

Publication of Consultancy Contract Award

- Project ref:** 45340
- Title:** Road Maintenance Reform Assistance
- Project Country:** Republic of Moldova
- Project:** Road Sector Program
- Funding Source:** EBRD Shareholders Special Fund
- Contract Value:** 450,250.00 EUR
- Success Status:** **Roughton International Ltd. (UK)**
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- Short Listed**
1. Egis International (France) *in association with* Egis Romania S.A. (Romania);
 2. Louis Berger SAS (France);
 3. IMC Worldwide Limited (UK);
 4. Roughton International Ltd. (UK);
 5. SWECO International (Sweden) *in association with* Business Law Firm Turcan Cazac (Moldova).
 6. Swedish national Road Consulting AB (SweRoad) (Sweden) *in association with* Universcons Private Ltd. (Moldova).

Description of the assignment: the consultant selected to undertake this assignment (the “Consultant”) will carry out a number of key activities to successfully achieve the objective of supporting the SRA in successful implementation of the road maintenance reform.

The Consultant will carry out a number of key activities which include the following:

- (i) development of the privatisation plan and privatisation support for road maintenance companies;
- (ii) development of new type of road maintenance contracts (with performance criteria); and
- (iii) capacity building within SRA (including privatisation support, introduction of competition in future, monitoring of performance based contracts and payments); and
- (iv) identification and drafting of necessary legal changes (including secondary legislation and regulations), in order to ensure adjusting of the legal and regulatory framework and technical norms and standards to the requirements of the new maintenance contracting system, including also identification of the physical and financial volumes and time frame for execution of the maintenance works according to the defined level of service on different class roads.

Duration of the contract: **10 months.**