

**MINISTRY OF GENDER EQUALITY, CHILD DEVELOPMENT AND FAMILY WELFARE**  
**SPECIAL COLLABORATIVE PROGRAMME FOR SUPPORT TO WOMEN AND CHILDREN IN DISTRESS**

**- REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST -**

**PROJECT PROPOSAL ASSESSORS**

The Ministry of Gender Equality, Child Development and Family Welfare (MGECDWF) is currently implementing the Special Collaborative Programme for Support to Women and Children in Distress (SCPSWCD). The aim of the Programme is to provide a grant not exceeding Rs 2.0 M to Non-Governmental Organisations, Community Based Organisations and Non State Actors (including Local Authorities, Rodrigues Regional Assembly and non-profit Parastatal Organisations) working for the welfare of women and children in distress for project proposals.

2. Project proposals are in respect of:
  - (i) Support to children victims of violence, abuse and neglect;
  - (ii) Welfare (well-being/empowerment) of women and children in distress;
  - (iii) Preventive measures to eliminate all forms of violence against women and children, including gender-based violence;
  - (iv) Support to children with all form of disabilities; and
  - (v) Assistance and integration of women detainees and their children in society
3. Interested parties wishing to be enlisted as Project Proposal Assessors to assess proposals received under the Call for Proposals systems of the SCPSWCD are invited to submit their interest together with their CV and a letter confirming their areas of expertise **by Monday 17 April 2017** at the address given below.
4. The Assessors would be appointed on a **part time /sessional basis and remunerated as per rates payable to resource persons in line with the PRB report 2016.**
5. Applicants should have at least 5 years experience in at least one of the areas mentioned at paragraph (2) above.
6. Selected Project Proposal Assessor(s) will be required to sign declarations of impartiality and confidentiality.
7. Only the best qualified candidates will be called for an interview.
8. The Ministry reserves the right to annul the above exercise without causing prejudice to any applicant.
9. Additional information regarding the programme and rates payable to assessors are available on the website of the Ministry at [gender.govmu.org](http://gender.govmu.org).

21 March 2017

**The Permanent Secretary**  
**Ministry of Gender Equality, Child Development and Family Welfare**  
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**Rates Payable to Assessors**

**In the wake of the implementation of the PRB Report 2016, the fees payable to resource persons are as follows:**

<b>SN</b>	<b>Category</b>	<b>Rates per session of 1 ¼ to 1 ½ hours</b>
(i)	Professionals and Academics from outside the service	Rs 840
(ii)	Degree holders not falling in the above category, outside the service	Rs 660
(iii)	Professionals and degree holders within the service (including officers drawing Rs 43850 and above)	Rs 660
(iv)	Other Public Officers	Rs 450