Country: Republic of Malawi

## **Project Executing Agency (PEA):**

Ministry of Health (MOH) P.O. Box 30377 Lilongwe 3, MALAWI

Deadline of Submission of Applications: July 30<sup>th</sup>, 2024, 14:00 CAT (Central African Time)

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**Project:** Health Services Joint Fund (HSJF)

BMZ No. 202167427

**Tender:** International Competitive Bidding (ICB): Tender for Consulting Services: "**Technical** 

Implementation Consultant"

## BMZ 202167427/ KfW 511392

## Prequalification

**Project measures:** In order to support the Government of the Republic of Malawi to achieve the objectives of its ambitious Health Sector Strategic Planning, the Ministry of Health (MOH, before Ministry of Health and Population) together with a group of development partners have established an innovative funding mechanism, the Health Services Joint Fund (HSJF).

Since 01.07.2019 the operation of the fund is supported by a technical implementation consultant (TIC). The contract of the current TIC is running out by the end of 2024. This Request for Expression of Interest addresses the procurement for a new TIC expected to be in place by the beginning of 2025.

The HSJF is constructed in such a way that it allows the receipt of funds from multiple development partners who can express their specific priorities by earmarking their funds to specific elements of the jointly identified priority projects developed on the basis of the HSSP II and III. Currently the Governments of Britain, Germany and Norway (HSJF Development Partners: HSJF DPs) are participating in this innovative funding mechanism and

have already provided contributions to the HSJF since 2015.

HSJF works to strengthen health systems with an emphasis on strengthening primary health care services to achieve universal health coverage (UHC). According to the understanding of the Government of the Republic of Malawi and the development partners participating in the HSJF, this fund can finance the following types of interventions projects:

- Selected health facility or community health district and central hospital current expenditures
- SRHR activities
- Support to activities in the field of Results-Based Financing (RBF)"
- Health commodities
- Capital investments
- Other health system strengthening activities

To receive the Prequalification documentation, please contact the Tender Agent (René Meyer) under tender@renemeyer.org.

**Procurement framework:** This ICB tender for Consulting Services is subject to the KfW "Guidelines for the Procurement of Consulting Services, Works, Plant, Goods and Non-Consulting Services in Financial Cooperation with Partner Countries" (2021 / available on www.kfw-entwicklungsbank.de).

Requested Consultant Services: In order to reach the objectives set out in this assignment, the Consultant is expected to conduct the following tasks but may not be limited to these.

## Main tasks are:

- 1) Support in the identification and development of suitable projects for funding by the HSJF in accordance with the priorities of the Government of the Republic of Malawi and the participating development partners (HSJF Development Partners: HSJF DPs)
- 2) Assistance in the tendering processes for the implementation of the projects chosen for the funding by the HSJF, good collaboration with fiscal and procurement oversight agent

3) Technical support to and supervision of the implementation of the respective projects

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