SPECIFIC PROCUREMENT NOTICE

INVITATION FOR BIDS

Loan No. 2100150023451
Grant No. 210015019269

IFB No. ETSIP-1 & ETSIP-2

1. This Invitation for Bids follows the General Procurement Notice (GPN) for this project that appeared in UNDB online on 09 August 2010 and on the African Development Bank Group’s Website.

2. The Government of the Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia has received Financing from the African Development Fund (ADF) in various currencies towards the cost of Electricity Transmission System Improvement Project. It is intended that part of the proceeds of this loan will be applied to eligible payments under the contract for :-

TRANSMISSION LINES


ETSIP-1 LOT2  “Construction of 230 kV Koka – Hurso Transmission Line”

ETSIP-1 LOT3  “Construction of 230 kV Alamata – Muhoni – Mekele Transmission Lines”

ETSIP-1 LOT4  “Construction of 230 kV Metu – Gambela Transmission Line”

SUBSTATIONS

ETSIP-2 LOT1  “230 kV Alamata – Muehuoni - Mekele and Koka – Awash 7 kilo - Hurso Substations”


ETSIP-2 LOT3  “Substations Upgrading & Rehabilitations”

3. The Ethiopian Electric Power Corporation (EEPCO) now invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for the execution of works :-

TRANSMISSION LINES

The scope of works shall include the design, manufacturing, supply and installation of :-

a) LOT-1, 315 km of 230 kV, 3-phase, twin ACSR “240/40” conductor, single optical fiber cable shield wire on self supporting, tapered configuration, vertical formation galvanized steel lattice towers with each leg having a separate footings of pad and chimney concrete

b) LOT-2, 352 km of 230 kV, double circuit, 3-phase, single ACSR - Mallard conductor, single optical fiber cable shield wire on self supporting, tapered configuration, vertical formation galvanized steel lattice towers with each leg having a separate footings of pad and chimney concrete
c) LOT-3, 141 km of 230 kV, 3-phase, twin AAAC - ASH conductor, single optical fiber cable shield wire on self supporting, tapered configuration, vertical formation galvanized steel lattice towers with each leg having a separate footings of pad and chimney concrete.

d) LOT-4, 140 km of 230 kV, double circuit, 3-phase, twin ACSR – “240/40” conductor, single optical fiber cable shield wire on self supporting, tapered configuration, vertical formation galvanized steel lattice towers with each leg having a separate footings of pad and chimney concrete.

**Substations**

The scope of works shall include the design, manufacturing, supply and installation of :-

a) LOT-1, 230 kV substations, out of which three new substations and three extensions.

b) LOT-2, 230 kV substations, out of which five new substations and four extensions.

c) LOT-3, extension and upgrading of existing three 400 kV substations and one 230 kV substation.

4. Interested eligible Bidders may obtain further information from and inspect the bidding documents at the office of:-

   Ethiopian Electric and Power Corporation  
   Corporate Procurement and Accounting Office  
   Degualle Square  
   Addis Ababa  
   Ethiopia  
   Tel: +251-111-560027  
   Fax: +251-111-550822

5. 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 Ethiopian Birr 2,000.00 (Birr Two Thousands only) per Lot.


7. Bids must be delivered to the above office on or before 11:00 AM local time, on **March 25, 2011** and must be accompanied by a Bid security of amounts stated in the in the Bid Data Sheet of bidding document for each LOT.

8. Bids will be opened in the presence of bidder’s representatives who choose to attend at 2:00 PM local time on **March 25, 2011** at the office of:-

   EEPCO Electric Club,  
   Mexico Square,  
   Addis Ababa, Ethiopia