





ADDENDUM NO.1 EXTENSION OF THE BID SUBMISSION CLOSING DATE

This Addendum follows the Invitation for Bids P-ET-FAO-020 - R00 for Plant Design, Supply, Installation, Testing and Commissioning of Substations and Transmission Lines under the Eastern Ethiopia Electricity Grid Reinforcement Project (EEEGRP) that was published on the Bank's Website on 05 March 2025 and UNDB Online on 05 March 2025 Ref P2175515-03/25 with a closing date of 24 April 2025. Be informed that the bid submission closing date has been extended to 15 May 2025 by 2:00PM Local Time. All other conditions of the Invitation for Bids remain unchanged.

IFB NUMBER: P-ET-FAO-020 - R00

Employer: Ethiopian Electric Power

Project: Eastern Ethiopia Electricity Grid Reinforcement Project (EEEGRP)

Contract title:

Plant Design, Supply, Installation, Testing and Commissioning of

Substations and Transmission Lines

Country: The Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia

Loan No.: 51800130000001 Grant No.: 2100155043017

Procurement Method: Open Competitive Bidding (International) (OCBI)

IFB OCBI No: EEP/PP/ICB/01/2025

- The Ethiopian Electric Power (EEP) has received financing from the African Development Fund (ADF) and Korea Economic Development Co-operation Fund (EDCF) -hereinafter called the Bank- towards the cost of the Eastern Ethiopia Electricity Grid Reinforcement Project, and intends to apply part of the proceeds toward payments under the Contracts for:
 - Lot 1: Harar IV, Jijiga II & Hurso 230/132/33/15 kV Substations
 - Lot 2: Fafen 132/33 kV, Harar III 132/66/33/15 kV, Harar II 66/15kV & Jijiga I 132/33/15 kV Substations
 - Lot 3: 400 kV DC (Hurso-Harar IV & Harar IV-Jijiga II), 66 kV DC (Harar II-Harar III), LILO 132 kV DC (Harar III-Jijiga I, Harar III-Fiq I, Harar III-Jijiga I, and Harar III-Jijiga I) transmission lines

For these contracts, the Borrower shall process the payments using the Direct Payment disbursement method, as defined in the Bank's Disbursement Guidelines and procedures for Investment Project Financing, except for those payments, which the contract provides to be made through letter of credit.



The Ethiopian Electric Power (EEP) now invites sealed Bids from eligible Bidders for scope of work as indicated below:

Lot 1: 230kV Substations

- (i) Construction of two (2) new substations, namely:
- 230/132/33/15 kV Harar IV substation
- 230/132/33/15kV Jijiga II substation
- (ii) Extension of 230/132/33/15 kV Hurso substation by two (2) 230 kV line bays to allow the connection of the new double circuit OHTL Hurso Harar IV.

Lot 2: 132kV & 66kV substations

- (i) Construction of new 132/33 kV Fafen substation
- (ii) Extension/ Rehabilitation of the following substations:
 - Existing 132/66/33/15 kV Harar III substation
 - Existing 66/15kV Harar II substation
 - Existing 132/33/15 kV Jijiga I Substation

Lot 3: 400 kV, 132 kV LILO & 66 kV transmission lines

- Supply, installation, erection and commissioning of a new 400 kV D/C
 Transmission Line from the existing Hurso substation to the new Jijiga II
 substation, through the new Harar IV substation with a total length of approx.
 158.3km.
- Connections to the existing 132kV and 66kV Transmission Lines (Li/Lo connections) as follows:
- 2.7 km double circuit 66 kV line to replace the existing single circuit 66 kV line from Harar III to Harar II substation.

For Lots 1 and 2 the time to complete the works including commissioning (from the Effective Date up to Operation Acceptance) is 24 months. For Lot 3 the time to complete the works including commissioning (from the Effective Date up to Operational Acceptance) is 26 months.

- Bidders may bid for one or more lots as applicable and as further defined in the bidding document. Bidders wishing to offer discounts in case they are awarded more than one contract will be allowed to do so provided those discounts are included in the Letter of Bid.
- 4. Bidding will be conducted through the Open Competitive Bidding (International), OCBI procedures as specified in the Bank's <u>Procurement Framework</u> October 2015 and is open to all eligible Bidders as defined in the Procurement Framework.
- 5. Interested eligible Bidders may obtain further information from Ethiopia Electric Power and inspect the bidding document during office hours 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM, local time (Addis Ababa) at the address given below.
- The bidding document in English may be purchased by interested eligible Bidders upon submission of a written application to the address below and upon payment of a nonrefundable fee of Ethiopian Birr Eighteen Thousand Six Hundred (ETB 18,600) or



United States Dollar One Hundred fifty (USD150) or United States Dollar One Hundred fifty (USD150) or its equivalent in a freely convertible currency from the Ethiopian Electric Power, Procurement office. The method of payment shall be in cash or cashier's check or through telegraphic transfer to EEP Transmission Construction A/C No.: 1000252665203, Commercial Bank of Ethiopia (CBE), Arada Giorgis Branch, Swift Code: CBETETAA; and EEP BUMBUNA HPP A/C No.0101181300051, National Bank of Ethiopia (NBE), Swift Code: NBETETAA, for ETB and Foreign Currency Account respectively starting from March 10, 2025.

- 7. Bids must be delivered to the address below on or before May 15, 2025, 2:00 PM. Electronic bidding will not be permitted. Late Bids will be rejected. Bids will be publicly opened in the presence of the Bidders' designated representatives and anyone who chooses to attend at the address below on May 15, 2025, 2:30 PM.
- 8. All Bids must be accompanied by a Bid Security as follows:

Lot 1: USD 900,000.00 Lot 2: USD 500,000.00

Lot 3: USD 1,500,000.00

A separate Bid Security is required for each Lot in the amount and currency indicated above.

- Attention is drawn to the Procurement Framework 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.
- 10. The address(es) referred to above is (are):

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