CONTRACT NOTICE

SERVICES

SECTION I: CONTRACTING AUTHORITY

I.1) NAME, ADDRESSES AND CONTACT POINTS(S):

Official Name: Procurement & Commercial Department

Address: Abercrombie House, Eaglesham Road,

Town: East Kilbride Country: UK

Postal Code: G75 8EA
Internet address(es):

General Address of the contracting authority:

www.gov.uk/government/organisations/department-for-international-developmentAddress Of

the Buyer Profile: http://supplierportal.dfid.gov.uk/selfservice

Further information can be obtained at:

Specifications and additional documents (including documents for competitive dialogue and a dynamic and a dynamic purchasing system) can be obtained at:

Tenders or requests to participate must be sent to:

I.2) TYPE OF THE CONTRACTING AUTHORITY AND MAIN ACTIVITIY OR ACTIVITIES:

REGIONAL AUTHORITY
GENERAL PUBLIC SERVICES

SECTION II: OBJECT OF THE CONTRACT

II.1) DESCRIPTION

II.1.1) Title attributed to the contract by the contracting authority:

Engineering Management Services to Rehabilitate Freetown Water Supply, Sierra Leone

II.1.2) Type of contract and location of works, place of delivery or of performance:

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Main site or location of works: South Lanarkshire

NUTS code: UKM38

II.1.3) This notice involves

II.1.4) Information on framework agreement:

Duration of the framework agreement: Duration in year(s):

Justification for a framework agreement, the duration of which exceeds four years: Estimated total value of purchases for the entire duration of the framework agreement:

II.1.5) Short description of the contract or purchases(s):

The water supply to Freetown is in a critical situation. It relies principally on a single source, Guma Dam, which was built in the early 1960s, supplies only around half of the city's theoretical demand and is vulnerable to climate effects. Inadequate water from municipal systems forces the population to seek informal sources seriously increasing the hazards to health and the risk of disease. Objective The purpose of this Terms of Reference (TOR) is to seek an Engineering. Procurement and Construction contractor for the rehabilitation and construction of the proposed engineering works under the DFID funded Freetown Water Supply Rehabilitation project Project Objective The main objective of the project is to improve the water situation for the 600,000 people in the east of Freetown. An Engineering, Procurement and Construction Contractor is needed to provide detailed design and construction services to deliver the project on behalf of the Government of Sierra Leone and to safeguard the use of UK Government funds. Impact -The expected impact of the proposed programme will be to reduce morbidity and mortality rates associated with incidences of diarrhoea, malaria and other water-borne and vector-linked diseases. Outcome - The expected outcome will be increased sustainable access to safe water in Freetown, the capital city. This will be achieved through rehabilitation of water infrastructure for improved public service delivery of water.

II.1.6) Common procurement vocabulary:

75211200 , 45220000 , 45231100 , 45231300 , 45232150 , 45232151

II.1.7) Contract covered by the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA): YES

II.1.8) Division into lots:

NO

II.1.9) Variants will be accepted:

II.2) QUANTITY OR SCOPE OF THE CONTRACT

II.2.1) Total quantity or scope:

Estimated value excl. VAT: 36804499

Currency: GBP II.2.2) Options:

DFID may extend the contract for up to 18 months, should an ongoing need for the services

exist.

II.3) DURATION OF THE CONTRACT OR TIME-LIMIT FOR COMPLETION:

Duration in months: 28 (From the award of contract).

SECTION III: LEGAL, ECONOMIC, FINANTIAL AND TECHNICAL INFORMATION

III.1) CONDITIONS RELATING TO THE CONTRACT

III.1.1) Deposits and guarantees required:

Details will be set out in the contract documents

III.1.2) Main financing conditions and payment arrangements and/or reference to the relevant provisions regulating them:

The contract will be governed by English Law. Prices are not required at PQQ stage, however, when required they must be quoted in GBP and all payments under the contract will be made in GBP. DFID reserves the right to annul the process and not award the contract. DFID does not provide advance funding, therefore, the service provider will be required to pre-finance all programme activities, before claiming reimbursement from DFID in arrears.

III.1.3) Legal form to be taken by the group of economic operators to whom the contract is to be awarded:

Joint and several liability. If a successful provider is a consortium, the contracting authority shall require each consortium member to be jointly and severally liable for all obligations under the contract.

III.1.4) Other particular conditions to which the performance of the contract is subject:

No

III.2) CONDITIONS FOR PARTICIPATION

III.2.1) Personal situation of economic operators, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers:

Information and formalities necessary for evaluating if requirements are met:

III.2.2) Economic and financial capacity:

Information and formalities necessary for evaluating if requirements are met: See the Standardised Due Diligence Questionnaire (DDQ); Volume 1: Instructions – Open Procedure and Volume 2: Scoring Methodology and Evaluation Criteria for details (these form part of the Invitation to Tender pack).

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required: See the Standardised Due Diligence Questionnaire (DDQ); Volume 1: Instructions – Open Procedure and Volume 2: Scoring Methodology and Evaluation Criteria for details (these form part of the Invitation to Tender pack).

III.2.3) Technical capacity:

Information and formalities necessary for evaluating if requirements are met: See the Standardised Due Diligence Questionnaire (DDQ); Volume 1: Instructions – Open Procedure and Volume 2: Scoring Methodology and Evaluation Criteria for details (these form part of the Invitation to Tender pack).

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required:

III.2.4) Reserved contracts:

III.3) CONDITIONS SPECIFIC TO SERVICES CONTRACTS

III.3.1) Execution of the service is reserved to a particular profession:

No

III.3.2) Legal entities should indicate the names and professional qualifications of the staff responsible for the execution of the service:

SECTION IV: PROCEDURE

IV.1) TYPE OF PROCEDURE

IV.1.1) Type of procedure:

Oper

IV.1.2) Limitations on the number of operators who will be invited to tender or to participate:

Envisaged number of operators:

Objective criteria for choosing the limited number of candidates:

IV.1.3) Reduction of the number of operators during the negotiation or dialogue: $\ensuremath{\mathsf{NO}}$

IV.2) AWARD CRITERIA

IV.2.1) Award criteria:

The most economically advantageous tender in terms of criteria stated below:

1:

Criteria: Quality of Personnel

Weighting: 12

2:

Criteria: Methodology and Approach

Weighting: 33

3:

Criteria: Management Arrangements

Weighting: 25

4:

Criteria: Commercial Weighting: 30

IV.2.2) An electronic auction will be used:

No

IV.3) ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

IV.3.1) File reference number attributed by the contracting authority:

7739

IV.3.2) Previous publication(s) concerning the same contract:

No

IV.3.3) Conditions for obtaining specifications and additional documents or descriptive document

Time limit for receipt of requests for documents or for accessing documents:

Payable documents: No

IV.3.4) Time-limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate:

27. 10. 2016 - 14:00

IV.3.5) Date of dispatch of invitations to tender or to participate to selected candidates:

22. 9. 2016

IV.3.6) Language(s) in which tenders or requests to participate may be drawn up: FN

ΕN

IV.3.7) Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender:

Period in months (from date stated for receipt of tenders):

6

IV.3.8) Conditions for opening tenders:

Persons authorised to be present at the opening of tenders: No

SECTION VI: COMPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

VI.1) THIS IS A RECURRENT PROCUREMENT:

No.

VI.2) CONTRACT RELATED TO A PROJECT AND/OR PROGRAMME FINANCED BY EU FUNDS:

No

VI.3) ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

Additional Information: The contracting authority considers that this contract may be suitable for economic operators that are small or medium enterprises (SMEs). However, any selection of tenderers will be based solely on the criteria set out for the procurement, and the resulting contracts will be awarded on the basis of the most economically advantageous tenders, in line with the strategic priorities outlined in the ToR. Tender documents including terms of reference are available in our Supplier Portal. However, only Registered Suppliers can access these

documents. Programme staff should not be contacted directly. From 1.4.2001, all UK development assistance has been fully untied which allows suppliers from anywhere in the world to bid for DFID contracts.

VI.4) PROCEDURES FOR APPEAL

VI.4.1) Body responsible for appeal procedures:

Official Name: Michael Ross

Address: Abercrombie House, Eaglesham Road, , East Kilbride, ,

Town: Glasgow Country: UK

Postal Code: G75 8EA

Body responsible for mediation procedures:

VI.4.2) Lodging of appeals:

Precise information on deadline(s) for lodging appeals:

VI.4.3) Service from which information about the lodging of appeals may be obtained:

VI.5) DATE OF DISPATCH OF THIS NOTICE: