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Project title: GIZ CLM
Project N°: 19.2311.9-001.00
CoSoft N°: 83443228
Country: Ethiopia

Ladies and Gentlemen,

We intend to award a contract for the following project activity commissioned by the German Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation (BMZ):

To ensure the successful development of the Natural Resource Management (NRM) course, facilitate collaboration with external firms for the conversion of courses into digital format, provide guidance and coaching to (young professional) individual developers and teams involved in digital learning material creation, and ensure a comprehensive understanding and integration of other companies and partners in the process of digital content creation.

Submission deadline

Should you be interested in implementing the tasks according to the attached Terms of Reference, we kindly ask you to submit your bid to the GIZ by **July 24, 2023 @ 04:30pm.**

Please address your bid to:

German Development Cooperation
GIZ- Office, Addis Ababa
Kazanchis, next to ECA
Reception Desk

The Technical and Financial offers will be opened after the eligibility check of the bidders. If the bidder is not qualified in assessing the eligibility grid, the bidder will not pass to the next stage (opening of the Technical and Financial offers). Please fill out the Eligibility Self Declaration template and submit it in a separate envelop.

If you have any further questions in the connection with the tender, please only contact via email address pcc@giz.de at the GIZ Office.

Price offer for bid

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The sealed price offer is to be placed inside the envelope containing the technical bid.

The outer package/envelope must be labelled as:

Bidding documents

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Form and Costs

All of the bids must be submitted in written form. No remuneration will be paid by GIZ for preparing the bid.

Subsequent corrections or modifications to the bid can be submitted until the deadline for submission and must be made in the same form as the bid.

The bid must be based on the General Terms and Conditions of Contract ('Terms and Conditions local', Annex 4) for supplying services and work on behalf of the Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) GmbH. In the event of an award of contract, they will become an integral part of the contract. The bidder's general terms and conditions of business or payment do not apply.

If you are forming a bidding consortium or association, the bid must show who the members are and how the work is divided between them. Specifically, all members must name the lead member and authorize this member to represent the association and to receive payments on behalf of the other members. The members must also acknowledge joint and several liabilities for performing the contract. A corresponding written authorization must be attached to the bid.

Content of the technical offer

The technical offer submitted must contain a detailed methodological concept in accordance with the terms of reference which allows technical evaluation in terms of the objective of the measure.

Furthermore, the technical offer must contain the Curricula vitae for the experts proposed for the project. CVs should include information on:

- name, title, nationality, date and place of birth, education and professional training,
- professional experience showing length of employment, countries of assignment, positions held, projects and programs and responsibilities and management experience,
- Special knowledge, language skills showing fluency.

The offer shall be submitted in the language of the tender documents.

The technical offer may not include any price information. Non-compliance may result in your bid not being considered.

Content of the price offer

The price offer must contain the fee per expert, the travel costs (flight costs etc.) and other costs if necessary in the specified currency according to Annex 3 (price schedule). Please see the attached Terms of Reference and price sheet for details of the quantities required.

Please calculate your prices on a net basis. Taxes should be indicated separately.

Evaluation of Offer

After the final technical evaluation (cf. Assessment Grid for the Technical Evaluation of Bids, Annex 2), only the price offers of bids with at least 501 points will be opened and evaluated. Technical offers below 501 points will be considered as technical not acceptable. The technical offer has a weighting of 70%, the price offer 30%.

The evaluation of the bids is scheduled to be completed by **31.07.2023**.

The final result is an overall ranking, headed by the most cost-effective bid. Contract negotiations will be initiated on the basis of this overall ranking.

Commencement of work

The work is scheduled to commence on **07.08.2023**. Your bid is binding until that date. If you do not receive an order in writing until that date, your bid has not been accepted. You shall not receive separate notice to this effect.

Following receipt of this letter, we ask you to confirm with the above-mentioned contact person whether or not you intend to submit a bid.

Yours truly,

Director, Admin and Finance	Procurement and Contract Specialist

Annexes:

1. Terms of Reference (ToR)
2. Assessment grid for checking the eligibility
3. Eligibility Self Declaration template
4. Assessment Grid for the Technical Evaluation of Bids
5. Price Sheet
6. General Terms and Conditions of Contracts