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Ministry of Agriculture and Environment
Department of Rural Development Poverty Reduction
Building Resilience and Reducing Rural Poverty Project

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Ref. No:...../DRDPR

Vientiane Capital, Date:..... 22 OCT 2026

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

INTERNATIONAL CLIMATE CHANGE SPECIALIST

(Procurement No. CS-22)

The Government of Lao PDR (GOL) is implementing the Building Resilience and Reducing Rural Poverty Project (BRRRP) from 2025 to 2030 with financing from the Asian Development Bank (ADB). The BRRRP of the Lao PDR to expand the government's targeted, nutrition-sensitive conditional cash transfer (CCT) program by enrolling at least 25,000 poor households in areas with high rates of poverty, malnutrition, and climate risks, and make social protection systems more adaptive and shock-responsive. The Project Management Unit (PMU) for the BRRRP is the Department of Rural Development Poverty Reduction (DRDPR) within the Ministry of Agriculture and Environment (MAE) in Vientiane Capital. The Consultant will support the Project Implementation Unit (PIU) team at MoF and work closely with National Gender Consultant and PIU at MoF and will regularly report progress to PIU, MoF and provide technical support at both national and district levels across BRRRP provinces, while working closely with project PMU team at DRD.

The BRRRP Project Procurement Committee now invites eligible individual consultants to indicate their interest in providing the services. Interested Consultant should provide information (CV, Expression of Interest, other supporting information, if any) demonstrating that s/he has the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the services. In order to qualify for this position, the candidates shall meet the following experience and competence requirements:

- At least a Bachelor's Degree in agrometeorology, climatology, agriculture and natural resources, rural development from a recognized institution in Lao PDR or the region.
- At least 10 years of working experiences in agriculture and rural development including climate change related studies/assignments.
- Good understanding of MEL related work in climate change projects
- Be able to identify climate change and disaster training need assessment and facilitate capacity development activities
- At least 8 years of specific work experiences in related climate change work with major donor funded projects (particularly with WB/ADB funded projects will be an advantage);
- A past similar assignment of same level and nature in a government or ODA projects is highly desirable
- Able to travel to provinces as required;
- Intermediate to advanced knowledge of English (spoken and written);
- Good computer literacy in Microsoft office (e.g., Word, Excel, PowerPoint), internet and email access.
- Proven experience in managing or supporting projects financed by the Asian Development Bank (ADB).
- Demonstrated work experience in Lao PDR or other countries within Southeast Asia.

How to apply (CSRN):

(i) Submit Expression of Interest
(ii) Attachments: ToR and updated CV/resume in ADB Format (Scan QR)

How to apply (local advertisement):

Interested applicants should submit a letter of interest and curriculum vitae, preferably in ADB format (https://www.adb.org/documents/documents-consulting-services-technical-assistance) not later than 10 **Nov 2026** addressed to PMU by email: pmu.brrrp@gmail.com with cc to: insonesaysombath@yahoo.com Only applications received at the above PMU email address before the deadline will be considered. For more information, please contact us at the email address mentioned above. **Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted.**

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