

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (INTERNATIONAL COMPETITIVE BIDDING CONSTRUCTION OF LAMU PORT AT MANDA)

The Government of the Republic of Kenya intends to develop the Lamu Port-Southern Sudan Ethiopia Transport (LAPSSET) corridors as one of the flagship projects identified in the Kenya Vision 2030. The corridor will link the envisaged port of Lamu with Ethiopia and southern Sudan through the Eastern and Northern parts of Kenya. As first phase of this project, the Government plans to construct the first three (3) berths with associated infrastructure at Manda Bay, Lamu.

The Government of the Republic of Kenya now invites eligible construction firms to Expression of Interest (EOI) to undertake:

- i) Dredging /Reclamation works**
- ii) Construction of the first three berths to accommodate design ships with capacities of 100,000 DWTs, 30,000 DWTs and 100,000 DWTs for the Container Cargo, General Cargo and Bulk Cargo respectively**
- iii) Construction of associated infrastructure for the three berths (e.g access roads, railway sidings ware houses, buildings among others)**

Interested and eligible construction firms should send their Expression of Interest (EOI) enclosing all necessary information to prove that they are qualified and experienced to undertake the required construction and dredging/reclamation works.

Such information includes:

- i) Company profile**
- ii) Certificate of Registration**
- iii) Key Personnel Capabilities with at least ten years experience in areas namely Project Management, Civil Engineering, and Dredging/Reclamation, Piling, Concrete works and Structural Engineering.**
- iv) Financial statements for the last five years**
- v) Availability of at least 1,000 ton piling pontoon with a barge and suction Cutter Head Dredging Equipment with a capacity to dredge at least 18.5 meters deep from the chart data**
- vi) List of past assignment in the construction of ports with berths of over 60,000 DWTs in the last ten years**
- vii) Experience in facilitating preferential/concessional financing for Engineering , Procurement and Construction (EPC) Contracts**

One original EOI, two other copies (clearly marked (“ORIGINAL”OR “COPY“)) and a soft copy should be submitted to the address shown below, or deposited in the Ministry of Transport Tender Box provided at the main entrance of Transcom House, Ngong Road, Nairobi, Kenya not later than 15th October 2010 at 10.00 Hours East African Time. The envelope shall be clearly marked “Expression of Interest for Construction of Lamu Ports at Manda Bay”.

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