



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



**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 Senior Environmental and Social Safeguard Specialist
Reference No.: SPLIT-REF-013-B

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") include assisting the Senior Procurement Specialist and Director for the Administrative Services in the planning, strategizing, evaluation, and proper documentation of all the procurement activities under the project in accordance with the World Bank (WB) Procurement Regulations and RA 9184 Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) for twelve (12) months renewable yearly starting August 1, 2024.

The detailed Terms of Reference (TOR) for the assignment can be found at the following website: [dar.gov.ph/project -split-procurement](http://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 a holder of Master's Degree preferably related to Environmental Studies, Environmental Economics, Social Sciences, Developmental Studies, or related fields. Background in Law is an advantage.
2. At least eight (8) 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 environment protection, agrarian reform, and land management;
3. Preferably with an additional working experience of five (5) years in environmental and social risk and impact management, preparation of documents, reports and training proposal concerning environment and social safeguards implementation, biodiversity conservation/ protection, stakeholder

- engagement, land titling/ management and indigenous people, in various government and foreign-assisted rural development projects
4. With excellent verbal and written skills;
 5. Attended at least 50 hours of training on environment and social safeguards and other related subjects; and
 6. Preferably an Environmental Planner holder.

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 **July 9, 2024**.

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