

ELECTRICITY DISTRIBUTION AND SUPPLY AUTHORITY (EDSA) SPECIFIC PROCUREMENT NOTICE

Request for Bids Goods

(Two-Envelope Bidding Process)

RE: ADVERTISEMENT

Country: Sierra Leone				
Name of Project:	Enhancing Sierra Leone Energy Access (P171059)			
Contract Title:	Procurement of supply of 3,000 3 phase AMI prepayment meters with			
	Enclosures, accessories and service drops			
Loan No.	IDA-E1810			
Project ID:	P171059			
RFB Reference No.:	SL-EDSA-457708-GO-RFB			
Date Issued:	14 th January 2025			
Closing Date:	25 th February 2025			

- 1. The Government of the Republic of Sierra Leone has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the Enhancing Sierra Leone Energy Access Project (ESLEAP) and intends to apply part of the proceeds toward payments under the contract¹ for Procurement of supply of 3,000 3 phase AMI prepayment meters with enclosures, accessories and service drops. For this contract, the Borrower shall process the payments using the Direct Payment disbursement method, as defined in the World Bank's Disbursement Guidelines for Investment Project Financing, except for those payments that the contract provides to be made through Designated Account.
- 2. The Electricity Distribution and Supply Authority (EDSA) now invites sealed Bids from eligible Bidders for the Procurement of supply of 3,000 3 phase AMI prepayment meters with enclosures, accessories and service drops as summarized below:

enclosures, accessories and service drops					
	Item No	Description	Unit	Quantity	

Summary Scope of Procurement of supply of 3,000 3 phase AMI prepayment meters with

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1	100A Three Phase Electronic Smart AMI STS 2 Split Type Prepayment Meters c/w Customer Interface Unit (CIU) and related accessories (GPRS/GSM/3G/4G/LTE modem, Security seals)	Set	3000
2	Wall Mounted Secure Locked, Bottom Entry, Fiberglass Meter Enclosure c/w 80A MCB for Three Phase Meters	Set	3000
3	Communication Cables b/n meter and CIU	Km	60
4	Aerial bundled service conductors 4 X 25 sqmm Al	Km	90
5	Complete ABC Dead end Assembly including bracket, clamp, straps etc. support above Service Conductors	Set	6000
6	Tap-off connector (piecing screw type)	Set	12000

- 3. Bidding will be conducted through international competitive procurement using a Request for Bids (RFB) as specified in the World Bank's "Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers" revised September 2023 as per legal agreement ("Procurement Regulations"), and is open to all eligible Bidders as defined in the Procurement Regulations.
- Interested eligible Bidders may obtain further information from Electricity Distribution 4. and Supply Authority (EDSA), Attn: Richard Goba, E-mail:

richardgoba@edsa.sl; gobarichard@gmail.com

Cc aleksandarnikolic@edsa.sl; tioamara@gmail.com

Cc joejoe7787@yahoo.com

and inspect the bidding document during office hours 09:00 to 17:00 hours at the address given below.

The bidding document in English Language may be purchased by interested eligible Bidders upon the submission of a written application to the address below and upon payment of a nonrefundable fee² of NLE3,400 (Three Thousand, Four Hundred New Sierra Leone Leones) equivalent to US\$150 (*One Hundred and Fifty United States Dollars*). The method of payment will be by bank deposit into the ESLEAP Sub (Leones) Designated Account:

Below are the Bank details:

Name of Bank:SIERRA LEONE COMMERCIAL BANKAccount Name:ENHANCING SIERRA LEONE ENERGYAccount Number:SLE 003001084275112142003001084275112142BBAN:

Corresponding Bank De	etails:	
Name of Bank:	CITIBANK N.A (NEW YORK)	
Swift Code: BIC:	CITIUS33	
For the credit of:		
Sierra Leone Commercial Bank Limited		
SWIFT BIC:	SLCBSLFR	
Account Number:	33445101	

Submission of the payment advice will serve as evidence to collect the Bidding Documents. The bidding document will be sent by email in a soft copy.

- 6. Bids must be delivered to the address below on or before 25th February 2025, 12:00 noon Freetown Local Time. Electronic Bidding will not be permitted. Late Bids will be rejected. The outer Bid envelopes marked "ORIGINAL BID", and the inner envelopes marked "TECHNICAL PART" will be publicly opened in the presence of the Bidders' designated representatives and anyone who chooses to attend, at the address below on 25th February 2025, 12:15 p.m. Freetown Local Time. All envelopes marked "SECOND ENVELOPE: FINANCIAL PART" shall remain unopened and will be held in the safe custody of the Purchaser until the second public opening.
- 7. All Bids must be accompanied by a *Bid Security* of US 6,600.00 (*Six Thousand, Six Hundred United States Dollars*).
- 8. Attention is drawn to the Procurement Regulations requiring the Borrower to disclose information on the successful bidder's beneficial ownership, as part of the Contract Award Notice, using the Beneficial Ownership Disclosure Form as included in the bidding document.

9. The address(es) referred to above is (are):

For inspection and purchase of bidding	For Submission of bids:		
documents:	The Director General		
ESLEAP Procurement Unit	Electricity Distribution and Supply Authority		
Attn: Richard Goba/Joseph Joejoe Bagjibayei	36 Siaka Stevens Street, Electricity House,		
Project Implementation Team EDSA	Freetown, Sierra Leone		
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