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REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL No. OPA-RFP-15-002

LEGAL COUNSEL AND PROCUREMENT APPEALS HEARING OFFICER FOR FISCAL YEARS 2016, 2017, and 2018

The Office of Public Accountability (OPA) is soliciting proposals from qualified attorneys or law firms to form a pool of attorneys to serve as legal counsel and procurement appeals hearing officers to the OPA for fiscal years (FY) 2016, 2017, and 2018 with the option to renew for up to three additional one-year terms. The work shall consist primarily of reviewing, advising, and addressing a wide variety of issues concerning audits, investigations, and government procurement. Counsel may also be requested to provide legal advice pertaining to the mandated roles and responsibilities of the OPA and provide training to OPA staff on various procurement issues.

Request for Proposal (RFP) packages may be obtained at the OPA, in Hagatna, Guam, between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., from Monday to Friday, excluding holidays. The RFP may also be downloaded at the OPA website at www.opaguam.org. **Deadline for submission of all proposals is 12:00 pm Chamorro Standard Time (Guam Time), June 26, 2015.** All proposals must be submitted to the attention of: Public Auditor Doris Flores Brooks, CPA, CGFM.

The OPA, with the written approval of the Public Auditor, reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, solicit new proposals, waive minor informalities or irregularities or award in whole or in part.

All questions regarding the proposal should be made in writing and directed to the Public Auditor Doris Flores Brooks, CPA, CGFM via facsimile at 472-7951 or e-mail at admin@guamopa.org. Except to the above persons named, direct or indirect contact with OPA Management or Staff or any person participating in the selection process is prohibited.

/s/ Doris Flores Brooks, CPA, CGFM Public Auditor