

# Invitation for Bids

## COMMONWEALTH OF DOMINICA

### *DISASTER VULNERABILITY REDUCTION PROJECT*

Loan No./Credit No./ Grant No.: **TF016912/5495-DM/TF016955**

**Contract Title: Procurement of Immediate Civil/Road Works Post Tropical Storm Erika on the Eastern Island Roads: Lot 1 – Emerald Pool to L’Riviere L’Or Bridge**

**Reference No.: PPCR/DVRP/NCB-01/2017**

1. The Government of the Commonwealth of Dominica has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the Disaster Vulnerability Reduction Project, and intends to apply part of the proceeds toward payments under the contract for Procurement of Immediate Civil/Road Works post Tropical Storm Erika on the Eastern Island Roads: Lot 1 – Emerald Pool to L’Riviere L’Or Bridge.

2. The Ministry of Health and Environment now invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for the Procurement of Immediate Civil/Road Works post Tropical Storm Erika on the Eastern Island Roads from Chainage 5+885 at Emerald Pool to L’Riviere L’Or Bridge, for a construction period of six (6) calendar months.

**(a) Financial Capability**

The Bidder shall furnish documentary evidence that it meets the following financial requirement(s):

- Minimum Average Annual Construction Turnover for the last three (3) years exceeding the equivalent of **EC\$1,308,583** in construction activity.

**(b) Experience and Technical Capacity**

The Bidder shall furnish documentary evidence to demonstrate that it meets the following experience requirement(s):

- Successfully completed at least one (1) contract of related civil/road works within the last five (5) years **at a minimum value of EC\$1,075,000** that has been satisfactorily and substantially completed as a Prime Contractor, Joint Venture Member, Management Contractor or Sub-contractor between **1<sup>st</sup> January 2012** and application submission deadline.

Additional details are provided in the Bidding Documents.

3. Bidding will be conducted through the National Competitive Bidding procedures as specified in the World Bank’s *Guidelines: Procurement of Goods, Works and Non-Consulting Services under IBRD Loans and IDA Credits & Grants by World Bank Borrowers - January 2011, Revised July 2014* - (“Procurement Guidelines”), and is open to all eligible bidders as

defined in the Procurement Guidelines. In addition, please refer to Paragraphs 1.6 and 1.7 setting forth the World Bank's Policy on Conflict of Interest.

4. Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from the Project Coordination Unit - Disaster Vulnerability Reduction Project, Ministry of Health and Environment, Attention Mr. Collin Guiste – Project Coordinator, on e-mail address [ppcrdrvpr@dominica.gov.dm](mailto:ppcrdrvpr@dominica.gov.dm) and inspect the bidding documents during office hours from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on Mondays, and 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. on Tuesdays to Fridays, at the address given below.

5. A complete set of bidding documents in English may be purchased by interested eligible bidders upon the submission of a written application to the address below and upon payment of a nonrefundable fee of EC\$250.00 or US\$95.00 equivalent. The method of payment will be as follows:

1. Wire transfer to Account Number 615000376 in the name of Government of Dominica, DVRP Project for payment in Eastern Caribbean Currency; Or wire transfer to Account Number 261200019 in the name of Government of Dominica DVRP Project for payment in United States Currency; or
2. Manager's Cheque in the name of Government of Dominica, DVRP Project, delivered to the address given below.

The document will be sent by electronic mail for overseas delivery and surface mail for local delivery. If urgency or security dictates, courier services may be required for overseas delivery.

6. Bids must be delivered to the address below on or before **3:00 p.m. on Friday, 16<sup>th</sup> June 2017**. Electronic bidding will not be permitted. Late bids will be rejected. Bids will be publicly opened in the presence of the bidders' designated representatives and anyone who choose to attend at the address below **at 3:15 p.m. on Friday, 16<sup>th</sup> June 2017**.

7. All bids must be accompanied by a Bid Security of **EC\$23,000.00 (or equivalent in freely convertible currency)**.

8. The address referred to above is:

Project Coordination Unit  
Disaster Vulnerability Reduction Project  
Attn: Mr. Collin Guiste – Project Coordinator  
38 Cork Street, First Floor  
Roseau, Commonwealth of Dominica  
Tel: 1 (767) 266-3139 / 266-3199  
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