ADDIS ABABA CITY ROADS AUTHORITY (AACRA)

NOTICE OF INVITATION TO REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FOR ESTABLISHMENT OF BUS RAPID TRANSIT (BRT) B6 PROJECT - CONSULTANCY SERVICE FOR DETAILED DESIGN, PREPARATION OF TENDER FOR WORKS AND WORKS BID ASSISTANCE, WORKS SUPERVISION AND MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES

SELECTION OF CONSULTANTS BY BENEFICIARIES OF FINANCING FROM KOREA EXIM BANK

- The Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia (Hereinafter called "Borrower" has received financing from the Korean EXIM Bank (hereinafter called the "loan") towards the costs of Establishment of Bus Rapid Transit (BRT) B6 Project - Consultancy Services for Consultancy Service for Detailed Design, Preparation of Tender for Works and Works Bid Assistance, Works Supervision and Miscellaneous Services. The Borrower intends to apply a portion of the funds to eligible payments under the contract for which this Expression of Interest is issued.
- 2. The Addis Ababa Transport Bureau (AATB) represented by the Addis Ababa City Roads Authority (AACRA) now invites a competent Korean consultancy firm ("Consultants") to express their interest in providing the services. The Consultants should have proven capabilities in Public Transport Engineering (BRT), Traffic Management Engineering, Architecture and Urban Landscaping, especially in emerging and/or developing countries.
- 3. The consultancy service should include;

The scope of works for the Consultant has been divided into four (4) areas; consulting for 1) Detailed Design for BRT system (Civil works & ITS system), 2) Preparation of Bidding Documents and Bidding Assistance, 3) Supervision and contract administration of Works (Civil works & ITS system), and 4) Capacity Building and Local/Oversea Training. The consulting services for these four (4) areas will be implemented through the following two (2) phases;

- Phase I: Detailed Design, Preparation of Bidding Documents and Bidding Assistance
 - Task 1. Validation of feasibility study, detailed surveys and field investigations
 - Task 2. Detailed Engineering and Systems Design
 - Task 3. Preparation of Bidding Documents, Engineering Cost Estimations and bidding assistance for the Civil Works, ITS & Equipment
 - Task 4. Public relations and Communication
- Phase II: Supervision of Construction Works and Capacity Building
 - Task 1: Supervision of Civil Works related to the Project: BRT carriageway, Roads, Bridges & Underpass, BRT stations, intermodal facilities, etc.
 - Task 2: ITS Systems and Equipment supply and implementation supervision including the follow-up of the design and manufacturing in Ethiopia or abroad, the supervision of the implementation, and the commissioning of all Systems and Equipment(if necessary);
 - Γask 3: Testing and trial run including the organization and achievement of all commissioning and testing procedures including the final combined testing and "trial run" procedures.

- Task 4: Capacity building including invitation training and local trainings related to the Project
- Task 5: Monitoring and assistance to the Client in the implementation of ESMP and RAP.
- 4. The Expression of Interest (EOI) shall be prepared in the English language.
- 5. Interested Korean International consultants must provide information indicating that they are qualified to perform the services (eligibility documents such as renewed trade and professional license, brochures, description of similar assignments, experience on similar conditions, availability of appropriate skills among staff, etc.). The consultants shall commit to have permanent staffs available to carry out the assignments all along the Project.
- 6. The Client will prepare a shortlist of about five candidates to be pre-selected on the basis of the Expressions of Interests received.
- 7. The Client will send Request of Proposals (RFP) for the shortlisted firms.
- 8. The Client reserves the right to accept or reject all part of the process.
- 9. Further information can be obtained at the address below during office hours: from 09:00 A.M to 12:30 A.M and from 2:00 P.M to 5:00 P.M Mondays to Thursdays, and 09:00 A.M to 11:30 A.M and 2:00 P.M to 5:00 P.M on Fridays from Addis Ababa City Roads Authority (AACRA), Engineering Procurement Directorate, Team 1, Ground floor, Room No. 35.
- 10. Expression of Interest must be delivered in one (1) original and three (3) hard copies or electronically to the address below (in person, or by mail) on or before April 02, 2021 at 5:00 PM. late submissions may be rejected.
- 11. The following statement should be mentioned on the envelope

"Expression of Interest for Establishment of Bus Rapid Transit (BRT) B6 Project - Consultancy Services for Consultancy Service for Detailed Design, Preparation of Tender for Works and Works Bid Assistance, Works Supervision and Miscellaneous Services."

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