Specific Procurement Notice

Kigali, 29 May 2023

**IFB Number:** 01/G/2022-2023/NCB/ EDCL/ AfDB

**Purchaser:** Energy Development Corporation Limited

**Project:** Rusumo Falls Hydropower Project-Transmission Line Component

**Contract title:** Supply of IT Equipment

**Country:** Rwanda

**Loan No. :** 220026000123 &2100150030546

**Procurement Method:** Open Competitive Bidding (OCBN)

**OCBI / LCB No:**

**Issued on:** 29 May 2023

1. The Government of Rwanda has received financing from the African Development Fund (ADF) hereinafter called the Bank toward the cost of Rusumo Falls Hydropower Project-Transmission Line Component and intends to apply part of the proceeds toward payments under the contract for **Supply IT Equipment**. 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.

1. The Energy Development Corporation Limited now invites sealed Bids from eligible Bidders for **Supply of IT Equipment**
2. Bidding will be conducted through the **Open Competitive Bidding** (National), (OCBN) method as specified in the Bank’s [Procurement Framework](https://www.afdb.org/en/projects-and-operations/procurement/new-procurement-policy) Procurement Policy for Bank Group Funded Operations dated 2014, and is open to all eligible bidders as defined in the Procurement Framework.
3. Interested eligible Bidders may obtain further information from Energy Development Corporation limited and procurement@edcl.reg.rw, and inspect the bidding document during office hours 09:00 to 17:00 hours at the address given below.
4. 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 Thirty US dollars (30 USD).

The method of payment will be to deposit in the Bank Account No 1000027808 opened in the **National Bank of Rwanda** (BNR) in the name of RUSUMO TRANSMISSION LINE (USD); SWIFT CODE: BNRWRWRW.

The proof of payment shall be sent to the following email: procurement@edcl.reg.rw; copy to jdruberanziza@edcl.reg.rw

1. Bids must be delivered to the address below on or before 30/06/2023 at 10:00 am (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 30/06/2023 at 10:30am.
2. All Bids must be accompanied by a Bid Security of 1,000,000FRW.
3. 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.
4. The address(es) referred to above is (are):

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Sincerely,

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