*SOCIALIST REPUBLIC OF VIETNAM*

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

Training Service

**Legal Services for Development and International Finance Project (LSDIF)**

Loan No./Credit No./ Grant No.: TF014047

**Assignment Title:** International service providing

**Reference No**. (as per Procurement Plan): LSDIF-CS-09

The Socialist Republic of Vietnam has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the Legal Services for Development and International Finance Project and intends to apply part of the proceeds for training services of an international Organization (the “Organization”).

The training services (“the Services”) include (i) Development of Training Curriculum and Manuals; (ii) Training for trainees; (iii) Training for trainers; and (iv) Additional advice regarding training service and human capacity building. The Organization is also required to hire Vietnamese expert(s) for assistance in drafting Development of Training Curriculum and Manuals. The overall objective of the training is to strengthen the capacity of the legal officers of Ministry of Justice of Vietnam in the area of (i) development finance such as commercial loans, guarantee operations, bonds, public private partnership, official development assistance financing including drafting and negotiating related legal agreements; (ii) International Legal Research, International Treaty Law, International Investment Law; Negotiating international treaties; (iii) and other related topics such as governance and anti-corruption and environmental and social safeguards measures.

The Ministry of Justice of Vietnam now invites eligible organizations to indicate their interest in providing the Services. The Organization should provide information demonstrating that they have the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the Services by submitting their detailed information (brochures, past performance record, references of similar assignments executed in the recent past). They must also provide description of work experience on both general and similar assignments. Specific experience on World Bank funded projects will be an added advantage.

The attention of interested organizations is drawn to paragraph 1.9 of the World Bank’s *Guidelines: Selection and Employment of Consultants [under IDA Credits & Grants] by World Bank Borrowers* (January 2011 and revised July 2014) (“Consultant Guidelines”), setting forth the World Bank’s policy on conflict of interest.

An organization will be selected in accordance with the procedures set out in the World Bank’s Guidelines: Selection and Employment of Consultants, (January 2011 and revised July 2014).

Further information can be obtained at the address below during office from 08:00 hours and 17:00 hours on week days – Monday to Friday.

Expressions of interest must be delivered to the address below (in person, or by mail, or by e-mail) by October 5th, 2015.

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