

# EPCG Metering and Distribution Project

**Procurement ref:** 6343-IFT-40219

**Country:** Montenegro

**Sector:** Power and energy

**Project number:** 40219

**Funding sources:** EBRD

**Contract type:** Project goods, works and services

**Notice type:** Invitation for tenders

**Issue date:** 28 Mar 2011

16 May 2011

**Closing date:** 15:00PM Montenegro time

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## Procurement of Meters and Data Concentrators

This Invitation for Tenders follows the General Procurement Notice for this project which was published on the EBRD Web Site on 4 November 2009 and updated on 25 October 2010.

Montenegrin Electric Enterprise - Elektroprivreda Crne Gore AD Nikšić (EPCG) hereinafter referred to as the Purchaser, intends to use part of the proceeds of a loan from the European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (the Bank) towards the cost of EPCG Metering and Distribution Project.

The Purchaser now invites sealed tenders from Suppliers for the following contract to be funded from part of the proceeds of the loan:

Procurement of Meters and Data Concentrators.

The scope of supply includes:

1. single phase meters – 30 000 units,
  2. three phase meters – 144 000 units
  3. CT meters – 1 500 units
  4. data concentrators – 1 200 units
- accompanying software for meter parameterisation (for 10 users) – 1.

The equipment will be delivered DDU Podgorica, Berane and Bar in batches starting from August 2011 and continuing through July 2013.

Tendering for contracts that are to be financed with the proceeds of a loan from the Bank is open to firms from any country.

To be qualified for the award of a contract, tenderers must satisfy the following minimum criteria:

Total turnover as prime supplier (defined as billing for Goods and Services delivered and under delivery) over the last three (3) years of not less than EURO 60 Million equivalent;

- Experience as Supplier having designed and supplied at least 400.000 (Four hundred thousand) electronic meters remotely manageable and multi tariff, power line communication and their concentrators installed and remotely managed in at least 2 projects with different distribution companies within the last 3 years, of at least 200.000 (Two hundred thousand) meters per project respectively;
- Experience in supply of not less than 1.000.000 (One million) pieces of electronic meters for measuring electricity over the last three years;
- Have in production at own factory(ies) or at other contractors' factory(ies) a range of electronic meters for electricity lower voltage direct connection and semi-direct connection, mono phase and three phase, remotely manageable with power line communication that function in accordance with quality system ISO 9000.
- Possession of ISO 9001 certification valid license issued by accredited organisation.

Tender documents may be obtained from the office at the address below upon payment of a non-refundable fee of Euro 500 (Five hundred) or equivalent in other convertible currency to be transferred to:

Account with institution: PRVA BANKA CRNE GORE PODGORICA

SWIFT CODE: PRVAMEPG

ME25535005030000000070

Beneficiary customers: ELEKTROPRIVREDA CG AD NIKSIC

VUKA KARADŽICA BB

Nikšić Montenegro

Intermediary bank: DEUTSCHE BANK AG FRANKFURT

SWIFT CODE: DEUTDEFF

Upon receiving appropriate evidence of payment of the non-refundable fee, the documents will be promptly dispatched by courier; however, no liability can be accepted for loss or late delivery. If requested the documents can also be dispatched electronically after the presentation by the prospective tenderer of appropriate evidence of payment of the non-refundable fee. In the event of discrepancy between electronic and hard copies of the documents, the hard copy shall prevail.

All tenders must be accompanied by a tender security of EURO 300.000 (Three hundred thousand) or its equivalent in other convertible currency.

Tenders must be delivered to the office at the address below on or before May 16, 2011, 15:00 CET, at which time they will be opened in the presence of those tenderers' representatives who choose to attend.

A register of potential tenderers who have purchased the tender documents may be inspected at the address below.

Prospective tenderers may obtain further information from, as well as to inspect and acquire the tender documents at, the following office:

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Unless otherwise indicated, these tendering opportunities are funded from an EBRD loan, and tendering procedures are governed by EBRD Procurement Policies and Rules.

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