**Expression of Interest**

**Support to Implementation of OGP Commitments**

**Funded by the Open Government Partnership Multi-Donor Trust Fund**

Deadline for Submission: April 20, 2019

Please ensure you have read the **Request for Expression of Interest** in full before filling out this form. Kindly complete the questions below with the clear and concise information. Only completed EOI Forms will be considered by the OGP MDTF.

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| **Contact details** |
| Name of Implementing Agency |   |
| Contact person(s) |   |
| Email address(es) |   |
| Telephone number |   |
|  Country/Local |   |

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| **1. Commitment Description [600 words]**The OGP MDTF will support commitments in OGP Action Plans that are (a) potentially high impact or transformative and (b) are facing political -economy, technical and financial challenges related to implementation.* What commitment or commitment area in your Action Plan are you requesting support for?
* What progress has been made so far in the commitment? What implementation challenges are you facing that could be addressed with MDTF support?
* What is the expected impact of the commitment if successfully implemented?
* How does this commitment or commitment area link to the country or local’s development agenda?
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| **2. Sustained Commitment to Implementation [150 words]**The support to the commitment will be executed over the course of two to four years. In other words, the selected commitment to an open government reform will need to be carried over into your next action plans over the period of 2019-21 or beyond. * How would you ensure that the commitment is included in the forthcoming Action Plan, especially in the event of a government change?
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| **3. Gender Equality and Inclusion [100 words]**The OGP MDTF is committed to promoting gender equality, inclusiveness and enhancing participation by marginalized groups, women’s organizations and organizations representing vulnerable communities local/grassroots actors.* How will the proposed activities related to the selected commitment foster greater gender equality, participation and inclusion?
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| **4. Multi-stakeholder Forum [300 words]**The OGP multi-stakeholder forum in your country or local will play an important role in helping select the commitment for MDTF support, providing a platform for coordination and input, and in assessing the progress of grant implementation. * How was the multi-stakeholder forum formally established (eg. through a ministerial decree, partnership agreement, or MOU)?
* What is the composition of the MSF? Who are the members?
* How often does the MSF meet?
* How are decisions made in the MSF?
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| **5. Rationale for MDTF Support [150 words]**The OGP MDTF will provide supplemental funding, or co-financing, to one commitment area that is included in a national or local Action Plan. As such, it is not the sole source of funding for that commitment or for the Action Plan. * Describe what resources are available through the state budget and support from other development partners to support the implementation of the commitment thus far. Why are additional resources necessary?
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| **6. Additional Comments** |
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Please submit this EOI Form to Aichida Ul-Aflaha (aulaflaha@worldbank.org) and include the following documents:

* A letter signed by a high-level official of the agency implementing the reform (if different from the OGP host or POC agency) stating their commitment to carry out the project.
* A letter from minister of OGP lead agency (POC) stating their commitment to (i) include the commitment in the next Action Plan(s) to ensure sustained monitoring by the IRM.
* A letter from the MSF supporting the submission of the EOI.