



# MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE, LIVESTOCK AND FISHERIES

STATE DEPARTMENT FOR FISHERIES AND THE  
BLUE ECONOMY (SDF-BE)

Kenya Marine Fisheries and Socio Economic  
Development Project (KEMFSED)

## REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

### (CONSULTANCY SERVICES- INDIVIDUAL SELECTION)

#### Undertake a Review of the Status of Stocks of Priority Fisheries in Kenya

Ref: KE-MOALF-40677-CS-INDV

Project ID No. 163980

The Government of Kenya has received a Project Preparation Advance from the World Bank towards the Kenya Marine Fisheries and Socioeconomic Development Project (KEMFSED), and intends to apply part of the proceeds for this consulting service.

The consulting services ("the Services") include:

Brief description: As a background, the KEMFSED project has an overall goal to enhance economic benefits and coastal livelihoods from marine fisheries and coastal aquaculture while safeguarding associated ecosystems' integrity. The five coastal counties proposed to be targeted under this 5-year project include: Kwale, Mombasa, Kilifi, Tana River and Lamu. The implementing agency will be the SDF-BE on behalf of the Government of Kenya.

The objective of this consultancy is to provide direct input into the KEMFSED project preparation, through an overview of the state of marine fisheries stocks exploited in Kenyan waters. Undertake an assessment of the economic potential (landed value) of key species and or fisheries based on the current stock status and likely catch and effort trajectory in the medium term (5-10 years). The assessment should identify the key priority fisheries and include fishery resources in both nearshore coastal waters (territorial seas) and beyond territorial waters to the EEZ.

Scope of work will include reviewing and collating historical catch and effort information on Kenya marine fisheries including spatial distribution; national and regional information on the state of any stocks exploited in Kenya marine waters/EEZ; current state of these stocks based on the information above, including any pertinent reference points; identifying any gaps in the information that might be critical to strengthen the assessments of these stocks including which stocks or species are associated with specific gear types, those that may be associated with specific areas and those species or stocks on which coastal communities may be more or less dependent upon for livelihood; broadly classify (and provide rationale) Kenyan marine fisheries into "priority" fishery groups using agreed (with the client) criteria as indicated in the TORs; and propose recommendations on priority fisheries to be included for investment and management under the KEMFSED project, including associated risks to the stocks and investments if exploitation levels were increased or declined.

Estimated level of effort: Detailed TOR for the assignment can be: (a) found at the following website: [www.kilimo.go.ke](http://www.kilimo.go.ke); (b) requested by sending an email to: [kemfsed@kilimo.go.ke](mailto:kemfsed@kilimo.go.ke) or (c) obtained at the address given below.

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The Ministry, through the SDF-BE, now invites eligible individuals ("Consultants") to indicate their interest in providing the Services. Interested Consultants should provide information demonstrating that they have the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the Services. The Consultant should have a post-graduate degree in fisheries science, natural resources, environmental economics or similar field; at least 15 years' overall work experience with at least 10 years' experience in undertaking fisheries stock assessments, particularly in artisanal fisheries; experience in fisheries economics, and experience in having undertaken similar work in developing countries will be an advantage; and demonstrated experience with regional industrial fisheries in the western Indian Ocean.

Consultants may submit detailed CV showcasing individual profile, at least two similar assignments undertaken in the last eight years.

Applicants' competency and suitability will be evaluated at this stage and those who qualify will be invited to submit their financial proposal.

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 and revised in November 2017 ("Procurement Regulations"), setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest.

A Consultant will be selected in accordance with the "open competitive selection of individual consultants" method set out in the Procurement Regulations.

Complete Expressions of Interest along with other relevant documents should be delivered by email to: [kemfsed@kilimo.go.ke](mailto:kemfsed@kilimo.go.ke), or by mail, or in person as per details below. Documents should be delivered in plain sealed envelopes with consultancy reference and name clearly marked on top to the address shown below or placed in the tender box at our offices on 3rd floor, Maji House along Ngong road on or before 25th January 2018 at 11.00am.

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