Contract notice Services

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addersses

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I.3) Communication

Access to the procurement documents is restricted. Further information can be obtained at the abovementioned address.

Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address.

Submission of the application at the above mentioned address.

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

Road Management

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title:

Implementation Support and Safeguard Monitoring Services for the Project Motorway on Corridor Vc, Section Medakovo – Poprikuše

Reference number: JPAC-1370-E-728/22

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description:

The selected Consultant is expected to provide the following services:

Consultancy services for Implementation Support and Safeguard Monitoring Services for the Project Motorway on Corridor Vc, Section Medakovo – Poprikuše. The Services related to advising on procurement, contract administration, both legal and technical, as well as environmental and social monitoring and reporting.

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: 6 000 000.00 EUR

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: no

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS code: BA Bosnia And Herzegovina

Main site or place of performance:

Bosnia and Herzegovina. The main site will be Sarajevo and at the construction site Medakovo – Poprikuše. The Services will be provided to the Employer's PIU nominated for this Project and is expected to entail presence as well as some part time inputs.

II.2.4) Description of the procurement:

A Consultant will be selected in accordance with the EIB Guide to Procurement, September 2018: https://www.eib.org/en/publications/guide-to-procurement

A Restricted Procurement procedure with an international call for expression of interest will be followed.

The Procuring Entity, PC Motorways of Federation of Bosnia and Herzegovina Ltd. Mostar (JPAC), now invites eligible consultants to indicate their interest in providing the Services. Firms originating from all countries of the world are eligible to tender for works, goods and services contracts.

Interested consultants must provide information indicating that they are qualified to perform the Service. Consultants shall contact the JPAC to obtain a copy of the template that must be used to submit any Expression of Interest. Only applications using the correct template will be accepted. Applications shall be submitted in hard copy only, one original English version and one copy, all in a single envelope with text on the outside of the envelope as follows "EOI for consultancy services for Implementation Support and Safeguard Monitoring Services for the Project Motorway on Corridor Vc, Section Medakovo – Poprikuše, Bosnia and Herzegovina. Not to be opened until [March 10, 2022, 11:00 hrs local time]."

Candidates are allowed to ask clarifications up 15 days prior the deadline for submission by sending an email to the relevant address above.

JPAC intends to shortlist up to six eligible firms to whom a subsequent Request for Proposals (RFP), both technical and financial, shall be sent. In the event that more than six firms fulfil all the qualifying criteria below, JPAC shall use the criteria identified below to rank the applicants and the top six shall be invited to submit proposals.

Corporate services are required. Consultants may associate with other firms to enhance their qualifications, but should indicate clearly whether the association is in the form of a joint venture and/or a sub-consultancy. In the case of a joint venture, all the partners in the joint venture shall be jointly and severally liable for the entire contract, if selected. The experience and financial record of any proposed sub-consultancy shall not be included in the evaluation. In the event that a natural or legal entity submits or forms part of more than one application, all applications in which that entity has participated will be excluded.

Subsequently, following a standstill period of 10 calendar days, the JPAC will send Requests for Proposals (RFP) to the shortlisted selected applicants (maximum 6). Proposals shall be evaluated in two stages on basis of the Most Economically Advantageous Offer.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

Duration in months: 42

II.2.9) Information about the limits on the number of candidates to be invited

Envisaged minimum number: 3

Maximum number: 6

Objective criteria for choosing the limited number of candidates:

In the event that more than six firms fulfil all the qualifying criteria below, the following criteria shall be used to rank the applicants and the top six shall be invited to submit proposals.

- (i) The number of similar contracts in a field related to these Services brought as reference below.
- (ii) In a second step, as necessary, the value of similar contracts in a field related to these Services brought as reference below.

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: no

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: no

II.2.13) Information about European Union funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: no

Section III: Legal, economic, financial and technical information

III.1) Conditions for participation

III.1.1) Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers

The Candidates shall provide a trade licence or professional registers in their Country of Establishment.

The Candidates shall meet the following criteria:

- The minimum total permanent staff number, employed by the candidate in the field of motorways (design, supervision, other support services) must be at 20 (twenty) for the last three (3) years preceding the submission deadline. In case of a JV, the minimum permanent staff of the lead partner, in the field related to this contract, must be at least twelve (12) for last three (3) years.

The experience and financial record of any proposed sub-consultancy shall not be included in the evaluation.

III.1.2) Economic and financial standing

List and brief description of selection criteria:

The Candidates must meet the following criteria:

a) The average annual turnover must be at least 750,000.00 (seven hundred fifty thousand) EUR for the last 3 financial years (2019, 2020 and 2021).

b) Positive financial results in the last three years (2019, 2020 and 2021), which shall be assessed as follows: (i) net worth shall be positive in each year; and (ii) liquidity ratio shall be more than 1 (one) in each Year.

The above selection criteria will be applied to all candidates. In the case of applications submitted by a joint venture (JV), the JV shall collectively meet criterion (a), while the lead partner shall meet not less than 60% of criterion (a) and other partners shall meet not less than 40%. All JV partners shall meet criterion (b).

The experience and financial record of any proposed sub-consultancy shall not be included in the evaluation.

III.1.3) Technical and professional ability

List and brief description of selection criteria:

Candidates must meet the following criteria:

- i. The candidate has implemented and completed, but not necessarily commenced, during the last five (5) years up to the deadline for the receipt of applications indicated below, at least two (2) major consulting engineering contracts involving construction supervision, or TA PIU Support advisory on a major motorway/expressway/highway project implemented under FIDIC Conditions of Contract (or equivalent), with consultancy services of a minimum value of EUR 700,000 each. The candidate shall demonstrate that it had a participation of minimum 60% in each of the contracts brought as reference;
- ii. Of the contracts brought as reference above, at least one shall have been delivered in any of EU Candidate countries or Potential Candidate countries, Croatia, Slovenia, Serbia or Bosnia and Herzegovina.

The experience and financial record of any proposed sub-consultancy shall not be included in the evaluation.

Applicants are encouraged to include all prior experience meeting the criteria above.

III.2) Conditions related to the contract

III.2.2) Contract performance conditions:

The selected Consultant shall be required to perform the Services in accordance with the laws and regulations of BiH and the Entity of the Federation of Bosnia and Herzegovina governing the field of construction and civil engineering and the latest EIB's Guide to Procurement. Environmental and Social Covenant to be signed and submitted as part of their technical proposal and appended into the resulting contract. Payment for the Services shall be on time based/reimbursable basis.

Section IV: Procedure

IV.2) Administrative information

IV.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

Date: 10/03/2022 Local time: 11:00

IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted:

English