



TERMS OF REFERENCE FOR CONSULTANT

Titre du travail	Consultation to develop an emergency plan to prevent or limit marine pollution in the CCLME region		
Division/Département:	CCLME project – Division of Environmental Policies Implementation		
Programme/Projet N°:	GCP/INT/023/GFF		
Lieu:	Dakar, Senegal		
Date d'affectation prévue (date de début):	30 September 2013	Durée:	30 days over a four- months period
Supérieur hiérarchique:	Nom: Abou Bamba	Titre:	Coordinator of the Abidjan Convention

General Description of task(s) and objectives to be achieved

Under the general supervision of the Secretary of the Abidjan Convention and the Regional Coordinator of the CCLME project and under the direct orientation and supervision of the officer responsible for the thematic component – Biodiversity, Habitat and Water Quality - the office or the consultant will develop an emergency plan to prevent or limit marine pollution in the CCLME area. For this, risk assessments on pollution carried out and the contingency plans already available, including the one developed in the framework of the Abidjan Convention, will be used.

Specifically, the Consultant will:

- Review data and information on the current agreements in the CCLME region as well as legislation relating to marine pollution
- Make a synthesis of international legislation for the prevention, reduction and control of pollution in the marine environment
- Integrate in this plan the specificities of each CCLME country and the economic, environmental and social importance, and oceanic waters in these countries, as well as the vulnerability of the region due to the marine and coastal ecosystems it contains
- Take into account the proliferation of oil exploration and oil exploitation activities as well as the intense maritime traffic, to produce a prudent plan
- Consider a powerful cooperative framework (especially in terms of exchange of information, assessment of the scale, indemnity modalities and means of struggle) between the different countries in case of pollution
- Prepare a draft cooperation agreement to develop between CCLME countries
- Develop the terms of reference and functions of a sub regional centre coordinating the activities against pollution
- Integrate the mechanism of struggle and prevention in place or being set up
- To present and validate the work by the Biodiversity, Habitat and Water Quality Working Group
- Produce a final report in French and English

KEY PERFORMANCE INDICATORS

Expected results:	Completion date:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Proposal for a workplan • Draft a contingency plan submitted to national consultations in the CCLME 	<p>15 October 2013</p> <p>15 December 2013</p>

countries

- Validation by CCLME focal points
- Production of a final contingency plan in French and English

30 December 2013

30 January 2014

REQUIRED COMPETENCIES

Academic Qualifications

The consultant must have a higher diploma in maritime law, sea transport or equivalents.

Technical Competencies and Experience Requirements

- Good knowledge of marine pollution
- Experiences in the development of contingency plans in case of marine pollution
- Good knowledge of the zone of study of the CCLME area
- Good knowledge (level C) of French or English and mean knowledge (level B) of another language
- Knowledge of Arabic or Portuguese would be an asset

Please note that applicants must have their own tools (computers and software) and be able to work with persons of different cultures and nationalities. Citizens from the CCLME region are strongly encouraged to apply.

How to apply?

All applications should be sent by e-mail before 15 September 2013. The candidates should send a P11 form of the United Nations or applicants should send a completed United Nations P.11 or Galaxy Personal History Form together with an updated resume and a covering letter of no more than two pages summarizing how they meet the requirements of the job to:

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