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2. The principal objectives of this project are to:

   • To improve transport operating efficiency and reduce road transport costs for freight and passengers so as to encourage production, distribution and import-export of the Country.

   • To significantly improve port-destined outbound road transport and drive domestic economic development of Ethiopia.

   • Civil works will be procured on the basis of post-qualification of contractors through International Competitive Bidding (ICB) while the consultancy service for the construction supervision contracts and technical assistance will be procured through Quality and Cost Based Selection. The audit service contract will be procured following Least Cost Selection on the basis of a shortlist of qualified firms.

3. The project includes the following components:

   I. Construction of 60 km Lot 1: Adama – Awash Expressway which forms part of the regional network serving Djibouti, Somaliland and Eritrea.

   II. Supervision of the construction works for Lot 1: Adama – Awash Expressway and the design of One Stop Border Post (OSBP) at Gaulile.

   III. Sensitization in road use and construction safety, gender and HIV/AIDS including capacity support to Ethiopian Truckers Association in both Ethiopia and Djibouti.
IV. Assessment of impact of the project on regional integration and socio-economic development including baseline data collection in both Ethiopia and Djibouti.

V. Audit consultancy services

VI. Project coordination of the design of One Stop Border Post (OSBP) and the development of the project

4. Procurement of goods and/or works will be in accordance with the Bank's Rules of Procedure for the Procurement of Goods and Works. Acquisition of the services of Consultants will follow the Bank's Rules of Procedure for the Use of Consultants. Bidding documents are expected to be available in July, 2019.

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

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