

**Invitation for Bids**

Date: ***May 7, 2021***

Loan/Financing No: ***P-Z1-DBO-023***

IFB No: TFPBN/ECW-INFRA/JBP/Goods/001

1. This Invitation for Bids (IFB) follows the General Procurement Notice (GPN) for this Project that appeared in *United Nations Development Business online* (***UNDB online***)No. 739 of 11/30/2008and on the African Development Bank’s Internet Website ([www.afdb.org)](http://www.afdb.org/).
2. The Economic Community of West African States (ECOWAS) Commission *has received* a *financing* from the African Development Bankin various currencies towards the cost of *Nigeria-Cameroon Multinational Highway and Transport Facilitation Programme for the Bamenda-Enugu Corridor.*  It is intended that part of the proceeds of this financing will be applied to eligible payments under the contract for the **Supply, Installation, Testing, Commissioning, Maintenance, Training and After Sales Service of IT and IT Related Equipment Delivered to the Joint Border Post at Mfum Border between Republic of Nigeria and Republic of Cameroon.**
3. The ECOWAS Commission *now* invites sealed Bids from eligible Bidders for the Supply, Installation, Testing, Commissioning, Maintenance, Training and After Sales Service of IT and IT Related Equipment Delivered to the Joint Border Post at Mfum Border between Republic of Nigeria and Republic Of Cameroon (hereinafter called “the Goods”)*.* ***National* Competitive Bidding** will be conducted in accordance with the Bank's *Rules and Procedures for Procurement of Goods and Works*.
4. Interested eligible bidders may inspect the bidding documents at the following address

**ECOWAS Commission,**

**Procurement Division,**

**First (1st) Floor of the ECOWAS Commission Headquarters,**

**Plot 101, Yakubu Gowon Crescent, Asokoro District, Abuja, NIGERIA.**

Interested eligible bidders can also obtain further information through the e-mail addresses mentioned below during working hours: **9.00am - 4.00pm, Nigerian Time, (GMT + 1) Mondays through Fridays (except public holidays)**: procurement@ecowas.int; and copy to sbangoura@ecowas.int ; ikkamara@ecowas.int; amaliki@ecowas.int; ecapo-chichi@ecowas.int

1. A complete set of Bidding Documents may be purchased by interested bidders upon the submission of a written application to ECOWAS Commission, and upon payment of a non-refundable fee of ***One hundred US Dollars (US$ 100) only*** at the Account Department of the ECOWAS Commission, Abuja, Nigeria.
2. The provisions in the Instructions to Bidders and in the General Conditions are those of the Bank’s Standard Bidding Document for Procurement of Goods.
3. Bids must be delivered to the above office on or before ***11:00 am*** on ***July 7, 2021*** and must be accompanied by a **Bid Security of Three million Nigeria Naira (₦3, 000,000.00).**
4. Bids shall remain valid for ***120 days*** after the deadline for bid submission prescribed above.
5. Bids will be opened in the presence of bidders’ representatives who choose to attend at ***11:30 am*** on ***July 7, 2021*,**at the following address:

**ECOWAS Commission, Room 523**

**Fifth (5th) Floor of the ECOWAS Commission Headquarters**

**Plot 101, Yakubu Gowon Crescent**

**Asokoro District, Abuja**

**NIGERIA**

**Vafolay Mbandoe TULAY**

**Commissioner for General Administration & Conference**