



GOVERNMENT OF SIERRA LEONE

MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (MWR)

127 Kuku Drive, Off Jomo Kenyatta Road, Brookfields, Freetown

Invitation for Bids (IFB) National Competitive Bidding (NCB)

PROCUREMENT OF WORKS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF LAB OFFICES AND THE SUPPLY OF FURNITURE & EQUIPMENT AT THE KARENE & FALABA DISTRICTS AND WARD C (WATERLOO)

Date of First Issued: 3rd September, 2021

The Ministry of Water Resources (MWR) has received funds from the Government of Sierra Leone (GoSL) through the Ministry of Finance. The Ministry intends to utilize it to hire the services of a credible firm with proven experience for the Construction of three (3) Lab Offices in Karene and Falaba Districts and WARD C (Waterloo) and the supply of Furniture & Equipment for these Lab Offices, therefore invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for the following lots:

Lot No.	DESCRIPTION OF WORKS	PROCUREMENT NUMBERS
1	Construction of Lab Office at Karene District Council	MWR/NCB/2021/003 A
2	Construction of Lab Office at Falaba District Council	MWR/NCB/2021/003 B
3	Construction of Lab Office at Western Area Rural District Council	MWR/NCB/2021/003 C
4	Supply of Furniture and Equipment at the Karene District Council's Lab Office	MWR/NCB/2021/003 D
5	Supply of Furniture and Equipment at the Falaba District Council's Lab Office	MWR/NCB/2021/003 E
6	Supply of Furniture and Equipment at the Western Area Rural District Council's Lab Office	MWR/NCB/2021/003 F

These Lab Offices, Furniture and Equipment will be used by the District Councils, Central Government, Non Governmental Organizations (NGOs) and the Private sector for testing the water quality in these three Districts. This activity is in line with the Government New Direction Agenda to improve the life and well being of the people of Sierra Leone.

Interested bidders may obtain further information and inspect the bidding documents at the address below between 10:00am to 3:00pm from Mondays to Fridays before the bid closing date. The bidding documents may be purchased upon payment of a non-refundable fee of Two Hundred Thousand Leones (Le200,000.00) for the construction of Lab Offices and One Hundred Thousand Leones (Le100,000.00) for the supply of Furniture and Equipment at any of the following Banks:

- Bank of Sierra Leone, NPPA-Revenue from sale of Bidding Document, 0111003981
- Union Trust Bank, Revenue from sale of bidding sub Treasury, 210113253-01
- Sierra Leone Commercial Bank, Revenue from sale of bidding sub Treasury, 003001081791112183
- Rokel Commercial Bank, Revenue from sale of bidding sub Treasury, 02-011012428 and a copy of the receipt submitted to the Procurement Unit at the address below for issuance of the bidding document.

All bids must be accompanied with:

- Bid security of Twenty Million Leones (Le20, 000,000.00) for the construction of Lab Offices, whilst Ten Million Leones (Le10,000,000) for the supply of Furniture and Equipment. It must be in the form of a valid bank guarantee from a reputable Commercial Bank operating in Sierra Leone.
- A copy of a valid business registration certificate
- A copy of a valid tax clearance certificate from the National Revenue Authority (NRA).
- A copy of a valid NASSIT clearance certificate,
- A copy of a valid local council License
- A copy of a valid Ministry of Works Housings and Infrastructure (MOWHI) Certificate
- A sign integrity pact
- A sign declaration of conflict of interest.

Sealed bids must be delivered to the address below on or before 1st October, 2021 at 1100 Hours GMT. Electronic bidding will not be permitted; late bids will be rejected and returned unopened to bidders

Bids will be opened publicly on 1st October, 2021 at 11:15 a.m. in the presence of bidders or representatives of bidders who choose to attend, at the address below. Late bids will be rejected and returned unopened to bidders.

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