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Institution: Inter-American Development Bank

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Project: BARBADOS CLIMATE RESILIENT SOUTH COAST WATER RECLAMATION PROJECT

Title: Design, Construction and Operations of a New Advanced Wastewater Reclamation Plant and Renovations to an Existing Primary Treatment Plant

Borrower/Bid No: BWA-2024-002

**SPECIFIC PROCUREMENT NOTICE
Invitation for Prequalification**

BARBADOS

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Design, Construction and Operations of a New Advanced Wastewater Reclamation Plant and Renovations to an Existing Primary Treatment Plant

Loan No. **BA-L1063**

The Government of Barbados has applied for a loan and a guarantee from the Inter-American Development Bank and other funding agencies toward the cost of the Barbados Climate Resilient South Coast Water Reclamation Project and it intends to apply part of the proceeds of this loan to payments under the contract for South Coast Water Reclamation and Re-use Facilities.

This contract will be jointly financed by the Green Climate Fund. Bidding will be governed by the Inter-American Development Bank’s rules and procedures. The Barbados Water Authority (BWA), under responsibility of the Prime Minister’s Office, intends to prequalify contractors and/or firms for South Coast Water Reclamation and Re-use Facilities. This contract involves renovation of the existing primary South Coast Sewage Treatment Plant and construction of the new 9,000 m3/day South Coast Water Reclamation and Re-use Facility incorporating biological secondary treatment, tertiary treatment (filtration and ultraviolet disinfection), followed by ultrafiltration and reverse osmosis. The new facility includes sludge digestion, thickening, and dewatering. A related project will utilize the reclaimed water for groundwater recharge and agriculture irrigation. It is expected that invitations for bid to prequalified firms and contractors will be made in April 2024.

Interested eligible Applicants may obtain further information from the Barbados Water Authority (BWA) using only the messaging function of the government procurement portal <https://gov-bb.bonfirehub.com>. Once registered on the portal, interested firms and contractors can access a complete set of the prequalification documents in English through the same government procurement portal.

Applications for prequalification should be uploaded to the Barbados Government’s procurement portal which can be found at <https://gov-bb.bonfirehub.com> by 11:30PM Barbados / Atlantic Standard Time (AST) on Wednesday, 3rd of April 2024, and be

clearly marked "Application to Prequalify for South Coast Water Reclamation and Re-use Facilities."

The milestones for the procurement process are as follows.

1. Invitation to prequalify.
2. Prequalification evaluation and selection of prequalified bidders
3. Invitation to Bid for prequalified bidders.
4. Bid opening (Technical)
5. Evaluation of technical bids
6. Bid opening (Financial)
7. Combined evaluation (Technical & Financial)
8. Notification of Intention to Award and Standstill period
9. Negotiations with awarded bidder
10. Contract signature

Barbados Water Authority (BWA)

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Barbados

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Attachments:

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