



airports authority of jamaica
INVITATION FOR BIDS

IFB No. AAJ-VA-FENCING-PH-1

CONSTRUCTION OF FENCING AT VERNAMFIELD AERODROME – CLARENDON

Airports Authority of Jamaica (AAJ) now invites sealed Bids from eligible Bidders for the erection of chain-link fencing at the Vernamfield Aerodrome in Clarendon.

PROCURING ENTITY: AIRPORTS AUTHORITY OF JAMAICA (AAJ)

SCOPE OF WORKS: The works involve excavation for construction of concrete toe wall, and erection of 4,750 m of PVC chain-link mesh fencing 2.4 m high, inclusive of (7) double leaf chain-link gates.

ELIGIBILITY: In possession of a valid **National Contracts Commission Certificate (NCC)** registered in the category of **Fencing at Grade 3 or higher**, and a valid **Tax Compliance Certificate (TCC)** indicating tax compliance at the time of the submission of Bid.

Bid Security of J\$150,000.00

ADDRESS OF ENTITY: Airports Authority of Jamaica
Norman Manley International Airport
Palisadoes, Kingston

CONTACT INFORMATION: For additional information and queries related to this procurement
The Procurement Manager
NMIA Airports Limited
Palisadoes, Kingston

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TELEPHONE NO.: 876-924-8306 OR 876-579-9356

COLLECTION DATE: Bidding Documents can be obtained as of **Wednesday, October 17, 2018** through to **Friday, November 2, 2018** between **9:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. EST** at the Front Desk of the AAJ/NMIAL Administration Building located at the address above for a non-refundable cost of J\$3,000.00 in Jamaican currency acceptable in cash or Manager's cheque for each tender document.

SUBMISSION OF BIDS: Bids shall be placed in a sealed envelope labelled **Construction of Fencing at Vernamfield Aerodrome – IFB No. AAJ-VA-FENCING-PH-1**. Bids are to be deposited in the tender box located in the Administration Building at the address above, no later than **Wednesday, November 7, 2018 at 11:00 a.m.** Late Bids will be rejected.

BID CLOSING: **Wednesday, November 7, 2018 at 11:00 a.m.**

BID OPENING: **Wednesday, November 7, 2018 at 11:15 a.m.** Bids will be opened at the address of the entity in the Boardroom located at the AAJ/NMIAL Administration Building. Bidders and their representatives are invited to attend the opening.

The Airports Authority of Jamaica is not obliged to accept the lowest or any bid and reserves the right to terminate the bid process at any point prior to the award of contract without incurring any liability to any of the participants.



GOVERNMENT OF JAMAICA

ESSEX VALLEY AGRICULTURE DEVELOPMENT PROJECT

CONSULTANCY SERVICES – DEVELOPMENT OF A CAPACITY BUILDING PROGRAMME TO IMPROVE STAKEHOLDER RESILIENCE AND ADAPTATION TO CLIMATE CHANGE

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

The Government of Jamaica (GOJ) has received financing from the Caribbean Development Bank (CDB) – United Kingdom Caribbean Infrastructure Partnership Fund (UKCIF), in an amount equivalent to £35,515,000 towards the cost of the **Essex Valley Agriculture Development Project (EVADP)** and intends to apply a portion of the proceeds to eligible payments under a contract for which this invitation is issued. Payments by CDB will be made only at the request of GOJ and upon approval by CDB, and will be subject in all respects to the terms and conditions of the Financing Agreement. The Financing Agreement prohibits withdrawal from the financing account for the purpose of any payment to persons or entities, or for any import of goods, if such payment or import, to the knowledge of CDB, is prohibited by a decision of the United Nations Security Council taken under Chapter VII of the Charter of the United Nations. No party other than GOJ shall derive any rights from the Financing Agreement or have any claim to the proceeds of the Financing.

The **Ministry of Industry, Commerce, Agriculture and Fisheries (MICAFA)**, the Executing Agency, now wishes to procure consultancy services to develop a, 'Capacity Building Programme to Improve Stakeholder Resilience and Adaptation to Climate Change'.

The objective of this consultancy is to enhance the capacity of farmers in Essex Valley – Jamaica to optimise economic output through the adoption of location specific gender-equitable Climate Smart Agriculture (CSA) best practices. The objective will be achieved through:

- (a) An assessment of the likely impact of Climate Change/Climate Variability (CV/CC) on present crops/cropping systems/value chains and related economic activities in Essex Valley; and
- (b) Development, in collaboration with MICAFA, of a training programme and associated materials to enhance the capacity of Essex Valley farmers and stakeholders in location specific gender equitable CSA options.

The duration of the assignment is expected to be for a period of **thirty (30) months**.

MICAFA now invites interested eligible consulting firms to submit Expressions of Interest for the provision of these consultancy services.

Consultants shall be eligible to participate if:

- (a) In the case of a body corporate, it is legally incorporated or otherwise organised in an eligible country, has its principal place of business in an eligible country and is more than 50 per cent beneficially owned by citizen(s) and/or bona fide resident(s) of eligible country(ies) or by a body(ies) corporate meeting these requirements;
- (b) In the case of unincorporated firms, the persons are citizens or bona fide residents of an eligible country;
- (c) In all cases, the consultant has no arrangement and undertakes not to make any arrangements, whereby any substantial part of the net profits or other tangible benefits of the contract will accrue or be paid to a person not a citizen or bona fide resident of an eligible country; and
- (d) The consultant is not subjected to any restrictions under European Council Regulation No. 2580/2001 of 27 December 2001 or the Terrorism (United Nations Measures) 2009 of the UK with a view to combating terrorism.

Eligible countries are member countries of CDB.

The attention of interested consultants is drawn to paragraph 1.9 of the CDB's Guidelines for the Selection and Engagement of Consultants (2011), setting forth CDB's policy on conflict of interest.

In the assessment of submissions, consideration will be given to technical competence, qualifications and experience, local and regional experience on similar assignments, financial capability and existing commitments. All information must be submitted in English. Further information may be obtained from the first address below between **9:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. Monday to Friday**.

Three (3) hard copies of the Expressions of Interest must be received at the first address below no later than **2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, October 31, 2018** and one electronic copy must be sent simultaneously to CDB at the second address below. The sealed envelope containing each submission should include the name and address of the applicant and shall be clearly marked **"Expression of Interest – Development of a Capacity Building Programme to Improve Stakeholder Resilience and Adaptation to Climate Change."**

Following the assessment of submissions, a shortlist of not less than three (3) and not more than six (6) applicants will be provided with full terms of reference and invited to submit technical and financial proposals to undertake the assignment. The GOJ reserves the right to accept or reject late applications or to cancel the present invitation partially or in its entirety. It will not be bound to assign any reason for not shortlisting any applicant and will not defray any costs incurred by any applicant in the preparation and submission of Expressions of Interest.

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