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GOVERNMENT OF JAMAICA

MINISTRY OF EDUCATION, SKILLS, YOUTH & INFORMATION JAMAICA EDUCATION PROJECT (JEP)

Invitation for Initial Selection Works (Design & Build)

Employer: Ministry of Education, Skills, Youth & Information

Project: Jamaica Education Project (JEP)

Contract title: Construction of a STEM School (Design & Build)

Country: Jamaica Loan No.: 9586-JM

ISD No: JM-MOEY-478374-CW-RFP

The Government of Jamaica (GOJ) has received financing from the World Bank towards the cost of the Jamaica Education Project (JEP) and intends to apply part of the proceeds towards payments under the contract for Construction of a STEM School (Design & Build).

Overview of the Works

The Ministry of Education, Skills, Youth & Information (MoESYI) is seeking a Design and Build (D&B) contractor for the construction of a STEM secondary school in Minard, St. Ann. The school should be designed to accommodate 2,400 students (Grades 7-13) and an adequate number of teachers and staff.

The school will feature classrooms, science laboratories, administrative offices, recreational spaces, and modern infrastructure. The design must align with Jamaican building codes and planning regulations, World Bank's Environmental and Social Framework (ESF), and applicable local environmental, labour, and health & safety regulations. Additionally, the Design Guidelines for Contemporary STEM Schools in Jamaica (2024) and the Infrastructure/Building Standards for Secondary Level Education Institutions in Jamaica (2024) should be used as guiding documents to ensure compliance with project requirements and performance standards.

Key design priorities include but are not limited to:

- 1. Climate resilience improved drainage, natural ventilation, and durable materials.
- 2. Energy efficiency LED lighting and solar energy systems.
- 3. Universal design principles ensuring accessibility for students with disabilities.
- 4. Sustainability use of local materials, water conservation, and green landscaping.

The contractor will be responsible for both design and construction, ensuring adherence to international quality standards, with a robust quality management system and compliance monitoring throughout implementation. The contractor should demonstrate the necessary technical, managerial and financial capacity to successfully execute the works.

The MoESYI intends to initially select Applicants for the Design and Build Construction of a STEM School in Minard, St. Ann. It is expected that the Request for Proposals will be made in August, 2025.

Initial Selection will be conducted through the procedures as specified in the World Bank's Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers – September 2023, Fifth Edition Procurement Regulations ("Procurement Regulations") and is open to all eligible Applicants as defined in the Procurement Regulations.

A complete set of **Initial Selection** documents in **English** is available as of **June 3, 2025 on www.gojep.gov.jm.** Interested eligible Applicants may obtain the further information or clarification in writing via **www.gojep.gov.jm.**

To participate in this opportunity, the service provider must first be registered on the Government of Jamaica Electronic Procurement System at **www.gojep.gov.jm**.

For assistance with registration on the GOJEP portal, please contact the Ministry of Finance and the Public Service Help Desk at (876) 932-5220 or via email at **opppcustomercare@mof.gov.jm.**

For additional information about the GOJEP, please send email to mofprocure@mof.gov.jm.

Submission Date & Time

Applications for Initial Selection should be submitted online via www.gojep.gov.jm on or before July 14, 2025 at 2:00 p.m. (Jamaica time). Late Applications will be rejected.

The Applications as well as all correspondence shall be submitted in **English Language**.

Contact Information
The Project Manager
Jamaica Education Project (JEP)
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NATIONAL EDUCATION TRUST LIMITED (NET)

An Agency of the

MINISTRY OF EDUCATION, SKILLS, YOUTH & INFORMATION (MoESY&I)

INVITATION TO BID

The National Education Trust Limited (NET), on behalf of the Ministry of Education, Skills, Youth & Information, invites eligible and qualified bidders to submit electronic bids for the:

Proposed Expansion of Nain High School,

Nain District, St. Elizabeth, Jamaica.

Scope:

The project involves the construction and renovation of multiple buildings to expand the capacity and functionality of Nain High School. Works include new classroom blocks, specialised laboratory spaces, administrative offices, dining and kitchen facilities, mechanical and electrical upgrades (MEP), water and sanitation systems, and general external works, including drainage, paving, and site services.

Eligibility:

Interested applicants must submit the following documents with the application:

- Valid Public Procurement Commission Certificate in the categories Building Construction, minimum Grade 1
- Valid Tax Compliance Certificate/Tax Compliance Notification Letter

Bid Security – J\$3,500,000.00

Procurement Methodology: Open Bidding via National Competitive Bidding

Contact Information:

For additional information, please contact the Procurement Unit at **procurement@net.org.jm**.

Availability of Tender Document:

The Tender document was available for download from the GOJ's Electronic Procurement website at www.gojep.gov.jm on Wednesday, June 4, 2025.

Clarifications:

Questions and/or clarifications will only be accepted through www.gojep.gov.jm no later than Tuesday, August 19, 2025 at 5:00 p.m.

Submission Deadline:

Applications must be submitted online via www.gojep.gov.jm no later than Tuesday, September 2, 2025 at 2:00 p.m. Bid Opening will be conducted via the GOJEP System at 2:15 p.m. Jamaica time on the same day.

This is an online-managed Tender, and bidding documents and bids will only be made available and accepted via the Government Electronic Procurement Portal (www.gojep.gov.jm). No offline (hard copy) bids will be accepted, and there will be no physical tender box for the drop-off of bids except for the bid securities.

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PLEASE CHECK THE MINISTRY'S WEBSITE FOR THE FULL DOCUMENTS

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