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INVITATION TO TENDER

1. INTRODUCTION

The Ministry of Power, Renewable Energy and Transport, Benue State, in pursuance of its mandate to provide, improve and sustain reliable electrical, renewable-energy and public lighting infrastructure across the State, and in compliance with the applicable Benue State public procurement law, regulations, and guidelines, intends to undertake the Procurement and Installation of Traffic and Solar Street Lights in Makurdi Metropolis, Benue State.

Accordingly, the Ministry hereby invites sealed bids from competent, experienced, reputable, financially and technically capable contractors for the execution of the project described below.

2. SCOPE OF WORKS

LOT	DESCRIPTION	CATEGORY
LOT 1	Procurement and Installation of Traffic Signal Systems and Associated Infrastructure at designated Junctions within Makurdi Metropolis	WORKS
LOT 2	Procurement and Installation of Solar-Powered Street Lighting Systems and Associated Civil, and Ancillary Works on Newly Constructed Roads within Makurdi Metropolis	WORKS
LOT 3	Procurement and Installation of 654 No Solar Street lights at MDAs in Makurdi	WORKS

Detailed bill of materials of technical specifications, drawings, conditions of contract and Bill of Materials shall be contained in the Tender/Bidding Document. Contractors may bid for more than one lot, depending on their expertise.

3. ELIGIBILITY AND QUALIFICATION REQUIREMENTS

- Evidence of Certificate of Incorporation/Registration issued by the Corporate Affairs Commission (CAC), including relevant corporate registration documents.
- Valid Tax Clearance Certificate/evidence of tax compliance for the period prescribed by applicable law.
- Valid Pension Compliance Certificate, where applicable.
- Valid Industrial Training Fund (ITF) Compliance Certificate, where applicable.
- Valid Nigeria Social Insurance Trust Fund (NSITF) Compliance Certificate, where applicable.
- Evidence of registration with the Benue State Public Procurement Commission (BSPPC), where applicable.
- Sworn affidavit/declaration disclosing relevant interests and confirming that information submitted is true and correct.
- Declaration that the bidder and its directors have not been debarred and have not engaged in fraudulent, corrupt or collusive practices.
- Evidence that the company is not in receivership, insolvency or bankruptcy proceedings that would materially affect performance.
- Audited financial statements for the past 3 years.
- Reference from a reputable commercial bank demonstrating financial capacity and/or willingness to provide credit facilities when required.

12. Company profile and CVs of key personnel, with relevant academic and professional qualifications and registrations, including COREN and NSE.
13. Verifiable evidence of at least three similar projects executed within the past 5 years, supported by contracts/letters of award, completion or valuation certificates and photographs or other verifiable evidence.
14. List of required plants and equipment with proof of ownership, lease or lawful access.
15. For Joint Ventures/Partnerships, the required JV agreement/MoU and statutory/eligibility documents for each participating entity as required by the applicable procurement framework.

The final Tender Document shall state the exact thresholds, validity periods and documentary requirements applicable to this procurement.

4. COLLECTION OF TENDER DOCUMENTS

Interested bidders may obtain the Tender/Bidding Document from the office of the Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Power, Renewable Energy and Transport, Makurdi, Benue State, during official working hours upon evidence of payment of the applicable non-refundable fee of ₦100,000.00 to the following account details:

Account Name: Ministry of Power, Renewable Energy and Transport
Account Number: 1310799183
Bank Name: Zenith

5. SUBMISSION OF BIDS

Bidders shall prepare and submit their bids on or before 21st September, 2026, exactly two weeks from the day of this advertisement. Technical and financial submissions shall be separately sealed and clearly marked, and enclosed in an outer sealed envelope addressed to the Permanent Secretary of the Ministry. The outer envelope shall state the project title, Bid Reference Number and Lot Number, while the bidder's name, address, telephone number and email shall appear on the reverse.

6. OPENING OF BIDS

Technical bids shall be opened immediately after the deadline at the venue and time stated in the final Tender Document. Financial bids shall remain unopened until completion of the applicable technical evaluation and approval process. Bidders or authorised representatives and other persons permitted under the applicable procurement framework may attend the opening.

7. DISCLAIMER

The Ministry of Power, Renewable Energy and Transport, Benue State Government, is not bound to accept the lowest bid or any bid and reserves the right, subject to applicable procurement law and regulations, to reject any or all bids, annul or discontinue the procurement process, or make no award where circumstances so warrant, without incurring liability to any bidder.

8. For enquiries, contact the Procurement Desk Officer on 07060997358.

Signed:

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Covering Permanent Secretary,
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For: The Hon. Commissioner.

