

Kigali, 24th September 2018

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Invitation for Bids (IFB)

| Country: | RWANDA |
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| Project ID: | P150643 – RESSP |
| Project Name: | RWANDA ELECTRICITY SECTOR STRENGTHENING PROJECT (RESSP) |
| Contract Name: | PROCUREMENT OF PLANT DESIGN, SUPPLY, AND INSTALLATION OF LOW VOLTAGE AND MEDIUM VOLTAGE LINES FOR PRODUCTIVE USERS IN RWANDA. |
| IFB Number: | 03/W-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 for Productive Users in 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 for Productive Users in 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 nonrefundable 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 <u>at or before 10 00 hours local time</u> on day 15/11/2018. Electronic bidding <u>will not</u> 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 <u>10: 30 hours, local time</u> 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 <u>will</u> take place at the following date, time and place:

Date: 18/10/2018 Time: <u>10.00 Hours local time</u> (08.00 Hours GMT) Place: EDCL Headquarter

- 10. A pre-bid meeting conducted by the Employer <u>shall be</u> organized. Bidders or their designated representatives are strongly encouraged to attend the pre-bid meeting.
- 11. The address referred to above is:

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Yours truly,

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