

Kigali, 16/02/2024

Specific Procurement Notice

IFB OCBI No: 003/W/2023-2024/ OCBI/ RUEAP- TSRLMC Employer: Energy Development Corporation Limited (EDCL)

Project: Transmission System reinforcement and Last Mile Connectivity Project (TSRLMC)

Contract title: Supply, and Installation of Low Voltage and Medium Voltage Lines and Service

Connections in Huye, Gisagara, Nyamagabe, Nyaruguru Districts in Southern Province

Country: Rwanda

Loan No.: 2100150042645

Procurement Method: Open Competitive Bidding (International) (OCBI)

- 1. The Government of Rwanda has received financing from the African Development Fund hereinafter called the Bank toward the cost of the Transmission System reinforcement and Last Mile Connectivity Project (TSRLMC), and intends to apply part of the proceeds toward payments under the Contracts for Supply, And Installation of Low Voltage And Medium Voltage Lines and Service Connections in Huye, Gisagara, Nyamagabe, Nyaruguru Districts, in Southern Province. For this contract, the Borrower shall process the payments using the Direct Payment disbursement method, as defined in the Bank's Disbursement Guidelines and procedures for Investment Project Financing, except for those payments, which the contract provides to be made through letter of credit.
- 2. The Energy Development and Corporation Limited now invites sealed Bids from eligible Bidders for Supply, And Installation of Low Voltage and Medium Voltage Lines and Service Connections in Huye, Gisagara, Nyamagabe, Nyaruguru Districts, in Southern Province. The tender is in two (2) lots as detailed below and bidders may have the option to bid for any one lot or both lots. Bidders who intend to offer discounts in case they are awarded both lots will be allowed to do, as long as these discounts are explicitly stated in the Letter of Bid.

Table 1. Summary Scope for Lot1: Electrification of HUVE and GISAGARA Districts

Item	Description	Unit	Qty	Period
1	Wooden Poles (9m, 12m &14m)	No	12,760	
2	Steel poles for MV Lines	No	94	
3	30/0.4kV Transformer-three phase from 25kVA to 400KVA	No	114	
4	30kV, XLPE / SWA,Cu cable, (1x50sqmm & 1x95sqmm)	m	200	hs
5	LV ABC Cables	km	522	18 Months
6	ACSR conductor for MV lines (Circuit Length)	km	499	
7	ABC Service cables with communication wires	km	1,008	

Table 2. Summary Scope for Lot2: Electrification of NYAMAGABE and NYARUGURU Districts

Item	Description	Unit	Qty	Period
1	Wooden Poles (9m, 12m &14m)	No	9,019	
2	Steel poles for MV Lines	No	74	
3	30/0.4kV Transformer-three phase from 25kVA to 400KVA	No	125	
4	30kV, XLPE / SWA,Cu cable, (1x50sqmm & 1x95sqmm)	m	200	hs
5	LV ABC Cables	km	363	Months
6	ACSR conductor for MV lines (Circuit Length)	km	394	18 M
7	ABC Service cables with communication wires	km	523	



- (a) Bidders must have successfully completed at least two (2) similar plant design supply and installation works done within the last five (5) years of similar nature and complexity, each with a value of at least US\$9.8million for Lot 1 and US\$8.5 million for Lot 2.
- (b) Minimum average annual turnover of US\$14,7 million for Lot 1 and US\$12.7 million for Lot 2, calculated as total certified payments received for contracts in progress or completed, within the last three (3) years.
- (c) Additional qualification details are provided in the Bidding Documents.
- 3. Bidding will be conducted through the Open Competitive Bidding (International), OCBI procedures as specified in the Bank's <u>Procurement Framework</u> *Procurement Policy for Bank Group Funded Operations, dated October 2015*, IFB and is open to all eligible Bidders as defined in the Procurement Framework.
- 4. Interested eligible Bidders may obtain further information from *Energy Development and Corporation Limited, procurement@edcl.reg.rw* and inspect the bidding document during office hours 0900 to 1700 at the address given below.
- 5. The bidding document in English may be purchased by interested eligible Bidders upon the submission of a written application to the address below and upon payment of a nonrefundable fee of *Fifty US Dollars (USD 50.00)*. The method of payment will be by a direct payment into the Bank Account N° 1000057734 in USD, (Swift Code: BNRWRWRW) held with *National Bank of Rwanda* in the name of *EDCL EAQIP IDA Designated Account*. The document will be sent by e-mail from procurement@edcl.reg.rw and gndayisaba@edcl.reg.rw.
- 6. Bids must be delivered to the address below on or before/04/2024 at 10:30a.m local time. Electronic bidding will not be permitted. Late Bids will be rejected. Bids will be publicly opened in the presence of the Bidders' designated representatives and anyone who chooses to attend at the address below on/04/2024 at 11:00 a.m, Local time.
- 7. All Bids must be accompanied by a Bid Security as follows:

Lot 1: Two Hundred Forty-Six Thousand US Dollars (USD 246,000)

Lot 2: Two Hundred Twelve Thousand US Dollars (USD 212,000)

- 8. Attention is drawn to the Procurement Framework requiring the Borrower to disclose information on the successful bidder's beneficial ownership, as part of the Contract Award Notice, using the Beneficial Ownership Disclosure Form as included in the bidding document.
- 9. The address(es) referred to above is (are):

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