



## **Terms of Reference: Freelance Editor for CEWARN's publications for online and hard copy dissemination**

CEWARN requires the services of an experienced and professionally well-regarded freelance editor with strong command of the English language as well as familiarity with peace and security issues in the region. A strong acquaintance with CEWARN's conflict early warning work will be an added advantage. The editor, under the direct supervision of the CEWARN director and PR and communications officer, will be responsible for editing, abridging and some writing on CEWARN early warning and activity reports as well as various publications for online and hardcopy dissemination. He or she will be responsible for ensuring the highest editorial quality set to tight deadlines.

The qualified candidate will have extensive writing experience as well as a working exposure to conflict prevention and resolution issues in the region.

### **Contract duration**

6 Months renewable (from March 2012)

### **Required Expertise**

The editor/writer must have: -

- An understanding of the CEWARN mechanism and its operations
- Relevant professional experience as an editor of high quality English-language publications
- Have a deep knowledge of conflict dynamics and prevention issues in the IGAD region
- Excellent writing skills
- High-standard written samples of previously published work
- Ability to deliver high-quality work on tight deadlines

### **Deadline for Application**

Interested candidates should send their application and samples of work to CEWARN - Attention Ms. Sebene Negussie at [Sebene.negussie@cewarn.org](mailto:Sebene.negussie@cewarn.org) before 25 February 2012.

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