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**Expression of Interest**

**Organic and Food Safety Auditor**

The Safe Agriculture Trade Facilitation through Economic Integration in the Pacific (SAFE Pacific) project looks to contribute to increasing access to Market Certification in the 15 participating Pacific Island States through interregional, intraregional, and international trade. SAFE Pacific is funded by the European Union and implemented by The Pacific Community’s (SPC) Land Resources Division (LRD).

A key capability is to support Medium, Small Enterprises to obtain certification to market certification programmes that can enable the businesses to access higher value markets. The SAFE project is seeking to identify potential market certification auditors to support the project objectives.

Those interested in becoming auditors are requested to complete and return this application form to **Jim Pierce, POETCom Coordinator,** **jamesp@spc.int**(cc**procurement@spc.int****) no later than 18 October 2023**, **11.59pm, Fiji time** (If this is explained in an appended CV, there is no need to provide duplicate information). Applicants will be evaluated by the project team for suitability to be supported in trainings provided by SPC and external vendors, entities, agencies, and organisations. Trainings will vary in location (including virtual) and will take place between September 2023 and November 2024.

**SECTION 1:**

***a. Name and contact details:***

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| Personal details |
| Name:  | Click or tap here to enter text. | Title:  | *[insert title of representative]* |
| Phone number: | *[Phone number]* | Email: | *[email address]* |
| Company(s) or organisation(s) that you are working or affiliated to? | Click or tap here to enter text. |

**b. Please indicate the Pacific ACP country/countries where you are based and have experience in working in.**

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| [ ]  Cook Islands[ ]  Federated States of Micronesia [ ]  Fiji[ ]  Kiribati[ ]  Marshall Islands | [ ]  Nauru[ ]  Niue[ ]  Palau☐ Papua New Guinea[ ]  Samoa | [ ]  Solomon Islands[ ]  Timor Leste[ ]  Tonga[ ]  Tuvalu[ ]  Vanuatu |

**c. Auditor interest and experience**

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| ***What type of auditing are you interested in undertaking, what is your experience and training?*** |
|  | Interested in Undertaking | No experience | 1- 2 years | 2-5 years | More than 5 years | Have completed training |
| Organic certification auditing – 3rd party |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
| Organic certification - PGS |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
| Food Safety – HACCP |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
| ***Other (Please list below)*** |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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**d. Training qualifications**

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| ***What type of training qualifications have you gained?*** |
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| Technical Institute |[ ]  Click or tap here to enter text. |
| University |[ ]  Click or tap here to enter text. |
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| ***Other training and qualifications including any auditor training (Please list below)*** |  |  |
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**e. Experience with crops/value chains**

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| ***Please rate your experience and knowledge of the following production systems and values chains?*** |
|  | No knowledge | Some 1- 2 years | 2-5 years |  Very experienced |
| Coffee |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
| Cocoa |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
| Coconut |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
| Kava |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
| Turmeric |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
| Vegetable/fruit production |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
| Livestock production |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
| Fisheries/aquaculture |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
| *Other (Please list below)* | Click or tap here to enter text. |
| Processing (describe) |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
| Food safety |[ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
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**f. Applicant Profile**

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| Please provide on why you are interested in becoming an auditor and any relevant experience you have. |

**g. Please attach a curriculum vitae.**

**DECLARATION**

I hereby certify that I have the authority to submit this proposal on behalf of the applicant and I certify that the above and attached information is true and accurate.

Click or tap to enter a date.

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