GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF SIERRA LEONE

SPECIFIC PROCUREMENT NOTICE

Ministry of Energy

Invitation for Prequalification

Name of Country: Sierra Leone

Name of Project: Cote d’Ivoire, Liberia, Sierra Leone and Guinea (CLSG) Electricity Networks Interconnection Project - Rural Electrification Component, Sierra Leone

Date of Issue: Monday 18th September, 2017

Loan/Financing No: 2100155026071

1. This Invitation for Prequalification (IFP) follows the General Procurement Notice (GPN) for this Project that appeared in United Nations Development Business online and on the African Development Bank’s Internet Website (www.afdb.org) on the 20th December 2013.

2. The Government of Sierra Leone has received a loan/Grant from the African Development Bank (NTF, ADF, FSF, EBI, EU, GOSL) toward the cost of the Multinational - Cote d’Ivoire, Liberia, Sierra Leone and Guinea (CLSG) Electricity Networks Interconnection Project-Rural Electrification Component, Sierra Leone, and it intends to apply part of the proceeds of this loan to payments under the contract for CLSG - Rural Electrification Project, Sierra Leone Contract No: 2100155026071.

The Ministry of Energy intends to prequalify Contractors for the Construction of the Electrification Distribution Network (33/0.415) kV in twenty nine (29) rural communities. The Supply, Installation and Commissioning of Single and Triple Phase STS prepayment meters, and Distribution Transformers (50KVA, 100KVA, 200KVA) in these communities. The Supply, Installation and Commissioning of 4800 Street Lights in twenty-nine (29) rural communities.

It is expected that Invitations for Bid (IFB) will be made in February 2018.

3. Prequalification will be conducted through prequalification procedures specified in the Bank’s Rules and Procedures for Procurement of Goods and Works, and is open to all bidders from eligible source countries, as defined in the Rules.

4. Interested eligible applicants may obtain further information from and inspect the Prequalification Document at the Project Implementation Unit – CLSG Rural Electrification Project, 28 Liverpool Street, Freetown, between the hours of 10:00pm - 4:00pm Mondays to Fridays. A complete set of the Prequalification Document in English Language may be purchased by interested applicants through the submission of a written application to the address below, and upon payment of a non-refundable fee of USD50 (Fifty United Dollars) or Le375,000 (Three Hundred and Seventy Five Thousand Leones Only). The method of payment will be cash at the Project Implementation Unit – CLSG Rural Electrification Project, 28 Liverpool Street, Freetown. The document will be collected by Bidders representatives from the Senior
5. Applications for Prequalification should be submitted in sealed envelopes, delivered to the address below on or before **Monday 30th October 2017 @ 12:15hours**, and clearly marked “Application to Prequalify for the Construction of the CLSG - Rural Electrification Distribution Network WO1/MOE/REP/LV/ICB/2017

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