As an international cooperation enterprise for sustainable development with worldwide operations, the federally owned Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) GmbH supports the German Government in achieving its development-policy objectives. It provides viable, forward looking solutions for political, economic, ecological and social development in a globalised world. GIZ promotes complex reforms and change processes. Its corporate objective is to improve people's living conditions on a sustainable basis.

Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) GmbH, is announcing as following:

Call for expressions of interest

The GIZ Project "Institutional development to modernise waste management in Kosovo" cofinanced by the European Union supports the implementation of the revised Kosovo Integrated Waste Management Strategy. The revised strategy includes a strong focus on providing all citizens with solid waste management services and establish environmentally sound disposal sites over the coming years. The objective of the project is contributing to enhancing the capacities of the relevant institutions to modernize Solid Waste Management in Kosovo through technical assistance measures. Supported by various donors most of the municipalities have installed basic governance processes, such as solid waste management units and solid waste management plans. This is considered a moderate progress towards the overall functionality of service provision during the recent years.

The GIZ project "Institutional development to modernise waste management in Kosovo "- cofinanced by the European Union invites qualified companies to submit an expression of interest in providing professional services to review and consolidate the existing municipal waste fee collection operator model, develop a detailed guideline on a fee collection operator model and propose an institutional embedment of the process in the central government which will serve as a one stop shop and support for the municipalities interested to take over the waste fee collection for their respective territory.

The checklist below provides further information about the conditions and expectations of the GIZ project. Based on responses to this call expression of interest, GIZ will pre-qualify companies that in turn will receive a Request for Information (RFI) to submit their offers with detailed specifications. Response to the RFI does not necessarily imply that the companies will receive the GIZ's "Request to develop and implement a strategic awareness raising campaign on Circular Economy". Based on the outcome of offers, GIZ will offer a framework contract to the selected company. Please note that all correspondence and dealing with the GIZ must be in English language.

REQUEST FOR INFORMATION

- Proof of company's legal status (registration and/or certification documentation, status), company details (name, postal address), date of incorporation within their initial response.
- 2) Companies should submit at least three (3) references from three (3) municipalities to whom they have provided similar products as required by the GIZ project above. Companies should note that referees may be contacted by GIZ project at any time.

Interested companies are invited to submit their electronic application in English language. The deadline for submitting the application is **24.08.2022** at **15:00**, via email at:

procurement.kosovo@giz.de, titled/labelled as "83416918 – Developing of a Full Cost Accounting Guideline"

Please note that:

- Questions from bidders / applicants regarding the content of the inquiry can be sent at procurement.kosovo@giz.de.
- Bids must be submitted in **pdf format**.
- The size of emails for quotation is limited to **30 MB**. In case the quotations exceed the maximum data size, quotation documents must be sent via <u>filetransfer.giz.de</u>.
- You should use the reference number **83416918**, otherwise we cannot consider your offer.

Only shortlisted companies will be notified for further application procedure