



Solomon Islands Electricity Authority

Advertisement – General Manager

The Government of Solomon Islands has applied for financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the Solomon Islands Sustainable Energy Project, and intends to apply part of the proceeds for individual consultant services. The services include the recruitment of an expert individual or firm with the appropriate background to be General Manager of the Solomon Islands Electricity Authority.

A General Manager will be appointed for a period of three years. The initial appointment will be for 18 month, which would be extended based on satisfactory performance.

The General Manager will report to the Chairman and Board of Directors of SIEA, and will be responsible for a series of tasks, including managing SIEA and reporting to the Board on the status of operations at SIEA, on a quarterly basis, coordinating all activities to ensure efficient and reliable operations of SIEA, oversight of the financial condition of SIEA, including auditing of financial statements, budgeting, and managing relationships with financial institutions, working with the Ministry of Mines and Energy, and other governmental entities to provide required information and ensure compliance with all laws; and supervising the training of the Deputy General Manager to resume the General Manager role at the end of the contract.

The individual consultant shall meet the following qualification and experience requirements:

1. Applicants must possess post-graduate qualifications in Electrical Engineering and Management.
2. Must be a member of a recognized professional society;
3. Must have at least 10 experience in electricity supply industry
4. Must have proven work experience in electricity utility reforms and similar working environment.
5. Experience with World Bank procurement procedures would be an advantage.

Applications shall include a statement addressing the selection criteria, a copy of the curriculum vitae and a list of 3 references. Applications must be received no later than close of business August 29, 2008. To obtain a copy of the detailed TOR please contact:

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