1. The Namibian Ports Authority (Namport) has received a loan from the African Development Bank to finance the New Port of Walvis Bay Container Terminal Project in Namibia.

2. The principal objectives of this project are to increase the capacity and efficiency of the Port of Walvis Bay to respond to the growing freight demand whilst promoting an alternative maritime access on the Southwestern coast of Africa to serve the SADC landlocked countries. The expected outcomes of the project include: improved port efficiency, increased cargo volumes, improved logistics performance and increased inter-regional and international trade.

3. The project includes the following components:
   - EPC Turnkey design and construction of the terminal (already awarded);
   - New RTG’s supply and installation;
   - Bulk Electricity supply upgrade;
   - ICT turnkey design and installation;
   - Reefer catwalks construction;

4. Procurement of goods and/or works will be in accordance with the Bank’s Rules and Procedures for the Procurement of Goods and Works. Acquisition of the services of Consultants will follow the Bank’s Rules and Procedures for the Use of Consultants. Bidding documents are expected to be available from April 2014 onwards.

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