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CALL FOR PROPOSALS

Recruitment of Consultant to Develop Transitional Justice Policy for the Lake Chad Basin Region

The Lake Chad Basin Commission (LCBC) is a transboundary basin whose member countries include Cameroon, Niger, Nigeria, Chad, CAR and Libya. Its mission is to promote cooperation among Member States for the equitable and sustainable use of the natural resources of the Lake Chad Basin for socio-economic development, and to advise and support in resolving disputes.

The Lake Chad Basin (LCB) region faces one of its most severe humanitarian and development crises due to the Boko Haram insurgency, whose cross-border nature has led to widespread human rights violations and humanitarian challenges extending beyond national boundaries. These challenges are compounded by long-standing structural issues, including socio-economic inequalities, limited access to justice and social services, limited government presence, weak economic opportunities, and environmental pressures linked to climate change, all contributing to high vulnerability and low human development outcomes. In response, affected countries, with support from the Lake Chad Basin Commission (LCBC), the African Union, and UNDP, adopted the Regional Strategy for Stabilization, Recovery and Resilience (RS SRR) as a tool to address the multidimensional crisis through a coordinated regional approach. Central to this effort is transitional justice, which seeks to address the legacy of violence, rebuild trust, and support sustainable peace through accountability, inclusion, and institutional reform.

To promote transitional justice in the region, the LCBC, within the framework of implementation of the RS SRR, commissioned a study on transitional justice practices across the affected countries in 2023. This study examined both formal and informal justice mechanisms and informed the development of a Policy Framework for Transitional Justice, which was validated at a regional workshop in June 2024 in Yaoundé, Cameroon, and was approved in September 2024 by the Steering Committee of the RS SRR at the 5th meeting held in N'Djamena, Chad. Subsequently, the LCBC Council of Ministers mandated the Executive Secretariat of the LCBC to lead the development of a Regional Transitional Justice Policy. It is thus within this context that the LCBC intends to recruit a consultant to support the process of preparing the Regional Transitional Justice Policy for the Lake Chad Basin region.

Interested candidates or consultants may download the Terms of Reference at www.cblt.org or request copies at the headquarters of the Lake Chad Basin Commission (LCBC), located at Rond point de la Grande Armée, N'Djamena, Republic of Chad, from Monday to Friday between 8 a.m. and 3:30 p.m., local time.

Proposals (technical and financial), written in French or English, should include as a minimum a letter of purpose / motivation addressed to the Executive Secretary of the LCBC, resume/CV, methodological note, workplan and financial offer, and **should be submitted electronically to RegionalStrategy@cblt.org**, with copy to cblt.lcbc@gmail.com latest 29th of June 2026.

Submissions will be reviewed in accordance with LCBC procedures.


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