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 "Sustainable Municipal Services" co-financed 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. An important focus of the project is the continuation of the Capacity Development (CD) of institutions and individuals through training opportunities and the strengthening of technical expertise in the country. 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. Illegal dumps on the other hand, remain a challenging issue in all Kosovo municipalities. In the last three years, more than one thousand (1000) illegal dumps have been permanently removed, but more work is still to be done.

In the efforts to raise awareness and open up the discussion on the issue, the GIZ project "Sustainable Municipal Services" - co-financed by the European Union invites qualified film-making companies to submit an expression of interest in developing a professional medium-length documentary over the current states of illegal dumps across Kosovo, outlining the status, challenges and way forward. The documentary is expected to not only be shared in Kosovo, but in the region too.

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 a medium-length professional documentary on the current state of illegal dumps in Kosovo".

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

- 1) 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 five (5) references of similar products, specifically medium-length professional films/documentaries.
- 3) Companies should submit at least five (5) references in providing professional thematic video materials

4) Companies should submit at least three (3) names of internationally awarded films/documentaries that they've produced

Interested companies are invited to submit their electronic application in English language. The deadline for submitting the application is **07.09.2022** at **15:00**, via email at: <a href="mailto:procurement.kosovo@giz.de">procurement.kosovo@giz.de</a>, titled/labelled as "83417988 — Expression of Interest, development and production of a professional medium-length Documentary"

## Please note that:

- Questions from bidders / applicants regarding the content of the inquiry can be sent at <a href="mailto:procurement.kosovo@giz.de">procurement.kosovo@giz.de</a>.
- 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 **filetransfer.giz.de**.
- You should use the reference number 83417988, otherwise we cannot consider your offer.

Only shortlisted companies will be notified for further application procedures!