Government of Nepal
Ministry of Education and Sports
Department of Education
Sanothimi, Bhaktapur

Request for Expressions of Interest

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Nepal Safer Schools Project (NSSP) – Project Preparation, IDA Grant No. E758-NP – Individual Consultants and Consulting Firm

The Government of Nepal has received financing from the World Bank (International Development Association) toward the cost of the Preparation Grant for Nepal Safer Schools Project (IDA Grant No. E758-NP, under the Grant Facility for Project Preparation), and intends to apply part of the proceeds for the consulting services listed below. The Department of Education, Project Implementation Unit (DOE/PIU), Ministry of Education and Sports, now invites eligible individual consultants (S.N. 1–16) and eligible consulting firms (S.N. 17) ("Consultants") to indicate their interest in providing the Services. Interested Consultants should provide information demonstrating that they have the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the Services.

The Request for Expressions of Interest (REOI) for each assignment, with the detailed Terms of Reference (TOR) (and, for S.N. 17, the shortlisting criteria), is available at the websites www.cehrd.gov.np / www.moe.piu.gov.np and can be obtained at the address below. The attention of interested Consultants is drawn to Section III, paragraphs 3.14, 3.16 and 3.17 of the World Bank's "Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers" September 2025 ("Procurement Regulations"), setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest. Individual consultants (S.N. 1–15) will be selected in accordance with the Individual Consultant Selection (Open – National) method, the Procurement Specialist (S.N. 16) in accordance with the Individual Consultant Selection (Open – Competitive) method, and the consulting firm (S.N. 17) in accordance with the Consultant's Qualification-based Selection (CQS) method, set out in the Procurement Regulations. Consulting firms may associate with other firms in the form of a joint venture or a sub-consultancy.

Further information can be obtained at the address below during office hours, 09:00 to 16:00 hours (Nepal Standard Time), on Government working days. Expressions of interest must be delivered in a written form to the address below (in person, or by mail), separately for each assignment quoting the Reference No. and Assignment Title, by 12:00 hours (Nepal Standard Time) on 25 November 2026 (2083/08/09 BS) for S.N. 1–16 (individual consultants), and by 12:00 hours (Nepal Standard Time) on 2 December 2026 (2083/08/16 BS) for S.N. 17 (consulting firm).

S.N.	Contract Identification No.	Services
Team-1: Technical and Safety Group		
1	NP-CLPIU EDU-578144-CS-INDV	Senior Structural Engineer (Coordinator, Technical and Safety Group)
2	NP-CLPIU EDU-578146-CS-INDV	Structural Engineer
3	NP-CLPIU EDU-578148-CS-INDV	Civil Engineer
4	NP-CLPIU EDU-578149-CS-INDV	Architect / School Infrastructure Specialist
5	NP-CLPIU EDU-578150-CS-INDV	WASH Engineer / Specialist
Team-3: IT, GIS and Data Group		
6	NP-CLPIU EDU-578151-CS-INDV	GIS and Data Management Specialist (Coordinator, IT, GIS and Data Group)
7	NP-CLPIU EDU-578153-CS-INDV	GIS / Remote Sensing Specialist
8	NP-CLPIU EDU-578154-CS-INDV	Software / Application Developer
9	NP-CLPIU EDU-578156-CS-INDV	Database Management Specialist
10	NP-CLPIU EDU-578157-CS-INDV	Data Analyst / Data Scientist
11	NP-CLPIU EDU-578158-CS-INDV	IEMIS / Education Information System Specialist
12	NP-CLPIU EDU-578159-CS-INDV	ICT / System Infrastructure Specialist
13	NP-CLPIU EDU-578160-CS-INDV	Cybersecurity / Data Protection Specialist
Environmental, Social and Procurement Specialists – Individual Consultants		
14	NP-CLPIU EDU-556505-CS-INDV	Environmental Specialist
15	NP-CLPIU EDU-556510-CS-INDV	Social Development Specialist
16	NP-CLPIU EDU-576638-CS-INDV	Procurement Specialist
Consulting Firm – Consultant's Qualification-based Selection (CQS)		
17	NP-CLPIU EDU-577039-CS-CQS	Validation of Prioritized Schools for Resilience Intervention

Note: If the last date of submission falls on a public holiday, the next working day shall be deemed the due date, at the same time. Firms and Joint ventures are not eligible incase of individual consultant. The department reserves the right to accept or reject any or all EOIs without assigning any reason.

Director General