



Expression of interest for the position of Institutional Development Adviser to the Samoan Water Authority

The Government of Samoa is seeking to recruit an Institutional Development Adviser to strengthen the capacity of the Samoa Water Authority to sustain and improve the delivery of quality services to its customers. The consultant will be required to provide expert advice to enhance decision-making; strengthen the implementation of SWA's investment programme, and assist in the preparation of future activities. The results to be achieved are improved financial sustainability, strengthened governance, enhanced operational efficiency and increased quality of service delivery of the Samoan Water Authority.

The expert must be from a European Union or ACP (Africa, Caribbean, Pacific) member state, signatory to the Cotonou Agreement. The expert should have a masters degree in a relevant field and a minimum relevant professional experience of 10 years preferably including management of a water utility or similar. He/she should have excellent communication, training and capacity building skills with a track record in institutional strengthening and management. Provisional commencement date of the contract is January 2010 with a planned period of 20 months of which 16 working months. The expert will be based at the Samoan Water Authority in Apia, Samoa.

Please submit a CV and letter of motivation in English by post or email to the Managing Director SWA, Mr. Tainau Moefaauo Titimaea: moefaauo@swa.gov.ws mail: 2nd Floor, APM Building, Saleufi, P.O. Box 245, Apia, Samoa. Fax: (+685) 21298 with copy to Ms. Frances Reupena, Water Sector Coordinator: frances.reupena@mof.gov.ws. The deadline for submission of expression of interest is 15th August 2010.

On the basis of a shortlist drawn up after review of the expressions of interest received, selected candidates will then be invited to submit an offer for the contract.