

REPUBLIC OF MOZAMBIQUE  
MINISTRY OF PUBLIC WORKS AND HOUSING

NIASSA PROVINCIAL TOWNS WATER SUPPLY AND SANITATION PROJECT (NPTWSSP)

INVITATION FOR BIDS (IFB)

Rehabilitation and Expansion of Cuamba City Water Supply System

Date: **6 May 2013**

African Development Bank Loan No: **2100150019951**

Contract Identification No: **FIPAG/ NPTWSSP/ W-02/12**

1. This Invitation for Bids (IFB) follows the General Procurement Notice (GPN) for this Project that appeared in the UNDB online on 29<sup>th</sup>, October, 2009 and on the African Development Bank Group's Internet Website ([www.afdb.org](http://www.afdb.org)).
2. The **Government of Mozambique** has received a loan from the African Development Bank (AfDB) towards the cost of the **Niassa Provincial Towns Water Supply and Sanitation Project**. It is intended that part of the proceeds of this loan will be applied to eligible payments under the Contract for the **Rehabilitation and Expansion of the Cuamba City Water Supply System**.
3. The Fundo do Investimento e Património do Abastecimento de Água (FIPAG), now invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for the Rehabilitation and Expansion of the Cuamba City Water Supply System (hereinafter call "the Works"). International Competitive Bidding will be conducted in accordance with the Banks "Rules and Procedures for Goods and Works". The Works will include the following components: Water Treatment Plant utilizing slow sand filtration modules with 10.000m<sup>3</sup> capacity; Ground water reservoir with 2500 m<sup>3</sup> capacity; Elevated water reservoir 250 m<sup>3</sup> capacity; Pumping station; Approximately 41 km of ductile iron transmission main 500 mm diameter.
4. Interested eligible Bidders may obtain further information from FIPAG, and inspect the Bidding Documents at the address given below from 8:30am to 12:30 hrs and from 14:00 to 17:00 hrs (Mozambique local time).
5. A complete set of Bidding Documents may be purchased by interested Bidders on submission of a written application to FIPAG and upon payment of a non-refundable fee of 4.500,00Mt (*four thousand and five hundred Meticaís*). The Bidding Documents can be collected at the address below or will be sent by courier if the prospective bidder has paid the courier charges.
6. The provisions in the Instructions to Bidders and in the General Conditions of Contract are those of the African Development Bank's Standard Bidding Document for Procurement of Works.
7. Bids must be delivered to the address indicated above on or before **14:30** local time on **8<sup>th</sup> July 2013** and must be accompanied by a Bid Security in the amount of **US Dollars \$300,000 (three hundred thousand)** in the form of a Bank Guarantee. Electronic Bidding shall not be permitted.
8. Bids shall remain valid for 120 days after the deadline for bid submission prescribed above.
9. Bids will be opened in the presence of bidder's representatives who choose to attend at **14:30** local time on **8<sup>th</sup> July 2013** at the address bellow:
10. The Site Visit will take place on **27 May 2013**. The Bidders shall meet on the referred date at **14:30** (Mozambique local time) at FIPAG Office in Cuamba - Av 1 de Junho, Cuamba, Mozambique.
11. The address referred to above is:

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