The Water Authority

Tenders and Contracts Unit

State of Israel

Request for Information (RFI) No. 100020014 on the Subject of Monitoring Mekorot Water Company Ltd. and General consultancy on regulatory matters.

The Governmental Authority for Water and Sewage (hereinafter: "the Water Authority") is interested in receiving information concerning the possibility of retaining a consultancy company for the purpose of monitoring Mekorot Water Company Ltd. and general consultancy relating to regulation. The requested information should be submitted in accordance with the requirements detailed in the RFI, all within the framework of a general examination of the issue and exploring the possibility of issuing a tender, and subject to the full discretion of the Water Authority and any law.

The RFI will be published from May 24th, 2012, free of charge, on the Water Authority's website at: http://www.water.gov.il

Interested parties meeting the requirements of the RFI, are requested to submit all relevant information in writing, in a sealed envelope, all in accordance with the provisions of the RFI, to the Tenders Box on the 4th Floor, Deputy CEO for Administration and Human Resources Division, 14 HaMasger St. Tel Aviv-Yaffo, Israel, from July 3rd, 2012 and no later than July 5th, 2012, at 12:00 PM.

The Authority's contact person for all questions and requests for clarifications regarding the RFI, is Mrs. Sefi Bibi, Fax: 03-7602741 and/or by email Michrazim@water.gov.il. Such queries can be made by fax or email no later than June 17th, 2012.

In order to avoid any doubt, it is hereby clarified that the publication of the RFI shall only be considered a request for information. This notification and the RFI are not to be considered in any way an attempt, intention or obligation for the engagement of a contract or the holding of negotiations between the Water Authority and the participants. Moreover; it should not be regarded as a commitment to any schedule or any other undertaking on behalf of the Authority. Nevertheless, the Authority reserves the right to use the information received as a result of this procedure for a future procedure, in which the Authority will have full discretion to amend and/or to add conditions and requirements and to make any relevant decisions.