

Invitation for Bids

Date:	21 April 2020
Loan No. and Title:	Loan No. 3291/3292-GEO: Urban Services Improvement Investment Program – Tranche 5
Contract Title:	UWSCG-ICB-HeadworkDevices-G02-2019: Supply and Installation of Flowmeters
Deadline for Submission of Bids:	2 June 2020 at 16:00 hours (Georgia time)

1. The Government of Georgia has received financing from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) towards the cost of the **Urban Services Improvement Investment Program (USIIP) – Tranche 5**. Part of this financing will be used for payments under the Contract named above. Bidding is open to Bidders from eligible source countries of ADB.

2. The **United Water Supply Company of Georgia (UWSCG)** ("the Purchaser") invites sealed bids from eligible Bidders for the contract for the **supply of 182 units of Flowmeters that shall be delivered at UWSCG's premises in town Gori, Georgia and in later installed in the different regions of Georgia.**

Brief description of the Goods and Related Services is as following:

- Supply and installation of 56 items ultrasonic flowmeter from d=40 mm up to ÷ d=150 mm.
- Supply and installation of 95 items ultrasonic flowmeter from d=150 mm. up to ÷ d=350 mm.
- Supply and installation of 31 items ultrasonic flowmeter from d=350 mm. up to ÷ d=1200 mm.
- One-week training on the operation of the installed flowmeters.

3. **International competitive bidding** will be conducted in accordance with ADB's [Single-Stage: One-Envelope](#) bidding procedure and is open to all Bidders from eligible countries as described in the Bidding Document.

4. The minimum key qualification criteria include, but are not limited to the following:

- Size of Operation (Average Annual Turnover): Minimum average annual turnover of \$ 2,900,000.00 calculated as total payments received by the Bidder for contracts completed or under execution over the last three (3) years. (in case of Joint Venture: Each partner must meet 25% and One partner - 40% of the requirement);
- Cash Flow Capacity: Availability of or access to liquid assets, lines of credit, and other finances sufficient to meet cash flow requirement which is \$1,300,000.00); and

- **Contractual Experience:** Successful completion as main supplier within the last three (3) years, of at least one (1) contract valued at USD 1,500,000 for with nature, and complexity similar to the scope of supply described in Section 6 (Schedule of Supply).

More details of qualification requirements are mentioned in the Bidding Documents.

5. Interested Bidders may obtain further information from UWSCG and request the Bidding Documents at the e-mail address given below):

Ia Mazanishvili and/or Giorgi Matiashvili

United Water Supply Company of Georgia

Electronic mail address:

i.mazanishvili@water.gov.ge; g.matiashvili@water.gov.ge;
n.abuladze@water.gov.ge; kh.amilakhvari@water.gov.ge

6. To purchase the Bidding Documents in English, eligible Bidders should:

- Write to address above requesting the Bidding Document for UWSCG-ICB-HeadworkDevices-G02-2019– Supply and Installation of Flowmeters
- Pay a non-refundable fee of GEL 320 or USD 100 for receiving the Bidding Document in electronic format from UWSCG either by cash payment or electronic transfer to the following account:

United Water Supply Company of Georgia

JSC Liberty Bank, Central Branch

SWIFT CODE: LBRTGE22

GE67LB0113123325230095 GEL

GE40LB0113123325230096 USD

The Bidding Document can be received from UWSCG against proof of payment either by cash or electronic transfer. The Bidding Document will be issued in soft copy, to the Bidder's authorized email address.

7. Deliver your bid:

- to the address above
- **on or before 2 June 2020 at 16:00 hours (Georgia time)**
- together with a Bid Security as described in the Bidding Document.

Bids will be opened immediately after the bid submission deadline in the presence of Bidders' representatives who choose to attend. Late bids shall be rejected.

8. The Purchaser will not be responsible for any cost or expense incurred by Bidders in connection with the preparation or delivery of bids.