

InfraPPP Press Release

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InfraPPP Advisory Services in the shortlist to execute a Real Estate Feasibility Study in Benin

- The Islamic Development Bank (IDB) has shortlisted InfraPPP Advisory Services to carry out the works
- InfraPPP will use its vast experience on PPPs and the Real Estate market to analyze commercial solutions

InfraPPP Advisory Services is further developing its relationships with international finance institutions (IFIs) and national governments in Africa to become the number one advisory firm on PPPs and project development in Africa.

The Islamic Development Bank (IDB) has set up a US\$ 10 billion fund, the Islamic Solidarity Fund for Development (ISFD), to help country members to finance poverty reduction programmes and develop projects. The fund is being maintained as Waqf (Islamic endowment/ Trust).

The fund currently has raised USD 2.215 billion, which constitutes 22 per cent of the approved initial capital of USD10 billion. Saudi Arabia and the IDB have paid USD1 billion and USD 650 million respectively.

Within this context and using funding from the ISFD, the Government of Benin and the IDB are working together to develop a project in the capital of Benin, Cotonou. For this purpose, InfraPPP Advisory Services has been selected to prepare a Feasibility study of options to create a project commercially viable.

Jose de la Maza, Partner of InfraPPP, commented: “We are very thankful for the trust we are receiving from the IDB being in this shortlist. This ISFD is envisioning a very creative solution to partner with governments to develop successful projects in developing areas. We believe we are the right partner to the IDB to present a rich set of options to develop the proposed plot of land”.

About us

InfraPPP Advisory Services is a consultancy firm specialized in Public Private Partnerships. We advise public and private clients in all kinds of PPP-related assignments, with a global reach

We offer a broad range of services to governments and public agencies:

- Feasibility & Pre-Feasibility Studies
- Project Identification Plans & Assessment of PPP programs
- Structuring PPP projects
- Support in PPP tenders
- PPP Capacity Development
- Creation of PPP Units

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