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Project Name: "Reconstruction of the street lighting networks of the Dniproviskiy district of the city of Zaporizhzhia"

Country: Ukraine

Sector: Energy Efficiency

Source of Financing: Norway-Ukraine Energy Efficiency Initiative Fund (NUEE Fund) and Nordic Energy Efficiency and Humanitarian Support Initiative for Ukraine (NIU Fund).

Procurement Type: Turnkey

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INVITATION TO TENDER

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This Invitation to Tender follows the General Procurement Notice for this project, published on December 27, 2024, on NEFCO's website in the Procurement Announcements section (<http://www.nefco.int>).

The Municipal Enterprise for outdoor lighting networks "Zaporizhmisksvitlo" (hereinafter referred to as the "Employer") intends to use part of the funding provided by the Nordic Environment Finance Corporation (NEFCO), as a Contributor to the "Norway-Ukraine Energy Efficiency Initiative Fund (NUEE Fund)" and the "Nordic Energy Efficiency and Humanitarian Support Initiative for Ukraine (NIU Fund)", to cover expenses for the project: "Reconstruction of the street lighting networks of the Dniproviskiy district of the city of Zaporizhzhia".

The Employer hereby invites Contractors to submit their sealed tender proposals for the contract:

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Tender proposals must be submitted in EUR, excluding VAT.

As part of the Contract implementation, the Employer intends to carry out the following activities:

- development of design documentation, undergoing of a comprehensive design examination, and conducting author's supervision;
- dismantling of existing luminaires with lamps of various types and power capacities;
- installation of LED luminaires with a power range of 60-90 W and dimming capabilities;
- replacement of existing AC25 and SIP wires with a cross-section smaller than 4x25 with self-supporting insulated wires (SIP 4x25);
- installation of surge arresters;
- заземлення installation of portable grounding modules;
- arrangement of protective grounding circuits for reinforced concrete poles;
- installation of protective grounding for brackets;
- replacement of light fixture mounting brackets;
- replacement of reinforced concrete power poles in an emergency condition;
- installation of additional lighting at pedestrian crossings;
- trimming and removal of tree branches;
- disposal of dismantled lamps;
- execution of a complete range of commissioning and adjustment works.

For the Equipment and Related Works to be supplied under this project and financed through the grant, a tax exemption is provided in accordance with the procedure defined by the Resolution of the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine No. 153 dated February 15, 2002, "On the Establishment of a Unified System for Attracting, Using, and Monitoring International Technical Assistance". The Contractor awarded the contract(s) will be required to prepare and submit, by the 20th day of each month, both in written and electronic, an informational confirmation of the

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purchase of goods, works, and services under preferential terms using funds from international technical assistance, in accordance with the terms of the Contract form, to the State Tax Service office where they are registered as a taxpayer.

Tender proposals must cover the full scope of works. Proposals submitted for only part of the works will be rejected.

Tenders for contracts financed by NEFCO are open to firms/individuals from any country.

To qualify for the award of the contract, Tenderers must meet the following minimum requirements:

- The **average annual turnover** for the best three (3) years within the last five (5) years (2019-2023) must be **no less than EUR 1,200,000 equivalent**. In the case of a Joint Venture, Consortium, or Association (JVCA), the lead partner must demonstrate at least fifty percent (50%) compliance with this criterion.

- **Experience of the Tenderer:** The total value of the four (4) best contracts similar in scope and type to the proposed works, fully and successfully completed by the Tenderer in the field of reconstruction, capital repair, ongoing maintenance, and operational upkeep of street lighting networks during the last six (6) years (2019-2024), and concluded with governmental or municipal authorities or municipal/state enterprises, must be **no less than EUR 1,200,000 equivalent**. At least one (1) of these contracts must have been financed under an international grant and/or credit program. In the case of a Joint Venture, Consortium, or Association (JVCA), the lead partner must demonstrate at least 50% compliance with this criterion, provide two (2) contracts, and the partner/member of the JVCA must provide at least one (1) contract meeting Criterion C.

- Non-performance of the contract by the Tenderer (including members of the JVCA, if applicable) has not occurred during the last three years (2022-2024).

- All ongoing pre-litigation and litigation proceedings, cases, legally binding court decisions, and encumbrances concerning the Tenderer (including partners/members if represented as a JVCA) must **not exceed thirty percent (30%)** of the Tenderer's total net assets, based on the information provided in Section III "Tender Forms" (the Employer reserves the right to verify the accuracy of the reported information using other sources).

- The Tenderer must demonstrate that they (a single legal entity, partner/member of a JVCA, or relevant Subcontractor) have all personnel required to carry out the necessary works.

- The Tenderer must demonstrate that they have personnel for key positions that meet the Qualification Requirements specified in the Tender Documents.

- The Tenderer must demonstrate that they or their designated Subcontractor have equipment and machinery that meet the requirements and quantities specified in the Tender Documents.

The tender documents can be obtained free of charge from the office at the address provided below, upon receipt of a written request from the potential Tenderer.

Upon receiving a written request from a potential tenderer, the documents will be immediately sent by email in PDF and MS Word formats; however, the sender is not responsible for the loss or delayed delivery of the dispatch. In the event of discrepancies between the versions of the documents in PDF and MS Word formats, the PDF version will prevail.

All tender proposals must be accompanied by a Tender Guarantee Declaration. The form of the Tender Guarantee Declaration is included in the Tender Documents. The main purpose of providing the Tender Guarantee Declaration is to ensure that tender participants take their participation in the tender seriously.

When preparing the tender proposal, tender participants should consider that the work under this contract is expected to commence in April 2025 and should be completed no later than September 2025.

Tender proposals must be submitted to the address provided below within 30 days from the date of the tender announcement, no later than 11:00 on February 12, 2025, Kyiv time, after which they will be opened in the presence of those representatives of the tender participants who wish to attend the opening.

Considering the short time for submitting tender proposals, at the Employer's request, Tenderers may submit additional clarifying documentation and information that will not alter the submitted tender proposal.

A pre-tender meeting for Tenders with representatives of the Employer to discuss technical and procedural issues will take place **at 11:00 on January 28, 2025, Kyiv time**, at the premises of **the Municipal Enterprise for outdoor**

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lighting networks "Zaporizhmisksvitlo" (EDRPOU code 03345076), Zaporizhzhia region, Zaporizhzhia city, South Highway, 7, or Tenderers may join via video conference (a link will be sent via email in advance to all participants who have requested and received the Tender Documents from the Employer and have pre-registered for the pre-tender meeting). The goal of the meeting is to provide clarifications on requests and answer any questions that may arise at this stage.

The register of potential Tenderers who have obtained the tender documents can be reviewed at the address provided below.

For pre-registration to participate in the pre-tender meeting, please contact us.

Potential Tenderers can obtain additional information, as well as review and obtain the tender documentation at the address:

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