GENERAL PROCUREMENT NOTICE

Arab Republic of Egypt

100 MW Concentrated Solar Power plant (CSP) Project at Kom Ombo- Aswan, Egypt

1. This General Procurement Notice is being published in the current UN Development Business.

2. The Government of the Arab Republic of Egypt has received funding from the Clean Technology Fund (CTF) through the African Development Bank (AfDB) to undertake preparation activities and capacity building related to the development of a Concentrated Solar Power plant (CSP) Project at Kom Ombo- Aswan, Egypt, including carrying out an Environmental and Social Impact Assessment (ESIA), which will have to comply with the environmental procedures of the Egyptian Environmental Affairs Agency (EEAA) and with the environmental guidelines of the financing institutions, World Bank (WB) and African Development Bank (AfDB).

3. The principal objectives of these project preparation activities are to:
   i) Bring the project into compliance with applicable national environmental and social legal requirements and international organizations’ environmental and social policies.
   ii) Outline the mitigating/enhancing, monitoring, consultative and institutional measures required to prevent, minimize, mitigate or compensate for adverse environmental and social impacts, or to enhance the project beneficial impacts.
   iii) It shall also address capacity building requirements to strengthen environmental and social capacities.

4. The project includes the following components:
   i) ESIA for the proposed Project;
   ii) Technical Assistance and Capacity building to NREA in the area of CSP; and
   iii) Assessment of solar resources at project site using solar measurement station.


6. Interested bidders may obtain further information, and should confirm their interest, by contacting:

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