BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA
Consultancy Services for Supervision of Construction of the Motorway
Section Donja Gračanica-Drivuša, Subsection Drivuša-Klopčе

INVITATION FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

Bosnia and Herzegovina has signed loan agreement with Kuwait Fund for Arab Economic Development to finance one of the priority sections of the Pan European Corridor Vc, through Bosnia and Herzegovina.

The subject of this Invitation for Expressions of Interest are Consulting services for supervision of works.

The FIDIC Conditions of Contract (edition 1999) will be used for the civil works contract.

The consultant shall act in a role of the Engineer and its outputs will have to comply with current local laws and regulation concerning construction, supervision, civil works quality control and environmental protection.

The construction supervision services shall include the following:
- Supervision of the construction works in a role of the Engineer by FIDIC conditions;
- Verification of site demarcation and compliance with required permits issued by competent local authorities for asphalt plants and quarries prior to the issue of the commencement order;
- Control of contractor’s preliminary test and production specification of materials;
- Supervision of laboratory measurements and verification of compliance with contractual obligations;
- Supervision of the environmental management plan and implementation of mitigation measures;
- Prepare and deliver progress reports and other reports.

The invitation for Expressions of Interest is open to firms and joint ventures from Bosnia and Herzegovina and Kuwait only. The supervision of works will be entrusted to the Joint Venture formed between local (BiH) and Kuwaiti consultant.

Interested local (BiH) and Kuwaiti firms are hereby invited to submit their expression of interest. This invitation shall be followed by a short listing of local (BiH) and Kuwaiti consulting firms respectively, after which the short listed local firms will be formally invited to submit proposals together with the Kuwait short listed firms.

Interested consulting firms must provide information indicating that they are qualified to perform the services as follows:

- Letter of Application;
- Company profile: name, status, address, telephone number, facsimile number, year of establishment, contact person for the project, e-mail of contact person, number of permanent staff and part-timers, fields of expertise;
- Applicant’s average annual turnover for the previous 5 (five) years (2008-2012) and copy of audited Financial statement for period 2008-2012;
- Details of experience and description of assignments of an equivalent nature undertaken in the previous 5 (five) years, including the contracts value and location, number of staff involved in the contract, name of the Client, name of partners for contract execution, source of financing, type of services provided, contract commencement and completion dates, brief description of the contract. CVs (max. two pages) of staff who could be available to work on the assignment, clearly showing that their experience covers the main works activities above;
- Form of association (sub-contractor/joint venture) for the execution of the contract, if the case may be, and the lead company.
- The same information as for the lead company shall be requested for the associated company/companies;
- A list of ongoing contracts including the start date, the end date and the personnel involved.

The following selection criteria will be applied to candidates. In case of applications submitted by a JV or Consortium, these selection criteria will be applied to the JV/Consortium as a whole:

(a) the average annual revenue of the applicant for the last five years (2008-2012) must exceed 1,500,000,00 EURO;
(b) the applicant has completed (i.e. provisional acceptance or defects liability certificate issued) in the last five years (2008-2012), at least two major similar projects in motorway works as FIDIC Engineer with consultancy services value of 500,000,00 EURO or more per project;
(c) in case of JV or Consortium, the Leading Company shall meet not less than 60% and other partners shall meet not less than 25% of the qualifying financial criteria (a) and (b) given above;
(d) The audited financial statement and balance sheets for the past five years (2008-2012) must demonstrate the soundness of the applicant’s financial position, showing long-term profitability.

One original and one copy of the above information (which should not exceed 25 pages excluding CV’s and copy of financial statement) in English language, plus one copy in local language (Bosnian, Croatian or Serbian) should be submitted to the address below, in an envelope marked “Expression of Interest for the Consulting Services: Supervision of works on Construction of motorway on the Corridor Vc, Section Donja Gračanica- Drivuša, subsection Drivuša-Klopčе” not later than 21st October 2013., 11:00 hrs. (Local time).

Documents received after this date may be rejected and returned unopened upon written request and at the applicants cost. Further information may be obtained at the address below from Monday through to Friday from 09:00 to 18:00.

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