GENERAL PROCUREMENT NOTICE



The Government of Namibia has received a grant from the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development to finance the Namibia Renewable Energy Scale-Up Support Project (P179377) and intends to apply part of the proceeds to eligible payments for goods, works, related services, and consulting services to be procured under this project. The project aims to improve reliability of electricity supply and increase access to electricity services in targeted areas of Namibia.

The objective of the project is to enable renewable energy development in Namibia and consists of the following parts:

Part 1: Preparatory Studies to support the development of Renewable Energy (RE) Projects

- 1.1 Consulting Services for carrying out resource assessment studies to measure and collect bankable data for wind and solar projects to support the development of RE projects at selected sites.
- 1.2 Consulting Services for carrying out environmental and social safeguards studies (including gender considerations) in accordance with the Environmental and Social Framework (ESF) for prioritised RE projects and transmission lines.
- 1.3 Consulting Services for carrying out site studies including topographical, geotechnical/seismic, hydrological and logistic studies for prioritised RE projects.
- 1.4 Consulting Services for carrying out feasibility studies to inform the technical specifications of prioritised RE projects and transmission lines.

Part 2: Advisory and Capacity Building to Support Procurement of Renewable Energy (RE) Projects

2.1 Consulting Services for providing transaction advisory services to support the structuring and procurement of bankable and sustainable RE projects for selected projects to be identified under Part 1.

Consulting Services that will use an open national approach to market, for environmental and social safeguards studies and site studies.

Consultancy Services that will use an open international approach to market, for resource assessment studies, feasibility studies and technical advisory.

Procurement of contracts financed by the proceeds of the proposed IBRD grant will be conducted through the procedures as specified in the World Bank's *Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers (July 2016)* (*Procurement Regulations)*, revised in November 2017, August 2018, and November 2020 and is open to all eligible firms and individuals as defined in the Procurement Regulations.

Specific procurement notices for contracts subject to open international competitive procurement will be announced, as they become available, in <u>UN Development Business</u> online, on the World Bank's external website, NamPower's website (<u>www.nampower.com.na</u>) and national newspapers in the Republic of Namibia.

Interested eligible firms and individuals who wish to be considered for the provision of goods, non-consulting services and consulting services for the above-mentioned projects, or those requiring additional information, should contact NamPower in writing at the address below:

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