SPECIFIC PROCUREMENT NOTICE

Republic of Macedonia National and Regional Roads Rehabilitation Project Loan No.: 8420 - MK

Contract Title: Land Slopes Improvement

LOT No.1: Mavrovo – Debar km14+500; Marovo – Debar km43+100, LOT No.2: Kratovo – Stracin; Openica; Tetovo – Popova Sapka km1+100; Tetovo - Popova Sapka km4+000

Reference No.: 05WB/15

The Public Enterprise for State Roads of the Republic of Macedonia has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the National and Regional Roads Rehabilitation Project, and intends to apply part of the proceeds toward payments under the contracts for:

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The Public Enterprise for State Roads now invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for civil works for improvement of the land slopes on six roads' sections as specified in the Lots. All necessary details are an integral part of the Bidding Documents.

This bid is conducted on a lot by lot basis. Bidders may bid for one or both lots as defined in the bidding documents. Bids for each lot should be complete. Partial or incomplete bids will be rejected. Bidders wishing to offer discounts in case they are awarded both Contracts will be allowed to do so, provided that the discounts are included in the form of Contractor's Letter of Bid or submitted in writing (ITB 24) before the deadline for bid submission. All offers for discounts should be for the entire lot/s. All bids and offers for discounts shall be opened in accordance with the procedures described in the ITB and evaluated simultaneously so as to determine the lowest evaluated combination of bids (including discounts) for the Employer. The contracts will be awarded to the lowest evaluated qualified bidder for each lot on the basis of the lowest evaluated combined cost to the Employer for the entire package (both lots). Bidders should meet all qualification criteria for the lot/s for which they are bidding.

As a minimum, any Bidder has to fulfill at least the following key qualification requirements:

Eligibility: The Bidders have to satisfy the eligibility requirements (eligible countries, conflict of interest, ineligibility of the World Bank, resolutions of the United Nations Security Council, etc) according to the Bidding documents.

Financial situation: Minimum average annual turnover of:

2,000,000.00 EUR for Lot No.1, **1,000,000.00 EUR** for Lot No.2, or **3,000,000.00 EUR** for for both Lots calculated as total certified payments received for contracts in progress and/or completed (construction works), within the last **three** (3) years. Access to financial resources such as lines of credit, etc. in amount of at least of **324,000.00 EUR** for Lot No.1, **151,000.00 EUR** for Lot No.2, or 475,000.00 **EUR** for both lots, necessary for covering the costs of the construction in a period of three months.

General experience: (a) Experience under contracts in the role of prime contractor, joint venture member, subcontractor or management contractor for at least the last seven (7) years prior to the applications submission deadline.

Specific experience: (a) Participation as prime contractor, joint venture member, management contractor or subcontractor in at least **one** (1) contract on **construction, and or reconstruction of paved roads** within the last seven (7) years as follows:

- for Lot No.1 each with a value of at least **825,000.00 EUR**;
- for Lot No.2 each with a value of at least 385,000.00 EUR; and
- for both Lots each with a value of at least 1,210,000.00 EUR

that have been successfully and substantially completed and that are similar to the proposed Works; and (b) for each of these projects minimum experience has to be presented for the following key activity:

for Lot No.1:

- 1. $20,000 \text{ m}^3$ earth works (excavation and refilling)
- 2. $2,500 \text{ m}^3$ concrete works

for Lot No.2:

- 1. $5,600 \text{ m}^3$ earth works (excavation and refilling)
- 2. $1,000 \text{ m}^3$ concrete works

or for both Lots, total executed:

25,600 m^3 earth works and **35,000** m^3 concrete works.

Other requirements related to personnel, equipment, stone materials, laboratory and Joint Venture also apply, as stated in the bidding documents.

Maximum percentage for subcontracting: 30%

More detailed qualification requirements are presented in the Bidding documents.

The construction period is **12 months**.

Bidding will be conducted through the International Competitive Bidding procedures as specified in the World Bank's <u>Guidelines: Procurement of Goods, Works and Non-Consulting Services under IBRD Loans and IDA Credits & Grants by World Bank Borrowers</u> dated January 2011 ("Procurement Guidelines"), and is open to all eligible bidders as defined in the Procurement Guidelines

Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from Public Enterprise for State Roads at the office premises and inspect the bidding documents during office hours 9:00 to 15:00 at the address given below.

A complete set of bidding documents in English language may be purchased by interested Bidders on the submission of a written application to the address below and upon payment of a nonrefundable fee of **15,000 MKD** (Macedonian Denars) or **250 EUR**. The method of payment will be payment into the following Bank accounts:

For Payment in Macedonian Denars (MKD):

Bank name and address: Sparkasse Banka Makedonija, A.D. Skopje

Str. "Makedonija" 9-11, 1000 Skopje

Bank account holder: Public Enterprise for State Roads

Bank account number: **25010000000009**

Entity Identification number: 6839673

Tax number: 4080013533677

For Payment in (EURO):

Bank name and address: Sparkasse Banka Makedonija, A.D. Skopje

Str. "Makedonija" 9-11, 1000 Skopje

Bank account number: **IBAN: MK07250683967300077 – 7001000006**

SWIFT: INSBMK 22

Bank's Correspondent Details: Deutsche Bank AG Frankfurt / M

Address: Taunusanlage 12 SWIFT BIC: DEUTDEFF

Account number: 93592821000

Bank account holder: Public Enterprise for State Roads

The Bidder has an obligation to settle its banking cost.

At request to the Bidder, the Bidding documents will be promptly dispatched by courier, but the Employer will not accept any liability in case of loss or late delivery of the documentation.

Pre-Bid meeting shall not be organized.

All Bids must be accompanied with a Bid Security for each lot separately with following amount: For Lot No.1: **1,540,000.00 MKD** or **25,000.00 EUR** or equivalent amount in a freely convertible currency;

For Lot No.2: 677,000.00 MKD or 11,000.00 EUR equivalent amounts in a freely convertible currency.

Bids must be delivered to the address below at or before 13:00 (local time) on June 29, 2015. They will be opened at 13:15 (local time) on June 29, 2015, in the presence of bidders' authorized representatives who choose to attend the Bid opening session at the address below. Late bids will be rejected.

Address:

Public Enterprise for State Roads

Str. Dame Gruev no.14 1000 Skopje Republic of Macedonia Issuing of Bidding documents: Receipt of the Bids:

Contact person: Tel.: +389 2 3118 044; Fax.: +389 2 3220 535

Public Opening of the Bids:

Room no.4, floor IV Room no.2, floor VI (Archive) Conference hall, floor VI Aleksandar Stojanov