

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS (RFP)

CONSULTANCY

FOR

AN EMPLOYEE SATISFACTION AND WORK ENVIRONMENT SURVEY

TENDER No. RFP/PPB/009/2015-2016

CLOSING DATE: 18TH MARCH 2016

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INTRODUCTION

1. This Request for Proposals (RFP) has been prepared for Pharmacy and Poisons Board for procurement of consultancy services to carry out an Employee satisfaction and work environment survey as outlined in the Terms of Reference.
2. The Standard form of Contract for Large Assignments and small assignments for lump sum or time based payments shall be sent to the successful consultant based on the Financial Proposals submitted by the consultants.
3. This RFP consists of the followings six sections:

SECTION I:	Letter of Invitation
SECTION II:	Information to consultants
SECTION III:	Technical Proposal
SECTION IV:	Financial Proposal
SECTION V	Terms of Reference
SECTION VI	Appendices

Consultants are advised to read through these sections carefully, especially the Terms of Reference, to enable them to prepare acceptable RFPs.

4. This RFP document is being sent to consultancy firms that are eligible to provide the Consultancy required.

SECTION I - LETTER OF INVITATION

TO: (Name and Address of Consultants)

Date _____

Dear Sir/Madam,

RE: CONSULTANCY FOR EMPLOYEE SATISFACTION AND WORK ENVIRONMENT SURVEY FOR 2015-2016 FINANCIAL YEAR

The pharmacy and Poisons Board (PPB) invites proposals for provision of consultancy services to carry out the employee satisfaction and work environment survey as outlined in the Terms of Reference.

The request for proposals (RFP) includes the following documents:

SECTION I:	Letter of Invitation
SECTION II:	Information to consultants
SECTION III:	Technical Proposal
SECTION IV:	Financial Proposal
SECTION V	Terms of Reference
SECTION VI	Appendices

Upon receipt, please inform us

- (a) that you have received the letter of invitation
- (b) whether or not you will submit a proposal for the assignment

Yours sincerely

DR. KIPKERICH C. KOSKEI, OGW

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SECTION II: - INFORMATION TO CONSULTANTS (ITC)

2.1 Introduction

- 2.1.1 Pharmacy and Poisons Board hereafter named the Client or PPB, will select a firm among those invited to submit a proposal, in accordance with the method of selection detailed in the appendix.
- 2.1.2 The consultants are invited to submit a Technical Proposal and a Financial Proposal for consulting services specified in the TORs. The proposal will be the basis for Contract negotiations and ultimately for a signed Contract with the selected firm.
- 2.1.3 The consultants must familiarize themselves with local conditions and take them into account in preparing their proposals. To obtain first hand information on the assignment and on the local conditions, consultants are encouraged to liaise with the Client regarding any information that they may require before submitting a proposal.
- 2.1.4 PPB will provide the inputs necessary for the consultant to carry out the services specified in this document.
- 2.1.5 Please note that the costs of preparing the proposal and of negotiating the Contract, including any visit to the PPB are not reimbursable as a direct cost of the assignment; and PPB is not bound to accept any of the proposals submitted.
- 2.1.6 The PPB's employees, committee members, board members and their relative (spouse and children) are not eligible to participate.
- 2.1.7 The price to be charged for the tender document is as specified in the advertisement of this RFP and shall not exceed Kshs.1,000/=.

2.2 Clarification and Amendment of RFP Documents

- 2.2.1 Consultants may request a clarification of any of the RFP documents only up to seven [7] days before the proposal submission date. Any request for clarification must be sent in writing by paper mail, cable, telex, facsimile or electronic mail to the Client's address indicated in the Appendix "ITC". The Client will respond by cable, telex, facsimile or electronic mail to such requests and will send written copies of the response (including an explanation of the query but without identifying the source of inquiry) to all invited consultants who intend to submit proposals.

2.2.2 At any time before the submission of proposals, the Client may for any reason, whether at his own initiative or in response to a clarification requested by an invited firm, amend the RFP. Any amendment shall be issued in writing through addenda. Addenda shall be sent by mail, cable, telex or facsimile to all invited consultants and will be binding on them. The Client may at his discretion extend the deadline for the submission of proposals.

2.3 Preparation of Technical Proposal

2.3.1 The Consultants proposal shall be written in English language.

2.3.2 In preparing the Technical Proposal, consultants are expected to examine the documents constituting this RFP in detail. Material deficiencies in providing the information requested may result in rejection of a proposal.

2.3.3 While preparing the Technical Proposal, consultants must give particular attention to the following:

- (i) If a firm considers that it does not have all the expertise for the assignment, it may obtain a full range of expertise by associating with individual consultant(s) and/or other firms or entities in a joint venture or sub-consultancy as appropriate. Consultants shall not associate with the other consultants invited for this assignment. Any firms associating in contravention of this requirement shall automatically be disqualified.
- (ii) For assignments on a staff-time basis, the estimated number of professional staff-time is given in the Appendix. The proposal shall however be based on the number of professional staff-time estimated by the firm.
- (iii) It is desirable that the majority of the key professional staff proposed be permanent employees of the firm or have an extended and stable working relationship with it.
- (iv) Proposed professional staff must as a minimum, possess a masters' degree in social sciences and be familiar with perception survey methodologies.

2.3.4 The Technical Proposal shall provide the following information using the attached Standard Forms;

- (i) A brief description of the firm's organization and an outline of experience in dealing with the public sector. For each assignment the outline should indicate *inter alia*, the profiles of the staff proposed, duration of the assignment, contract amount and firm's involvement.

- (ii) Any comments or suggestions on the Terms of Reference, a list of services and facilities to be provided by the Client.
- (iii) A description of the methodology and work plan for performing the assignment.
- (iv) The list of the proposed staff team by specialty, the tasks that would be assigned to each staff team member and their timing.
- (v) CVs recently signed by the proposed professional staff and the authorized representative submitting the proposal as indicated in the Appendix.
- (vi) Estimates of the total staff input (professional and support staff staff-time) needed to carry out the assignment supported by bar chart diagrams showing the time proposed for each professional staff team member.
- (vii) A detailed description of the proposed methodology, staffing and monitoring of the consultancy.
- (viii) Any additional information requested in Appendix "A".

2.3.5 The Technical Proposal shall not include any financial information.

2.4 Preparation of Financial Proposal

2.4.1 In preparing the Financial Proposal, consultants are expected to take into account the requirements and conditions outlined in the RFP documents. The Financial Proposal should follow Standard Forms (Section D). It lists all costs associated with the assignment including; (a) remuneration for consultants (in the field and at headquarters), and; (b) reimbursable expenses such as subsistence (per diem, housing), transportation (international and local, for mobilization and demobilization), services and equipment (vehicles, office equipment, furniture, and supplies), insurance, printing of documents, surveys, and training, if it is a major component of the assignment. If appropriate these costs should be broken down by activity.

2.4.2 The Financial Proposal should clearly identify as a separate amount, the local taxes, duties, fees, levies and other charges imposed under the law on the consultants, the sub-consultants and their personnel, unless Appendix "A" specifies otherwise.

2.4.3 Consultants shall express the price of their services in Kenya Shillings.

2.4.4 Commissions and gratuities, if any, paid or to be paid by consultants and related to the assignment will be listed in the Financial Proposal submission Form.

2.4.5 The Proposal must remain valid for 60 days after the submission date. During this period, the consultant is expected to keep available, at his own cost, the professional staff proposed for the assignment. The Client will make his best effort to complete negotiations within this period. If the Client wishes to extend the validity period of the proposals, the consultants shall agree to the extension.

2.5 **Submission, Receipt, and Opening of Proposals**

2.5.1 The original proposal (Technical Proposal and, if required, Financial Proposal; see paragraph 2.4) shall be prepared in indelible ink. It shall contain no interlineation or overwriting, except as necessary to correct errors made by the firm itself. Any such corrections must be initialed by the persons or person authorised to sign the proposals.

2.5.2 For each proposal, the consultants shall prepare the number of copies indicated in Appendix "A". Each Technical Proposal and Financial Proposal shall be marked "**ORIGINAL**" or "**COPY**" as appropriate. If there are any discrepancies between the original and the copies of the proposal, the original shall govern.

2.5.3 The original and all copies of the Technical Proposal shall be placed in a sealed envelope clearly marked "**TECHNICAL PROPOSAL,**" and the original and all copies of the Financial Proposal in a sealed envelope clearly marked "**FINANCIAL PROPOSAL**" and warning: "**DO NOT OPEN WITH THE TECHNICAL PROPOSAL**". Both envelopes shall be placed into an outer envelope and sealed. This outer envelope shall bear the submission address and other information indicated in the Appendix "ITC" and be clearly marked, "**DO NOT OPEN, EXCEPT IN PRESENCE OF THE OPENING COMMITTEE.**"

2.5.4 The completed Technical and Financial Proposals must be delivered at the submission address on or before the time and date stated in the Appendix "ITC". Any proposal received after the closing time for submission of proposals shall be returned to the respective consultant unopened.

2.5.5 After the deadline for submission of proposals, the Technical Proposal shall be opened immediately by the opening committee. The Financial Proposal shall remain sealed and deposited with a responsible officer of the client department up to the time for public opening of financial proposals.

2.5.6 The outer envelope shall bear the **PPB/ RfP / 009/2015-16**; and without identifying the sender and must be addressed to:

**THE REGISTRAR
PHARMACY AND POSIONS BOARD
P.O. Box 27663-00506
NAIROBI, Kenya**

And be deposited in the Tender Box provided at the Administration Block so as to be received on or before 18TH MARCH 2016.....**10:00 am.**

2.6 Proposal Evaluation General

2.6.1 From the time the bids are opened to the time the Contract is awarded, if any consultant wishes to contact the Client on any matter related to his proposal, he should do so in writing at the address indicated in the Appendix "ITC". Any effort by the firm to influence the Client in the proposal evaluation, proposal comparison or Contract award decisions may result in the rejection of the consultant's proposal.

2.6.2 Evaluators of Technical Proposals shall have no access to the Financial Proposals until the technical evaluation is concluded.

2.7 Evaluation of Technical Proposal

2.7.1 The evaluation committee appointed by the Client shall evaluate the proposals on the basis of their responsiveness to the Terms of Reference, applying the evaluation criteria as follows

	Points
(i) Specific experience of the consultant related to the assignment	(5-8)
(ii) Adequacy of the proposed work plan and methodology in responding to the terms of reference	(20-42)
(iii) Qualifications and competence of the key staff for the assignment	(30-45)
(iv) Suitability to the transfer of Technology Programme (Training)	(0-5)
Total Points	<u>100</u>

Each responsive proposal will be given a technical score (St). A proposal shall be rejected at this stage if it does not respond to important aspects of the Terms of Reference or if it fails to achieve the minimum technical score indicated in the Appendix "ITC".

2.8 Public Opening and Evaluation of Financial Proposal

2.8.1 After Technical Proposal evaluation, the Client shall notify those consultants whose proposals did not meet the minimum qualifying mark or were considered non-responsive to the RFP and Terms of Reference, indicating that their Financial Proposals will be returned after completing the selection process. The PPB shall simultaneously notify the consultants who have secured the minimum qualifying mark, indicating the date and time set for opening the Financial Proposals and stating that the opening ceremony is open to those consultants who choose to attend. The opening date shall not be sooner than

seven (7) days after the notification date. The notification may be sent by registered letter, cable, telex, facsimile or electronic mail.

- 2.8.2 The Financial Proposals shall be opened publicly in the presence of the consultants' representatives who choose to attend. The name of the consultant, the Technical Scores and the proposed prices shall be read aloud and recorded when the Financial Proposals are opened. The Client shall prepare minutes of the opening.
- 2.8.3 The evaluation committee will determine whether the financial proposals are complete (i.e. Whether the consultant has costed all the items of the corresponding Technical Proposal and correct any computational errors. The cost of any unpriced items shall be assumed to be included in other costs in the proposal. In all cases, the total price of the Financial Proposal as submitted shall prevail.
- 2.8.4 While comparing proposal prices between local and foreign firms participating in a selection process in financial evaluation of Proposals, firms incorporated in Kenya where indigenous Kenyans own 51% or more of the share capital shall be allowed a 10% preferential bias in proposal prices. However, there shall be no such preference in the technical evaluation of the tenders. Proof of local incorporation and citizenship shall be required before the provisions of this sub-clause are applied. Details of such proof shall be attached by the Consultant in the financial proposal.
- 2.8.5 The formulae for determining the Financial Score (Sf) shall, unless an alternative formulae is indicated in the Appendix "ITC", be as follows:-
$$Sf = 100 \times \frac{F_M}{F}$$
 where Sf is the financial score; Fm is the lowest priced financial proposal and F is the price of the proposal under consideration. Proposals will be ranked according to their combined technical (St) and financial (Sf) scores using the weights (T=the weight given to the Technical Proposal; P = the weight given to the Financial Proposal; $T + p = 1$) indicated in the Appendix. The combined technical and financial score, S, is calculated as follows:- $S = St \times T\% + Sf \times P\%$. The firm achieving the highest combined technical and financial score will be invited for negotiations.
- 2.8.6 The tender evaluation committee shall evaluate the tender within 30 days of from the date of opening the tender.
- 2.8.7 Contract price variations shall not be allowed for contracts not exceeding one year (12 months).
- 2.8.8 Where contract price variation is allowed, the variation shall not exceed 10% of the original contract price
- 2.8.9 Price variation requests shall be processed by the PPB within 30 days of receiving the request.

2.9 Negotiations

- 2.9.1 Negotiations will be held at the same address as “address to send information to the Client” indicated in the Appendix “ITC”. The aim is to reach agreement on all points and sign a contract.
- 2.9.2 Negotiations will include a discussion of the Technical Proposal, the proposed methodology (work plan), staffing and any suggestions made by the firm to improve the Terms of Reference. The Client and firm will then work out final Terms of Reference, staffing and bar charts indicating activities, staff periods in the field and in the head office, staff-months, logistics and reporting. The agreed work plan and final Terms of Reference will then be incorporated in the “Description of Services” and form part of the Contract. Special attention will be paid to getting the most the firm can offer within the available budget and to clearly defining the inputs required from the Client to ensure satisfactory implementation of the assignment.
- 2.9.3 Unless there are exceptional reasons, the financial negotiations will not involve the remuneration rates for staff (no breakdown of fees).
- 2.9.4 Having selected the firm on the basis of, among other things, an evaluation of proposed key professional staff, the Client expects to negotiate a contract on the basis of the experts named in the proposal. Before contract negotiations, the Client will require assurances that the experts will be actually available. The Client will not consider substitutions during contract negotiations unless both parties agree that undue delay in the selection process makes such substitution unavoidable or that such changes are critical to meet the objectives of the assignment. If this is not the case and if it is established that key staff were offered in the proposal without confirming their availability, the firm may be disqualified.
- 2.9.5 The negotiations will conclude with a review of the draft form of the Contract. To complete negotiations the Client and the selected firm will initial the agreed Contract. If negotiations fail, the Client will invite the firm whose proposal received the second highest score to negotiate a contract.
- 2.9.6 The PPB shall appoint a team for the purpose of the negotiations.

2.10 Award of Contract

- 2.10.1 The Contract will be awarded following negotiations. After negotiations are completed, the Client will promptly notify other consultants on the shortlist that they were unsuccessful and return the Financial Proposals of those consultants who did not pass the technical evaluation.
- 2.10.2 The selected firm is expected to commence the assignment on the date and at the location specified in Appendix “A”.

- 2.10.3 The parties to the contract shall have it signed within 30 days from the date of notification of contract award unless there is an administrative review request.
- 2.10.4 The PPB may at any time terminate procurement proceedings before contract award and shall not be liable to any person for the termination.
- 2.10.5 The PPB shall give prompt notice of the termination to the tenderers and on request give its reasons for termination within 14 days of receiving the request from any tenderer.
- 2.10.6 To qualify for contract awards, the tenderer shall have the following:
- (a) Necessary qualifications, capability experience, services, equipment and facilities to provide what is being procured.
 - (b) Legal capacity to enter into a contract for procurement
 - (c) Shall not be insolvent, in receivership, bankrupt or in the process of being wound up and is not the subject of legal proceedings relating to the foregoing.
 - (d) Shall not be debarred from participating in public procurement.

2.11 Confidentiality

- 2.11.1 Information relating to evaluation of proposals and recommendations concerning awards shall not be disclosed to the consultants who submitted the proposals or to other persons not officially concerned with the process, until the winning firm has been notified that it has been awarded the Contract.

2.12 Corrupt or fraudulent practices

- 2.12.1 The PPB requires that the consultants observe the highest standards of ethics during the selection and award of the consultancy contract and also during the performance of the assignment. The tenderer shall sign a declaration that he has not and will not be involved in corrupt or fraudulent practices.
- 2.12.2 The PPB will reject a proposal for award if it determines that the consultant recommended for award has engaged in corrupt or fraudulent practices in competing for the contract in question.
- 2.12.3 Further a consultant who is found to have indulged in corrupt or fraudulent practices risks being debarred from participating in public procurement in Kenya.

Appendix ITC

Appendix to information to consultants

Note on the Appendix to Information to Consultants

1. The Appendix to information to consultant is intended to assist the PPB in providing specific information in relation to corresponding claims in the information to consultants included in Section II and the appendix has to be prepared for each specific consultancy.
2. The PPB should specify in the appendix information and requirements specific to the circumstances of the PPB, the assignment of the consultancy and the proposals evaluation criteria that will apply to the RFP Consultancy.
3. In preparing the appendix the following aspects should be taken into consideration.
 - (a) The information that specifies or complements provisions of Section II to be incorporated.
 - (b) Amendments of Section II as necessitated by the circumstances of the specific consultancy to be also incorporated
 - (c) Section II should remain unchanged and any changes or amendments should be introduced through the appendix.

Appendix to Information to Consultants

The following information for procurement of consultancy services and selection of consultants shall complement or amend the provisions of the information to consultants, wherever there is a conflict between the provisions of the information to consultants and the provisions of the appendix, the provisions of the appendix herein shall prevail over those of the information to consultants.

Clause Reference

2.1 The name of the Client is: Pharmacy and Poison’s Board (PPB)

2.1.1 The method of selection is: RFP

2.1.2 Technical and Financial Proposals are requested: Yes No

The name, objectives, and description of the assignment are:

Please see the TOR

A pre-proposal conference will be held: Yes No [if Yes, indicate date, time and venue] N/A

2.1.3 The name(s), address(es) and telephone numbers of the Client’s official(s) are:

2.1.4 The Client will provide the following inputs:

2.1.5 (ii) The estimated number of professional staff months required for the assignment is; _____

(iv) The minimum required experience of proposed professional staff is: [Insert Title, number of years of professional experience, specific expertise]

2.1.6 (vii) Training is a specific component of this assignment: Yes No

[If yes, provide appropriate information]

See TOR

(viii) Additional information in the Technical Proposal includes:

2.1.7 Taxes: [Specify *firm's liability: nature, sources of information*]:

2.5.2 Consultants must submit an original and ___**1**___ [Insert number] additional copy of each proposal.

2.5.3 The proposal submission address is:

2.5.4 Information on the outer envelope should also include:

2.5.5 Proposals must be submitted no later than the following date and time:

2.6.1 The address to send information to the Client is:_____

2.6.3 The minimum technical score required to pass[Insert number of points]:

2.7.1 Alternative formulae for determining the financial scores is the following:

_____ **N/A** _____

The weights given to the Technical and Financial Proposals are:

T= ___**0.90**___ (0.80 to 0.90)

P= ___**0.10**___ (0.10 to 0.20)

2.9.2 The assignment is expected to commence on _____ [Insert date] at [Insert location]

(Amend as necessary)

SECTION III: - TECHNICAL PROPOSAL

Notes on the preparation of the Technical Proposals

- 3.1 In preparing the technical proposals the consultant is expected to examine all terms and information included in the RFP. Failure to provide all requested information shall be at the consultants own risk and may result in rejection of the consultant's proposal.
- 3.2 The technical proposal shall provide all required information and any necessary additional information and shall be prepared using the standard forms provided in this Section.
- 3.3 The Technical proposal shall not include any financial information unless it is allowed in the Appendix to information to the consultants or the Special Conditions of contract.

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1. TECHNICAL PROPOSAL SUBMISSION FORM

[_____ Date]

To: _____ [Name and address of Client]

Ladies/Gentlemen:

We, the undersigned, offer to provide the consulting services for _____
_____ [Title of consulting services] in accordance with your
Request for Proposal dated _____ [Date] and our Proposal. We are
hereby submitting our Proposal, which includes this Technical Proposal, [and a
Financial Proposal sealed under a separate envelope-where applicable].

We understand you are not bound to accept any Proposal that you receive.

We remain,

Yours sincerely,

_____ [Authorized Signature]:

_____ [Name and Title of Signatory]

:

_____ [Name of Firm]

:

_____ [Address:]

2. FIRM'S REFERENCES

Relevant Services Carried Out in the Last Five Years That Best Illustrate Qualifications

Using the format below, provide information on each assignment for which your firm either individually, as a corporate entity or in association, was legally contracted.

Assignment Name:	Country
Location within Country:	Professional Staff provided by Your Firm/Entity(profiles):
Name of Client:	Clients contact person for the assignment.
Address:	No of Staff-Months; Duration of Assignment:
Start Date (Month/Year):	Completion Date (Month/Year):
Approx. Value of Services (Kshs)	
Name of Associated Consultants. If any:	No of Months of Professional Staff provided by Associated Consultants:
Name of Senior Staff (Project Director/Coordinator, Team Leader) Involved and Functions Performed:	
Narrative Description of project:	
Description of Actual Services Provided by Your Staff:	

Firm's Name: _____

Name and title of signatory; _____

3. COMMENTS AND SUGGESTIONS OF CONSULTANTS ON THE TERMS OF REFERENCE AND ON DATA, SERVICES AND FACILITIES TO BE PROVIDED BY THE CLIENT.

On the Terms of Reference:

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.
- 5.

On the data, services and facilities to be provided by the Client:

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.
- 5.

14. DESCRIPTION OF THE METHODOLOGY AND WORK PLAN FOR PERFORMING THE ASSIGNMENT

5. TEAM COMPOSITION AND TASK ASSIGNMENTS

1. Technical/Managerial Staff

Name	Position	Task

2. Support Staff

Name	Position	Task

6. FORMAT OF CURRICULUM VITAE (CV) FOR PROPOSED PROFESSIONAL STAFF

Proposed Position: _____

Name of Firm: _____

Name of Staff: _____

Profession: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Years with Firm: _____ Nationality: _____

Membership in Professional Societies: _____

Detailed Tasks Assigned: _____

Key Qualifications:

[Give an outline of staff member's experience and training most pertinent to tasks on assignment. Describe degree of responsibility held by staff member on relevant previous assignments and give dates and locations].

Education:

[Summarize college/university and other specialized education of staff member, giving names of schools, dates attended and degree[s] obtained.]

Employment Record:

[Starting with present position, list in reverse order every employment held. List all positions held by staff member since graduation, giving dates, names of employing organizations, titles of positions held, and locations of assignments.]

Certification:

I, the undersigned, certify that these data correctly describe me, my qualifications, and my experience.

_____ Date: _____
[Signature of staff member]

_____ Date: _____
[Signature of authorised representative of the firm]

Full name of staff member: _____

Full name of authorized representative: _____

7. TIME SCHEDULE FOR PROFESSIONAL PERSONNEL

Name	Position	Reports Due/ Activities	Months (in the Form of a Bar Chart)												Number of months
			1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	

Reports Due: _____

Activities Duration: _____

Signature: _____
(Authorized representative)

Full Name: _____

Title: _____

Address: _____

8. ACTIVITY (WORK) SCHEDULE

(a). Field Investigation and Study Items

[1st, 2nd, etc, are months from the start of assignment)

	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	6 th	7 th	8 th	9 th	10 th	11 th	12 th
Activity (Work)												

(b). Completion and Submission of Reports

Reports	Date
1. Inception Report	
4. Interim Progress Report (a) First Status Report (b) Second Status Report	
3. Draft Report	
4. Final Report	

SECTION IV: - FINANCIAL PROPOSAL

Notes on preparation of Financial Proposal

- 4.1 The Financial proposal prepared by the consultant should list the costs associated with the assignment. These costs normally cover remuneration for staff, subsistence, transportation, services and equipment, printing of documents, surveys etc as may be applicable. The costs should be broken down to be clearly understood by the PPB.
- 4.2 The financial proposal shall be in Kenya Shillings or any other currency allowed in the request for proposal and shall take into account the tax liability and cost of insurances specified in the request for proposal.
- 4.3 The financial proposal should be prepared using the Standard forms provided in this part

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1. FINANCIAL PROPOSAL SUBMISSION FORM

_____ [Date]

To: _____

[Name and address of Client]

Ladies/Gentlemen:

We, the undersigned, offer to provide the consulting services for (_____) *[Title of consulting services]* in accordance with your Request for Proposal dated (_____) *[Date]* and our Proposal. Our attached Financial Proposal is for the sum of (_____) *[Amount in words and figures]* inclusive of the taxes.

We remain,

Yours sincerely,

_____ *[Authorized Signature]*
:
_____ *[Name and Title of Signatory]:*
_____ *[Name of Firm]*
_____ *[Address]*

2. SUMMARY OF COSTS

Costs	Currency(ies)	Amount(s)
Subtotal		
Taxes		
Total Amount of Financial Proposal		_____

3. BREAKDOWN OF PRICE PER ACTIVITY

Activity NO.: _____	Description: _____
Price Component	Amount(s)
Remuneration	
Reimbursables	
Miscellaneous Expenses	
Subtotal	_____

4. BREAKDOWN OF REMUNERATION PER ACTIVITY

(MAN DAYS)

Activity No. _____		Name: _____		
Names	Position	Input(Staff months, days or hours as appropriate.)	Remuneration Rate	Amount
Consultants				
Grand Total				_____

5. REIMBURSABLES PER ACTIVITY

Activity No: _____ Name: _____

No.	Description	Unit	Quantity	Unit Price	Total Amount
1.	Air travel	Trip			
2.	Road travel	Kms			
3.	Rail travel	Kms			
4.	Subsistence Allowance	Day			_____
	Grand Total				

6. MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES

Activity No. _____ Activity Name: _____

No.	Description	Unit	Quantity	Unit Price	Total Amount
1.	Communication costs____ _____ (telephone, telegram, telex)				
2.	Drafting, reproduction of reports				
3.	Equipment: computers etc.				
4.	Software				
	Grand Total				_____

SECTION V: - TERMS OF REFERENCE (TOR)

5.1 Background

The Pharmacy and Poisons Board (PPB) is the Drug Regulatory Authority established under the Pharmacy and Poisons Act, Chapter 244 of the Laws of Kenya. The Board regulates the Practice of Pharmacy and the Manufacture and Trade in drugs and poisons.

The Board aims to implement the appropriate regulatory measures to achieve the highest standards of safety, efficacy and quality for all drugs, chemical substances and medical devices, locally manufactured, imported, exported, distributed, sold, or used, to ensure the protection of the consumer as envisaged by the laws regulating drugs in force in Kenya.

The PPB services cover the following areas:

(a) Product Registration

- Medical Information
- Evaluation and Registration of Human Medicines
- Evaluation and Registration of Veterinary drugs
- Complementary medicines
- Medical devices
- Pharmacovigilance
- Clinical trials
- Food Supplements
- Variation Guidelines

(b) Pharmacy Practices

- Licensing
- Registration and Enrolment

(c) Manufacturing Services

- Trade Affairs

(d) Inspectorate

- Good Distribution Practice

The Government of Kenya through the Performance Contracting Guidelines requires all MDAs to carry out Surveys for Employee Satisfaction and Work Environment and to implement the recommendations in the survey report in the subsequent years.

Consequently, PPB is seeking the services of a consultant to carry out an Employee Satisfaction and Work Environment to determine the Employee Satisfaction index and Work environment index for 2015-2016 financial year.

5.2 Objectives of the assignment,

The objective of this assignment is to determine the Employee Satisfaction index and Work Environment Index for 2015-2016 financial year.

5.3 Scope of the Services,

Pursuant to the statement of objectives in clause 5.2 above the following is an outline of the Scope of Services that shall be delivered by the consultant:

5.3.1 Establish the Sampling Frame

The consultant will be expected to determine, with the assistance of PPB, the sampling frame for the Survey. From the Sampling Frame, the consultant shall determine the sampling methodology that will ensure scientific validity of the survey.

5.3.2 Design the Survey Tool and Methodology

The consultant should design the survey tool and pretest it prior to the actual survey. The tool should ensure validity of the instrument in determining satisfaction of PPB employees and work environment index.

5.4 Reports and Time Schedule,

The consultant shall state the kind of reports that will be produced as part of the consultancy project but at minimum includes; Inception Report, Report Containing research conclusion, and the Employee Satisfaction Index and Work Environment Index. The final report shall contain the recommendations to improve the satisfaction of PPB employees (Employee Satisfaction Survey and Work environment survey recommendations).

5.5 Data Services, Personnel and Facilities to be provided by the Client

The consultant shall state in the RFP submission document the data services, personnel and facilities to be provided by PPB necessary for successful consultancy.

- To develop tools for use in the process of conducting the work environment survey. The developed tool will be shared and validated by the client to ensure it captures the required issues

- To consult with various stakeholders in order to gather the necessary input during the survey period
- To develop an implementation plan for the survey
- To prepare a draft survey report and present it to the Board for input, comments and validation.
- To prepare a final survey report and present it to the Board and other stakeholders
- To deliver to the client (Board) the printed final copy of the survey report and also in soft copy

- **Expected deliverables**
 - A draft work environment survey report with an implementation plan.
 - A final report with an implementation plan.
 - Five (5) hard copies and soft copy of the final report.

5.6 Terms of Payment.

The terms of payment are as outlined under the section on the financial proposal.

SECTION VI Appendices

APPENDIX A – DESCRIPTION OF THE SERVICES

Give detailed descriptions of the Services to be provided, dates for completion of various tasks, place of performance for different tasks, specific tasks to be approved by Client, etc.

APPENDIX B – REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

List format, frequency, and contents of reports; persons to receive them; dates of submission; etc. If no reports are to be submitted, state here “Not applicable.” Consultants are requested to read the TOR carefully.

APPENDIX C– KEY PERSONNEL AND SUB-CONSULTANTS

List under: C-1 Titles [and names, if already available], detailed job descriptions and minimum qualifications of Personnel and staff-months for each.

C-2 List of approved Sub consultants (if already available); same information with respect to their Personnel as in C-1.

APPENDIX D – BREAKDOWN OF CONTRACT PRICE IN LOCAL CURRENCY

List here the elements of cost used to arrive at the breakdown of the lump-sum price – local currency portion.

- 1. Monthly rates for Personnel (Key Personnel and other Personnel).*
- 2. Reimbursable expenditures.*

This appendix will exclusively be used for determining remuneration for additional services.

APPENDIX E – SERVICES AND FACILITIES PROVIDED BY THE CLIENT

- 1. Database of PPB employees;*
- 2. List of PPB Regional Offices*
- 3. Conference Facilities for report presentation.*