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**REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST TO SUPPLY AND IMPLEMENT THE CORE BANKING SOLUTION
FOR COPEDU LTD**

1. COPEDU LTD is a microfinance institution operating in Rwanda with 8 branches and it has a medium term objective to become a bank.
2. COPEDU LTD is seeking for Expression of Interest from qualified firms to propose the supply and the implementation of the best Core Banking Solution and channels that will allow transformation from microfinance to bank without supplemental investments.
3. COPEDU LTD now invites eligible firms to indicate their interest in supplying the Core Banking Solution and channels. Interested firms shall state the type and provide detailed functionalities available of the proposed solution (Front office, back office, delivery channels and network features).
4. Interested firms must provide information indicating that they are qualified to Supply the Banking Solution by submitting a brief technical understanding of the requirement, firm's profile, description of similar assignments, experience in similar project, resources and availability of appropriate skills and possible short time to implement the solution.
5. Interested firms must provide information regarding their offices (local, regional and headquarters), its technical support offices, working hours and days, response time and how to respond to urgent requests.
6. Interested firms must provide information indicating the basics of costing (implementation, Core banking License, upgrades, maintenance and supports, other licenses, etc.).
7. Interested firms must provide information on system (core banking/applications) requirements (Hardware)
8. Interested firms must provide information indicating local and regional references where the Core banking and channels are running.
9. A shortlist of firms will be developed on the basis of the Expression of Interest submitted to COPEDU LTD. Then, the shortlisted firms will be notified formally and invited to submit their technical and financial proposal for the proposed core banking solution.
10. There is no solicitation document for this expression of interest. However, interested eligible firms may seek clarification from the Head Office of COPEDU LTD located on African Union Avenue, P.O Box 4053 Kigali, from 08:00AM to 05:00PM Local Time, from Monday to Friday, or send email at info@copedultd.rw.
11. Expressions of Interest in writing must be delivered to the above address and deadline for submission is **30th June, 2016 at 03:00PM.**

Done at Kigali, 20th June 2016.

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Chief Executive Officer



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