



NATIONAL WATER & SEWERAGE CORPORATION

BID NOTICE UNDER OPEN INTERNATIONAL BIDDING

TENDER FOR SUPPLY OF THREE MINI EXCAVATORS AND ONE BACKHOE TRACTOR

Procurement Reference Number: NWSC-KW/SUPLS/10-11/1357228

1. The National Water & Sewerage Corporation (NWSC) has allocated funds from its annual budget for the financial year 2011/2012 to be used for the acquisition of three mini excavators and one backhoe tractor.
2. The NWSC therefore invites sealed bids from eligible bidders, for the supply of three mini excavators and one backhoe tractor.
3. Bidding will be conducted in accordance with the Open International Bidding procedures contained in the Public Procurement and Disposal of Public Assets Act, 2003 of the Government of Uganda. This invitation is open to all bidders from eligible source countries.
4. Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from and inspect the bidding documents at the address given below at 8(a) from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on working days.
5. A complete set of Bidding Documents in English may be purchased by interested bidders on the submission of a written application and obtaining a payment advice slip from the address below at 8(a) and upon payment of a non-refundable fee of **Ug. Shs.100, 000** in cash to a Local Bank. The document should be collected by the prospective bidder or his representative. No liability will be accepted for loss or late delivery.
6. The employer shall be holding a pre – bid meeting. The pre - bid meeting shall take place on **July 18, 2011 at 2:30pm at the address in 8(a).**
7. Bids must be delivered to the address below at 8(c) at or before **10:00 a.m. on August 25, 2011**. All bids must be accompanied by a bid security of **USD 4,000** or its equivalent in a freely convertible currency.

Late bids shall be rejected. Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend at the address below at 8(d) at **10:30 a.m. on August 25, 2011**.

8. (a) Address documents may be inspected at:
The Manager Procurement
National Water and Sewerage Corporation
Plot No. 43, 6th Street, Industrial Area, Kampala
P.O. Box 7053 Kampala, Uganda
Tel: 256-414-315800
Fax: 256-414-349020
Email: procurement@nWSC.co.ug
- (b) Address documents will be issued from: **same as 8(a)**
- (c) Address Bids must be delivered to: **same as 8(a)**
- (d) Address of Bid Opening: **same as 8(a)**

9. The planned procurement schedule (subject to changes) is as follows:

Activity	Date
a. Publish bid notice	June 28, 2011
b. Pre-bid meeting	July 18, 2011
c. Bid closing date	August 25, 2011
d. Evaluation process	September 15, 2011
e. Display and communication of best evaluated bidder notice	September 30, 2011
f. Contract award and Signature	November 30, 2011