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## Early Childhood Commission (ECC)

### INVITATION FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

The Government of Jamaica, through a loan from the World Bank, has received financing to support the implementation of the National Strategic Plan for Early Childhood Development (2013-2018). The Early Childhood Commission (ECC) intends to apply a portion of the funds for eligible payments under the contracts for which this invitation is issued.

The ECC now wishes to establish a database of firms from which to select suitable consultants to invite to provide consulting services. The objective of this consultancy is to evaluate the **Jamaica Early Childhood Curriculum for Children from Birth to Age Five**, based on acceptable standards and systems of operation.

Expressions of interest are invited from consultants/firms with the following academic qualifications:

- Postgraduate in Early Childhood Development, Curriculum Development of other related areas in Early Childhood Development & Education
- Written and oral communication skills
- Project Management skills
- Understanding and consistent application of curriculum development
- Supervisory skills

Applicants are to submit a **Statement of Capability**, which should include information on technical competence, experience and qualification. Additionally, all prospective local firms MUST possess a valid Tax Compliant Certificate (TCC).

A consultant will be selected in accordance with the procedures set out in the World Bank's **Guidelines: Selection and Employment of Consultants by World Bank Borrowers**.

**Statement of Capability should be submitted NO LATER THAN April 24, 2018 to:**

**The Procurement Officer  
Early Childhood Commission  
Shops 45-49, Kingston Mall  
8-10 Ocean Boulevard, Kingston  
or by email to: [procurement@ecc.gov.jm](mailto:procurement@ecc.gov.jm)**

Further information can be obtained at the address above during office hours, **Monday-Thursday from 8:30 a.m.-5:00 p.m.** and on **Fridays from 8:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m.** at (876) 922-9296-7 or 948-9805.



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Expressions of interest are invited from consultants/firms with following academic qualifications:

- Postgraduate qualifications in Educational and Psychological measurement/testing or other relevant social science.
- At least fifteen (15) years' combined practical experience in psychometric testing, i.e. experience in the development of psychological assessment tools and administration and interpretation of objective psychological tests.
- Experience of evaluation and data collection in the social sectors in Jamaica.

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