

# NATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR POLICY AND STRATEGIC STUDIES, KURU





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## INTERNAL ADVERTISEMENT

## **Expression of Interest**

#### Observation of the conduct of Political Parties during the Gubernatorial Elections in Edo and Ondo States

The Political Parties Leadership and Policy Development Centre (PPLPDC) of the National Institute for Policy and Strategic Studies (PPLPDC), Kuru requires the services of qualified academics and practitioners with considerable experience in political party administration and election monitoring and observation to serve as facilitators during a Methodology Workshop for Election Observers.

### Objectives of the Methodology Workshop

The overarching objective of the Methodology Workshop is to build the capacity of participants for effective observation and documentation of the conduct and behaviour of political parties on such issues as inclusivity, adherence to political parties' code of conduct, INEC Guideline for conduct of election and other legal framework of elections.

Other objectives of the exercise are as follows:

- Familiarise the participants with NIPSS-PPLPDC Election Observation Instrument and Reporting Template;
- Strengthen the knowledge capacity of participants on INEC Guidelines for Election Observation;
- Sensitise participants on Election Observation Protocol and Administration; and
- Enhance the participants ability to constructively evaluate behavioural pattern of political parties' officials and identify gaps, challenges as well as make appropriate recommendations to remedy the observed inadequacies.

## **Terms of Reference**

#### **Required Skills and Experience**

Interested applicants (expert) should possess the following qualifications;

- PhD or MSc in Political Science/International Relations/Sociology and other related disciplines.
- Evidence of previous engagements as a resource person in related issues or election
- observation processes.
- Excellent communication skill/ Ability to impart knowledge in an interactively.

#### **How to Apply**

Interested and qualified applicants should submit the following documents:

- Expression of Interest (EOI) or a motivation letter; maximum one page;
- Curriculum Vitae;

The documents should be sent to <u>info@nipsspplpdc.org</u> on or before 12 noon on Thursday, 13<sup>th</sup> August 2020.

Note: Only shortlisted applicants will be contacted.

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