ELECTRIC ENGINEER/TECHNICAL EXPERT

Technical Assistance package for the Sustainable Energy Support Programme in Tajikistan

Expert position	Electricity Engineer / Technical Expert
Expert Category	Senior Non-Key Expert
Mission start-end date	01.03.2024 - 13.11.2027
Minimum requirements	 Skills and qualifications: A University degree in Electrical Engineering or a related field is essential. A Ph.D. or relevant certifications in power systems or electrical engineering is a plus. A minimum of 12 years of professional experience in the electricity sector, Minimum of 3 years of specific professional experience in electricity generation, transmission, and distribution, as well as grid optimization. Comprehensive knowledge of electricity infrastructure, grid operations, and technical aspects of the electricity sector. Proven experience in conducting technical assessments, infrastructure modernization, and renewable energy integration within the electricity sector. Proficiency in using engineering tools and software for grid optimization and technical analysis. Strong analytical and problem-solving skills, with the ability to develop and implement technical information to non-technical stakeholders. Fluency in English, both written and spoken. Knowledge of Tajik or Russian languages is advantageous. Commitment to promoting technical excellence, reliability, and efficiency within Tajikistan's electricity sector, aligning with the objectives of the Technical Assistance Programme.
Duration/working days	Up to 410 working days
Task(s) assigned	 Technical Assessment: Conduct comprehensive assessments of the technical aspects of electricity generation, transmission, and distribution systems, identifying areas for improvement and optimization. Infrastructure Modernization: Collaborate with stakeholders to develop plans for the modernization and expansion of electricity infrastructure, ensuring reliability and efficiency. Renewable Energy Integration: Work on integrating renewable energy sources into the electricity grid, considering technical challenges and grid stability. Grid Optimization: Utilize advanced engineering techniques to optimize grid operations, reduce losses, and enhance the overall efficiency of electricity distribution. Maintenance and Reliability: Oversee maintenance programs and initiatives to ensure the reliability and availability of electricity supply. Technical Standards: Ensure compliance with international technical standards and best practices in electricity generation, transmission, and distribution. Capacity Building: Provide training and capacity-building support to utility personnel and technical staff in the electricity sector. Safety and Environmental Compliance: Promote safety measures and environmental compliance within the electricity sector.
Output(s)	Inception, mission and progress reporting, etc. as requested

Terms of Reference for Short Term Expert