#### EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

#### BULGARIA

Technical Assistance to Strengthen the Institutional Capacity of the Ministry of Education and Science (MES) for the Absorption of EU Structural Funds CONSULTING SERVICES

IDF Grant No. TF056222

The World Bank currently supports the MES through an IDF Grant TF056222 with the purpose of providing technical assistance for building and increasing the administrative capacity in the field of programme development, management and absorption of EU structural funds and intends to apply part of the grant proceeds to make payments under contracts for the services listed below.

The services include:

# **Project Overview:**

The Project will include delivering of French/German training courses for beginners and preintermediate level.

The main goal of the Project is to strengthen the administrative capacity of the Structural Funds and International Educational Programmes (SFIEP) Directorate of the MES to undertake its tasks as an IB and to improve the French and German language skills of the employee in order to facilitate the implementation of the action listed in job descriptions.

### **Consultant/Teacher Required:**

# Individual consultant is required.

# **Expert profile**

- Advanced university degree in French/German Philology
- At least 5 years of experience in working with Training Courses in French/German Language.
- Able to compose and deliver tailor-made training
- Able to compose, arrange and deliver a course in French/German for Specific Purposes.
- Prior knowledge of work within government and/or non-government organizations will be an asset
- Acquainted with life-long learning
- Having profound teaching experience

A Consultant will be selected in accordance with the Selection based on consultant's qualifications method based on the qualifications demonstrated in the expressions of interests the Technical proposal and the budget. For additional information about the selection procedure, please refer to World Bank's Guidelines: Selection and Employment of Consultants by World Bank Borrowers May 2004, revised October 2006.

Expressions of interest, Technical and Financial proposals must be delivered to the address below by the end of business hours on November 14, 2008:

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