



Town Electrification Investment Program

Invitation for Bids

Date	26 th of May 2017
Project No	LHHRP-ICBV1-01/2017
Loan No. and Title	Loan No. 0469-NZL: Town Electrification Investment Program (Additional Financing)
Contract No. and Title	LHHRP-ICBV1-01/2017 Lake Hargy Hydro Power Rehabilitation Project
Deadline for Submission of Bids	21 st of July 2017, 2:00 P.M. (Local Time)

1. The **Independent State of Papua New Guinea** has received a Grant from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) toward the cost of **Town Electrification Investment Program - Tranche 1**. Part of this Grant will be used for payments under the Contract named above. This contract will be jointly financed by the Government of New Zealand and Asian Development Bank. Bidding is open to bidders from eligible source countries of the ADB. The eligibility rules and procedures of the ADB will govern the bidding process.
2. The **PNG Power Limited** (“the Employer”) invites sealed bids from qualified eligible bidders for Lake Hargy Hydropower Rehabilitation Project which covers **the refurbishment of two (2) hydro turbine generators (each with a capacity of 750kW) and their auxiliaries. The works included complete refurbishment of the electromechanical equipment as per the SBD.**
3. **International Competitive Bidding (ICB)** will be conducted in accordance with ADB’s Single-Stage, Single-Envelope bidding procedure and is open to all Bidders from eligible source countries of ADB.

4. Only eligible Bidders with the following key qualifications should participate in this Bidding:

- Minimum average annual turnover of **\$2.7 Million** calculated as total certified payments received for contracts in progress or completed, within the last **three (3)** years.
- Successfully completed as main supplier within the last **five (5)** years, at least **two (2)** contracts each valued at **US\$ 1.2million** with nature and complexity similar to the Schedule of Supply.
- Demonstrate that the goods offered have been in production for at least **ten (10)** years and sold a minimum of **five (5) units** of similar type and specification over the last **ten (10)** years;

The qualification criteria are more completely described in the bidding document.

5. To obtain further information and inspect the bidding documents, bidders should contact during office work hours:

Mr Francis Mamia
Project Manager, Town Electrification Investment Program (TEIP)
PNG Power National Office
Corner Wards Road and Cordia Street, Hohola
P. O. Box 1105, Boroko, NCD
PAPUA NEW GUINEA

Telephone: +675 324 3533
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Email: fmamia@pngpower.com.pg

6. To purchase the bidding documents in English, eligible bidders should:

- Write to the address above (para 5) requesting for the bidding documents.
- Pay a non-refundable fee of **K150.00 or USD \$50.00** by cash, telegraphic transfer, bank deposit or cashable cheque made payable to the following:

Account Name:	PPL Town Electrification Investment Program
Bank:	Bank of South Pacific
Branch:	Boroko
Branch No:	008 943
Account No:	1003531124
Swift Code:	BOSPPGP

The Bidding Documents will be sent by airmail and courier, if required by the Bidders, after paying additional shipping cost of **USD25**. No liability will be accepted for loss or late receipt.

- The complete set of bidding documents will be available from the **29th of May 2017** up to the **07th of July 2017** during office work hours.

7. Deliver your bid:
 - to the address above in para. 5
 - on or before the deadline: **21st of July 2017, 2:00pm.** (Local Time)
 - Late bids will be rejected.

Bids will be opened immediately after the deadline for bid submission in the presence of bidders' representatives who choose to attend.

8. When comparing Bids, ADB's Domestic Preference Scheme will be applied in accordance with the provisions stipulated in the Bidding Document.
9. A pre-bid meeting will be held at PNG Power Ltd National Office in Port Moresby, PNG on the **7th June 2017** followed by site visit which will take place from **8th June 2017 to 10th June 2017**. Bidders to meet all expense relating to the site visit.