## JAMAICA

## NATIONAL IRRIGATION DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME

Miscellaneous / IT

## SUPPLY OF OFFICE EQUIPMENT, COMPUTERS AND OTHER HARDWARE Loan 1562/OC-JA

NIDP-G004; Invitation for Bids

Deadline: 13 November 2008 (Extension of Tender Period)

The tender period for the supply of office equipment, computers and other hardware for National Irrigation Commission is hereby extended by ten days from Tuesday, 3 November 2008, to Thursday, 13 November 2008. All other terms and conditions remain unchanged.

This invitation for bids follows the general procurement notice for this project that appeared in *UN Development Business* No. 661 of 31 August 2005.

The Government of Jamaica has received financing from the Inter-American Development Bank (IDB) toward the cost of the National Irrigation Development Programme, and it intends to apply part of the proceeds of this loan to payments under the Contract for Loan 1562/OC-JA.

The National Irrigation Commission Limited now invites sealed bids from eligible and qualified bidders for the supply of 15 servers, one tape/backup solution, two server rack systems, 40 desktops and 17 notebooks for the National Irrigation Commission Ltd. The delivery period is within eight weeks of contract signing.

Bidding will be conducted through the international competitive bidding procedures specified in the IDB's *Policies for the Procurement of Works and Goods financed by the Inter-American Development Bank* and is open to all bidders from eligible countries as defined in the policies.

Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from National Irrigation Commission Ltd., Procurement Specialist and inspect the bidding documents at the address below, Monday through Friday, from 0830 to 1600 hours.

## Qualifications requirements include:

- --Documentary evidence of inclusion on the "List of Government Approved Suppliers" issued by the National Contracts Commission as a supplier of computers and related services or as a supplier of computers and supplies
- -- Tax Compliance Certificate
- --Foreign bidders will be required to be registered with the National Contracts Commission and obtain a Tax Compliance Certificate in the event of an award of contract.

A complete set of bidding documents, in English, may be purchased by interested bidders on the submission of a written application to the address below and upon payment of a non-refundable fee of J\$ 2,000 or US\$ 30. The method of payment will be cash or certified check. The documents will be sent by bearer.

Bids must be delivered to the address below at or before 1200 hours on Thursday, 13 November 2008. Electronic bidding will not be permitted. Late bids will be rejected. Bids will be opened at 1215 hours on Thursday, 13 November 2008, in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend in person, at the address below Bid security is not required.

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