ASSOCIATION OF POWER UTILITIES OF AFRICA  
AFRICAN NETWORK OF CENTERS OF EXCELLENCE IN ELECTRICITY

**TENDER NOTICE**

Acquisition of equipment for upgrading educational facilities and support for expansion of training centers of the African network of centers of excellence in electricity in four (4) batches.

**Multinational**

**Sector:** Electricity

**Date:** December 10, 2019

**NITB No:** N° ICB/02/APUA/ANCEE/2019 on December 10, 2019

**Project:** African Network of Centers of Excellence in Electricity (ANCEE)

**Loan No:** AFD Agreement: CZZ 1982 01 H

1. Association of Power Utilities of Africa (APUA) has received funding from the French Development Agency (AFD), and intends to use part of the amount of it to carry out the procurement payments for the acquisition of equipment for the upgrading of educational facilities and support for the expansion of the capacity of training centers of the African Network of Centers of Excellence in Electricity (ANCEE) in four (4) batches.

2. Association of Power Utilities of Africa (APUA) is soliciting Closed Bids from Bidders eligible for the supply of:

   **Batch 1:** A pneumatic training bench and a hydraulic bench for the Volta River Academy of Ghana;

   **Batch 2:** 10 virtual reality headsets for ESKOM Academy of Learning of South Africa;

   **Batch 3:** A seismometer for the Geothermal Training Center of Kenya;

   **Batch 4:** An Inductively Coupled Plasma Mass Spectroscopy for the Geothermal Training Center of Kenya.

Bidders may bid for one or more lots as defined in the Tender Documents. Bidders wishing to offer rebates, in the event that they obtain more than one Market, are authorize to do so and must indicate these discounts in the Bid Form.
3. Eligible and interested Bidders can obtain information and read the Documents of Tender from the **Coordinating Unit of the African Network of Centers of Excellence in Electricity** at Deux-Plateaux Les Vallons 3rd Tranche Lot 1761 (Abidjan-Côte d'Ivoire), Phone: (+225) 22 516 102 / (+225) 22 516 117- from Monday to Friday from 8h00 mn to 17h00 mn (local time) or on the following websites: [www.apua-asea.org](http://www.apua-asea.org) and [www.ancee-racee.org](http://www.ancee-racee.org).

4. Interested Bidders may obtain the complete Tender Documents in French or English by making a written request to the address: [mitiche.redaelhadi@apua-asea.org](mailto:mitiche.redaelhadi@apua-asea.org) copy to [soraya.quonian@apua-asea.org](mailto:soraya.quonian@apua-asea.org) against a non-refundable payment of One Hundred and Fifty (150) Euro per bank transfer on Account No. IBAN: [CI93 CI007 01025 900007118140-60](#) Swift Code : SIVBCIABXXX.

5. The Instructions to Bidders and the Conditions of Business and General Conditions are those of the Standard Tender Document for Procurement of the French Development Agency.

6. Offers must be submit to the address above no later than **February 18, 2020 at 10 am**. Offers must include a bank guarantee of:
   - Lot 1: Two thousand four hundred (2400) euros;
   - Lot 2: Two thousand (2000) euros;
   - Lot 3: Two thousand (2000) euros;
   - Lot 4: Three thousand four hundred (3400) euros.

7. The Offers will be open in the presence of the representatives of the Bidders who so wish at the headquarters of the Association of Power Utilities of Africa (APUA) located in Vallons the 2-plateaux 3rd tranche Lot 1761 in Abidjan (Côte d’Ivoire) **February 18, 2020 at 10.30 am** (local time).

8. The qualifications requirements are as follows:
   a. The submission of certified balance sheets or, if not required by the regulations of the country of the applicant, other financial statements acceptable to the Purchaser for the past five (5) years demonstrating the Bidder’s current solvency and long-term profitability;
   b. Have an average annual turnover of at least:
      - Two hundred and forty thousand (240 000) euros for lot 1;
      - Two hundred thousand (200 000) euros for lot 2;
      - Two hundred thousand (200 000) euros for lot 3;
      - Three hundred and forty thousand (340 000) thousand euros for lot 4.
c. Have completed at least 2 similar markets satisfactorily and substantially completed as Supplier or Group Member between January 1, 2014 and December 1st, 2019 within the submission deadlines of a minimum value of € 100,000 each.

d. Availability at the deadline for submitting offers, after sales service and spare parts installed in the beneficiary country of the equipment, for the Supplies offered in the Offer.

See Tender Document for detailed information.