Shopping)**

Miscellaneous Procurements for items such as office supplies, computers and accessories, printing of brochures etc., and minor small works.

### **PA-A01 Events Management Consultant (Consultant's Qualification Services)**

MCA-Malawi intends to engage a specialist consultant to manage the closeout events of the Compact

### **PA-A01 Pictorial & Video Services (Consultant's Qualification Services)**

MCA-Malawi intends to engage a specialist consultant to manage the production of an historical photographic record of the Compact, during its closeout period.

### **PA-A01 Case Study Documentation (Consultant's Qualification Services)**

MCA-Malawi intends to engage a specialist consultant to prepare and document a Case Study of the Compact, during its closeout period.

### **PA-A01 Media Campaign (Consultant's Qualification Services)**

MCA-Malawi intends to engage a specialist consultant to manage the upcoming media campaign for the Compact, during its closeout period.

### **PA-A01 Asset Disposition Consultant (Consultant's Qualification Services)**

MCA-Malawi intends to engage a specialist consultant to plan and manage the disposition the Compact's assets, during its closeout period.

**PA-A01 Archiving Specialist (Consultant's Qualification Services)**

MCA-Malawi intends to engage a specialist consultant to plan, coordinate and manage the Archiving requirements, both physical and electronic) for the Compact, during its closeout period.

**PA-A01 Compact Closure Consultant (Individual Consultant)**

MCA-Malawi intends to engage a specialist consultant to prepare its Compact Closure Report, during its closeout period.

**Ref PA-A01: Engineering Services (CQS)**

MCA-Malawi intends to engage an Engineer to Design and Supervise the Rehabilitation of the Malawi National Archives Building to be used as Depository for all MCA Malawi Compact Documents.

**Ref PA-A01: Small Works (CB)**

MCA-Malawi intends to engage a Contractor for the Rehabilitation of the Malawi National Archives Building to be used as Depository for all MCA Malawi Compact Documents

Contracts for Goods, Works and Services financed under the program will be implemented according to the principles, rules and procedures set out in the Millennium Challenge Program Procurement Guidelines, as found at <http://www.mcc.gov/documents/guidance/mcc-guidelines-programprocurement.pdf>. Procurements are open to all bidders from eligible source countries as defined in the guidelines (cited above).

Specific procurement notices for contracts to be tendered under the competitive bidding procedures and for consultant contracts will be announced, as they become available, in local newspapers, on the MCA-Malawi website at <http://www.mca-m.gov.mw/index.php/procurement>, and on other media outlets as appropriate. Specific procurement notices will also be announced on the Development Gateway Market (dgMarket) website at <http://mcc.dgmarket.com/> and the UN Development Business Online (UNDB) website at <http://www.devbusiness.com> where appropriate, for contracts above USD100,000 for Consulting Services, above USD200,000 for Goods and Non Consulting Services and above US1,000,000 for Works.

Interested eligible contractors and consultants requiring additional information should contact:

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