

Announcement – Call for Interest

As an international cooperation enterprise with worldwide operations, the German government owned Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) GmbH operates on behalf of German ministries, the governments of other countries and international clients to provide tailor-made, cost-efficient and effective services for sustainable development. We are looking for **an expert/consultant (Legal entity)** to provide consultancy service for **Development of National Roadmap and National Multi-Agency Policy Document for Inclusive Sustainable Rice Landscapes for Inclusive Sustainable Rice Landscapes in Thailand (ISRL) Project.**

Development of National Roadmap and National Multi-Agency Policy Document for Inclusive Sustainable Rice Landscapes

The Inclusive Sustainable Rice Landscapes in Thailand (ISRL) project seeks to transform rice and agricultural production landscapes in Thailand by reconciling competing social, economic, and environmental interests. The project will support the strengthening of inter-ministerial collaboration to foster national-level policies and agreements for the integrated management of rice production landscapes.

We are looking for a company/organization (with at least 1 lead expert or a team of experts) to:

- Develop consensus among national stakeholders on how to align rice sector interests and forest, land, biodiversity, water conservation & restoration.
- Prepare a national roadmap through an inclusive, participatory process to guide an integrated approach to sustainable landscape management and rice production.
- Conduct technical design meetings, stakeholder workshops and high-level engagement with decision-makers for endorsement on final national roadmap.
- Prepare national multi-agency policy document on integrated landscape management – leading to at least one new/modified program at provincial level that applies a landscape approach.
- Identify research questions for a research-to-policy program on valuation and scenario analysis for optimizing the landscape approach.

Qualifications:

The consultant will possess:

- 1) University qualification (German 'Diplom'/Master) in agriculture, natural resources management, public administration, public policy, or a field related to this assignment
- 2) Language fluency in Thai and English
- 3) 15 years of professional experience in steering national, regional, and/or international multi-stakeholder consultation and cooperation process toward collective decision-making and action
- 4) 15 years of professional experience in designing event process/methodology
- 5) 15 years of experience working with stakeholders in Thailand, including from government, private sectors, communities, local authorities, and development organizations
- 6) Prior experience working with a GIZ project or projects
- 7) Demonstrated experience working in agriculture and natural resources management

This will be an assignment-based contract, with a period of 7 months from 1 January 2025 to 31 July 2025 tentatively, with possibility to change period in case delay of tender process.

If you are interested, please confirm your interest via email to TH_Quotation@giz.de within 7 December 2024 end of day. Kindly put email **Subject: "Call for Interest (83476892)"** and attach your company profile and experts CV.

Tender bidding process will be carried out after the Call for Interest. Invitation for Bidding will be sent out by second week of December.

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