

NOTICE OF INVITATION FOR BID

1. The Government of the Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia has allocated budget towards the cost of Bridge Project under Shasheme District on Sarole - Dolo Odo Road Project) and intends to apply part of the proceeds to eligible payments for the construction work.
2. The Bridge Project under Shasheme District on Sarole- Dolo Odo Road Project is located in the Somali Regional State. The Project site is at a distance of 924Km from Addis Ababa which is 324Km from Negele Borena toward Dolo Odo on Wad Wene River. The Construction of bridge includes 63m span reinforced concrete deck Girder Bridge with 500m approach road each side. The abutment of the bridge is stone masonry. The construction period of the bridge is intended to be 10 months including mobilization time.
3. The Ethiopian Roads Authority now invites bidders to submit sealed bids for providing the necessary labor, material and equipment for the construction of this project.
4. Interested bidders shall submit the following evidence;
 - i. Certificate of Registration from Ministry of Works and Urban Development renewed for 2005 EFY:
 - Category GC-5 or RC-5 or BC-4 and above
 - ii. Trading License renewed for 2005 EFY; and
 - iii. It's Tax Clearance Certificate which states that the bidder is eligible to participate in any public tender and valid at least at the deadline for submission of the bids, and VAT Registration Certificate.
 - iv. Being registered as Supplier in the list of the Authorized Public Body for Registration of Suppliers, i.e. Public Procurement and Property Administration Agency (PPPAA).
5. Bidding will be conducted through the National Competitive Bidding (NCB) procedures and is open to all eligible contractors as specified and defined in the bidding document.

6. Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from and inspect the bidding documents at the address given below from 8:30 to 12:30 A.M and 1:30 to 5:30 P.M from Mondays to Thursdays and 8:30 to 11:30 A.M and 1:30 P.M to 5:30 P.M on Fridays. A complete set of bidding document prepared in English language may be purchased by interested bidders on the submission of a written application to the address below and upon payment of a nonrefundable fee of Birr 750 per package effective as of July 15, 2013. The method of payment shall be in cash or direct deposit to ERA's account number:

Commercial Bank of Ethiopia

CBE A/C No. 01715-33144600

**Address: Ethiopian Roads Authority
Engineering Procurement Directorate**

1st Floor, Room No. 108

Tel: 251-11-515 3015

Addis Ababa, Ethiopia

7. Bidders shall submit two envelope, "Qualification information & bid security" in one envelope and "Financial Bid" separately in another envelope and should be sealed in an outer envelope.
8. Evaluation is to be carried out in two stages, Qualification information first and Financial. Bids of qualified bidders next.
9. Bids must be delivered to the address below on or before September 19, 2013 at 2:30 P. M. All bids must be accompanied by a bid security of ETB 100,000.00 (ETB: one hundred thousand). Late bids will be rejected. Qualification information and bid security of the bidders will be opened in the presence of bidders/ bidders' representatives who chose to attend at the address below, on the final date and time of bid submission as stated above.

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10. The Ethiopian Roads Authority reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

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