



**Consultant to Develop Targeted Early-Warning Messaging for Vulnerable Groups**

**COUNTRY:** Jamaica  
**NAME OF PROJECT:** Improving Climate Data & Information Management Project  
**GRANT NO.:** TF0A0433  
**COMPONENT:** Climate Resilient Planning and Hydrometeorological Information Services  
**BID NO.:** 20/PPCR/Q1/01  
**SELECTION METHOD:** Individual Consultant Selection

The Government of Jamaica (GOJ) has received a grant through the World Bank (WB) under the Pilot Programme for Climate Resilience (PPCR) towards the cost of implementing the Improving Climate Data and Information Management Project (ICDIMP). The objective is to improve the quality and use of climate-related data for effective planning and action at the local and national levels. A portion of the proceeds of this grant will be for a consultancy for the development of targeted early-warning messaging for vulnerable groups.

The objective of the assignment is to develop Early-warning Messaging (EWM) incorporating hazard data to guide the development of impact based community specific actions. The EWM will target vulnerable groups threatened by climate hazards and empower them to act in a timely and appropriate manner to reduce the possibility of personal injury, loss of life and damage to property. The targeted vulnerable groups are low-income groups living in unplanned settlements, particularly in hazard-prone locations, elderly, women, children, persons with disabilities, the rural population especially farmers whose economic productivity are weather dependent.

The Planning Institute of Jamaica now invites eligible individuals to indicate their interest in providing the consultancy services by submitting their curriculum vitae (CV) demonstrating the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the services (description of similar assignments undertaken). The selection criteria are:

- The consultant should hold an advanced degree in Mass Communication or related field and five (5) years' experience in in Early-warning Messaging or any equivalent/applicable combination of training and experience
- Experience in the field of Disaster Risk Reduction
- Knowledge of Early-warning Message Design and Dissemination
- Experience in capacity building, multi-agency/stakeholder coordination
- Demonstrated understanding of climate change issues and their development implications for Jamaica and the Caribbean
- Project Management Training

The attention of interested consultants is drawn to paragraph 1.9 of the World Bank's Guidelines: Selection and Employment of Consultants [under IBRD Loans and IDA Credits & Grants] by World Bank Borrowers dated January 2011 revised July 2014 ("Consultant Guidelines"), setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest.

The Terms of Reference can be accessed from <http://www.pioj.gov.jm/>. Further information may be obtained by sending an email to [ljohnson@pioj.gov.jm](mailto:ljohnson@pioj.gov.jm) or [cmccarthy@pioj.gov.jm](mailto:cmccarthy@pioj.gov.jm). Expressions of interest must be delivered in writing to the address below by email, mail or in person, no later than **July 6, 2020**.

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**MINISTRY OF TOURISM**

Invitation to Tender – REF # MT 2020/03

**Consultancy Services for a Disaster Preparedness Assessment and Disaster Risk Management Plan Template and Guidelines for the Tourism Sector**

**Background**

The Government of Jamaica, through the Ministry of Tourism, aims to undertake a Disaster Preparedness Assessment and develop a Disaster Risk Management Plan Template and Guidelines as a guiding mechanism to inform the development, adoption and implementation of policies and strategies which will increase visitors' confidence in the quality of service and amenities available in Jamaica, improve their impression of Jamaica's tourism sector and deliver a safe, secure, seamless and satisfying experience during their stay in Jamaica.

**Scope:**

The Ministry of Tourism is seeking a firm/consultant (s) with proven tourism experience to conduct a Disaster Preparedness Assessment and develop a Disaster Risk Management Plan Template and Guidelines for the tourism sector.

**Tender Requirements:**

- Copy of a valid Tax Compliance Letter (TCL). Tenders submitted without a valid TCL will be automatically rejected.

**Procurement Method:**

National Competitive Bidding (NCB)

**Collection of Tender Documents:**

The details of this engagement are included in the Request for Proposal which will be available for download via the electronic Government Procurement Portal ([www.gojep.gov.jm](http://www.gojep.gov.jm)) as at 4:00 p.m. on June 29, 2020. No hard copies of bids will be accepted and there will be no tender box for drop-off of tender documents.

**Tender Submission:**

Bids must be submitted online via [www.gojep.gov.jm](http://www.gojep.gov.jm) on/or before July 14, 2020 at 11:00 a.m. Late Bids will be automatically rejected by the system. An online bid opening will take place on July 14, 2020 at 11:15 am.

To participate in this tender opportunity, Suppliers must first be registered on the Government of Jamaica Electronic Procurement System via the platform at [www.gojep.gov.jm](http://www.gojep.gov.jm). For assistance to register, download of tender documents and upload of tender proposals, please contact the **Ministry of Finance, Procurement and Asset Policy Unit** Customer Care Desk at: 876-932-5220/876-932-5246/876-932-5253 or via email at [oppccustomer@mf.gov.jm](mailto:oppccustomer@mf.gov.jm).

For further queries, please email [procurement@mof.gov.jm](mailto:procurement@mof.gov.jm)

GOVERNMENT PUBLIC PROCUREMENT

If you are interested in doing business with the Government, you are invited to view tender notices for procurement contracts on this page.

**NOTICE**  
PLEASE CHECK THE MINISTRY'S WEBSITE FOR THE FULL DOCUMENTS

For Bookings Email:  
[jisadvertising@gmail.com](mailto:jisadvertising@gmail.com),  
[procurement@jis.gov.jm](mailto:procurement@jis.gov.jm)



**REFURBISHING WORKS BUILDINGS 9 & 10 SPECIAL OPERATION BARRACKS (MOBILE RESERVE) KINGSTON**

**Procuring Entity:** National Housing Trust  
**Scope:** The successful contractor is required to undertake refurbishing works to buildings 9 and 10 at the Special Operation Barracks (mobile reserve) at Merrion Road, Kingston. These works include masonry, plumbing, electrical, painting and tiling works and the installation of partitions.  
*Note: Two (2) separate contracts will be awarded from this tender process. Therefore, firms are permitted to bid on one (1) or both buildings.*  
**NCC Grade/Category:** Building Construction with a Grade 4 rating OR Building Maintenance with a Grade 3 rating.  
**Procurement Method:** National Competitive Bidding  
**Contact Information:** Manager, Procurement Unit  
**Address of Entity:** 4 Park Boulevard, Kingston 5  
**Telephone Number(s):** (876) 929-6500-9, Ext. 7245/7279  
**Email Address:** [procurement@nht.gov.jm](mailto:procurement@nht.gov.jm)

Bid packages are available for download from the GOJ's e-procurement website at [www.gojep.gov.jm](http://www.gojep.gov.jm), from **Tuesday, June 30, 2020**. Bid must be submitted online on or before **Monday, July 20, 2020 at 10:00 am**; opening of bids will be done online via the e-procurement website at [www.gojep.gov.jm](http://www.gojep.gov.jm) on the same day, immediately following bid submission deadline. Please visit the website at [www.nht.gov.jm](http://www.nht.gov.jm) for full details.

The NHT reserves the right not to award a contract to any party with whom it is currently in litigation or with whom it has been previously involved in litigation.



**REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL**

**PROCURING ENTITY:** BANK OF JAMAICA  
**SCOPE:** Supply and Installation of Distribution Panels, Transformers and Circuit Breakers  
**PPC GRADE &/ OR CATEGORY:** Electrical Works – Grade 1  
**PRE-BID MEETING AND SITE VISIT:** Friday, 03 July 2020 at 10:00 a.m.  
**BID SECURITY:** \$350,000.00  
**CONTACT INFORMATION:** Head of Procurement, Procurement Administration Section  
**ADDRESS OF ENTITY:** Nethersole Place, Kingston  
**TELEPHONE NO(S):** 876-922-0750-9  
**FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION VISIT:** ([www.boj.org.jm](http://www.boj.org.jm))  
**COST OF TENDER DOCUMENT:** No cost. Download document from the Bank's website: [www.boj.org.jm](http://www.boj.org.jm).  
**DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION:** Tuesday, 28 July 2020 at 10:00 a.m.

Please note that notwithstanding the information provided in this Advertisement, the final instructions to bidders are the RFP and any notification that may be posted on the Bank of Jamaica's website. Bidders are therefore required to monitor the website for the most current information.