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MINAS DE BENGA, LDA

NOTICE INVITING EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

BENGA COAL MINE

EOI No.02/2018

Project name: Benga Coal Mine

Country: Mozambique

Business Sector: Mining, Power and Energy

Notice type: Invitation for Expression of Interest

Issue date: 15th November, 2018

Closing date: 04th December, 2018

Expression of Interest

This notice inviting Expression of interest is intended to invite whoever is resourceful, capable and interested in consultancy and supervision of construction of houses, social infrastructure and associated infrastructure for urban resettlement at Mboza, in Moatize District, Tete Province, Mozambique.

1.0 Resettlement

Minas de Benga Limitada (MBL) is the concessionaire of the Benga Coal Mine. As part of the Mining License, MBL intends to resettle affected community living within the DUAT area.

A resettlement study was conducted in 2009 and a resettlement action plan was approved by the Government of Mozambique on 05th April 2010, which ended on classification of two (2) types of resettlement, as follows:

- Rural resettlement: The rural resettlement of 478 families was conducted and concluded in 2013 and consisted of construction of 478 houses, a health centre, a primary school, an orphanage, administration buildings, water system, electrical system (medium voltage and low

voltage), roads, and various livelihood and communities social development projects at Mualadzi, Moatize district;

- Urban resettlement: Urban resettlement of 272 families, requires construction of approved resettlement plan, of houses, churches, primary school and additional classroom block for secondary school, housing for school head personnel, office for women and social assistance, health centre, market place, sport's field, police station, access road, internal roads, water system and electrical system (medium and low voltage) at Mboza, in Moatize district.

2.0. The Expression of interest

This notice inviting Expression of interest is intended to invite interest from resourceful & capable parties for consultancy and supervision of construction of houses and associated infrastructure, as per approved Urban Resettlement plan.

The construction site is located at Mboza in Moatize District, Tete province at a distance of approximately 12 Km from Moatize City. The works to be performed include, without limitation:

- a) Supervision of construction of 272 (two hundred and seventy two) houses, with its own sewage system, gutters and rain water collection system;
- b) Consultancy services (engineering and design) and supervision for construction of 4 (four) Churches for different congregation;
- c) Supervision of construction of a Health Centre type 2, with all respective support infrastructures;
- d) Supervision of construction of 1 (one) Primary school with two houses for school head personnel;
- e) Supervision of Construction of an additional classrooms block for secondary school;
- f) Consultancy services (engineering and design) and supervision of construction of 1 (one) market;
- g) Consultancy services (engineering and design) and supervision of construction of 1 (one) office for women and social assistance;
- h) Consultancy services (engineering and design) and supervision of construction of 1 (one) sport's field;

- i) Consultancy services (engineering and design) and supervision of construction of 1 (one) Police Station;
- j) Supervision of construction of the water supply system comprising of the main area for caption, a reservoir and distribution system;
- k) Consultancy services (engineering and design) and supervision of construction of the main access road, secondary and tertiary roads, including all required drainage system;
- l) Consultancy services (engineering and design) and supervision of construction of electrical infrastructure, including medium voltage system, low voltage system and public lights.

3.0. Eligibility Criteria

- 3.1. Applicants must have successfully performed consultancy and supervision of civil construction projects in the last 10 years out of which he must have successfully supervised projects of value of minimum 8 (eight) million USD, such as townships, villages, resettlements, by submitting proof and support documents such project list, duration, cost of the project, client name, project team curriculum, contract order and completion certificate, etc;
- 3.2. Applicants should not present their interest in form of a consortium.
- 3.3. Applicants are required to have all necessary permits, consents and approvals necessary for executing the activities described at 2.0 according to the Mozambican legislation, norms and rules;
- 3.4. Applicants must submit declaration stating that they are capable to issue a Bank Guaranty of 40,000.00 USD (forty thousands American dollars) in the form of various guarantees on bid submission;
- 3.5. Applicants must proof that they can operate in accordance with Government of Mozambique legislation and are not prohibited to trade, under judicial or penal sentence, not owning debts to tax or social security. For the purpose of prove, the applicant must submit the following documents, Non Bankruptcy declaration issued by the Judicial court , “*Certidão de Quitação*” from tax authorities and “*Certidão de Quitação*” from INSS;
- 3.6. Applicants must be duly registered as a consultant company and the scoped ranged as expressed herein above and have *ALVARÁ of 4th Class* at least, as per Mozambican law;
- 3.7. The Applicant are required to provide expertise for the multidisciplinary task, as herein referred, and give preference to local work force capable and available for the project, as per Mozambican law;

4.0. Responsibility of the successful Applicant

- 4.1. Strict compliance with final approved design and construction schedule and provide daily, weekly, monthly progress report to the authorized representative of MBL. Any changes or clarifications must be written, agreed and signed by the MBL representative.
- 4.2. Strict compliance with Health, Safety and Environmental rules and legislation for the construction and operates in accordance of MBL Environmental Management Plan, and provide daily, weekly, monthly compliance report on Health, Safety and Environmental issues (dust control, material handling, fatigue management, working at height, confined space, waste management, water monitoring, etc.);
- 4.3. Ensure the contractor provides security and maintenance of the infrastructures and the construction site while in construction (houses, roads, social infrastructure buildings, water system and electrical system);
- 4.4. Ensure the contractor provides, lighting, fencing, ablution facilities and provision of civil amenities for the construction employees and for the consultant;
- 4.5. Ensure the contractor provides the equipment and labour histograms that meet the work requirement, labour law and regulation requirements, including, without limitation, vehicles, PPE, tools.;
- 4.6. Ensure the contractor provides fire prevention and control in the construction area;
- 4.7. Ensure provision from the contractor of the expertise, supervision and labour for the construction of the different specialities and discipline;
- 4.8. Ensure the contractor complies with storage, retention, collection, recycling and disposal (including transport where applicable) of all construction waste generated by construction direct and indirect activities as per the environmental policies and procedures of MBL, the Environment Management Plan and environmental regulations, waste management regulations and other applicable legislation;
- 4.9. Ensure contractor perform all activities associated with clearing, grubbing and soil movement and management in compliance with the applicable Mozambican law and the MBL Environmental Management Plan and HSE policies and procedures.

5.0. Submission and Clarifications

5.1. Applicants shall submit their EOI as per Annex 1 (form of EOI) duly signed, stamped and enclosing all relevant documents required as per the eligibility criteria and conditions of the EOI;

5.2. Applicants should have a proven track record of consultancy and supervision of similar nature.

5.3. Clarification requests on the Expression of Interest shall be sent to eo.clarification@icvl.co.mz latest by 26.11.2018.

5.4. The interested parties shall submit their EOI in writing by electronic mail to: eo.resettlement@icvl.co.mz by 04th December 2018.

6. Expression of Interest Details and Requirements

6.1. Interested parties are requested to submit their EOI along with all supporting documents and credentials;

6.2. From the received EOIs, based on eligibility criteria, qualified Applicants will be invited to a site visit. After site visit, the eligible parties will participate in the next stage of tender.

7.0. Site Visit

7.1. Eligible applicants will be required to visit the proposed construction site at Mboza, Moatize District at their own cost and familiarize themselves before submitting their tender;

7.2. After issue of Letter of Intent (LOI) no dispute arising on account of extra work will be admissible;

7.3. The visit to site of eligible applicants will be coordinated by MBL by intimating the date and time of the site visit.

8. DISCLAIMER (applicable to clause 1 and 2 both)

8.1. This document is not an agreement and is not an offer or invitation to enter into an agreement of any kind with any party. Under no circumstances shall the information set out in this document be considered binding or giving rise to legal consequences in any form with respect to MBL or any of its employees or representatives.

8.2. MBL reserve the right to accept/ reject any or all Expression(s) of Interest (EOI) from parties without assigning any reasons whatsoever.

8.3. All information contained in this Expression of Interest (EOI) or information or any clarification subsequently provided is done so in good faith, but without any guarantee of accuracy, reliability and completeness.

8.4. Each Applicant shall conduct at its own cost its own investigation and analysis and should check the accuracy, reliability and completeness of the information in this Expression of Interest as well as in relation to any additional information that may be obtained or required.

8.5. Applicants shall bear all expenses and costs incurred in relation to this EOI and the submission of any bid at either stage of the EOI. Neither MBL nor any of their respective employees or representatives shall reimburse or otherwise be responsible for any costs incurred during the EOI and bidding process. The information provided herein should not be considered as a promise or certification of the final decision of MBL. MBL reserve the right to modify any aspect of the Project.

8.6. MBL shall be entitled to publish depersonalized replies to the queries and requests for additional information or clarification (if any) received from the interested parties till the end of the business day of **27th November'2018**.

Annex 1 - Form of Expression of Interest

Date xxxxxxxx

To Deputy General Manager (Procurement), MBL

Dear Sir,

In reference to EOI number xxxx dated xxxx issued by you for inviting the interest for consultancy and supervision for construction of houses and associated infrastructures for resettlement of community under Urban resettlement at Mboza, Moatize District, we hereby submit our interest to participate in the referenced project we confirm that we have requisites experiences and financial capability to complete the job successfully. Our details are given bellow.

1. Name, registered address & operational office address of the Applicant.
2. Name & designation of the concerned officer to whom all references shall be made.
3. Website:
4. Telephone:
5. E-Mail:
6. Chief Executive
7. E-mail:
8. Telephone:
9. Total number of Employees:
10. Type of the Organization (Public Sector /Limited/Private limited/Partnership/ Proprietary /Society/Any other.)
11. Locations and addresses of Offices, and operational locations (enclose the list):
12. Name & address of local representative, if any :

13. Category of Applicants (Single Company)

Certificate of incorporation, certified copy of memorandum & articles of association, tax registration certificate and declaration of commencement activities are enclosed.

14. Details of consultancy and supervision works performed:

Sl. No.	Name and Address of the Project	Name of Project Owner/Authority and Contact Details	Project Description (Brief Scope of work)	Duration of Contract		Value of the Project (USD)	Remarks
				Date of Award the Contract	Date of Completion Project		
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NOTE:

- Contract orders and completion certificates for each project enclosed.

15. List of Permits, Consents, and Approvals in possession.

Sl. No.	Name of Permit, Consent, Approval	Issuing Authority	Date of Issue	Validity
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Copy of Permits, Consents, and Approvals in possession are enclosed.

We commit to obtain all balance permits, consent, approvals, within 30 calendar days from issue of LOI to operate according to the Mozambican legislation, norms and rules.

16. List of Consultancy and supervision of the team members allocated to this project.

Sl. No.	Team Member Name	Discipline/Function in the Project	Years of Experiences	Qualification
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NOTE:

- Signed copies of the CVs and notarized certificates of key team members are enclosed;

17. We are already registered and established in Mozambique and we declare that we have not been prohibited to trade in Mozambique under judicial or penal sentence and we do not own debts to tax or social security. In this connection, non-bankrupt declaration issued by judicial court “Certificado de Quitação” from tax authority and “Certidão de INSS” are enclosed.

Or,

We are presently not registered and established in Mozambique.

Declaration signed by at least two company’s directors and duly certified by our company secretary in respect of the following is enclosed:

- (a) The company is not black listed by the Mozambican Government;

- (b) The company is not bankrupt;
- (c) The company is not facing any legal, criminal procedures against it

18. We already have ALVARÀ of 4th class/Consultancy ALVARÀ in possession as per Mozambican law for construction as per enclosed certificate.

Or,
We commit to obtain ALVARÀ of 4th class/Consultancy ALVARÀ as per the Mozambican law within one month from issuing of EOI.

Thanking you

Yours sincerely

(Name, Designation)

(Company Stamp)