



SPECIFIC PROCUREMENT NOTICE (SPN)

**Republic of Zambia
Road Development Agency**

Chinsali - Nakonde Road Rehabilitation Project (North - South Corridor)

Date: 19 February 2016

Loan No: 2000130013830

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IFB No: RDA/ICB/CE/003/15

1. This Invitation for Prequalification follows the General Procurement Notice (GPN) for this project that appeared in United Nations Development Business (UNDB online) AfDB254-04/15 of 17 April, 2015 on-line and on the African Development Bank Group's Internet Website (www.afdb.org).
2. The Government of the Republic of Zambia has received Financing from the African Development Bank in various currencies towards the cost of the Chinsali - Nakonde Road Rehabilitation Project (North - South Corridor). It is intended that part of the proceeds of this loan will be applied to eligible payments under the contract for Chinsali - Nakonde Road Rehabilitation Project (North - South Corridor).
3. The Road Development Agency (RDA) intends to prequalify contractors for the Chinsali - Nakonde Road Rehabilitation Project (North - South Corridor). The project road runs in a north easterly direction from Chinsali to Nakonde in Muchinga Province covering a total distance of 210 km. The project road has been divided into two (2) Construction Lots as follows:
 - i. Lot 1 - Chinsali to Isoka - 100 km
 - ii. Lot 2 - Isoka to Nakonde - 110km

The works will include the rehabilitation of the existing road with the widening the lanes from the current lane width of 3.05m to 3.5m with 2m

wide shoulders, generally along the existing alignment. The scope also includes drainage improvement works.

- Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from and inspect the prequalification documents at the office of:

The Director Procurement
Road Development Agency

Mail Address: P.O. Box 50003
Alick Nkhata Road, Mass Media
Lusaka, Zambia

Telephone Number: +260 - 211 253088/253002

Facsimile Number: +260 - 211 253408/251420

Electronic Mail address: rda_hq@roads.gov.zm

- A complete set of the Prequalification Document in English may be purchased by interested applicants on the submission of a written application to the above and upon payment of a non-refundable fee of One Thousand Zambian Kwacha (ZMW 1,000.00) or an equivalent amount in freely convertible currency. Applicants wishing to make electronic payments may contact the above office for details.
- Prequalification will be conducted through prequalification procedures specified in the Bank's Rules and Procedures for Procurement of Goods and Works, and is open to all eligible firms and voluntarily formed joint ventures
- Applications for Prequalification must be delivered to the above office on or before **14:30hrs on 08 April, 2016** and be clearly marked "Application to Prequalify for Contract Ref. RDA/ICB/CE/003/15 Chinsali - Nakonde Road Rehabilitation Project (North - South Corridor)". The Applications should indicate the Lot ("Lot 1" or "Lot 2") being applied for. Applicants may apply for one lot or both lots.
- Applicants will be advised in due course of the results of their application. Only those firms and joint ventures prequalified under this procedure will be invited to bid.