

INVITATION FOR BIDS

ETHIOPIA

Koga Irrigation & Watershed Management Project

Procurement of Operation and Maintenance Equipments

(Contract Identification Nr. ICB/Koga/O&M/01/2010)

1. This Specific Procurement Notice follows the General Procurement Notice for this project which appeared in UN Development Business. Issue No. 573 of 31 December 2001.
2. The Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia, Ministry of Water Resources has received a loan from the African Development Fund towards the cost of Koga Irrigation & Watershed Management Project, and intends to apply part of the proceeds of the loan to cover eligible payments under the contracts for the supply of **Operation and Maintenance Equipments**. Bidding is open to all eligible bidders.
3. The Ministry of Water Resources now invites sealed bids from prospective bidders for any or all of the following lots:

Lot Number-	Items required-	Required Bid Security
1-	Hydraulic Excavators, Skid steer Loaders, Tractor with trailer, Graders Rear Mounted Land Planner, Backhoe Loader-	ETB 100,000.00
2-	Earth Compactors/Tampers, Self priming Centrifugal Water Pumps-	ETB 5,000.00
3-	Dump Truck and Self Loading Flat-Bed/ Tray Truck, Low bed/Loader	ETB 45,000.00

The bid security should be in the form of C.P.O or Bank Guarantee.

4. Complete sets of bidding documents may be purchased from the following address upon payment of a non-refundable fee of Ethiopian Birr 200, or its equivalent in a freely convertible currency, payable to the Ministry, for each set. Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information and inspect the bidding documents at the same address below.

Ministry of Water Resources
Procurement and property Administration Sub-Directorate
Haile Gebre Selassie Road
Room Number: 202
P.O.Box: 5744
Tel. 25111 662-73-68 or 25111 661 11 11, Extension Number. 379/558
Addis Ababa
Ethiopia

5. The instructions to bidders and general conditions of contract contained in the bidding documents comply with the Bank's Standard Bidding Documents for the Procurement of Goods.

6. Bids shall be valid for a bid period of 120 days after Bid Opening and must be accompanied by the aforementioned security bonds in local currency or its equivalent in a freely convertible currency and be delivered to the Ministry of Water Resources on or before **2.00pm local time on 28th July 2010**. They will be opened in the presence of bidders' representatives who choose to attend at Room Number 211 of Ministry of Water Resources on **28th July 2010 at 2.30pm local time**.