INVITATION FOR BIDS (Specific Procurement Notice)

Country: Ministry of Water and Energy

Name of the Project: Ethiopia HoA GW for Resilience Project

Project ID: P174867

Contract Title: Procurement of contractor Rural water supply system Construction (Civil work, Pipe laying, EM supply and installation, water point construction in 7 Woreda for 7 sites in Dire, Arero, Teltele, Dillo, Moyale and Yabello, Miyo Woredas of Oromia Region in three lots

Reference No: ET-MOWE-402225-CW-RFB

The Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia has received financing from the World Bank towards the cost of Ethiopia HoA GW for Resilience Project and intends to apply part of the proceeds toward payments under the contract Procurement for Rural water supply system Construction (Civil work, Pipe laying, EM supply and installation, water point construction in 7 Woreda for 7 sites in Dire, Arero, Teltele, Dillo, Moyale and Yabello, Miyo Woredas of Oromia Region in three lots

The Ministry of Water and Energy now invites sealed bids from eligible bidders Procurement for Rural water supply system Construction (Civil work, Pipe laying, EM supply and installation, water point construction in 7 Woreda for 7 sites in Dire, Arero, Teltele, Dillo, Moyale and Yabello, Miyo Woredas of Oromia Region in three lots. The Detail Description of lot is described in Table below:

| Cont.No | Lots | Description of Works | Location of the Project | Distance of the site Location in KM |
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| ET- MOWE- 402225- CW-RFB | Lot I | Rural water supply system Construction (Civil work, Pipe laying, EM supply and installation, water point construction) for Dida Yabelo, Golole and Kawa Water supply and Sanitation projects | Diada Yabelo WSP, Yabelo Woreda, Borena Zone, Oromia Region Golole WSP, Teltele Woreda, Borena Zone, Oromia Region Kawa WSP, Arero Woredas, Borena Zone, Oromia Region | Dida YabeloWSP: 515 KM from Addis Ababa Golole WSP, 697 KM from Addis Ababa Kawa WSP: 732 KM from Addis Ababa |
| | Lot II | Rural water supply system Construction (Civil work, Pipe laying, EM supply and installation, water point construction) for Ramso and Goray WS projects | Ramso WSP, Dire Woreda, Borena Zone, Oromia Region Goray WSP, Dillo Woreda, Borena Zone, Oromia Region | Ramso WSP, 717 KM from Addis Ababa Goray WSP: 740 KM from Addis Ababa |
| | Lot III | Rural water supply system Construction (Civil work, Pipe laying, EM supply and installation, water point construction) for Meti and Erdar WS projects | Meti WSP, Miyo Woreda, Borena Zone, Oromia Region Erdar WSP, Moyale Woreda, Borena Zone, Oromia Region | Meti WSP, 749 KM from Addis Ababa Goray WSP: 770 KM from Addis Ababa |

The Bidder shall furnish documentary evidence to demonstrate that it meets the following experience requirement(s): (i) Must have successfully completed at least one (1) contract having a value of ETB 120,000,000.00 (One Hundred Twenty Million Birr) or two (2) contracts each with the Minimum value of ETB 80,000,000(Eighty Million Birr) for Lot I and, one (1) contract having a value of ETB 80,000,000.00 (Eighty Million Birr) or two (2) contracts each with the Minimum value of ETB 40,000,000(Forty Million Birr) for each of lot II and III, with a similar size, nature and complexity during the last 5 (Five Years) supported with the names of the clients, types and value of the contract, (ii) The bidder shall demonstrate that it has access to, or has available liquid assets, unencumbered real assets, lines of credit and other financial means (independent of any contractual advance payment) sufficient to meet the cash flow requirement of ETB 30,000,000 (Thirty Million Birr) for lot I, and ETB 20,000,000 (Twenty Million Birr) for each of lot II and III (iii) The audited Financial Statement or, other financial statement acceptable to the Employer for the last five Years shall be submitted and must demonstrate the current soundness of the bidder's financial position and indicate its prospective long term profitability, and (iv) Minimum Average Annual Turnover of ETB 220,000,000 (Two Hundred Twenty Million) for Lot I, and ETB 150,000,000 (One Hundred Fifty Million Birr) for each of Lot II and II, calculated as average of total certified payments received for contracts in Progress and/or completed within the last five years.

Bidding will be conducted through the National Competitive Bidding procedures as specified in the World Bank Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers Procurement in investment project financing, Goods, Works, Non-Consulting and Consulting Service, fifth edition September 2023, and is open to all eligible bidders as defined in the Procurement Regulations. In addition, please refer to paragraphs 1.6 and 1.7 setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest.

Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from Ministry of Water and Energy, Ethiopia - Horn of Africa Ground water for Resilience Project Water Supply Implementation Unit, Procurement section, room 239 from 8:30 am -12:30 pm in the morning and 1:30 pm to 5:30 pm in the afternoon at the address given below.

The scanned copy of the bidding document in English can be obtained free of charge by downloading the following link:

https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1IHn1GY00H0Vv3ZjQXgsSbi9EoBtnieDi?usp=drive_link

Bidders are required to complete the registration sending bidder representative to the Ministry in person during office hours from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. and 1:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the First floor & room no. 239.

Bids must be delivered to the address below on or before 6 March 2024, 2:30 PM. Late bids will be rejected. Bids will be publicly opened in the presence of the bidders' designated representatives and anyone who choose to attend at the address below on 06 March 2024 at 3:00 PM

All bids must be accompanied by Security of ETB 800,000 (Eight Hundred Thousand Birr) for Lot I and ETB 600,000 (Six Hundred Thousand Birr) for each of Lot II and lot III in the form of CPO or Bank Guarantee that is Valid for at least 150 days.

The address referred to above is:

Ministry of Water and Energy

Attention: Mr. Kasahun Beyene, Water Supply PIT Coordinator of HoA GW for Resilience in the MoWE

Street Address: Bole, Haile G/Silase Avenue Road, around 22 Mazoria, next to Capital Hotel

Floor/Room number: 2nd floor, room no. 238

City: Addis Ababa

Ethiopia