



## **ADDENDUM TO THE REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST (REOI)**

ADDENDUM NO 1 TO REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST (REOI)  
DOCUMENT

FOR

REFERENCE NUMBER: ZM-COMESA -522846-CS-QCBS.

**CONTRACT TITLE:** “CONSULTANCY SERVICE FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE COMESA SOCIAL INCLUSION STRATEGY FOR INDIGENOUS PEOPLES/ SUB-SAHARAN AFRICAN HISTORICALLY UNDERSERVED TRADITIONAL LOCAL COMMUNITIES, WOMEN, YOUTH, MINORITY CLANS AND PEOPLE WITH DISABILITY.”

PROCURING ENTITY: COMMON MARKET FOR EASTERN AND SOUTHERN  
AFRICA (COMESA)

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST ISSUED ON: **11<sup>th</sup> March 2026**

Addendum No. 1 Issue Date: **24<sup>th</sup> March 2026**

The Purpose of this addendum is to make a revision to the issued Request for expressions of interest issued on 11<sup>th</sup> March 2026 for the above referenced assignment.

This Addendum No. 1 has been issued to provide clarity and additional information under **SHORTLISTING CRITERIA** point No. 2 (**Experience of the firm**).

**The point must read,**

**“Experience of the firm**

- *Evidence of experience with the World Bank Environmental and Social Framework (ESF) and Performance Standards is required i.e. social risks and Impacts ESS7.*
- *Experience working in the COMESA member countries*
- *The consulting firm should possess the following qualifications, with a team comprising key experts, each having at least 5 years of relevant experience and a minimum of master’s degree in social sciences, Development studies, Gender Studies, Public policy or any other related field.”*

Therefore, the deadline for submission of proposals has been extended from **31<sup>st</sup> March 2026** to **3<sup>rd</sup> April 2026** at 10:00 hours Zambian time.

Kindly note that all other requirements of the Request for Expressions of Interest in the document remain unchanged.

End of Addendum

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Silver Mwesigwa  
**Head of Procurement and General services**  
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