

Project title:	Support to the Ministry of Peace and Reconstruction in strengthening financial management capability
Position:	Public Finance Management Expert
Location:	Nepal
Eligible nationalities:	All nationalities
Start of project:	March 2012
Assignment duration:	154 working days
Deadline:	07/02/2012
Objective of the project:	<p><u>Global objective</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> To support the mandates of MoPR, the Peace Fund Secretariat is implementing NPTF funded projects in strengthening financial monitoring, auditing, procurement and book keeping by enhancing and strengthening the capacity to efficiently manage public finances. <p><u>Specific objectives</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The expert will provide technical assistance to the MoPR, the Peace Fund Secretariat (PFS) and through the PFS to the line Ministries, who are implementing NPTF funded projects, for the purpose of enabling the government to report as per the JFA and Peace Fund Operational guidelines of the NPTF.
Qualifications required:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The expert is expected to deliver the main outputs outlined in these TOR and from his/her own experience and investigations, provide good practices in the field and make a comprehensive, objective and at the same time critical analysis of the most outstanding financial monitoring, auditing and considering the current environment, structure, and perspective of on-going reforms. <p><u>Qualifications and skills</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Relevant education (at least Masters level or Chartered Accountant) in Public Finance Management, Finance and or Accounting Fluency in English Experience in coordinateing and finalising report writing <p><u>Advantageous</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Experience in countries with similar PFM environment Experience in implementation of budgetary support programme <p><u>General Professional Experiences Required</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Minimum 10 years professional experience in government financial management and monitoring, accounting and auditing and measures to increase transparency and accountability in public finances. <p><u>Specific Professional Experiences Required</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Previous experience in different PFM, institutional strengthening and capacity development reforms. Experience in working with ministerial staff; Experience in dealing with public authorities in developing countries, excellent analytical and reporting skills, fluent English, capacity to coordinate with the other expert, flexibility and resistance to high demand working environment are additional requirements Understanding of financial accountability mechanisms including: government accounting officers, internal audit departments, supreme audit institutions, parliamentary accounts committees, and informal institutions that help citizens to participate in budget processes
Other information:	<p><i>If you are interested in this position please send your CV in EU format under the heading “Nepal & PFM Expert”.</i></p> <p><i>When sending your application pl ease include an indication of your desired remuneration (day-rate). Please also make sure that you include one or more telephone numbers.</i></p> <p><i>Only selected candidates will be contacted.</i></p>
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