

Section I. Invitation for Bids

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Procurement Number: PMU/WEWR/01/10.

The Ministry of Energy and Water Resources has received funds from the EXIM Bank of India Line of Credit for the rehabilitation of the below listed existing portable water facilities in Freetown and the Provinces and now invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for the rehabilitation and improvement of the infrastructure of portable water in the following communities:

Lot Number	Lot Description	Qty.	Completion date of Facility Date of Signing Contract.
Lot 1	Rehabilitation of Existing Water Facility in Lungi	1 Set	Within (9) Nine Months
Lot 2	Rehabilitation of Existing Water Facility in Kailahun Town	1 Set	Within (9) Nine Months
Lot 3	Rehabilitation of White Water Existing Water Facility in Freetown	1 set	Within (9) Nine Months
Lot 4	Rehabilitation of Existing Water Facility in Allen Town	1 set	Within Nine (9) Months
Lot 5	Rehabilitation of Existing Cemetery Blue Water Facility in Wellington	1set	Within Nine (9) Months
Lot 6	Rehabilitation of Existing Water Facility at Tender Hill	1 Set	Within Nine (9) Months

Bidders May bid for (1) or more lots and discounts will be accepted for award of contract for multiple lots.

The works include the following components:

- (i) Assessment of the rehabilitation needs for each facility.
- (ii) Development of Design and bill of quantities for each facility
- (iii) Preparation of detailed priced bill of quantities for each facility
- (iv) Preparation of work programme for the completion of the rehabilitation work.

The Client will be willing to examine alternatives proposals to rehabilitation such as design and development of a completely new facility where existing facilities are adjudged to be beyond repair.

Bidding will be conducted through the International Bidding Procedures specified in the Public Procurement Act 2004, but is open only to **Indian Firms or Their Representatives who hold Contractors Registration Certificate from the Ministry of Works and Infrastructure in Sierra Leone in Financial class two or above. Contractors' certificates issued by the Ministries of Works and Infrastructure in India and the Sub Region will be acceptable.**

Interested bidders may obtain further information and inspect the bidding document at the address below between 9.00 hours and 16.00 hours each week day.

A complete set of bidding documents in English may be purchased by interested bidders from the below address upon payment of a non-refundable fee of **US\$300 (Three Hundred United Dollars) or its equivalent in a freely convertible currency in favor of the Ministry of Energy and Water Resources by telegraphic transfer into Account No: 001-114671-03-00-01, Sierra Leone Commercial Bank, Siaka Stevens Street, Freetown, Swift Code: SLCBSLFR.** Bidders wishing to have the bidding documents mailed to them via courier will be prepared to pay an additional sum of US\$100 to cover cost of postage.

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