

Project name	Moldova Roads IIIB
Country	Moldova
Business sector	Transport
Finance Contract	FI N 96156 SERAPIS No 2011-0650
Funding source	European Investment Bank
Type of contract	Consultancy Services
Type of notice	Request for Proposals
Issue date	19 August, 2024
Closing date	October 3 rd , 2024, at 13:00 (local time)
Public Opening date	October 3 rd , 2024, at 13:30 (local time)

Section 1: Letter of Invitation

The Government of the Republic of Moldova has received financing from the European Investment Bank (the “Bank”) in the form of a credit toward the cost of **MOLDOVA ROADS IIIB, for procurement of supervision services for “Rehabilitation Works on R34 Hincesti-Leova-Cahul-Giurgiulesti road, km 82+000 – km 125+000”**. The Î.S. “Administrația de Stat a Drumurilor” (hereinafter called “Client”, “Promoter” or “SRA”), an implementing agency of the Ministry of Infrastructure and Regional Development, intends to apply a portion of the proceeds of this credit to eligible payments under the Contract for which this Request for Proposals is issued.

Payments by the Bank will be made only at the request of the Î.S. “Administrația de Stat a Drumurilor” and upon approval by the Bank, and will be subject, in all respects, to the terms and conditions of the financing agreement. The financing agreement prohibits a withdrawal from the credit account for the purpose of any payment to persons or entities, or for any import of goods, if such payment or import, to the knowledge of the Bank, is prohibited by a decision of the United Nations Security Council taken under Chapter VII of the Charter of the United Nations. No party other than the Client shall derive any rights from the financing agreement or have any claims to the proceeds of the credit.

The Client now invites proposals to provide the following consulting services (hereinafter called “Services”): Supervision of Rehabilitation Works on R34 Hincesti-Leova-Cahul-Giurgiulesti road, km 82+000 – km 125+000.

It is expected that the assignment will commence in February 2024 and last about 58 months, which includes 1 month for pre-Commencement activities, 30 months of works supervision, 24 months covering defects notification period and 3 months for the Performance Certificate issue and other closing activities. The time period may be changed by written agreement between the parties.

More details on the Services are provided in the Terms of Reference.

Firms originating from all countries of the world are eligible to tender for this services contract. Pursuant to its Sanctions Policy, the Bank shall not provide finance, directly or indirectly, to or for the benefit of an individual or entity that is subject to financial sanctions imposed by the

EU, either autonomously or pursuant to the financial sanctions decided by the United Nations Security Council on the basis of article 41 of the UN Charter.

A firm will be selected under *QCBS* procedures and in a *Full Technical Proposal (FTP)* format as described in this RFP, in accordance with the policies of the European Investment Bank detailed in the EIB Guide to Procurement (“Guidelines”) which can be found at the following website: www.eib.org.

The RFP includes the following documents:

- Section 1 – Letter of Invitation
- Section 2 – Instructions to Consultants and Data Sheet
- Section 3 – Technical Proposal (FTP)- Standard Forms
- Section 4 – Financial Proposal - Standard Forms
- Section 5 – Eligible Countries
- Section 6 – Policy on preventing and deterring prohibited conduct in European Investment Bank activities
- Section 7 – Terms of Reference
- Section 8 – Standard Forms of Contract (Time-Based)

Details on the proposal’s submission date, time and address are provided in Clauses 17.7 and 17.9 of the ITC.

Interested consultants may obtain further information at the address below during office hours from 9:00 to 16:00 (local time).

Proposals must be delivered to the Client in an envelope marked **as per the requirement indicated in the Data Sheet**, to the address mentioned below by **October 3rd, 2024 at 13:00 (local time)**. Please note that submission of Proposals that do not comply with these requirements shall be rejected.

Proposals received after this time and date will be returned unopened.

Consultants should be aware that distance and customs formalities may require longer than expected delivery time.

The Executing Agency/Client Contact Person:

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