

# TANZANIA PETROLEUM DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION



## TENDER NO. PA/031/2014-15/C/05

### CONSULTANCY SERVICE FOR THE REHABILITATION OF A CRUDE PETROLEUM TANK

**Date: 09<sup>th</sup> February, 2015**

1. This Expression of Interest follows the General Procurement Notice for this project that appeared in The Daily Newspaper Issue No. 11, 210 and Uhuru Newspaper Issue No. 21869 dated 14<sup>th</sup> July 2014 respectively.
2. The Government of the United Republic of Tanzania has set aside funds for the operation of the Tanzania Petroleum Development Corporation (TPDC) during the financial year 2014 -15. It is intended that part of the proceeds of the fund will be used to cover eligible payment under the contract for the Consultancy Service for Rehabilitation of a Crude Petroleum Tank.
3. The Expression of Interest will be conducted through International Competitive Selection (ICS) and follow the Procedure specified in the Public Procurement Regulations, 2013- Government Notice No. 446 and is open to all Consultants as defined in the Regulations.
4. In order to carry out the above mentioned work, Tanzania Petroleum Development Corporation wishes to engage a qualified consulting firm to undertake consultancy services for the rehabilitation of a crude Petroleum tank. The scope of this work is to establish the nature, requirements and costs for the tank rehabilitation. The scope of service will include but not limited to the following tasks:
  - i. The tank has to be rehabilitated to hold white petroleum products – gas oil or motor spirit premium. The work envisaged herein is renovating and reconditioning of the tank to suit the standard storage facility of white products;
  - ii. Visual inspection of the entire structure;
  - iii. Advise on the mode of cleaning the crude sludge laying at the bottom of the tank;
  - iv. Geotechnical investigation to determine the bearing capacity of the soil and check if the existing foundation can still bear the intended load/ bearing pressure of the product to be stored;
  - v. Investigation and measurement of foundation status;

- vi. Soil sampling to establish the size and nature of foundation needed as the underground soil may have weakened in course of time;
  - vii. Inspection of the tank including but not limited to checks on shells thickness, corrosion and welded joints and conclude on its soundness to carry out the intended product;
  - viii. Check the existing bund wall around the tank and advise whether there is a need of repair or reconstruction;
  - ix. Check existing roof and advise if it is suitable for the intended product otherwise design new roof;
  - x. Assessment of the roundness of the shell(s) and suitability of the existing material;
  - xi. The existing shells thickness and their suitability for holding the envisaged stock;
  - xii. To establish the requirements, location, size etc. of the firefighting systems required; Design firefighting system for the tank as per standards;
  - xiii. Design appropriate pavement for the containment system around the tank to protect the soil from oil spills. Also carry out design on the drainage system for the storm water and oil spills;
  - xiv. Design inlet and outlet pipeline including all necessary fittings from the tank to the tapping point; and
  - xv. Any other requirements and advice that is necessary to make the work technically quality, materially suitable and cost competitive.
5. TPDC now invites eligible consultants to indicate their interest in providing the services. Interested consultants must provide information indicating that they are qualified to perform the services by submitting (brochures, description of similar assignments, availability of appropriate skills among staff and experience in similar conditions). Consultants may associate to enhance their qualifications.
  6. A Consultant will be selected in accordance with the procedures set out in Public Procurement Act No.7 of 2011 and the Public Procurement Regulations, 2013 – Government Notice No. 446 (hereinafter called Procurement Regulations). In assessing the submissions, consideration will be given to the qualification, experience on similar assignment and the capacity to undertake the assignment. **ONLY** firms with demonstrated experience and excellent track records in similar assignments will be considered for short listing.
  7. This is not a request for proposals. After a review of the expression of interest, a shortlist will be prepared, and those shortlisted listed investors will be invited to submit their proposals through a letter of invitation including specific terms of reference.

8. Interested eligible consultants may obtain further information from the office of the Secretary TPDC Tender Board, Tanzania Petroleum Development Corporation, Azikiwe/Jamhuri Streets, P.O. Box 2774, Dar-es-Salaam, Benjamin William Mkapa Towers, Tower "A" Room number 101 on the 10<sup>th</sup> floor between 9.00 and 15.00 hours from Monday to Friday inclusive except on Public Holidays.
9. Expression of interest must be delivered, in a sealed envelope or by courier to the Secretary TPDC Tender Board, Tanzania Petroleum Development Corporation, Azikiwe/Jamhuri Streets, P.O. Box 2774, Dar-es-Salaam, Benjamin William Mkapa Towers, Tower "A" at room number 401 on the 4<sup>th</sup> floor. The outer cover shall be clearly marked; Tender Number **"PA/031/2014-15/C/05 Consultancy Service for the Rehabilitation of a Crude Petroleum Tank" Not to Be Opened Before 11:00 hours on Friday, 10<sup>th</sup> March, 2015.**
10. Deadline for submission of bids shall be on Friday, 10<sup>th</sup> March, 2015 at 11:00 hour's local time. Expression of Interest will be opened promptly thereafter and in the presence of Tenderers representatives who choose to attend opening ceremony at Benjamin William Mkapa Pension Towers, Tower "A", Azikiwe/Jamhuri Streets at TPDC Board Room number 106 on the 10<sup>th</sup> floor.
11. Late Expressions of Interest shall not be accepted for evaluation irrespective of any circumstances.
12. Expression of interest must be delivered to the following address:  
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