



INVITATION FOR BIDS



Date	: May 22 nd , 2017
Loan	: Loan 2368, Grant ADB 0087, Grant AUS0101, JICA Loan 8232/SAM-P1
Contract No./Title	: SAM-PSEP-TAEL/03A-2017 - Design, Supply and Installation of Taelefaga 3rd 2MW Generator
Deadline for Bids	: 10 am, Monday 26 th June, 2017
Pre-Bid Meeting	: 10 am, Monday 5 th June, 2017

1. This invitation for bids follows the general procurement notice for this Project that appeared in ADB Business Opportunities on 11 October 2007.

2. The Government of Samoa has received a loan from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) towards the cost of Samoa Power Sector Expansion Project. This loan is jointly financed by the Japan International Cooperation Agency and a grant from the Government of Australia through AusAID. Part of this loan will be used for payments under the contract named above. Bidding is open to bidders from eligible source countries of ADB. The eligibility rules and procedures of the ADB will govern the bidding process.

3. The Electric Power Corporation (the Employer) invites sealed bids for the design, manufacture, supply, and installation of a 3rd 2MW generator and all associated control equipment at Taelefaga Hydro Power Station.

4. Interested bidders must demonstrate their ability to undertake the above mentioned works and meet the criteria as set out in the bidding documents which include:

(i) Minimum average annual turnover of US\$2 million as calculated as total certified payments received for contracts in progress or completed, within the last three (3) years.

(ii) Experience under contracts in the role of contractor, subcontractor, or management contractor for at least the last five (5) years prior to the application submission deadline.

(iii) Participation as contractor, management contractor, or subcontractor, in at least three (3) contracts within the last three (3) years, each with a value of US\$2 million or at least of the value of the contract has been successfully or is substantially completed and that are similar to the proposed plant and services.

6. International competitive bidding will be conducted in accordance with ADB's Single-Stage: One-Envelope Bidding Procedure.

7. To obtain bid document and further information, bidders should contact the Project Manager at the address given below from 9:00am to 5:00pm on normal working days or anytime by email:

Project Manager
EPC Project Management Unit
5th Level Tuiatua Tupua Tamasese Efi Building
Apia, Samoa
Tel. No.: +685 65 512 / 724 2958 / 757 1840
Fax No.: +685 65-439
Email: perelini48@gmail.com

6. Bidding document is available to bidders at no cost. Project Manager will submit electronic form of Bidding documents by email to bidders after receiving written request to Project Manager.

7. Hard copies of Bids must be delivered to the address below:

The Secretary
Samoa Tenders Board
Ministry of Finance
4th Floor Central Bank of Samoa Building
Apia, Samoa

- On or before 10:00am on Monday, June 26th 2017 (local time and day)
- Together with a Bid Bond.
- Electronic submitted bids are now allowed.

Bids will be opened at Tender Board Office at 11am on bid closing date after the deadline in the presence of Tender's Board. Bidders or their representatives are allowed to attend bid opening.

8. The Electric Power Corporation (EPC) will not be responsible for any costs or expenses incurred by the bidders in connection with the preparation or delivery of bids.

Tologatā G.L.T.T. Tile Leif'a Tuimalealiifano
GENERAL MANAGER