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Projet SUFACHAC

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Yaounde, the 02 may 2017

CALL FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

No 0008 /CFEI/MINEPDED/SG/DEPC/CEP/GEF-OFP/SUFACHAC RELATED TO THE RECRUITMENT OF A CONSULTANT TO ELABORATE A TRIENNAL COMMUNICATION PLAN FOR THE PROJECT

*"Sustainable farming and critical habitat conservation to achieve biodiversity
mainstreaming and protected areas management effectiveness in Western Cameroon -
SUFACHAC"*

FUNDING: Global Environment Facility (GEF)

The Global Environment Facility has approved for its fifth operational phase (GEF 5: 2010-2014) the project entitled "Sustainable Agriculture and Conservation of Critical Habitat for Biodiversity Integration and Effective Management Of Protected Areas in the South-West region of Cameroon for the next four (4) years aims to strengthen and expand the Protected Areas network and integrate biodiversity conservation into the Bakossi-Banyang-Mbo landscape.

The project will be implemented under the supervision of the UN-Environment (former UNEP) and in close collaboration with key government institutions, co-financier, civil society organizations, community-based organizations and the private sector. This project has benefited a co funding from GEF to the tune of US \$ 1,716,895 and an overall co-financing to a total amount 6,122,840 US \$. This funding will help promote the conservation and integration of biodiversity in the Bakossi-Banyang-Mbo landscape and production through sustainable agricultural practices to improve livelihoods in the community and provide more commercial opportunities.

This process will contribute to improved efficiency in the management of protected area systems, integration of biodiversity conservation in the various land-use options, including agriculture, mining, forestry, production and promote an integrated approach to the management at the level of the landscape, through the development and implementation of an interactive land use plan. This project will equally help to strengthen or develop a supportive policy in environment and knowledge creation for the implementation of the interactive land use plan and to manage changes in ecosystems that could result from immediate and ultimate causes.

These objectives will be achieved through the following three components:

Component 1: Conservation of critical wildlife habitat through the creation or strengthening of Protected Areas of high conservation value;

Component 2: Sustainable agricultural practices and promotion of "livelihoods of communities and conservation of biodiversity through an Integrated Environmental and Social Management Plan;
Component 3: Knowledge management, monitoring and evaluation.

In order to ensure better publicity and visibility of the project to the public, the Government of the Republic of Cameroon through the Ministry of the Environment, Protection of Nature and Sustainable Development is recruiting a consultant to develop a three-year communication plan for the Bakossi-SUFACHAC project.

The Minister of the Environment, Protection of Nature and Sustainable Development invites all interested persons to express their interest by providing the information demonstrating that they are competent to carry out the above mentioned consultation (qualifications, experience in similar positions, Curriculum Vitae, Cover Letter, Contracts, Various Documentation, etc.).

The terms of reference for this consultation are available on the GEF Cameroon website at www.gef-cameroon.org. or the Ministry of the Environment, Protection of Nature and Sustainable Development at www.minep.gov.cm.

Interested persons can obtain further information every working day from 7:30 am to 3:30 pm local time at the address below:

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Expressions of interest must be submitted in four (04) duplicates including one (01) original and three (03) duplicates at the above address by no later than the 23 may at 3:00 PM and labeled as follow:

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