



MINISTRY OF FORESTRY

Invitation for Expressions of Interest

Review of the Monitoring, Compliance and Surveillance (MCS) project

The Monitoring, Compliance and Surveillance (MCS) project was initiated in 2006 to ensure the adherence of commercial forest harvesting operations in Fiji to the Fiji Forest Harvesting Code of Practice (FFHCOP) specifications. The project's overarching strategy is to strike a balance between tangible and non-tangible benefits of the forest ecosystem for Contractors, Resource Owners, Government, and other stakeholders involved in forest use.

The Ministry of Forestry is seeking to contract a qualified, reputable and experienced consultant to provide services for an independent review of the Monitoring, Compliance and Surveillance (MCS) project.

Minimum qualification, experience, and competencies

- An undergraduate degree in forestry, environment or equivalent. Post graduate qualification will be an advantage.
- At least 10+ years of work experience in Forestry including demonstrated experience in program/project planning, implementation, monitoring, and evaluation.
- Previous experience in undertaking similar reviews.
- Sound knowledge and understanding of the relevant forestry and environment legislation, regulations, Codes, policies, and procedures.
- Excellent communication and report writing skills.

Duration

The duration of the engagement will be for six (6) weeks only.

The full terms of reference can be found on the Ministry website www.forestry.gov.fj and should be referred to before applying.

Application

Applications should include:

1. An application letter addressing the selection criteria of qualifications and competencies.
2. Latest curriculum vitae (CV), certified qualifications, and other relevant documents
3. Contacts of three (3) referees, one of whom must be/have been an immediate supervisor.

Applications close at 4pm on 15.04.24, late applications will not be considered.

Send applications to:

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