

Nile Equatorial Lakes Subsidiary Action Program/Rusumo Project

SPECIFIC PROCUREMENT NOTICE

NAME OF PROJECT: REGIONAL RUSUMO FALLS HYDROELECTRIC PROJECT (RRFHP)

TITLE OF TENDER: SURVEY, DESIGN, ENGINEERING, FABRICATION, SUPPLY, INSTALLATION, TESTING & COMMISSIONING OF DEBRIS DIVERSION BARRIER BOOM OF RUSUMO HYDRO POWER PLANT OF 80 MW CAPACITY

REFERENCE NO: RW-NELSAP -186343-CW-RFB

The Regional Rusumo Falls Hydro Electric Project (RRFHP) is a project of the Nile Basin Initiative implemented by the Nile Equatorial Lakes Subsidiary Action Program Coordination Unit (NELSAP-CU) on behalf of the Rusumo Power Company Limited (RPCL) meant to benefit three neighboring countries to name Burundi, Rwanda and Tanzania. RRFHP is expected to produce about 80 MW on the Kagera River at the Rusumo Falls located on the border between Rwanda and Tanzania under a Run of River (ROR) scheme.

RPCL which was formed in 2013 and registered in Rwanda and Tanzania where the project facilities are located, is implementing the project through a public financed, privately managed mechanism. Upon completion and commissioning, RPCL will operate and maintain the power plant and its associated facilities using its own staff or hire services of a Private Operations and Management Contractor.

The RPCL through **NELSAP** has received financing from the IDA the World Bank towards the cost of Rusumo Project and intends to apply part of the proceeds toward payments under the contract for Survey, Design, Engineering, Fabrication, Supply, Installation, Testing & Commissioning of Debris Diversion Barrier Boom of Rusumo Hydro Power Plant of 80 MW Capacity

The **NELSAP** now invites sealed bids from eligible bidders to apply for the above-mentioned tender

Bidding will be conducted through the National Competitive Bidding procedures as specified in the World Bank's *Guidelines: Procurement of Goods, Works, and Non-Consulting Services under IBRD Loans and IDA Credits & Grants by World Bank Borrowers of February 2011 revised in July 2014* ("Procurement Guidelines"), and is open to all eligible bidders as defined in the Procurement Guidelines. In addition, please refer to paragraphs 1.6 and 1.7 setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest.]

Interested eligible bidders shall be required to submit the bid guarantee of USD 4000 from any financial institution and attend a mandatory site visit on 19th October 2022 from 11:00am to 02:00pm,other information may be obtain from NELSAP Rusumo Project, through Jngurinzira@nilebasin.org and copy srusagara@nilebasin.org and the bidding documents can be obtained online on Rusumo website: www.rusumoproject.org and www.rusumorpcl.com

Bids must be submitted to the address below on or before 04th November 2022 at 11:00 Am Electronic bidding <u>will not be permitted</u>. Late bids will be rejected. Bids will be publicly opened in the presence of the bidders' designated representatives and anyone who choose to attend at the address above on 04th November 2022 at 11:30 Am.

A mandatory site visit at Rusumo where the houses are located is scheduled on 19th October between 11:00 am to 2:00 PM. Interested Bidders will depart from Rusumo Project Site Office in Kiyanzi at 10: 45 am and will be guided by RPCL Plant Manager

Bids will be submitted at NELSAP/Regional Rusumo Hydroelectric Project, at Kigali City Tower, 4th floor Plot No 6418, Avenue du Commerce Po Box 6759 Kigali Rwanda.

Tender document is available on the Project's Website: <u>www.rusumoproject.org</u> and <u>www.rusumorpcl.com</u>

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