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EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

Specialist Consultancy Services

Conservation Tips

IN THE KITCHEN

- A dripping faucet can waste up to 7,600 litres (2,000 gallons) of water per year.
- Wipe away gravy, grease and food scraps from plates and bowls before washing.
- If you wash dishes by hand, don't leave the water running for rinsing. If you have two sinks, fill one with soapy water and one with rinse water. If you have only one sink, gather washed dishes in a dish rack and rinse them with a panful of water. Similarly, don't let the faucet run while you clean vegetables. Just rinse them in a sink or a pan of clean water.

OUTDOORS

- Instead of washing driveways, sidewalks, gutters and steps, use a hard broom to sweep these areas.
- Don't use fresh water for your plants and garden. Save the rinse water from your kitchen or laundry, and do your watering in the early morning - this prevents fungus growth, which occurs when you water at dusk.
- Don't let your children play with taps, hoses and sprinklers. Their innocent frolic on a hot day could waste hundreds of gallons of precious water.
- Wash your car with a bucket of water and a rag, not a running hose.

The NWC frequently procures services based on the Government of Jamaica Procurement Procedures and Guidelines. Given the nature of its operation, there are times when the NWC requires the advice, assistance or services from professional consultants under discrete specialist assignments to facilitate rapid resolution of operational issues or management decision-making. In an effort to meet the need for these services the NWC has established a Register of Pre-approved Specialist Consultants that is updated from time to time. Consultants on the Register may be periodically engaged to provide the NWC with services in the areas of their specific expertise.

The Commission therefore invites Expressions of Interest from suitably qualified individuals or firms of professional consultants to provide Specialist Consultancy Services in the following specific areas:

- a. Strategic Planning for Water Supply & Wastewater Development*
- b. Public & Private Partnerships in the Water & Wastewater Sectors*
- c. Non-Revenue Water (NRW) Undertakings*
- d. Value-for-money Evaluations of Capital Works For Water & Wastewater Schemes*
- e. Financial/ Economic Evaluations of Water & Wastewater Development Schemes*
- f. Energy Efficiency*
- g. Evaluation of general operational issues on water supply and wastewater systems*
- h. Water Supply/ Sewerage Network Modeling*
- i. Evaluation of Surface Water and Groundwater Resources*
- j. Land Surveying/ Property Valuation*

Interested professional consultants should download the Terms of Reference from the NWC's website - www.nwcjamaica.com/Advertisements.asp

Applications must be clearly labeled "Expression of Interest – Specialist Consultancy Services" and submitted to:

**The President's Office
The National Water Commission,
Corporate Headquarters,
5th Floor, Life of Jamaica Building
28-48 Barbados Avenue
Kingston 5.**

By Friday June 13, 2008, at 2:00 pm.

The NWC in its sole discretion does not undertake to pre-approve any applicant and will not provide reasons for exclusion of any applicant.



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