

	EuropeAid/139664/IH/SER/UG: TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE FOR CAPACITY
Project title:	BUILDING TO UGANDA RAILWAY CORPORATION
Position:	Key expert 2: Railway Civil Engineer/Permanent Way Specialist
Location:	Base - Kampala, Uganda. Field travel might be necessary.
Eligible nationalities:	All nationalities
Start of project:	1 November 2019
Assignment duration:	20 months
Deadline:	30 July 2019
Objective and purpose of	Reduce transport costs with origin or destination in Northern Uganda, South
the project:	Sudan and Eastern Democratic Republic of Congo and transfer a significant part of transported cargo from truck to rail. Reduce / avoid emissions of greenhouse gases from the transport sector.
	Ensure that Uganda Railways Corporation and related authorities/agencies/departments have obtained sufficient skills and knowledge to operate, maintain and develop the railway via building technical or specialized staffs' capacity to perform appropriate tasks effectively, efficiently and sustainably.
Profile description:	The engineer should be an expert in railway sector development covering all aspects, including construction of railway network, technology and computerization, inputs for transportation production and safety of operation, railway management system for increased efficiency and financial sustainability. This consultant will assist the team leader in reviewing the Government's plan for developing the rail and road transport network and other infrastructure, carry out a study on the prevailing policies, regulations, and practices, identify weaknesses and constraints, and make recommendations for improvements and develop a long term sustainable railway infrastructure maintenance strategy including appropriate railway organization, legal framework and legislation and operation and maintenance arrangements.
Qualifications required:	 Qualifications and skills: A university degree in Permanent Way/Railway Engineering, Civil Engineering, or other related discipline; Master's degree in Transport Engineering, Civil Engineering or other related discipline is an added advantage; Proven strong communication skills and the candidate shall be fluent in the English Language. General professional experience: At least 12 years of solid and diversified professional experience in civil/transport/railway engineering. Specific professional experience: At least 8 years hands-on experience in the formulation, review maintenance and management of project infrastructure plans, policies and strategies; Must have carried out at least 2 successful similar assignments in the last 10 years; At least 5 years of related work experience in developing countries.
	Specific experience in Eastern and/or Southern Africa is preferable.



Other information:	If you are interested in this position please send your CV under the heading "TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE FOR CAPACITY BUILDING TO UGANDA RAILWAY CORPORATION", and address it to Mr Todor Netzov. When sending your application please include an indication of your desired remuneration (month-rate). Please also make sure that you include one or more telephone numbers. Only selected candidates will be contacted.
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