

Invitation for Bids (IFB)

(Authorised under Section 14(2) of the Public Procurement Act 2006)

Ministry of Housing and Lands

Design and Construction of 116 Apartments including on-site infrastructure works at Port-Louis - [MHL/0107]

CPB Ref/131/2008

1. The Ministry of Housing and Lands invites sealed bids from eligible and qualified bidders for the design and construction of 104+12=116 apartments including on-site infrastructure Works at Military Road and Penang Street, Port-Louis. The construction period is eighteen (18) months.

2. Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from the Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Housing and Lands and may consult the Bidding Documents at the address given below from 9.00 hrs to 15.00 hrs.

3. Qualifications requirements include:

- (i) Contractors having technical capacity, resources and sound financial Standing; and
- (ii) other qualifying criteria mentioned in the Bid Document.

4. A complete set of Bidding Documents in English may be purchased by interested bidders at the address mentioned below and upon payment of a non refundable fee of Mauritian Rupees Five Thousand(MUR 5,000/-) . The method of payment will be by cash or a crossed cheque made to the order of Government of Mauritius.

5. Bids must be delivered to the address mentioned below **on or before Tuesday 23 September, 2008 up to 13.30 hrs (local time at latest)**. Electronic bidding shall not be permitted. Late bids will be rejected. Bids will be opened physically in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend in person at the address mentioned below.

6. All bids shall be accompanied by a Bid Security of Mauritian Rupees Five Hundred Thousand (MUR 500,000/-).

7. The addresses referred to above are:

(i) for consulting and purchasing of bid document:

Ministry of Housing and Lands
2nd floor, Cash Office, SILWF Building
Edith Cavell Street,

Port - Louis

(ii) for submission and to attend to bid opening

Central Procurement Board
1st floor, Social Security House
Julius Nyerere Avenue (Ex- Moka Road)

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