



DEPARTMENT OF AGRARIAN REFORM

**SUPPORT TO PARCELIZATION OF LANDS
FOR INDIVIDUAL TITLING (SPLIT) PROJECT**



WORLD BANK

**REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST
(INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANT SELECTION)**

COUNTRY: PHILIPPINES

NAME OF PROJECT: Support to Parcelization of Land Individual Titling (SPLIT)

Loan No./Credit No./ Grant No.: 9141-PH

Assignment Title: National Sr. Environmental and Social Safeguard Specialist

Reference No.: SPLIT-REF-013-A

The Department of Agrarian Reform (DAR) has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the Support to Parcelization of Individual Titling and intends to apply part of the proceeds for consulting services.

The consulting services (“the Services”) includes assisting in the implementation of environmental and social safeguards for the Project and is directly responsible to report to the Deputy National Project Director for ESS for the planning, strategizing and proper implementation of all the environment and social safeguard measures as defined in the Project’s Environmental and Social Framework Instruments and related instruments¹, Environmental and Social Commitment Plan (ESCP), Environmental and Social Management Framework, and the Project Operation Manual as it pertains to safeguard for twelve (12) months renewable yearly starting **December 29, 2023**.

The detailed Terms of Reference (TOR) for the assignment can be found at the following website: dar.gov.ph/project-split-procurement or can be obtained at the address given below.

The Department of Agrarian Reform now invites eligible individual consultants to indicate their interest in providing the Services. Interested Consultant should provide information demonstrating that s/he has the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the Services. The shortlisting criteria are:

1. Must be holder of Bachelor’s Degree in social sciences or related fields;
2. Master’s Degree or background in Law is an advantage;
3. At least three (3) years operational experience as a team leader, with solid background on environmental and social risk and impact management particularly in environment and natural resources management (land, forest, protected areas), involuntary resettlement and relevant World Bank or other multi-lateral agencies on the implementation of safeguard policies or Government of the Philippines legislations on environmental protection, agrarian reform, and land management
4. Preferably with an additional working experience of at least one year in environmental and social risk and impact management, environmental and social safeguards instruments, preparation of documents, reports and training proposal concerning environment and social safeguards implementation, biodiversity conservation/protection, stakeholder engagement, land

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¹ These are the Indigenous Peoples Planning Framework, Stakeholder Engagement Plan, Environmental and Social Assessment, Resettlement Policy Framework and Labor Management Procedures.
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titling/management and indigenous people, in various government and foreign-assisted rural development projects.

5. Attended at least 50 hours of training on environment and social safeguards- and other related subjects
6. With excellent communication skills.

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 2018 ("Procurement Regulations"), setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest.

A Consultant will be selected in accordance with the Competitive Selection of Individual Consultants method set out in the Procurement Regulations.

Expressions of interest must be delivered in a written form to the address below (in person, or by mail, or by fax, or by e-mail) by **November 14, 2023**.

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