

# **SPECIFIC PROCUREMENT NOTICE**

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**Request for Bids  
Works  
(Without Prequalification)  
Republic of Lebanon  
Council for Development and Reconstruction  
Greater Beirut Water Supply Project  
Tunnels and Ancillaries**

(Loan No. 7967 –LE ; RFB No: BWW1 – A (RTW))

The Government of Lebanon has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of implementation of the Greater Beirut Water Supply Project (GBWSP). The Council for Development and Reconstruction (CDR), Project's implementing agency, intends to apply part of the proceeds toward payments under the contract for the Tunnels and Ancillaries.

The CDR now invites sealed Bids from eligible Bidders for the implementation of the Tunnels and Ancillaries remaining works, including lining of existing 24 km tunnels. The implementation period is estimated for 24 months.

Bidding will be conducted through international competitive procurement using Request for Bids (RFB) as specified in the World Bank's "*Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers-Procurement in Investment Projects Financing*" (latest applicable revision) and is open to all eligible Bidders as defined in the Procurement Regulations.

Interested eligible Bidders may obtain further information from and inspect the Bidding document as of Thursday November 26<sup>th</sup>, 2020 at the CDR (address below) during normal working hour periods (from 8:00 to 13:00), Beirut local time. Bidders requiring any clarification shall contact the Employer in writing (i.e. only by duly registered correspondences or facsimile) at the address below, or raise his enquiries during the pre-bid meeting.

A complete set of the Bidding document in English may be purchased by interested Bidders upon payment of a nonrefundable fee of US\$ 300 (USD Three Hundred) in the form of the banker's certified check in the name of the Council for Development and Reconstruction.

Bidders designated representatives are encouraged to attend the Pre-Bid meeting at the CDR offices on Friday December 11<sup>th</sup>, 2020 at 10:00AM, Beirut local time, at CDR premises, and the site visit on Thursday December 10<sup>th</sup>, 2020.

Bids must be submitted in sealed envelopes, delivered to the CDR Tenders Department at the address below not later than 12:00 o'clock noon, Beirut local time on **Friday January 8<sup>th</sup>, 2021** and be clearly marked "Bidding for Greater Beirut Water Supply Project - Construction of Tunnels and Ancillaries (BWW1 – A (RTW))". Electronic Bidding will not be permitted.

Late Bids will be rejected. Bids will be publicly opened in the presence of the Bidders' designated representatives and anyone who chooses to attend at the address below.

**Attention: The President of the CDR**

**Address: Council for Development and Reconstruction (CDR)  
Tallet Al-Serail, Beirut (Beirut Central District), Lebanon  
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