Kigali,

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**Invitation for Bids (IFB)**

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| Country: | **Rwanda** |
| Loan No:  | **2100150029445** |
| Project Name: | **Increasing the Climate Change Adaptive Capacity of vulnerable Rwandan communities.** |
| Contract Name:  | 1. **Construction/ rehabilitation and upgrading of rural**
2. **infrastructure (markets, integrated crafts production**
3. **centres and selling points)**
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| ICB Number:  | **01/W/2019-NCB/EARP-ADF/GEF** |

1. This Invitation for Bids follows the General Procurement Notice for this Project that appeared in UN Development Business, issue of **4th** **June 2018 and on African Development Bank Group’s Internet Website.**

2. The **Government of Rwanda** has received a grant from Global Environment Facility-Least Developed Countries Fund (GEF-LDCF) through African Development Bank (AfDB) towards the cost of **Increasing the Climate Change Adaptive Capacity of vulnerable Rwandan communities. Project,** and it intends to apply part of the proceeds of this grant to payments under the Contract for **Construction/ rehabilitation and upgrading of rural infrastructure (markets, integrated crafts production centres and selling points).**

3. **Energy Development Corporation Limited (DCL)** now invites sealed bids from eligible and qualified bidders for the tender for **Construction/ rehabilitation and upgrading of rural infrastructure (markets, integrated crafts production centres and selling points):**

Lot 1: Construction/ rehabilitation and upgrading of rural infrastructure in KARONGI

 District

Lot 2: Construction/ rehabilitation and upgrading of rural infrastructure in NYAMASHEKE

 District

Lot 3: Construction/ rehabilitation and upgrading of rural infrastructure in RUSIZI District

4. Bidding will be conducted through the **National Competitive Bidding (NCB)** procedures specified in the **African Development Bank**’s *Guidelines:* Procurement of Goods and Contracting for Execution of Works.

5. The selected bidders may obtain further information and the tender document from the **Energy Development Corporation Limited (EDCL) Procurement Office** at the address below.

6. The provisions in the Instruction to Bidders and in the General Conditions of the Contract are the provisions of The African Development Bank Standard Bidding Document: Procurement of Small Works.

7. Bids must be delivered to the address below **at or before 10:00 AM local time (8:00 AM GMT)** on **24/10/ 2019.** 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 AM local time (8:30 AM GMT)** on the same day, **24/10/2019**.

8.All bids must be accompanied by a Bid Security of:

 **Lot 1: 18,000,000 Frw**

 **Lot 2: 15,000,000 Frw**

 **Lot 3: 20,000,000 Frw**

 or an equivalent amount in a freely convertible currency.

9. The address referred to above is:

**Energy Development Corporation Ltd (EDCL)**

KN2 ST 3, Nyarugenge District, Kigali City,

Kigali City Tower (KCT), 10th Floor

PO Box 3855 Kigali, Rwanda.

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