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Request for Expression of Interest (EoI) Technical and Geotechnical Aspects

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What project should apply?

- Surface Study in eligible country aiming to site a well (general surface study completed), for up to 80 % of approved eligible cost
- Drilling of first wells in a new prospect (siting completed), for up to 40 % of approved eligible cost
- Associated infrastructure, for up to 20 % of approved eligible cost



Structure of the request for Expression of Interest

- DEADLINE 16:00H Ethiopian Time 8th January 2015
- Access to documents for Expression of Interest application
 - HOMEPAGE: <http://www.grmf-eastafrica.org/application>
- Background documents to consult:
 - Request for EoI 3rd edition (INFORMATION)
 - Annex 1 (FORM TO FILL)
 - Annex 2 (FORM TO FILL)
 - Developer Manual 4th edition (INFORMATION)



Content and form of submission of EoI

For a successful application: Follow given format. Give all information available.

- ANNEX I – FORM TO FILL,
- ANNEX II – FORM TO FILL
 - Information on Eligible entity
 - Information on concessions, licences and permits
 - Status of Geological and Geochemical studies
 - Status of Geophysical studies
 - Information about infrastructure
 - Work Plan
 - Financing Plan
 - Offtaker Potential
 - Appendices: Declarations, Experience, Key Personnel, Project Organisation, Presentation



Evaluation criteria - Summary

Main evaluation criteria	Max score Drilling Projects	Max score Surface Studies
Geo-scientific	50	60
Financing plan & permit	30	10
Experience	20	30
Total	100	100

- Minimum points for successful Eols: 70
- Evaluation based on submitted information
- Emphasis on resource and experience in Surface studies
- Emphasis on work plan and financing/permits in Drilling Program
- Information on Evaluation Criteria can be found in Annex 1 & 2 of the Developers Manual



Eligible & Non Eligible costs

- Information in Ch 3 of request for EoI doc AND Ch 7 of Developer Manual
- Review Eligible entity & Country to make sure applicant is eligible
- Review Eligible Activities to apply for right items
- Review Eligible Costs for applicable program (SS or DP)
- Go through Non-Eligible cost to make sure they are not included in your estimate for grant amount



Shortlisting and selection of Applicant

- All applicants scoring a minimum of 70 points in EoI will be shortlisted
- Shortlisted applicants will be invited to participate in the Application
 - Mandatory pre-bidding workshop
 - Application according to documents that can be found on the GRMF web
- Selection of Applicants
 - Selection of applicants to receive funds will be based on evaluation of applications, number of applicants and amount of grants applied for.
 - AUC is not bound to select any of the short-listed applicants.



Disbursement plan if Grant Contract is reached – Surface Study

Disbursement milestones	Surface Study	Infrastructure
Signing of grant contract, bank guarantee acquired	20%	30%
Initiation of field work	40%	-
Completion of field work	20%	-
Acceptance of final report	20%	70%

Also see information regarding Grant Contract in Ch.11 of the Developers Manual



Disbursement plan if Grant Contract is reached – Drilling Project

Disbursement milestones	Drilling Project	Infrastructure
Signing of grant contract, bank guarantee acquired	-	30%
Final well design and Drilling programme (bank guarantee acquired)	20%	-
First well spud	20%	-
First well completed	20%	-
Last well completed	20%	-
Acceptance of completion report	20%	70%

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Advice to applicants regarding the EoI

- Find and follow all instructions, make sure you have the right edition
- Make sure you know what you want to do and that it is eligible
- Multi discipline team with co-operation experience
- Remember One Project per Application
- No part left unanswered, leave explanatory comments in remark fields
- Make sure application forms are in coherence with each other
- Consider review by outside consultants experienced in applications for geothermal



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Thank you for your attention!

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