

Procurement of Installation Services for Substations Rubavu, Bwishyura and Extension at Kibuye

Invitation for Bids

1 Preface

This Bidding Document for Procurement of Plant Design, Supply, and Installation has been prepared by NILE EQUATORIAL LAKES SUBSIDIARY ACTION PROGRAM (NELSAP) and is based on the Standard Bidding Document for Procurement of Plant Design, Supply, and Installation issued by the African Development Bank, dated September 2010; amended through provisions required by KfW.

The Standard Bidding Document for Procurement of Plant Design, Supply, and Installation reflects the structure and the provisions of the Master Document for the Procurement of Plant Design, Supply, and Installation, prepared by Multilateral Development Banks and International Financing Institutions.

2 Procurement Notice

The Government of Rwanda represented by the Ministry of Finance and Economic Planning has received grants from the governments of The Netherlands and the Federal Republic of Germany via KfW/ Germany as well as from the African Development Bank (AfDB) in various currencies toward the cost of the project “220 kV Transmission System: Goma – Bwishyura / Kibuye – Rubavu – Shango – Birembo”. It is intended that part of the proceeds of these grants from KfW will be applied to eligible payments under the contract for construction of the project for the Rwanda Portion.

The Rwanda Energy Group (REG), Rwanda now invites sealed bids from bidders for the design, erection, testing, and commissioning of the following works at the substations described below.

Substations

The project will cover the construction of the following three 220 kV substations:

Republic of Rwanda:

Procurement of Installation Services for new Substations Rubavu, new Bwishyura and Extension at Kibuye

Interested eligible firms may obtain further information from and inspect the Bidding Document at the office of Energy Development Corporation Limited (EDCL) at the address given below:

Rwanda Energy Group

Kigali City Tower 10 Floor
B.P. 3855
Kigali
Rwanda

Phone : +250 0787172265
E-mail: procurement@edcl.reg.rw

Between the Employer and KfW it was agreed to retain a Tender Agent in order to assist the Employer in the procurement process. The address of the Tender Agent acting for the current project is:

Mr. Walter Klotz & Mr. Mathias Holweck

Energy Consultants
Am Reitplatz 2B
D 65779 Kelkheim/Ts
Germany

Mob: +49.170 69 27 814
Fax: +49.6195.8428

Emails: walter_klotz@hotmail.com

The provisions in the Instructions to Bidders and in the General Conditions of Contract are the provisions of the Standard Bidding Documents issued by African Development Bank: Bidding Document for Installation services (Erection, Testing and Commissioning), amended by provisions required by KfW.

Bids must be delivered to the office below on or before **February 25th 2020** at 10:00 local time and must be accompanied by a security of **USD 100,000.00 provided by bank.**

- Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend **February 25th 2020** at 10:00 local time at the above office of the Employer.

Purchasing of Bid Documents

- a) A complete set of bidding documents in English may be purchased by interested applicants at the address below and upon payment of a non-refundable fee of **USD 100.00** or in a freely convertible currency. The payment shall be made in cash or by wire transfer to REG bank account as indicated in the Procurement Notice. The bidder himself or his agent shall collect the Bid Documents (soft copy on a USB stick or DVD) at the Employer's office from 8:30h to 15:30h in normal working days.
- b) The bid documents may also be obtained by download of soft copies from a dedicated internet server. The access will be communicated to the bidder upon proof of payment; the Bidder shall transmit a copy of Bank Payment Slip and his e-mail address to the e-mails: procurement@edcl.reg.rw, gumushashi@edcl.reg.rw and walter_klotz@hotmail.com

Bank Accounts for Foreign Transactions

The method of payment will be cash to (Rwanda Energy Group, Kigali or by wire transfer to the accounts at the address below.

	Foreign Currency
Account Name	INTERCONNECTION PROJECT OF NILE EQU (RWF)
Beneficiary Bank	NATIONAL BANK OF RWANDA
Swift Code	BNRWRWRW
Account no	1000023155
Currency	RWF (Rwandan Francs)

Acknowledge of Receipt of Bid Document

The same is true for Amendments to the bid, Time extensions, Circular letter with Clarifications.

Fax Message or E-Mail

Name of Contract	Procurement of Installation Services for Substations Rubavu, Bwishyura and Extension at Kibuye Ref.: 2009 67505, 2020 60689 (Netherlands delegated cooperation through KfW)
To:	Rwanda Energy Group Kigali City Tower 10 Floor B.P. 3855, Kigali- Rwanda Phone: +250 0787172265 E-mail: procurement@edcl.reg.rw ; gumushashi@edcl.reg.rw
Copy to:	Energy Consultants: Walter Klotz , 65779 Kelkheim Germany , E-mail: walter_klotz@hotmail.com

Acknowledge of Receipt of Bid Document Documents for:

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Ref.: 2009 67505, 2020 60689 (Netherlands delegated cooperation through KfW)

Company Address	Contact Person:
Tel No.:	E-Mail:
Fax No.:	
Signature:	Name
Place, Date:	