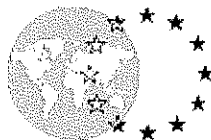


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SUBJECT: CALL FOR DEPLOYMENT OF TEN (10) CRT OR OTHER MEMBER STATE EXPERTS
TO SUPPORT THE CPCC-LED PLANNING TEAM FOR THE CSDP MISSION IN LIBYA

REFERENCES: COUNCIL DECISION OF 1 FEBRUARY 2013, DOC. 5063/13 R-UE/EU-R ON THE
CRISIS MANAGEMENT CONCEPT FOR THE CSDP MISSION IN LIBYA
CPCC proposed road map for Libya operational Planning of 5 February 2013,
doc. 5963/1/13 and CivCom advice on the road map, doc. 6064/1/13 of 6
February 2013

Dear Ambassador,

1. Background

In view of taking the operational planning for the envisaged civilian CSDP mission in Libya forward, the CPCC has set up a planning team which however needs reinforcement by a number of experts. As outlined, nine of the ten CRT experts will be asked to join the Technical Assessment Mission (TAM) and up to seven might be asked to carry out tasks in Libya after the TAM.

General information on financial aspects and timelines are found below and in Annex 1.

The Director of the CPCC kindly invites EU Member States to put forward qualified candidates for the positions listed in Annex 1.

2. Methodology

- a) Member States are requested to examine the personal profile and job description to ensure that:
 - proposed candidates meet the listed criteria described in the essential requirements and in the job description (**Annex 1**).
 - each candidate completes the standard job application form in English (**Annex 2**). Applications will be considered only when using this form and indicating which position(s) the candidate is applying for.
- b) Proposed candidates should satisfy in full the criteria set out in the job description. The main criteria for suitability for posts are professional and specific skills and experience.
- c) We would appreciate it if Member States would submit offers of personnel at their earliest convenience, **but not later than close of business on**
 - **15 February 2013**

Member States should submit their personnel offers, by e-mail to the following address:

cpcc.crt@eeas.europa.eu

- d) CPCC will be responsible for notifying Member States of the outcome of the selection process. Communication of the selection results is expected to take place at 19 February 2013.
- e) The CRT experts are expected to start working in Brussels not later than 25 February 2013 for a period of up to three months and bring the equipment listed in Annex 3.
- f) Selected personnel should be ready for a temporary deployment to Libya.

3. General Information

- a) Subject to the outcome of the discussion in RELEX Counsellors Group and the subsequent agreement by PSC on the use of a preparatory measure, CRT members will be financed in accordance with the agreed procedures. As a general rule, CRT high risk insurance*, daily allowances and accommodation costs will be covered by the preparatory measure according to the Council document 7291/09 (10 March 2009). All other personnel-related costs for those CRT will be under the responsibility of the contributing Member State, including salaries, pre-mission medical care, travel expenses to and from the deployment area (including home leave), and allowances other than those paid according to the Council document 7291/09 mentioned above.

Subject to the adoption of the Council Decision on the future Mission Mandate and approval of the relevant Budgetary Impact Statement, the duration of the CRT deployments will be

* the Vanbreda's Group insurance facility which is the same policy applicable to all International staff members in the CSDP missions and covers medical care, accidental death & disability benefits amongst other benefits.

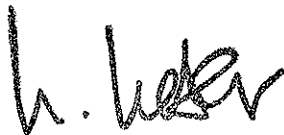
for up to three months until such a time as suitable mission personnel has been recruited for the positions.

Only personnel nominations received through official channels from Member States will be considered.

- b) The EU strives for improved gender balance in CSDP operations in compliance with UNSCR 1325. CPCC encourages Member States to take this into account when offering contributions.
- c) The selected candidate will have to be in possession of the necessary level of security clearance, as indicated in the requirements of the relevant job description. The original certificate of the national security clearance must accompany deployed seconded personnel.
- d) Any further information required relating to the selection and deployment of experts may be obtained from the CPCC, by contacting:

Ms Ulla Bergqvist and/or Mr Markus Bierschenk
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Yours sincerely,



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CRT National Point of Contact

ANNEXES:

- Requirements and Job Descriptions (**Annex 1**)
- Standard Application Form (**Annex 2**)
- List of equipment (**Annex 3**)