

#### MINISTRY OF WATER AND ENVIRONMENT

### **Request for Bids (RFB) - Goods**

**UGANDA** 

INTEGRATED WATER MANAGEMENT AND DEVELOPMENT PROJECT (IWMDP) SUPPLY OF:

LOT 1: HYDROMETRIC EQUIPMENT, INCLUDING ACCESSORIES AND INSTALLATION UNDER STATION CATEGORIES I, II, III, AND SUPPLY OF OTHER EQUIPMENT, BASE STATION AND SOFTWARE FOR UGANDA

## LOT 2: WATER QUALITY EQUIPMENT AND INSTALLATION FOR WET PRECIPITATION AND DRY DEPOSITION

**PROJECT ID: P163782** 

RFB No.: MWE/SUPLS/19-20/00040/1/2

ISSUED ON: 27th July, 2020

- 1. The Republic of Uganda has received a loan from the World Bank towards the cost of the Integrated Water Management and Development Project and it intends to apply part of the proceeds of this loan to payments under the contract for supply of Hydrometric and water quality equipment and associated accessories.
- 2. The Ministry of Water and Environment now invites sealed Bids from eligible Bidders for supply of Hydrometric and water quality equipment and associated accessories as detailed below;

# LOT 1: HYDROMETRIC EQUIPMENT, INCLUDING ACCESSORIES AND INSTALLATION UNDER STATION CATEGORIES I, II, III, AND SUPPLY OF OTHER EQUIPMENT, BASE STATION AND SOFTWARE FOR UGANDA

- i. Category I: 5 No. Digital Water Level Recording Stations
- ii. Category II:5 No. Ground Water Level Recording Stations
- iii. Category III: 2 No. Automated Full Climate Stations
- iv. Other Equipment, Base Station and Software

### LOT 2: WATER QUALITY EQUIPMENT AND INSTALLATION FOR WET PRECIPITATION AND DRY DEPOSITION

- i. 3No. Wet Precipitation
- ii. 2No. Dry Deposition

Further details on the above supplies are provided in the bidding documents.

- 3. Bidding will be conducted through the International Competitive Bidding procedures using Request for Bids (RFB) as specified in the World Bank's "Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers Procurement in Investment Projects Financing" (July 2016, revised November 2017 and August 2018) and is open to all eligible bidders as defined in the Procurement Regulations.
- 4. Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from the Ministry of Water and Environment, John Kateregga on <a href="mailto:kateregga9@hotmail.com">kateregga9@hotmail.com</a> with copies to <a href="mailto:tomu.kanyike@gmail.com">tomu.kanyike@gmail.com</a>; 9:00am to 5:00pm on official working days at the address below.
- 5. The Bidding Documents in English may be purchased by interested bidders for a non-refundable fee of Uganda Shillings One Hundred Thousand Only (UGX 100,000) for each lot prior to submission date. Bids <u>MUST</u> be submitted with evidence of purchase of the bidding documents for **Lot 1 or Lot 2 or both**. Evidence of payment shall first be verified by the responsible officer in Ministry of Water and Environment at time of submission. The method of payment will be by Bank Payment Advice Form obtainable from the Uganda Revenue Authority (URA) website using "Other NTR" as a tax head in the form. The hard copy of the Bidding Documents in English will be available for pick up at the address mentioned in (8) and the soft copy can be accessed at <a href="https://www.mwe.go.ug/library/tendersprocurement">https://www.mwe.go.ug/library/tendersprocurement</a>.
  - 6. Bids must be delivered to the address below on or before 10:30 am Ugandan time on Tuesday, 25<sup>th</sup> August 2020. Electronic bidding will not be permitted. Late bids will be rejected. Bids will be publicly opened in the presence of the bidders' designated representatives and anyone who chooses to attend at the address below at 10:35 am Ugandan Time on Tuesday, 25<sup>th</sup> August 2020.
  - 7. All bids must be accompanied by a Bid Security of **USD 13,000** per lot or equivalent amount in any freely convertible currency acceptable to the Employer. For Bid Securities issued by financial institution located outside the Employer's Country, the issuing financial institution shall have a correspondent financial institution located in the Employer's Country to make it enforceable.
  - 8. The address(es) referred to above is;

Attn: Head, Procurement and Disposal Unit Ministry of Water and Environment Plot 3-7, Kabalega Crescent, Luzira Luzira, Kampala

The planned procurement Schedule (Subject to change) is as follows:

Activity	Time
Publish Bid notice	Monday, 27 <sup>th</sup> July 2020
Bid submission deadline & bid opening date	Tuesday, 25 <sup>th</sup> August 2020
Evaluation Process	Between 26 <sup>th</sup> September 2020 and 31 <sup>st</sup>
	October 2020
Contract Signature	After display of Notification of Contract
	Award and approval by Solicitor General

PERMANENT SECRETARY
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