

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

PROVISION OF SERVICES FOR A SMART MINI – GRID POWERED BY SOLAR PHOTO –VOLTAIC ENERGY OR OTHER RENEWABLE ENERGY SOURCE FOR ENI EAST AFRICA SpA ACTIVITIES IN THE REPUBLIC OF MOZAMBIQUE

Eni east africa S.p.A. (EEA) invites interested companies to submit expressions of interest for the provision of a Smart Mini – Grid powered by solar and/or other renewable energy source to be carried out for eni east africa's activities in the Republic of Mozambique.

Scope of the work is to provide a multi-utility energy service with the use of solar panels and/or other renewable solutions as the main energy generation source.

Companies interested in this invitation may submit their Expression of Interest to participate in a tender process for "provision of services for a smart mini-grid powered by solar photo-voltaic and/or other renewable source" by registering on our website indicated below and submitting the following required documentation:

- 1. Company/group structure with the list of major shareholders and ultimate beneficiaries (if not listed in the stock exchange);
- 2. Scanned certified copy of the trade register, legal entity name and contact person for receiving qualification and commercial information;
- 3. Entities structure in Mozambique and organizational structure;
- 4. Documented proof of at least 5 years' experience in provision of the services for projects of similar nature;
- 5. Evidence of Health, Safety and Environment Management System that complies with the requirements of International standard (ISO 14001, OHSAS 18001, etc);
- 6. Evidence of Quality Management System in compliance with ISO 9001:2008;
- 7. Financial balance sheets (last year)/Annual Report proving minimum financial capacity for the realization of the scope of work.

The registration website (Mozambique Application) is available to the following URL:

<u>https://eprocurement.eni.it/int_eng/Suppliers/Qualification/Mozambique-Application</u> (for application in English)

<u>https://eprocurement.eni.it/int_ita/Fornitori/Qualifica/Autocandidatura-Mozambico</u> (for application in Portuguese/Italian)

IMPORTANT:

The submission must refer to the following commodity code:

BB03AG08 - GENERATION SYSTEM WITH SOLAR CELLS

Within the website application, under the section "Object of the Application", the area "Origin of invitation" shall be completed as follows : "provision of services for a smart minigrid powered by solar photo-voltaic and/or renewables".

Subject to the submission of the application and to the compliance of all the above documentation, Companies interested in this Expression of Interest may receive from Eni East Africa the Qualification Package

Eni East Africa will evaluate the above requested documentation and, if satisfied, will include the applicant in its Vendor List for consideration in future tender processes regarding the subject activities.

This is not an invitation to participate in the abovementioned potential Tender but only an invitation to participate to the Expression of Interest

This enquiry shall not be considered an invitation to bid and therefore it does not represent or constitute any promise, obligation or commitment of any kind on the part of Eni East Africa, to enter into any agreement or arrangement with you or with any company participating in this pre-enquiry.

Consequently all data and information provided within the application shall not be construed as a commitment on the part of Eni East Africa to enter into any agreement or arrangement with you, nor shall they entitle your company to claim any indemnity from Eni East Africa.

All data and information provided pursuant to this enquiry will be treated as strictly confidential and will not be disclosed or communicated to non-authorized persons or companies except eni and its affiliates.

The deadline for submission of Expression of Interest through our website is set at **7th of July 2016**.

For any additional queries please contact us through the following email address: eea.procurement@eni.com

Any cost incurred by interested companies in preparing the Expression of Interest shall be fully born by Companies who shall have no recourse to Eni East Africa in this respect.