

## **Local Competitive Bidding (LCB)**

SUPPLY, INSTALLATION AND COMMISSIONING OF TWO GENERATORS FOR THE BAFATA AND GABU REGIONAL HOSPITALS IN GUINEA BISSAU

## **Invitation to Bid**

LCB No: 3/ECW-OVP/FRSD-GE/2024 Date: 9 july 2024

- 1. As part of the implementation of its 2024 budget, the ECOWAS Commission, through the Regional Stabilisation and Development Fund (FRSD), intends to procure, install and commission two generators for the Bafata and Gabu regional hospitals in Guinea Bissau. The objective of this procurement is to reduce difficulties relating to electricity access at these two hospitals, thereby improving access to healthcare in the Bafata and Gabu regions.
- 2. The ECOWAS Commission now invites sealed bids from eligible and suitably qualified bidders to procure, install and commission the generators referred to in this invitation to bid with a minimum delivery period of sixty (60) days and a maximum period of eighty (80) days.
- 3. The Bidding Document can only be inspected and obtained without charge from the Procurement Division, Directorate of Administration and General Services of the ECOWAS Commission, Plot 101 Yakubu Gowon Crescent, Asokoro District, Abuja, Nigeria, upon submission of a written request to the e-mail addresses indicated below.

The Bidding Documents can be mailed to interested bidders using the addresses provided in their requests.

4. Interested bidders may obtain further information at the following address during official hours: Monday to Friday 9:00 am to 4:00 pm (Nigeria Time, GMT+1), Procurement Division of the Directorate of Administration and General Services, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, ECOWAS Commission, Plot 101 Yakubu Gowon Crescent, Asokoro District, P.M.B 401, Abuja, Nigeria.

**Email:** <u>procurement@ecowas.int;</u> with copy to <u>sbangoura@ecowas.int</u>; ikkamara@ecowas.int and yderra@ecowas.int.

- 5. Bids shall be valid for a period of 120 days from the bid opening and must be accompanied by a Bid Security (ORIGINAL Bank Guarantee) of Three thousand US Dollars only (US\$ 3,000) or its equivalent in any of the currencies from an ECOWAS Member State; Bank Guarantees MUST REMAIN VALID for a period of 148 days after the opening of bids.
- 6. Bids (1 original and 3 copies) SHALL BE delivered in a sealed envelope clearly marked "Local Competitive Bidding for the Procurement, Installation and Commissioning of two Generators for the Bafata and Gabu Regional Hospitals in Guinea Bissau", "Do Not Open, Except in the Presence of the Opening Committee". Envelopes SHALL also clearly indicate the bidder's name.
- 7. Bids MUST BE deposited **on or before 17 September 2024 at 11:00 am** (Nigeria Time, GMT+1) in the ECOWAS Tender Box located at the Directorate of Administration and General Services, Procurement Division, 1 <sup>t</sup> Floor, ECOWAS Commission, 101 Yakubu Gowon Crescent, Asokoro District, P.M.B 401, Abuja, Nigeria.
- 8. Bids will be opened on the same day, in the presence of the bidders (in-person or via virtual meeting, depending on the circumstances) who choose to attend the bid opening session on 17<sup>th</sup> September 2024 at 11:30 am (Nigeria Time, GMT+1) in Room 523 ECOWAS Commission, Abuja, Nigeria.
- **9.** This invitation to bid is also published in the three ECOWAS Languages (English, French and Portuguese) on the ECOWAS website: <a href="http://www.ecowas.int/doing-business-in-ecowas/ecowas-procurement">http://www.ecowas.int/doing-business-in-ecowas/ecowas-procurement</a>.

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