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**CS243: SYSTEM ANALYSIS DESIGN**

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## FORM TECH-1

### TECHNICAL PROPOSAL SUBMISSION FORM

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TO: Mr Ally Omary,  
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CHUKWAN,  
BRANCH MANAGER ZFDA  
ZANZIBAR,

We, the undersigned, offer to provide the consulting services for Implementation of Laboratory Information Management System (L.I.M.S) for the Zanzibar Food and Drug Agency in accordance with your Request for Proposals dated 07/05/2023 and our Proposal. We hereby are submitting our Proposal, which includes this Technical Proposal only in a sealed envelope.

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We hereby declare that:

- (a) All the information and statements made in this Proposal are true and we accept that any misinterpretation or misrepresentation contained in this Proposal may lead to our disqualification by the Client and/or may be sanctioned by the Government.
- (b) Our Proposal shall be valid and remain binding upon us for the period of time specified in the Data Sheet, Clause 12.1.
- (c) We have no conflict of interest in accordance with ITC 3.
- (d) We meet the eligibility requirements as stated in ITC 6, and we confirm our understanding of our obligation to abide by the Government's policy in regard to corrupt and fraudulent or prohibited practices as per ITC 5.
- (e) In competing for (and, if the award is made to us, in executing) the Contract, we undertake to observe the laws against fraud and corruption, including bribery, in force in Zanzibar.]
- (f) Except as stated in the Data Sheet, Clause 12.1, we undertake to negotiate a Contract on the basis of the proposed Key Experts. We accept that the substitution of Key Experts for reasons other than those stated in ITC Clause 12 may lead to the termination of Contract negotiations.

- (g) Our Proposal is binding upon us and subject to any modifications resulting from the Contract negotiations.
- (h) We are / are not under sanction by the Government, the WB, AfDB, IADB, or the AsDB for any action of corruption and fraud in accordance with ITB 3. [If under sanction, please provide details including date of start of sanction and duration].

We undertake, if our Proposal is accepted and the Contract is signed, to initiate the Services related to the assignment no later than the date indicated in Clause 29.2 of the Data Sheet.

We understand that the Client is not bound to accept any Proposal that the Client receives.

We remain,

Yours sincerely,

Authorized Signature {In full and initials}: Mrisho J.

Name and Title of Signatory: Mrisho jumanne hamis, Project Manager

Name of Consultant (company's name or JV's name or ): MTECHNOLOGY COMPANY

In the capacity of: Project Manager

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## FORM TECH-2 (FOR FULL TECHNICAL PROPOSAL ONLY)

### CONSULTANT'S ORGANIZATION AND EXPERIENCE

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Form TECH-2: a brief description of the Consultant's organization and an outline of the recent experience of the Consultant that is most relevant to the assignment. In the case of a joint venture, information on similar assignments shall be provided for each partner. For each assignment, the outline should indicate the names of the Consultant's Key Experts and Sub-consultants who participated, the duration of the assignment, the contract amount (total and, if it was done in a form of a joint venture or a sub-consultancy, the amount paid to the Consultant), and the Consultant's role/involvement.

#### A - Consultant's Organization

**MTECHNOLOGY COMPANY** is a leading organization specializing in technological industry with a strong background and a proven track record of delivering successful projects, we are well-equipped to handle the requirements of this assignment.

Our company has been operating for [number of years], providing high-quality [services or solutions] to clients in various sectors. We have built a solid reputation for our professionalism, expertise, and commitment to excellence. Our team consists of skilled professionals with extensive experience in [relevant field or industry], ensuring that we deliver top-notch results.

As an organization, we prioritize client satisfaction and strive to exceed expectations in every project we undertake. We have successfully completed similar assignments in the past, demonstrating our proficiency in addressing the specific needs outlined in the TOR.

Our company operates with a robust organizational structure, which includes dedicated teams for project management, technical expertise, quality assurance, and client support. This structure allows us to efficiently manage projects, ensure effective communication, and maintain a high level of service throughout the assignment.

While we do not have a joint venture for this particular assignment, we have established strategic partnerships with trusted industry collaborators and subcontractors. These partnerships enable us to access additional expertise, resources, and specialized services when necessary, ensuring comprehensive and efficient project delivery.

With our strong background, experienced team, and commitment to excellence, we are confident in our ability to successfully execute this assignment and deliver the desired outcomes outlined in the TOR.

#### B - Consultant's Experience

Duration	Assignment name/& brief description of main deliverables/outputs	Name of Client & Country of Assignment	Role on the Assignment	Approx. Contract value Amount paid to your firm	Role on the Assignment

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Jan 2020 - Apr 2020	"Quality Improvement Project: Designed and implemented a master plan for rationalization of production processes"	Ministry of Industry, XYZ Country	\$500,000	\$450,000	Lead Consultant
Jan 2018 - Dec 2019	"Supply Chain Optimization: Conducted a comprehensive analysis and provided recommendations to streamline the supply chain"	ABC Manufacturing Ltd., Country A	\$1,200,000	\$1,100,000	Sole Consultant
Apr 2016 - Jul 2016	"Process Automation: Developed and implemented automated workflows to enhance operational efficiency"	DEF Corporation, Country B	\$300,000	\$270,000	Lead Consultant

### **FORM TECH-3 (FOR FULL TECHNICAL PROPOSAL)**

#### **COMMENTS AND SUGGESTIONS ON THE TERMS OF REFERENCE, COUNTERPART STAFF, AND FACILITIES TO BE PROVIDED BY THE CLIENT**

Form TECH-3: comments and suggestions on the Terms of Reference that could improve the quality/effectiveness of the assignment; and on requirements for counterpart staff and facilities, which are provided by the Client, including: administrative support, office space, local transportation, equipment, data, etc.

#### **A - On the Terms of Reference**

1. Improvement Suggestion: It would be beneficial to include a section outlining the specific goals and objectives of the Laboratory Information Management System (L.I.M.S) implementation project. This would provide a clear direction and ensure alignment with the overall objectives of the Zanzibar Food and Drug Agency (ZFDA).

2. **Enhancement Recommendation:** The ToR mentions the need for a payment module, administration module, security features, and system compatibility. It would be helpful to provide more specific details on the desired functionalities and requirements for each of these components. This will ensure that the software developer can understand the exact expectations and deliver a tailored solution.
3. **Additional Information Request:** The ToR mentions integration with the MIS portal for sample analysis process, but it would be valuable to provide more details about the existing MIS portal. This would aid the software developer in understanding the integration points and technical requirements.

## **B - On Counterpart Staff and Facilities**

1. **Comment:** It would be beneficial for the Client to provide dedicated administrative support to assist the software developer throughout the project. This would include facilitating communication, arranging meetings, coordinating logistics, and handling any administrative tasks that may arise.
2. **Request for Clarification:** The ToR mentions that office space will be provided, but it would be helpful to specify the requirements for the office space, such as the size, equipment availability, and any specific technical infrastructure needed (e.g., internet connectivity, development environment setup).
3. **Equipment and Data:** It would be essential for the Client to provide the necessary equipment and tools required for software development, such as computers, software licenses, development frameworks, and testing environments. Additionally, access to relevant data, sample datasets, and any existing documentation or reports would greatly facilitate the software development process.
4. **Transportation:** It would be valuable if the Client could provide local transportation support for the software developer, especially if travel between different locations or sites is necessary for the project. This would ensure smooth coordination and timely completion of tasks.

## **FORM TECH-4 (FOR FULL TECHNICAL PROPOSAL ONLY)**

### **DESCRIPTION OF APPROACH, METHODOLOGY, AND WORK PLAN IN RESPONDING TO THE TERMS OF REFERENCE**

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Form TECH-4: a description of the approach, methodology and work plan for performing the assignment, including a detailed description of the proposed methodology and staffing for training, if the Terms of Reference specify training as a specific component of the assignment.

Technical Proposal Structure (in FTP format):

1. Executive Summary:
  - Provide a concise overview of the proposal, highlighting key points and the proposed solution.
2. Introduction:
  - Introduce the Consultant's organization and its background, highlighting relevant experience and expertise.
3. Understanding of the Objectives:
  - Demonstrate a clear understanding of the objectives outlined in the TOR, emphasizing the importance of developing and enhancing the L.I.M.S system at ZFDA.
4. Technical Approach and Methodology:
  - Explain the proposed technical approach and methodology for implementing the tasks outlined in the TOR.
  - Describe how the Consultant plans to address the limitations of the current L.I.M.S system, including the addition of a payment module, integration with other ZFDA systems, enhanced security features, and the administration module.
  - Emphasize the use of modern technologies and best practices to ensure a customized, secure, and integrated system.
  - Highlight the Consultant's experience in developing similar systems and their expertise in Python, JavaScript, and RESTful APIs.
5. Work Plan:
  - Outline a detailed work plan for the implementation of the main activities and tasks.
  - Break down the work plan into phases, specifying the content, duration, and interrelations of each task.
  - Identify milestones and tentative delivery dates for key reports and deliverables.
  - Align the work plan with the technical approach and methodology, demonstrating a clear understanding of the TOR and the ability to translate it into a feasible working plan.
6. Organization and Staffing:
  - Describe the structure and composition of the Consultant's team, including Key Experts, Non-Key Experts, and relevant technical and administrative support staff.
  - Highlight the qualifications and experience of each team member, emphasizing their expertise in software development, system integration, and project management.
  - Clearly define the roles and responsibilities of each team member and their assigned tasks within the project.
7. Comments on the TOR and Counterpart Staff and Facilities:
  - Provide concise comments on the TOR, expressing agreement with the objectives and requirements outlined.

- Make suggestions and recommendations regarding counterpart staff and facilities to ensure smooth project implementation, including administrative support, office space, local transportation, equipment, and access to data and background reports.
8. Conclusion:
- Summarize the proposal, emphasizing the Consultant's suitability for the assignment and their commitment to delivering a successful L.I.M.S system.

Note: The content in each section should be tailored to reflect the information provided in the TOR and the specific details of the proposed solution and team composition.

- a) Technical Approach and Methodology
- b) Work Plan
- c) Organization and Staffing }

- a) Based on the provided information in the Terms of Reference (TOR), the objectives of the assignment are to implement a Laboratory Information Management System (L.I.M.S) for the Zanzibar Food and Drug Agency (ZFDA). The technical approach and methodology to achieve these objectives would involve the following steps:
1. Needs Assessment: Conduct a thorough assessment of the current L.I.M.S system at ZFDA to identify its limitations and areas for improvement. This assessment will include analyzing user requirements, system functionalities, integration possibilities, and security features.
  2. System Enhancement: Develop a comprehensive plan to enhance the L.I.M.S system based on the identified needs. This includes addressing the limitations mentioned in the TOR, such as adding a payment module for issuing control numbers, integrating the system with other ZFDA systems, enhancing security features, and incorporating an administration module for system configurations.
  3. Technology Upgrade: Evaluate the current technology stack used in the L.I.M.S system and propose an upgrade to the latest technology, such as migrating to the latest version of PHP. This upgrade will ensure compatibility, improved performance, and scalability of the system.
  4. Integration with MIS Portal: Develop a seamless integration between the L.I.M.S system and the Management Information System (MIS) portal for sample analysis processes. This integration will facilitate data exchange and streamline the overall workflow.
  5. Back-End Component Development: Improve the responsiveness and overall performance of the L.I.M.S system by developing and optimizing the back-end components. This includes optimizing database queries, implementing caching mechanisms, and fine-tuning the system's performance.
  6. Customized Reports: Assess and prioritize feature requests for customized reports. Develop a reporting module that allows users to generate and export tailored reports based on their specific needs.

The expected output of this assignment is a fully functional and enhanced Laboratory Information Management System (L.I.M.S) for the ZFDA. The system should include the following deliverables:

1. A working system with all the enhancements and features mentioned in the TOR.
2. Addition of a payment module for generating control numbers for sample analysis.
3. Implementation of an administration module for system configuration.
4. Integration of new security features and data protection measures.



5. System compatibility with the latest technology standards, such as upgrading to the latest version of PHP.
6. Integration with the MIS portal for streamlined sample analysis processes.
7. Improved back-end components to enhance system responsiveness and performance.
8. Customized reports based on user requirements.

By following this technical approach and methodology, we aim to deliver a robust and efficient Laboratory Information Management System that meets the specific needs and requirements of the ZFDA.

b) Work Plan:

1. Needs Assessment and Planning Phase (Duration: 1 month)
  - Conduct a comprehensive needs assessment of the current L.I.M.S system.
  - Analyze user requirements, system functionalities, and integration possibilities.
  - Identify limitations and areas for improvement.
  - Develop a detailed plan for system enhancement and technology upgrade.
  - Submit the Needs Assessment Report for client approval.
2. System Enhancement and Development Phase (Duration: 6 months)
  - Develop the payment module for issuing control numbers.
  - Design and implement the administration module for system configurations.
  - Enhance security features and implement data protection measures.
  - Upgrade the L.I.M.S system to the latest version of PHP.
  - Integrate the system with the MIS portal for sample analysis processes.
  - Develop and optimize back-end components for improved performance.
  - Implement customized reports based on user requirements.
  - Conduct rigorous testing and quality assurance.
3. User Training and System Deployment Phase (Duration: 1 month)
  - Develop training materials and conduct training sessions for ZFDA staff.
  - Provide user manuals and documentation for the enhanced L.I.M.S system.
  - Finalize system configurations and conduct system testing.
  - Obtain interim approvals from the client at key milestones.
  - Deploy the enhanced L.I.M.S system in the production environment.
4. System Maintenance and Support Phase (Duration: 4 months)
  - Provide ongoing technical support for the implemented system.
  - Address any issues or bugs identified during the initial usage.
  - Monitor system performance and make necessary optimizations.
  - Continuously improve the system based on user feedback.

- Deliver regular progress reports to the client.

#### Final Documents and Reports:

1. Needs Assessment Report - Submitted at the end of the Needs Assessment and Planning Phase.
2. Enhanced L.I.M.S System - Delivered at the end of the System Enhancement and Development Phase.
3. Training Materials and User Manuals - Provided during the User Training and System Deployment Phase.
4. Progress Reports - Submitted on a regular basis during the System Maintenance and Support Phase.

The work plan outlined above is consistent with the technical approach and methodology described earlier. It ensures a systematic and phased implementation of the project, taking into account the specific requirements and objectives mentioned in the TOR. The proposed timeline and deliverables are tentative and subject to adjustment based on client feedback and approval.

#### c) Organization and Staffing:

Our project team for the implementation of the Laboratory Information Management System (L.I.M.S) consists of experienced professionals with relevant expertise in software development, system integration, and project management. The team structure and composition are as follows:

1. Project Manager:
  - Responsible for overall project coordination, management, and client liaison.
  - Ensures the timely delivery of project milestones and adherence to project specifications.
  - Manages project resources and resolves any project-related issues.
2. L.I.M.S Software Developer:
  - Responsible for front-end and back-end software development.
  - Develops and enhances the L.I.M.S system according to the project requirements.
  - Implements system integrations, security features, and data protection measures.
  - Ensures compatibility with the latest technologies and frameworks.
3. Technical Experts:
  - Key Expert 1: Database Specialist
    - Responsible for database design, optimization, and maintenance.
    - Ensures efficient data management and system performance.
  - Key Expert 2: Integration Specialist
    - Manages the integration of the L.I.M.S system with the MIS portal.
    - Implements data exchange mechanisms and synchronization processes.
  - Key Expert 3: Security Specialist
    - Designs and implements security measures and access controls.
    - Performs vulnerability assessments and ensures data protection.
4. Technical Support Staff:
  - Non-Key Expert 1: System Tester
    - Conducts thorough testing of the L.I.M.S system to ensure quality and reliability.
    - Identifies and reports any issues or bugs for resolution.
  - Non-Key Expert 2: Documentation Specialist
    - Prepares user manuals, technical documentation, and training materials.

- Ensures clear and comprehensive documentation of the system.

5. Administrative Support Staff:

- Provides administrative support to the project team.
- Assists in project documentation, scheduling, and logistical arrangements.

The team composition and roles are tailored to meet the specific requirements of the project outlined in the TOR. Each team member possesses the necessary qualifications and expertise to effectively contribute to the successful implementation of the L.I.M.S system. Regular communication and collaboration among team members ensure smooth coordination and efficient project execution.

## **FORM TECH-4 (FOR SIMPLIFIED TECHNICAL PROPOSAL ONLY)**

### **DESCRIPTION OF APPROACH, METHODOLOGY, AND WORK PLAN FOR PERFORMING THE ASSIGNMENT**

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Form TECH-4: a description of the approach, methodology, and work plan for performing the assignment, including a detailed description of the proposed methodology and staffing for training, if the Terms of Reference specify training as a specific component of the assignment.

#### **Suggested structure of Technical Proposal**

##### **1. Introduction**

- Briefly introduce your company and its background.
- Highlight the relevant expertise and experience of your organization.

##### **2. Understanding of the Objectives**

- Demonstrate your understanding of the objectives outlined in the Terms of Reference (TOR).
- Explain how your technical approach and methodology align with the TOR.

##### **3. Technical Approach and Methodology**

- Provide a detailed description of your proposed technical approach and methodology.
- Explain how your approach will address the objectives of the assignment.
- Highlight any innovative or unique aspects of your approach.

##### **4. Work Plan**

- Outline the plan for the implementation of the main activities/tasks of the assignment.
- Describe the content and duration of each activity/task.
- Explain the phasing and interrelations between the activities.
- Identify milestones and interim approvals required from the client.
- Provide tentative delivery dates for reports and other deliverables.
- Ensure that the work plan is consistent with the technical approach and methodology.

##### **5. Organization and Staffing**

- Describe the structure and composition of your team.
- List the key experts and their roles in the assignment.
- Provide information on relevant technical and administrative support staff.
- Highlight the qualifications and experience of each team member.
- Emphasize how the composition of your team enables successful project implementation.

##### **6. Comments on TOR and Counterpart Staff/Facilities**

- Provide concise and relevant comments on the TOR.

- Address any specific requirements or concerns raised in the TOR.
- Discuss counterpart staff and facilities to be provided by the client.
- Comment on the adequacy of administrative support, office space, local transportation, equipment, data, background reports, etc.

Ensure that your responses are tailored to the specific information you provided in the TOR. Use the suggested structure as a guideline, but make necessary adjustments to fit your proposal.

*a)* Technical Approach, Methodology, and Organization of the Consultant's Team:

Our understanding of the objectives of the assignment, as outlined in the Terms of Reference (TOR), is to implement the Laboratory Information Management System (L.I.M.S) at Zanzibar Food and Drug Agency (ZFDA) headquarters and enable a customized, secure, and integrated system for sample analysis on food, drugs, and cosmetics. Our technical approach and methodology for implementing the tasks to deliver the expected outputs are as follows:

1. Technical Approach:

- We will conduct a thorough analysis of the existing L.I.M.S system at ZFDA to identify its limitations and areas of improvement.
- Based on the analysis, we will develop a comprehensive plan to enhance the L.I.M.S system, addressing the identified limitations.
- Our approach will focus on incorporating essential features such as a payment module, integration with other ZFDA systems, security enhancements, and an administration module for system configuration.
- We will ensure system compatibility by migrating to the latest technology of PHP.
- Integration with the MIS portal for sample analysis process will be implemented to streamline data exchange and reporting.

2. Methodology:

- We will follow a systematic and iterative development approach to ensure the delivery of a functional and high-quality L.I.M.S system.
- Our methodology will involve requirements gathering, system design, development, testing, deployment, and maintenance phases.
- Throughout the development process, we will emphasize the use of best practices, industry standards, and quality assurance measures.
- Regular communication and collaboration with ZFDA's ICT team will be maintained for monitoring and addressing system updates and issues.

3. Organization of the Consultant's Team: Our team consists of professionals with expertise in software development, system integration, and project management. The team structure and composition are as follows:

- Project Manager: Oversees the entire project, ensures effective coordination, and serves as the main point of contact with ZFDA.
- L.I.M.S Software Developer: Responsible for front-end and back-end software development, implementing system enhancements and integrations.

- Database Specialist: Manages database design, optimization, and maintenance for efficient data management.
- Integration Specialist: Handles the integration of the L.I.M.S system with the MIS portal, ensuring smooth data exchange and synchronization.
- Security Specialist: Designs and implements robust security measures, conducts vulnerability assessments, and ensures data protection.
- System Tester: Conducts thorough testing of the L.I.M.S system to ensure quality and reliability.
- Documentation Specialist: Prepares comprehensive user manuals, technical documentation, and training materials.
- Administrative Support Staff: Provides administrative assistance, project documentation, and logistical support.

Our team's composition and roles are designed to align with the project requirements outlined in the TOR. By leveraging our expertise, adopting a systematic methodology, and collaborating closely with ZFDA, we are confident in our ability to deliver a fully functional and enhanced L.I.M.S system that meets the objectives of the assignment.

*b)* Work Plan and Staffing:

The implementation of the assignment will follow a structured work plan to ensure the successful delivery of the project. The plan includes the main activities/tasks, their content and duration, phasing and interrelations, milestones, and tentative delivery dates of reports. The work plan is designed to be consistent with the technical approach and methodology outlined in the TOR. The assigned tasks for each expert are also specified. Please note that the actual work schedule may be subject to adjustments based on project needs and client approvals.

1. Work Plan:

a) Analysis and Planning Phase:

- Duration: Month 1
- Activities:
  - Conduct a comprehensive analysis of the existing L.I.M.S system at ZFDA.
  - Identify limitations and areas of improvement.
  - Develop a detailed project plan and schedule.
  - Finalize the technical approach and methodology.
- Deliverables:
  - Analysis report highlighting system limitations and improvement recommendations.
  - Project plan and schedule document.

b) System Enhancement and Development Phase:

- Duration: Months 2-7
- Activities:
  - Develop and implement the payment module for generating control numbers of sample analysis.

- Design and integrate the administration module for system configuration.
- Enhance security features and ensure data protection.
- Upgrade the L.I.M.S system to the latest technology of PHP.
- Integrate the L.I.M.S system with the MIS portal for sample analysis process.
- Develop back-end components to improve system responsiveness and overall performance.
- Deliverables:
  - Enhanced L.I.M.S system with integrated payment and administration modules, improved security features, and upgraded technology.
  - Integration with the MIS portal.
  - Back-end components implemented.
  - User manuals and technical documentation.

c) Testing and Quality Assurance Phase:

- Duration: Months 8-9
- Activities:
  - Conduct thorough testing of the enhanced L.I.M.S system.
  - Identify and resolve any issues or bugs.
  - Perform quality assurance checks to ensure system functionality, reliability, and performance.
- Deliverables:
  - Tested and quality-assured L.I.M.S system.

d) Training and User Acceptance Phase:

- Duration: Month 10
- Activities:
  - Provide training sessions to the laboratory analysts on the usage of the enhanced L.I.M.S system.
  - Obtain user feedback and address any concerns or questions.
  - Ensure user acceptance of the system.
- Deliverables:
  - Training materials.
  - User feedback report.

e) Final Reporting and Project Closure Phase:

- Duration: Month 11
- Activities:
  - Prepare final project reports, including an implementation report and lessons learned.
  - Conduct a project review and evaluation.

- Obtain final approvals from the client.
- Deliverables:
  - Final project reports.
  - Client approvals.

## 2. Staffing:

The project team will consist of the following key experts:

- Project Manager (full-time): Responsible for overall project coordination, management, and client communication.
- L.I.M.S Software Developer (full-time): Undertakes front-end and back-end software development tasks.
- Database Specialist (full-time): Handles database design, optimization, and maintenance.
- Integration Specialist (full-time): Manages the integration of the L.I.M.S system with the MIS portal.
- Security Specialist (part-time): Ensures the implementation of robust security features and data protection measures.
- System Tester (part-time): Conducts thorough testing of the system and ensures quality assurance.
- Documentation Specialist (part-time): Prepares user manuals, technical documentation, and training materials.

The specific tasks assigned to each expert will be as follows (tentative):

- Project Manager: Overall project coordination, monitoring,

## c) Comments (on the TOR and on counterpart staff and facilities):

1. TOR Comments: a) The TOR provides a clear understanding of the objectives and requirements of the assignment. b) The scope of work outlined in the TOR aligns well with the objectives of developing and enhancing the Laboratory Information Management System (L.I.M.S) at Zanzibar Food and Drug Agency (ZFDA). c) The identified limitations of the current L.I.M.S system are crucial for improvement, including the addition of a payment module, integration with other ZFDA systems, enhanced security features, and the administration module for system configuration. d) The deliverables specified in the TOR are comprehensive and reflect the expected outputs of the project.
2. Counterpart Staff and Facilities Comments: a) Administrative Support: It is recommended that the Client provides adequate administrative support to facilitate smooth project implementation, including assistance with logistics, document management, and coordination. b) Office Space: The Client should allocate suitable office space at the ZFDA headquarters for the project team to work efficiently and collaborate effectively with ZFDA staff. c) Local Transportation: The Client should provide necessary transportation support for the project team, ensuring their mobility within Zanzibar for meetings, site visits, and other project-related activities. d) Equipment: The Client should ensure the availability of required hardware and software equipment, including computers, servers, and relevant software licenses, for the development and implementation of the enhanced L.I.M.S system. e) Data and Background Reports: The Client should provide access to relevant data and background



reports related to the current L.I.M.S system and previous sample analysis activities, which will support the development and integration processes.

These suggestions are incorporated in the proposal to ensure effective collaboration and successful project implementation.

