



**Environmental Protection of
International River Basins Project**

Contract No. 2011/279-666



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The European Union

A project implemented by a Consortium
led by Hulla & Co. Human Dynamics KG

Development of draft River Basin Management Plan for a selected pilot basin in Georgia

Call for Expression of Interest

The Consortium led by Hulla & Co. Human Dynamics KG, which is implementing the EU-funded project “Environmental Protection of International River Basins Project” is looking for a company to **contribute to the implementation of expected Result-2 of the Project Terms of Reference namely: ‘Development of a River Basin Management Plans (RBMP) for selected river basin’ in Georgia (Chorokhi-Adjaristkali Basin District).**

Contract description:

The applicant is expected to continue the previous phases of the basin management planning process and thus to base on the tasks already accomplished under **Activity 2.1** River Basin Analyses (further quoted as *River Basin Assessment* in the text) and **2.2** Water body identification and typology, including *Task 2.1.1*: Selection and confirmation of the pilot basins; *Task 2.1.2*: River Basin Analyses for the selected pilot basins; **Activity 2.2** Water body identification and typology.

The assignment will build on the above results to prepare a River Basin Management Plan consistent with the requirements of the EU Water Framework Directive and the legislation and regulations of Georgia relating to River Basin Management Plans.

The assignment will be implemented in close collaboration with the project beneficiary in Georgia - Ministry of Environment and Natural Resources Protection; the National Environmental Agency; Directorate of Environment and Natural Resources of Adjara Autonomous Republic and the EPIRB project team.

Provisional timetable

Provisional date of invitation to tender:	24 January 2014
Provisional commencement date of the contract:	07 February 2014
Duration of the assignment in months:	12

Application

The applicant should submit:

- (1) a signed letter of intent confirming the company interest to submit a tender
- (2) short company profile showing its experience and knowledge gained in similar assignments
- (3) a list of a minimum 3 projects related to the activities described above.

Deadline for receipt of applications: 21 January 2014 (17:00)

How applications may be submitted:

Applications must be submitted exclusively to the e-mails below in the following language — English.

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Only short-listed candidates will receive Instructions to Tenderers and the full Tender Dossier package.