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Letter of Invitation

Chisinau, Republic of Moldova

04 June 2024

Ref. No. Eol24/02880

Subject: *Support Entrepreneurship Development for Decent Jobs Creation on Both Banks of the River Nistru, in the framework of the European Union "Confidence Building Measures Programme 6", implemented by UNDP*

Dear Sir/Madam,

The United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) hereby announces an Expression of Interest (EOI) for the selection of 20 business plans to receive support in the creation or development of MSMEs, in the framework of the service contract implemented by AXA Management Consulting in partnership with Agency for Innovation and Development from Tiraspol.

Activities in this initiative will facilitate young companies' access to capital and knowledge, through development support, combined with training, consulting, inland study visits and information materials. **20 young entrepreneurs from both banks of the river Nistru (10 from right and 10 from left bank, at least 50% women) will receive equipment/goods/works/services of up to 20,000 USD** to support them in starting or expanding their companies with new business models or upgraded processes. The best applications will be identified based on transparent and competitive selection procedures detailed in the attached Guidelines.

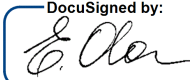
The Expression of Interest includes the following documents:

1. This Letter of Invitation (English only);
2. Applicant's Guidelines (in Romanian, Russian);
3. Annex 1 – Application form and plan of activities (in Romanian, Russian);

Project proposals should be submitted in accordance with provisions stipulated in the Guidelines.

Should you require any further clarifications, kindly communicate with the contact person identified in the attached Guidelines as the focal point for queries on this EOI.

Sincerely,

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