

INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR DEMOCRACY AND ELECTORAL ASSISTANCE ANNEX B

TERMS OF REFERENCE

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Assignment Name: Pre-Qualification of Service Providers for Construction and Renovation Works

for Nigeria Operations

1. Background

1.1. The International Institute for Democracy and Electoral Assistance (International IDEA) is an intergovernmental organization established in 1995, with Member States across all continents, which aims to support sustainable democracy world-wide and assist in the development of institutions and the culture of democracy. At the interface between research, fieldwork and the donor community, IDEA provides a forum for dialogue, builds networks of experts, develops training materials, and provides strategic advice at international, regional and national level, cooperating with a range of organizations.

2. Objectives

International IDEA Nigeria intends to establish a roster of qualified service providers with expertise on construction and renovation works. This prequalification expression of interest is launched to identify a pool of service providers. The prospective service providers would be evaluated on their technical competence and experience to deliver assignments in the areas of competence listed in the grid below. Only the service providers included in the rosters will receive specific Terms of Reference from International IDEA in support of the aforementioned subject matter.

3. Scope of Work

International IDEA now seeks Service providers to carry out construction and renovation works, as well as other related tasks below in support of Nigeria operations. The scope of work includes, but is not limited to:

Category A: Building construction (new structures)- This includes the following:	Please mark with an X if you have the technical competence to complete this type of work.	Location- (States where services were provided).
1. Building Construction		
 Residential buildings (apartments, houses) 		
Commercial buildings (offices, malls)		

 Institutional buildings (schools, hospitals) 	
 Industrial buildings (factories, warehouses) 	
2. Civil Engineering Works	
Roads and highways	
Bridges and flyovers	
Drainage systems	
 Culverts and retaining walls 	
 Railways and metro systems 	
3. Structural Works	
 Foundations (pile, raft, strip) 	
 Concrete and steel structures 	
 Load-bearing walls and beams 	
Structural reinforcements	
4. Renovation and Refurbishment	
 Building upgrades and retrofitting 	
Restoration of heritage structures	
Interior remodelling	
Facade improvements	
5. Mechanical, Electrical & Plumbing (MEP) Works	
Electrical wiring and installations	
 Plumbing and sanitary systems 	

Fire safety systems	
6. Infrastructure Development	
Water supply systems	
Sewage treatment plants	
Power distribution networks	
Telecommunication infrastructure	
7. Landscaping and External Works	
Paving and walkways	
Fencing and gates	
Green spaces and gardens	
Outdoor lighting	
8. Specialized Construction	
Prefabricated and modular buildings	
Smart building systems	
Energy-efficient and green buildings	
Solar panel installations	
9. Project Management and Consultancy	
Site supervision	
Quantity surveying	
Health, Safety & Environmental (HSE) compliance	
Quality assurance and control	

Category B: Renovation works and refurbishment of existing facilities, may include but not restricted to the following:	
1. Structural Renovations	
 Reinforcement of foundations, beams, and columns 	
 Repair of cracks in walls or ceilings 	
 Replacement of damaged structural elements 	
 Roof repairs or replacement 	
2. Interior Renovations	
 Wall painting and plastering 	
 Ceiling repairs or installation (e.g., POP, suspended ceilings) 	
 Floor replacement (tiles, wood, vinyl, carpet) 	
 Partitioning and space reconfiguration 	
 Door and window replacement or upgrades 	
3. Electrical Works	
 Rewiring and upgrading electrical systems 	
 Installation of new lighting fixtures 	
 Replacement of switchboards and sockets 	

	 Integration of smart systems (e.g., automated lighting) 	
4.	Plumbing and Sanitary Works	
	Replacement of old pipes and fittings	
	 Installation of new sanitary fixtures (toilets, sinks, showers) 	
	• Water heater installation	
	Drainage system repairs	
5.	HVAC (Heating, Ventilation, and Air Conditioning)	
	 Installation or upgrade of air conditioning systems 	
	 Ventilation improvements 	
	 Maintenance or replacement of ductwork 	
6.	Exterior Renovations	
	 Painting and façade restoration 	
	Roof waterproofing	
	Gutter and downspout replacement	
	Landscaping and paving	
7.	Safety and Accessibility Upgrades	
	 Installation of fire alarms and extinguishers 	

 Emergency exits and signage 	
 Ramps and handrails for accessibility 	
 Security systems (CCTV, access control) 	
8. Specialized Renovations	
 Soundproofing (for studios, offices) 	
 Energy efficiency upgrades (solar panels, insulation) 	
 IT infrastructure upgrades (network cabling, server rooms) 	
 Renovation of laboratories, clinics, or other specialized spaces 	
9. Other (please specify)	

4. Timing

International IDEA will request quotations from the service providers on the roster for specific works. A contract will be entered into for the completion of the specific assignment.

5. Deliverables and Reporting

The specific needs of each assignment will be shared with selected service providers according to their competencies as per the completed grid.

The service provider will report to the representative of International IDEA responsible for the administration of each assignment.

6. Management and Organization

The delivery of this assignment shall be supervised by the Procurement and Operations Officer Nigeria, in conjunction with the programme team with regards to the specific needs of assignments which will be agreed by the service provider and International IDEA.

7. Monitoring and evaluation

The performance of the contractor will be evaluated based on the following KPIs:

- Work performed in compliance with contract terms.
- Timeliness of Work/Deliveries.
- Prompt Handling of Complaints and effective correction of situations and conditions.
- Communication and Accessibility.
- Quality of Work/Service Provided