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## Best Evaluated Bidder Notice (For Procurement and Disposal Notice Board)

The bidders named below have been evaluated as the best evaluated bidders for the procurement requirement detailed below. It is the intention of the Ministry to issue Request for Proposals to the Best Evaluated Bidders at Expression of Interest after **ten (10) working days** from the date for display given below.

Procurement Reference	MOFPED/Cons/20-21/00366
number:	, 233, 20 21, 00300
Subject of Procurement:	Expression of Interest for Consultancy Services to Review the Ministry Five-Year Strategic Plan FY 2016-2021 and Develop a New Strategic Plan FY 2021/22-2025/26.
Method of Procurement:	Publication of a Notice Inviting Expression of Interest and Developing a Shortlist.
Name of Best Evaluated Bidders:	<ol> <li>Apex Global Associates</li> <li>Asigma Capital Advisory.</li> <li>Jim Roberts &amp; Associates</li> </ol>
Total Contract Price:	N/A
Date for Display:	6 <sup>th</sup> August, 2021
Date for Removal:	19th August, 2021
Display of this Notice does	

Display of this Notice does not constitute an acceptance of the bid described above or the formation of a contract. Bid acceptance and contract placement shall be in accordance with the Regulations.

SN	NAME OF BIDDER	REASONS FOR BEING UNSUCCESSFUL
	International Development Consult	<ul> <li>It is a consortium/ joint venture however did not submit a clear joint venture agreement to spell out the obligations of each party as required.</li> <li>Did not have a regionally recognized track record in provision of consultancy services in the EAC region in the areas of; Macroeconomic Policy and Management; Budget preparation, execution and monitoring; Public Financial Management; Deficit Financial Management; Deficit Financing and Cash Policy; Development Policy and Investment Promotion; Financial Sector Development; Internal Oversight and Advisory Services; and Policy, Planning and Support Services as required. Most of the work done relates to civil works with very little relevant to the assignment.</li> <li>The team leader did not demonstrate professional experience in the design and implementation of evaluation studies. S/he must demonstrate knowledge of key Government of Uganda policies and procedures and possess good writing skills as required;</li> <li>Team leader did not have a relevant Master's degree as required</li> <li>Team leader did not have a relevant Master's degree as required</li> <li>Team leader did not have a relevant Master's degree as required</li> <li>Team leader had no Proven experience in developing, implementing, monitoring and evaluation of national, sector, MDAs and corporate policies, strategies, programs and projects;</li> <li>Team leader had no Proven experience in developing national, sector and MDAs corporate M&amp;E systems;</li> <li>Team leader did not Possess thorough knowledge and understanding of Uganda's development context/issues including familiarity with the Government Planning, Budgeting,</li> </ul>

		Reporting, Monitoring and Evaluation mechanisms;
2.	Rham3 International	<ul> <li>Did not submit a signed statement indicating that the consultant does not have a conflict of interest in the subject of the procurement as required;</li> <li>Did not submit a copy of Memorandum &amp; Articles of Association or equivalent as required;</li> <li>Did not submit a signed statement stating that the consultancy firm is not insolvent, in receivership, bankrupt or being wound up</li> <li>Did not submit proof that it has fulfilled the obligation to pay social security contributions in Uganda or elsewhere the business is located, with proof of a copy of certificate for social security contribution;</li> <li>Team leader had no Proven experience in developing national, sector and MDAs corporate M&amp;E systems;</li> <li>Team leader did not Possess thorough knowledge and understanding of Uganda's development context/issues including familiarity with the Government Planning, Budgeting, Reporting, Monitoring and Evaluation mechanisms</li> </ul>
3.	Steadman Global Consults	<ul> <li>Did not submit a copy of Memorandum &amp; Articles of Association or equivalent as required;</li> <li>Did not submit a copy of audited books of Accounts and financial statements for the last two years 2019 and 2020 as required.</li> <li>Did not have a regionally recognized track record in provision of</li> </ul>

consultancy services in the EAC region in the areas of: Macroeconomic Policy and Management; Budget preparation, execution and monitoring; Financial Management; Deficit Financing and Cash Policy; Development Policy and Investment Promotion; Financial Sector Development; Internal Oversight and Advisory Services; and Planning and Support Services as required;

 The team leader did not demonstrate professional experience in the design and implementation of evaluation studies. S/he must demonstrate knowledge of key Government of Uganda policies and procedures and possess good writing skills as required;

 Team leader did not have a relevant Master's degree as required

• Team leader did not have at least 10 years of international experience in designing, developing, implementing, monitoring and evaluation of national, sector, MDAs and corporate policies, strategies, programs and projects;

 Team leader had no Proven experience in developing national, sector and MDAs corporate M&E systems;

Team leader did not Possess thorough knowledge and understanding of Uganda's development context/issues including familiarity with Government Planning, Budgeting, Reporting, Monitoring and Evaluation mechanisms;

Authorized for display on Procurement and Disposal Notice Board:

Signature: Name

Name: Aminah Nabulime

Position: Ag. Head PDU

Date: 6th August 2021

To be copied to all bidders who submitted bids