



ORGANISATION OF EASTERN CARIBBEAN STATES

Electronic Government for Regional Integration Project (EGRIP)

CONSULTANCY SERVICES FOR NEEDS ASSESSMENT AND DESIGN FOR NATIONAL ID SYSTEM

IDA Credits: 4451-LC, 4452-GD, 4453-DM and 4650-VC

Project ID Numbers: P100635, P117087

REQUESTS FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

The Governments of Dominica, Grenada, Saint Lucia and St. Vincent and the Grenadines have each received individual credits in the amount of 1.5 Million SDRs, equivalent to US\$ 2.3 Million, from the International Development Association (IDA) for the financing of the OECS Electronic Government for Regional Integration Project (EGRIP) and intend to apply part of the proceeds for consultancy services for a **Needs Assessment And Design For National ID System**.

The Regional E-Government Unit (REGU) of the OECS Secretariat now invites eligible consulting firms to indicate their interest in providing the services. Interested consultants must provide information indicating that they are qualified to perform the services (brochures, description of similar assignments, experience in similar conditions, availability of appropriate skills among staff, etc.). Consultants may associate to enhance their qualifications.

The key objectives of this assignment include:

- (i) To assess the current state of key government registries and conceptual design of the national ID systems;
- (ii) To deliver a detailed design for a Multi-Purpose Identification System as a core piece of the overall interoperability framework; and
- (iii) To conduct a risk assessment of the program and suitable mitigation measures and design an action plan for successful implementation of the Identification Systems.

A consultant will be selected in accordance with the procedures set out in the World Bank's Guidelines: Selection and Employment of Consultants by World Bank Borrowers, January 1997 (revised September 1997, January 1999, May 2004 and October 2006).

Interested consultants may obtain further information at the address below during office hours from 9:00 a.m. to 4:30p.m. (900 hours to 1630 hours).

Expressions of Interest must be delivered to the address below by 4:00 pm (1600 hours) on **Monday, 26 July 2010**:

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