Invitation for Bids (IFB) No. EEP/ICB/06/15
The Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia
Project: Electricity Transmission System Improvement
Loan number: 2100150023451
Grant number: 210015019269

1. Procurement of Power Transformers and Battery Charges

   Tender identification number: EEP/ICB/06/15

2. This Invitation for Bids follows the General Procurement Notice for this Project that appeared in Development Business; issue date; of 09 August 2010 and African Development Bank’s Group Website.

3. The Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia has received financing from the African Development Bank toward the cost of Electricity Transmission System Improvement Project, and it intends to apply part of the proceeds of this financing to payments under the Contract for procurement of Power Transformers and Battery Charges tender no. EEP/ICB/06/15.

4. The Ethiopian Electric Power (EEP) now invites sealed bids from eligible and qualified bidders for procurement of Power Transformers and Battery Charges.

5. Bidding will be conducted through the International Competitive Bidding (ICB) procedures specified in the African Development Bank’s Guidelines: to all bidders from Eligible Source Countries as defined in the Guidelines.

6. Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from Ethiopian Electric Power;
   Ethiopian Electric Power (EEP)
   PMO Engineering Office
   Attn: Mr. Getachew Teshager
   Head, Engineering Office
   Mexico Square, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia
   Tele. No.: 00251-115-525634

   and inspect the Bidding Documents at the address below from 8.00 a.m to 5.00pm from Monday to Friday during official working hours excluding the lunch breaks starting from 28 December, 2015.
7. A complete set of Bidding Document be purchased by interested bidders on the submission of a written Application to the address below and upon payment of a non-refundable fee ETB 3,000.00 or USD 175 or in its equivalent in any freely convertible currency from the Ethiopian Electric Power, Procurement office. The method of payment shall be in cash or cashier’s check.

8. The bidding document may also be sent by courier to interested applicants upon payment of ETB 3,000.00 or USD 175 for the Ethiopian Electric Power.

9. Bids must be delivered to the address below at or before 11\textsuperscript{th} February, 2016, 2:00 p.m. Electronic bidding will not be permitted. Late bids will be rejected. Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders’ representatives who choose to attend in person. Bids will be opened at the address below on 11 February, 2016, at 2:30 p.m.

10. All bids must be accompanied by a Bid Security to the amount 200,000.00 USD, Counter guaranteed by a bank licensed to operate in Ethiopia.

11. The address referred to below is:
   For bid submission purposes, the Purchaser’s address is:
   \textit{Ethiopian Electric Power}
   \textit{New building around commerce school and behind Awash International Bank Head Office.}
   \textit{Ground floor Procurement Office Room Number -01}
   \textit{Tel.} +251115580781
   \textit{Attention to: Mr. Kefyalew Mergiya}
   \textit{Manager, EEP procurement}

   \textit{Addis Ababa, Ethiopia}

The bid opening shall take place at:

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\textit{Ground floor Room Number -01}

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\textit{Addis Ababa, Ethiopia}