1. This Invitation for Tenders is subsequent to the General Procurement Notice published in the Benin public market watch (www.paritaria.bj) on the 14th May 2020.

2. The Ministry of Health has obtained funds from the Kuwait Fund for the Reconstruction of Iraq and has decided to make use of these funds to finance the construction of the Tchaourou zone hospital and six health centres in the Borgou department.

3. The said works are divided into the following seven (07) lots:

   • Lot 1: Construction of the Tchaourou zone hospital for all trades (in a single lot)
   • Lot 2: Construction of the Tchatchou health centre
   • Lot 3: Construction of the Tchoukapal health centre
   • Lot 4: Construction of the Alafiarou health centre
   • Lot 5: Construction of the Kika health centre
   • Lot 6: Construction of the Tchaourou health centre
   • Lot 7: Construction of the Goro health centre

   4. The deadline for the execution is:

   - For lot 1: 120 months
   - For lots 2 to 7: 60 months

   5. Qualification requirements are the following:

   - Having effectively executed works as a contractor or subcontractor in at least two (02) public awards, one in health infrastructure over the past five years (2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019) which precede the deadline for bids submission;
   - Having effectively executed works as a contractor or subcontractor in at least two (02) public awards, one in building and public work contracts over the past five years (2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018) which precede the deadline for bids submission;
   - Proving an average annual turnover of building and public works activities of at least CFA F 8,000,000 for each of lots 3 to 7
   - Proving an average annual turnover of building and public works activities of at least CFA F 110,000,000 for lot 1
   - Proving an average annual turnover of building activities of at least CFA F 670,000,000

   6. The Candidate must demonstrate, with supporting documentation, that he

   • Has at least five (05) years of experience in the country or abroad;
   • Has access to funding such as liquid assets, credit lines, other than the authorized financial organizations, or where appropriate, proof of professional and financial capacity;
   • Has effective access to funding recognized as suitable by the General Tax Directorate and by a member of the Order of Registered Chartered Accountants of Benin or a member of the Order of Registered Chartered Accountants of the country where they are registered in accordance with the legislation of the said country and certified or attested by its consular or diplomatic representation, if any, in Benin;
   • Has a turnover not less than CFA F 220,000,000 not applicable to start-up companies); the certification page of the member of the OECCA of Benin and that bearing the mention of the DGI must be in original or certified copy (for foreign bidders, they must provide a certificate from the country where they are registered in accordance with the legislation of the said country and certified or attested by its consular or diplomatic representation, if any, in Benin)
   • Has an annual average turnover of building and public work activities of at least CFA F 8,000,000 for each of lots 3 to 7
   • Has an annual average turnover of building and public work activities of at least CFA F 110,000,000 for lot 1
   • Has an annual average turnover of building activities of at least CFA F 670,000,000

   7. Interested candidates can obtain information at the address mentioned below:

   Mailing Address: BP 01 -882 Cotonou Republic of Benin
   Tel: (229) 21 33 12 78 / (229) 21 33 09 69 Fax (229) 21 33 04 64

   8. Interested candidates can obtain a free complete tender dossier at the address given below:

   Documentation) of the Ministry of Health, Quartier Donaten Akpakpa 01 BP 882 Cotonou Republic of Benin
   Tel.  (229) 21 33 12 78 / (229) 21 33 09 69 Fax (229) 21 33 04 64

   9. The Candidate will be required to provide the following documents:

   • A letter of authorization from their representative, who wish to attend the opening of tenders on the 14th May 2020.
   • Authorization in the event that they bid for two (02) lots or more, they must submit a separate bid for each lot.

   10. The said works will be divided into the following seven (07) lots:

   • Lot 1: Construction of the Tchaourou health centre
   • Lot 2: Construction of the Tchatchou health centre
   • Lot 3: Construction of the Tchoukapal health centre
   • Lot 4: Construction of the Alafiarou health centre
   • Lot 5: Construction of the Kika health centre
   • Lot 6: Construction of the Tchaourou health centre
   • Lot 7: Construction of the Goro health centre

   11. The Candidate must demonstrate, with supporting documentation, that he

   • Has the lowest potential on several lots for which he bids in which case he will be awarded the lot for which the difference between the amount of the next immediate amount and its amount cannot be awarded at the same time, he will be awarded the lot for which the difference between the amount of the next immediate amount and its amount is the highest.

   12. Tender must remain valid for a period of 120 days from the deadline for submission.