

Invitation for Bids

Goods

National Competitive Bidding (NCB)

Date of issue: 21th June, 2022

Procurement of One Double Cab and One Station Wagon

Activity #: SL-MOFED-297340-GO-RFB

1. The Government of Sierra Leone through the Ministry of Information & Communication has received funds from the International Development Association for the Procurement of One Double Cab and One Station Wagon under the Sierra Leone Digital Transformation Project and now invites sealed bids from eligible bidders. The Project Fiduciary Management Unit, an implementing agency of the Client, intends to apply a portion of the proceeds of this (Grant) to eligible payments under the contract for which this Request for Bid. The Project Fiduciary Management Unit (PFMU) now invite sealed Bids form eligible bidders who can demonstrate Technical and Financial Capabilities for the Procurement of One Double Cab and One Station Wagon.

Item	Quantity	Bid Security (Le)	Delivery Period
Procurement of One Double Cab	1	50,000,000	5 Weeks
Procurement of One Station Wagon	1		

2. Bidders shall quote for all items as required in the Bid Document. Bids will be evaluated and contract will be awarded to the Bidder meeting the required qualification criteria.
3. Bidding will be conducted through National Competitive Bidding (NCB) procedures specified in the National Public Procurement Act 2016 and is open to all eligible bidders as defined in the manual and Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers July 2016 Revised November 2017, August 2018 and November, 2020.
4. Interested eligible Bidders may obtain further information from PFMU, Email: dtransformationproject@gmail.com and inspect the bidding document during office hours 09:00 to 17:00 hours at the address given below.

5. All Bids must be accompanied by a Bid Security in the amounts indicated above or its equivalent in a freely convertible currency. The Bidder shall seal the original and each copy of the bid, in separate envelopes, duly marking the envelopes as “**ORIGINAL (1)**” and “**COPY (3)**.” The envelopes shall then be enclosed in an outer envelope and sealed.

6. Interested bidders may obtain further information and inspect the bidding document at the address below between office hours 09:00 to 17:00 hour. Bidding documents may be purchased upon payment of a non-refundable fee of **One Million Leones (Le1,000,000.00)** and bidders may obtain further information on the bidding document at the address below between 11:00 am to 4:00pm from Mondays to Fridays no-later than seven (7) days prior to the deadline of submission of bids. The method of payment will be cash.

Bids must be delivered to the address below on or before 18th July, 2022. All bids must be accompanied by:

- A valid Business registration certificate
- Bid Security of Fifty Million Leones (Le 50,000.00) from a reputable Commercial Bank;
- A valid tax clearance certificate;
- A valid NASSIT clearance certificate;
- A signed Integrity Pact; [*see attached*]
- Manufacturers Authorization
- Evidence of similar supplies
- Business Profile of the Bidder/Supplier
- Original Brochure with Technical Literature

Bids will be publicly opened on 18th July, 2022 at 11:00 a.m, in the presence of the bidders’ designated representatives and anyone who chooses to attend, at the address below. Late bids will be rejected and returned unopened to bidders.

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