

## REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

### **Russian Federation**

### **Regional Fiscal Technical Assistance Project**

### **CONSULTING SERVICES**

### **Loan No. 4528 RU**

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### **RFTAP/SBCQ/3.28 «Elaboration of recommendations on development of interbudgetary relations in the Russian Federation ion the long term period »**

The Russian Federation has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the Regional Fiscal Technical Assistance Project, and intends to apply part of the proceeds for consultant services under the contract RFTAP/SBCQ/3.28 «Elaboration of recommendations on development of interbudgetary relations in the Russian Federation ion the long term period ».

The services include:

- 1) analysis of economic preconditions of fiscal decentralization among the layers of the government;
- 2) analysis of development tendencies of institution of fiscal federalism;
- 3) analysis of nowadays problems of interbudgetary relations development in federal states;
- 4) development of comprehensive system of goals, priorities and practical recommendations to enhance Russian fiscal federalism system in the long term period.

The services are to be implemented from October 2009 to December 2009.

The Non-commercial Foundation for Enterprise Restructuring and Financial Institutions Development hereby invites eligible consultants to indicate their interest in providing the services. Interested consultants must provide information indicating that they are qualified to perform the services (brochures, description of similar assignments, experience in similar conditions, availability of appropriate skills among staff, etc.). Consultants may associate to enhance their qualifications.

A consultant will be selected in accordance with the procedures set out in the World Bank's [\*Guidelines: Selection and Employment of Consultants by World Bank Borrowers\*](#) dated January 1997 and amended in September 1997 and in January 1999.

Interested consultants may obtain further information at the address below during office hours from 10:00am to 6:00pm Moscow time Monday through Friday.

Expressions of interest must be delivered to the address below by August 28, 2009.

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