MINISTRY OF NATURAL RESOURCES

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST (CONSULTING SERVICES – FIRMS SELECTION)

GUYANA PETROLEUM RESOURCES GOVERNANCE AND MANAGEMENT PROJECT (GPRGMP)

PROJECT ID NO.: P166730

ASSIGNMENT TITLE: CONSULTING SERVICES FOR THE REVIEW

AND EVALUATION OF FIELD DEVELOPMENT

PLANS (FDP) - UARU

REFERENCE NO.: GPRGMP/QCBS/2022/01

The Government of the Cooperative Republic of Guyana (GCRG) has received financing in the amount of US\$20 Million equivalent from the World Bank (WB) toward the cost of the Guyana Petroleum Resources Governance and Management Project (GPRGMP) and it intends to apply part of the proceeds to pay a consulting firm to provide advisory services, technical support and training and capacity strengthening services to the Government of Guyana (GoG).

This request for expressions of interest relates specifically to the consultancy for the Review and Evaluation of Field Development Plans (FDP - Uaru under Component B of the project. This component will be financed to provide Consulting Services to provide advisory services, technical support and training and capacity strengthening services to the GoG.

The objective of the assignment is for the Consultant to provide advisory services, technical support and training and capacity strengthening services to the GoG, through the Ministry of Natural Resources (MNR), and the Sector Regulator – the Guyana Geology and Mines Commission (GGMC) or the Petroleum Commission (PC) once established – and other attendant Ministries with the aim of enhancing the country's core capacity to review, approve, authorize, and oversee, monitor and report on the implementation of Field Development Plan(s) (FDP).

The assignment will include the following areas:

- A. Detailed Assessment of the Uaru Concept Selection Process and Field Development Plan
- B. FDP Management, Oversight, Monitoring and Reporting
- C. Detailed Assessment of the Environmental and Social Impact Assessment of the Proposed Uaru FDP
- D. ESIA Management, Oversight, Monitoring and Reporting
- E. Training and Institutional Capacity

The estimated duration for the assignment is for fifty two (52) weeks commencing in December 2022 during which time the Consultant is expected to be physically present in Guyana for an agreed time.

The GPRGMP now invites eligible consulting firms ("Consultants") to indicate their interest in providing the aforementioned services. Interested Consultants should provide information demonstrating that they have the required qualifications and

relevant experience to perform the services, such as, description of similar assignments, experience in similar conditions, and availability of appropriate skills among staff.

The consulting firm should be an internationally recognized firm with prior experience completing similar assignments, providing evaluations and opinions for similar deepwater development projects in analogous operating and geological environments and must also have previously considered climate change impacts of oil and gas developments and possible solutions. The Consultant will be required to demonstrate advisory experience and knowledge of petroleum sector development frameworks related to field developments, and in providing professional opinions (such as Competent Person's Reports) to Governments on oil and gas field development planning and execution.

The attention of interested Consultants is drawn to paragraph 3.16 of the World Bank's Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers (published by the Association in September 2016), setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest. A Consultant will be selected in accordance with the "Quality-And-Cost Based Selection (QCBS) method set out in the procurement Regulations.

Further information can be obtained at the address below during office hours ogoohrs to 1600hrs. The Terms of Reference can be viewed on the Ministry of Natural Resources' website: https://nre.gov.gy/ Expressions of interest must be delivered to the address below (in person, or by mail, or by fax, or by e-mail by **Monday October** 10, 2022.

Ministry of Natural Resources Guyana Petroleum Resources Governance and Management Project

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