



SPECIFIC PROCUREMENT NOTICE (SPN) REPUBLIC OF LIBERIA

LIBERIA ELECTRICITY CORPORATION

Liberia Accelerated Electricity Expansion Project Additional Financing (LACEEP AF)

Credit N^o: IDA 5680-LR

Supply & Installation of 66kV Transmission Lines in Greater Monrovia and Bomi Corridor

IFB N^o: LEC/LACEEP/TRX/01-02/2016

International Competitive Bidding (ICB)

Issue Date: 18th May, 2016
Closing Date: 22nd July, 2016

1. The Government of Liberia has received a credit from the World Bank toward the cost of the Liberia Accelerated Electricity Expansion Project Additional Funding (LACEEP AF), and intends to apply part of the proceeds toward payments under the contract for the *Supply & Installation of 66kV Transmission Lines in Greater Monrovia and Bomi Corridor*.
2. The Liberia Electricity Corporation now invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for the *Supply & Installation of 66kV Transmission Lines in Greater Monrovia and Bomi Corridor*. The contract is in two (2) lots as detailed below and bidders may bid for any one lot or both lots.

Lot	IFB N ^o	Name	Description of Works	Completion Period
1	LEC/LACEEP/TRX/01/2016	<i>Supply & Installation of 66kV Transmission Lines in Greater Monrovia</i>	a. 100No. Double Circuit Tower Type b. 40No. Double Circuit Steel Mono Poles c. 1090No. 66kV Polymeric suspension/tension insulator d. 170km of 150AAAC	16 months
2	LEC/LACEEP/TRX/02/2016	<i>Supply & Installation of 66kV Transmission Lines in Bomi Corridor</i>	a. 380No. Steel Tubular Pole b. 364No. single circuit Pole Top Structures c. 130km of 150AAAC	16 months

Contract award will be per lot.

3. Bidding will be conducted through the International Competitive Bidding procedures as specified in the World Bank's Guidelines: Procurement of Goods, Works and Non-Consulting Services under IBRD Loans and IDA Credits & Grants by World Bank Borrowers (January 2011) revised 2014, and is open to all eligible bidders as defined in the Procurement Guidelines. In addition, please refer to paragraphs 1.6 and 1.7 setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest.
4. Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from Liberia Electricity Corporation and inspect the bidding documents at the address stated below from 0900 to 1700 hours, Monday to Friday excluding public holidays. More information on how to purchase bidding documents can be obtained by contacting Titus Morlu or Alfred P.K. Cassell tmorlu@lecliberia.com and acessell@lecliberia.com respectively.
5. Qualification requirements include:
 - (a) Bidders must have successfully completed at least two (2) similar transmission line works done within the last five (5) years, of similar nature and complexity, each with a value of at least US\$ 2.8 million for Lot1 and 1.8 million for Lot 2. At least one of the contracts must have been carried out in an SSA country with conditions similar to Liberia. For a Joint Venture, the Partners should collectively meet this specific experience provided each joint venture Partner has had relevant experience in the component contract it is designated to perform.
 - (b) Minimum average annual turnover of US\$4.6M for Lot1 and US\$2.8M for Lot 2, calculated as total certified payments received for contracts in progress or completed, within the last three (3) years.
 - (c) The Bidder shall also demonstrate that it has access to, or availability of, financial resources such as liquid assets, unencumbered real assets, line of credit, and other financial means, other than any contractual advance payments to meet the cash-flow requirement of US\$800,000 for lot 1 and US\$500,000 for lot2 representing four month straight line cash requirement projection for each lot.
 - (d) Financial Reports, i.e. Profit and Loss, Balance Sheets, Auditors Report for 2012, 2013, and 2014 to demonstrate the current soundness of the bidders financial position.
 - (e) A margin of preference for certain goods manufactured domestically shall not be applied.
 - (f) Additional qualification details are provided in the Bidding Documents.
6. A complete set of bidding documents in English may be purchased by interested bidders upon the submission of a written application to the address below and upon payment of a non-refundable fee of US Dollars one Hundred (**US\$100.00**). The method of payment will be by Bankers Check in favor of LEC or paid in cash to the Chief Accountant Office, 1st Floor, LEC Central Office. Alternatively, a direct payment into **Liberia Electricity**

Corporation Cash EPP No: 0011134701652405, (Swift Code No. ECOCLRLM) held with ECOBANK LIBERIA LTD and submitting the payment advice as evidence to collect the Bid Documents. An additional amount will be charged for deliveries by courier.

7. Bids must be delivered to the address below at or before 10:00 Hours GMT on **22nd July, 2016**. 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 at the address at the end of this IFB at 10:00Hours GMT on **22nd July, 2016**. All bids must be accompanied by a Bid Security of **US\$80,000** for lot1 and **US\$60,000** for lot2.
8. The address referred to above is:

<p>For inspection and purchase of bidding documents:</p> <p>Mr. Peter Graham Chief Executive Officer Liberia Electricity Corporation Water Street, Waterside, Monrovia, 10 Liberia Email: Procurement@lecliberia.com and a copy to pgraham@mhi.ca; paschaline.mashingaidze@yahoo.ca</p>	<p>For Submission of bids:</p> <p>Attention: Chief Executive Officer Liberia Electricity Corporation Water Street, Waterside, Floor/Room number: 3rd Floor, LEC's Conference Room Monrovia, 10 Liberia</p>
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