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Invitation for Bids (IFB)

Country: RWANDA

Project ID: P150643 – RESSP

Project Name: RWANDA ELECTRICITY SECTOR STRENGTHENING PROJECT (RESSP)

Contract Name: PLANT DESIGN, SUPPLY, AND INSTALLATION OF LOW VOLTAGE AND MEDIUM VOLTAGE LINES AND SERVICE CONNECTIONS IN RUTSIRO DISTRICT, WESTERN PROVINCE OF RWANDA

IFB Number: 02/EPC/18-19/ICB/EARP-RESSP

1. This Invitation for Bids follows the General Procurement Notice for this Project that appeared in Development Business, issue of 15th April 2015.

2. The Government of Rwanda has received a financing from the International Development Association (IDA) towards the cost of Rwanda Electricity Sector Strengthening Project (RESSP), and it intends to apply part of the proceeds of this loan to payments under the Contract for PLANT DESIGN, SUPPLY, AND INSTALLATION OF LOW VOLTAGE AND MEDIUM VOLTAGE LINES AND SERVICE CONNECTIONS IN THE KARONGI AND RUTSIRO DISTRICTS, WESTERN PROVINCE OF RWANDA.

3. ENERGY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION LIMITED (EDCL) now invites sealed bids from eligible and qualified bidders for the tender for PLANT DESIGN, SUPPLY, AND INSTALLATION OF LOW VOLTAGE AND MEDIUM VOLTAGE LINES AND SERVICE CONNECTIONS IN THE KARONGI AND RUTSIRO DISTRICTS AND WESTERN PROVINCE OF RWANDA.

4. Bidding will be conducted through the International Competitive Bidding (ICB) procedures specified in the World Bank’s Guidelines: Procurement under IBRD Loans and
IDA Credits, and is open to all bidders from Eligible Source Countries as defined in the Guidelines.

5. Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information ELECTRICITY ACCESS ROLL OUT PROGRAM (EARP) and inspect the bidding documents at the address given below from 08 00 to 17 00 hours local time.

6. A complete set of bidding documents in English may be purchased by interested bidders on the submission of a written application to the address below and upon payment of a non-refundable fee of Fifty US Dollars (USD 50) or an equivalent amount in a freely convertible currency deposited to the account called RECO/EARP N° 1230070 opened at BNR (National Bank of Rwanda).

7. Bids must be delivered to the address below at or before 10 00 hours local time on day 15/11/2018. Electronic bidding will not be permitted. Late bids will be rejected. Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders’ representatives who choose to attend in person at the address below at 10: 30 hours, local time on the same day 15/11/2018.

8. All bids must be accompanied by a Bid Security of US$ 40,000 or an equivalent amount in a freely convertible currency.

9. A Pre-Bid meeting will take place at the following date, time and place:
   
   Date: 18/10/2018
   
   Time: 10.00 Hours local time (08.00 Hours GMT)
   
   Place: EDCL Headquarter

10. A site visit conducted by the Employer shall be organized and will coincide with the pre-bid meeting. Bidders or their designated representative are strongly encouraged to attend the pre-bid meeting and site visit.
11. The address referred to above is:

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Yours truly,

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