

GE-Tiflis: Suministro de máquinas excavadoras de tipo "Backhoe Loader" para la compañía de abastecimiento de aguas de Georgia (BEI)

2012/S 106-175768

Invitation for Bids (IFB)

Georgia

Water Infrastructure Modernization Project

Supply of

Backhoe Loaders (Excavators)

for The United Water Supply Company of Georgia

ICB #EIB/WIMP/ICB/G/06-2012

1.

The Georgia has received a loan from the European Investment Bank toward the cost of Water Infrastructure Modernization Project, and it intends to apply part of the proceeds of this credit to payments under the Contract for Supply of Backhoe Loaders (Excavators) for The United Water Supply Company of Georgia (Contract # EIB/WIMP/ICB/G/06-2012).

2.

The Municipal Development Fund of Georgia now invites sealed bids from eligible and qualified bidders for Supply of 14 units of Backhoe Loaders (Excavators).

Delivery period is from 60 to 120 days.

3.

Bidding will be conducted through the International Competitive Bidding (ICB) procedures specified in the World Bank's Guidelines: Procurement under IBRD Loans and IDA Credits, May 2004, revised in October 2006 and May 2010 and is open to all bidders from Eligible Source Countries as defined in the Guidelines.

4.

Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from Municipal Development Fund of Georgia, Levan Chichinadze, Executive Director, procurement@mdf.org.ge and inspect the Bidding Documents at the address given below from Monday to Friday 10:00 to 18:00 hours.

5.

Bids should be submitted for one contract. All items will be evaluated together and the Contract will be awarded to the bidder who has the lowest evaluated responsive bid.

If the bidder with the lowest evaluated bid for contract meets the all criteria specified in Items ITB 11.1 (g) and 11.1(h) (i) of the Bidding Data Sheet, the Bidder will be awarded contract.

Qualifications requirements include:

To be qualified for award the bidder shall meet the following criteria and present the documents to confirm that as a minimum:

(a) The bidder shall have a minimum annual turnover of 0.5 million US Dollars or equivalent for each of the last three years;

(b) The Bidder shall demonstrate that it has successfully performed at a minimum one or more contracts consisting of sales of at least 30 units of similar equipment during the past five (5) years.

(c) in the case of a bidder offering to supply goods under the Contract which the bidder does not manufacture or otherwise produce, the bidder has been duly authorized by the goods' manufacturer

or producer to supply the goods in the Purchaser's country;
(d) The goods shall be I.S.O. (or with equivalent quality management system certification) certified. A margin of preference for certain goods manufactured domestically "shall not" be applied. Additional details are provided in the Bidding Documents.

6.

A complete set of Bidding Documents in English language may be purchased by interested bidders on the submission of a written Application to the address below and upon payment of a non refundable fee GEL 200 or equivalent in a convertible currency plus courier expenses if a bidder would like the Bidding documents to be sent by Courier. If requested, the documents will be promptly dispatched by courier, but no liability can be accepted for loss or late delivery. A copy of the purchased bidding documents may be forwarded to the contractors by e-mail.

Payment shall be made by transferring the amount into the account below:

Beneficiary Bank: Bank of Georgia,

Bank Address: 3 Pushkin Street, 0105 Tbilisi, Georgia

Bank Code: BAGAGE22

Beneficiary: LEPL Municipal Development Fund of Georgia, ID Code: 206 074 193 GEL/USD/EUR (multicurrency) Acc. No: GE64BG000000269619500 with remark "Invitation to Bidding Package No. EIB/WIMP/ICB/G/06-2012"

7.

Bids must be delivered to the address below at or before 15:00, July 17, 2012. Electronic bidding will not be permitted. Late bids will be rejected. Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend in person or on-line at the address below at 15:00, July 17, 2012. All bids must be accompanied by a "Bid Security" of GEL 26,000 (twenty six thousand) or equivalent in freely convertible currency. A Bid-Securing Declaration is not required.

8.

The address(es) referred to above is(are):

Municipal Development Fund of Georgia, Mr. Levan Chichinadze, Executive Director, 150 Davit Agmashenebeli Avenue, 0112, Tbilisi, Georgia. Tel: +995 322437001 / 322437002 / 322437003 / 322437004, Fax: +995 322437077, e-mail: procurement@mdf.org.ge, web-site: www.mdf.ge.