

SPECIFIC PROCUREMENT NOTICE

Name of Borrower's Country : LESOTHO
Name of Project : LESOTHO ELCTRICITY SUPPLY PROJECT
Contract Identification No. : LEC/POP-004/2010/11
Loan No. : 2100150018794

This Specific Procurement Notice follows the General Procurement Notice for this project which appeared in the Development Business Issue No. Afdb33-745/09 dated 6th February 2009.

The Government of Lesotho has received a loan and a grant from the African Development Fund towards the cost of LESOTHO ELECTRICITY SUPPLY PROJECT and intends to apply part of the proceeds of the loan to cover eligible payments under the contract for Rehabilitation of Mantsonyane Mini Hydro Power Station - Contract No: LEC/POP-004/2010/11 under the Lesotho Electricity Supply Project.

The Implementing Agency, Lesotho Electricity Company (LEC), now invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for Rehabilitation of 2 MVA Mantsonyane Mini-Hydro Power Station flooded in 2006. The bidder is invited to implement the following scope:

- i. Repair the dam and tunnel, mechanism for operating the gates and instrumentation
- ii. Repair 1500 KVA and 500 KVA generators, turbines, granes, cooling system, auxiliary diesel generator, 33Kv circuit breaker and control room instrumentation.
- iii. Commission the station

Bidding will be conducted through the International Competitive Bidding procedures specified in African Development Bank Rules and Procedures for Procurement of Goods and Works. Bidding is open to all qualified bidders.

Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from and inspect the Bidding Documents at the office of LESP Procurement Officer, on the following address:

LESOTHO ELECTRICITY COMPANY (PTY) LTD
Procurement Officer - LESP
53 MOSHOESHOE ROAD, INDUSTRIAL AREA, MASERU
P.O. BOX 423, MASERU 100
LESOTHO
Telephone: +266 2231 2236 / 5227 2127, Facsimile:+266 2232 7647
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1. A complete set of Bidding Documents may be purchased by interested bidders on the submission of a written application to the above and upon payment of a non-refundable fee of two thousand Maloti (M2,000) or two thousand South African Rands (ZAR 2,000). Only cash payment or electronic deposit accepted (No Cheques accepted).

Bank details for electronic transfer are:

Bank : Standard Lesotho Bank.
Account Name : Lesotho Electricity Supply Project.
Account type : Call account.
Account No. : 0122050530901
Branch : Pionner Branch - Maseru

2. An organised pre-bid meeting and site visits will take place on the 1st of August.

3. Bids shall be valid for a bid period of 90 days after Bid Opening date. Bids must be delivered to Lesotho Electricity Company Tender Box on or before **12.00 hours on Friday the 9th of September 2011** and must be accompanied by a **security deposit of one hundred thousand South African Rands (ZAR100,000) or equivalent in a freely convertible currency**.
4. Bids will be opened in the presence of bidders' representatives who choose to attend, **on the 9th of September 2011 at 12.15 hours**, at Lesotho Electricity Company Head Quarters, 53 Moshoeshoe Road, Maseru, Lesotho, in the Management Boardroom.