

## **CLARIFICATION**

### **THE PROVISION OF TRANSACTION ADVISORY SERVICES IN THE STRUCTURING OF INVESTMENT PROJECTS TO BE UNDERTAKEN BY THE EXPORT PROCESSING ZONES AUTHORITY THROUGH PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP RFP No. EPZA/1/2021 - 2022**

#### **EPZA's Response**

**a. Nature of the Project**

The projects are in the Manufacturing Sector including textile, leather, and pharmaceuticals.

**b. Number of the Projects**

EPZA intends to implement the projects across its 6 Zones. The exact number of the projects will be ascertained upon carrying out a feasibility assessment by the transaction advisor.

**c. Requirements for the Technical Expert**

All projects will bear components of the construction industry. The technical expert must therefore possess expertise and background in the construction industry.

**d. EPZA's expectations in terms of the financial proposal**

EPZA expects that the transaction advisor will belong to professional body, which sets a guideline for the charging of fees. As such, EPZA expects that the fees payable to the transaction advisor will be in line with the guidelines prescribed by the transaction advisor's professional body.

**e. Funding for the consultancy**

The projects are to be implemented through a Public Private Partnership basis. Funding for the projects will come mainly from EPZA and partly from the private investor.

**f. Mode of engagement**

EPZA anticipates that the engagement of a transaction advisor, either on retainer or on a milestones basis, is practical in realizing the main objective of implementing the projects. The particular terms will be specified in the engagement contract.

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