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## Specific Procurement Notice -works (Without Prequalification) Revised Invitation

**Employer:** Palestinian Water Authority (PWA)

**Project:** Water Security Development - Gaza Central Desalination Program – Associated

Works Phase I Project

Contract title: W01- Reconfiguration of Water Distribution System - Southern Gaza

Governorates
Country: Palestine

Loan No. /Credit No. / Grant No.: TF0B2456

RFB No. as procurement plan: PWA/GCDP/W01/RFB

Bid invitation No.: PWA/WB/2021/063-CTD

- 1. The Palestinian Water Authority (PWA) as Beneficiary, has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of Gaza Central Desalination Plant & Associated Works Phase 1, and intends to apply part of the proceeds toward payments under the Contract Reconfiguration of Water Distribution Systems Southern Gaza Governorates. For this contract the Borrower shall process the payments using the Direct Payment disbursement method, as defined in the World Bank's Disbursement Guidelines for Investment Project Financing.
  - 2. Central Tendering Department invites qualified international and local contractors classified contractors (Classified in the field of water and sewage (first class), for implementing the works included in the Contract for Reconfiguration of Water Distribution Systems Southern Gaza Governorates works and summarized here below. The expected duration of construction works is 730 calendar days equivalent to 24 months, including commissioning period, starting from the effective date of the contract. In details the present contract includes:
    - a. the rehabilitation of 16 existing concrete reservoirs;
    - b. the reconfiguration of the existing downstream water distribution systems by installing around 67 km of different diameter ductile iron and HDPE pipes;
    - c. the rehabilitation of the existing production water wells (52 wells) including the electromechanical equipment;
    - the reconfiguration of upstream connections between selected production water wells and existing /new concrete reservoirs by installing around 30 km of different diameter HDPE pipes;
    - e. Reinstatement Works; and

- f. Telemetry and SCADA Communication system
- 3. Bidding will be conducted through international competitive procurement using Request for Bids (RFB) as specified in the World Bank's "Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers- Procurement in Investment Projects Financing" August 2018 (Procurement Regulations), and is open to all Bidders as defined in the Procurement Regulations.
- 4. Interested eligible Bidders may obtain further information and inspect the Bidding document during office hours from 08:00am to 03:00pm at the address (1) given below
- 5. The bidding document (RFB No: PWA/GCDP/W01/RFB) in English may be purchased by interested eligible Bidders upon the submission of a written application to the address below and upon payment of a nonrefundable fee of 500 Dollars. The method of payment will be direct bank transfer to Ministry of Finance Revenue account in the Bank of Palestine-IBAN No. PS65PALS045802190000013001049.
  - 6. Bidders are encouraged to attend the site visit which will be held on **Tuesday** 30/11/2021 at 10:00 am PLT. The meeting point and pre-bid meeting shall be at the offices stated in address (1). Last date for clarifications will be on Monday 20/12/2021, and the last date for clarification response will be on Monday 27/12/2021.
- Bids shall be valid for a period of 180 days, starting from the date of tender opening and must be accompanied by BID Security of Dollar 600,000 valid for a period of 208 days from the date of tender opening.
  - 8. Bids must be delivered to the address (2) below on or before 12:00 noon Local time Monday 10/01/2022. Electronic Bidding will not be permitted. Late Bids will be rejected. Bids will be publicly opened in the presence of the Bidders' designated representatives and anyone who chooses to attend at the same address at 12:00 noon Local time on Monday 10/01/2022.
- 9. The addresses referred to above are:

## Address (1) for Information:

Palestinian Water Authority: Project Management Unit building, Al Rasheed Street, Opposite Chalets Resort, VIP Building, 5th flour; Gaza City, Palestine,

Tel: +970-8-264-4071, Fax: +70-8-264-

4071 E-mails:

Addressed to: msamra@pwa-

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## Address (2) for Submission:

Ministry of Public Works and Housing
- Central Tendering Department
Bitounia - Al-Balou' Street (Alm'abar)
West Bank / Palestine

Attn: Eng. Saeed Abu Zaid - Acting

**General Director** 

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Invitation for bids advertisement cost shall be covered by the winner.