

Invitation for Bids (IFB)

Kingston Water & Sanitation Project 1559 / OC - JA

Procurement of IP Video Conferencing Equipment And Associated Installation and Support Services KSA/S2

The National Water Commission (NWC) has received financing from the Inter-American Development Bank (IDB) toward the **Kingston Water and Sanitation Project**. It is intended that part of the financing proceeds be applied to eligible payments under the contract for which this invitation for bids is issued.

NWC invites sealed bids from eligible bidders from the IDB Member Countries for the supply of **IP Video Conferencing Equipment and Associated Installation and Support Services**. Local entities are required to be currently registered with the National Contracts Commission (NCC) as suppliers of goods and services to the Government of Jamaica and possess valid Tax Compliance Certificate. Sealed bids are to be submitted containing the Technical and Financial proposals related to this procurement.

A set of bidding documents may be purchased by interested bidders Monday to Friday between 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. starting November 3, 2008 at the address below, and upon payment of a **non-refundable fee of JA\$5,000, or US\$70**. The method of payment will be either in cash or by bank-guaranteed cheque, made payable to the National Water Commission.

Interested bidders may obtain further information from, including eligibility to participate, and may inspect the bidding documents at the:

**Purchasing Department
National Water Commission
18 Oxford Road, Kingston 5.
Telephone: 926-5825 – 7
E-mail: claudette.seville@nwc.com.jm**

Bids must be deposited in the tender box of at the Office of the National Water Commission, at **18 Oxford Road, Kingston 5, by 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, December 16, 2008**, after which no further offers will be accepted. Opening of Bids will take place at 10:15 a.m. on the same day, in the Conference Room at 18 Oxford Road. Applicants are invited to send a representative to the opening.

A Bid Security of 2% of the Contract Sum must accompany all Bids.

The "Tender Box" is located in the cashier's section, to the immediate left after entering the building at 18 Oxford Road.

A pre-bid meeting will be held at the National Water Commission, at 18 Oxford Road, Kingston 5 on **Friday, November 14, 2008** starting at 10:00 a.m. Bidders who are unable to attend may send written requests for clarifications, which will be dealt with at the pre-bid meeting.



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