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**REPUBLIC OF LEBANON**  
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**GREATER TRIPOLI BASIN WASTEWATER NETWORKS**  
**GENERAL PROCUREMENT NOTICE**  
**(Loan No. 89004; Investment Grant No. 91.610)**

The Lebanese Republic, through the Council for Development and Reconstruction (CDR), intends to launch a project consisting in the construction of (and/or rehabilitation of existing) wastewater sewerage collection networks and conveyors in part of Tripoli city, part of Koura district, and part of Minieh-Dannieh district, and the rehabilitation of the existing WWTP in Tripoli.

The total budget of the project is EUR 107,000,000 and will be co-financed by the European Investment Bank (EIB, EUR m 74), the Government of Lebanon own resources (EUR m 10.7), and other sources (EUR m 22.3).

The purpose of the project is to construct wastewater networks in areas of the Greater Tripoli Basin the sewerage of which can be conveyed to the Tripoli WWTP, which would secure sufficient flow for the plant to operate properly, and to rehabilitate the said WWTP.

The Project consists of the following works:

- Construction of sewerage networks including house connections in part of Tripoli city, part of Koura, and part of Minieh-Dannieh. For a total length of approximately 570 km and around 20,000 house connections
- Rehabilitation of the Tripoli WWTP
- Supply of maintenance equipment to the NLWE
- Provide Technical Assistance to the NLWE

The components of the Project financed by the EIB are summarized as follows:

1. Construction of Sewerage Networks including required house connections:

- In Tripoli city: Construction of new (and/or rehabilitation of existing) sewer lines of approximately 175 km.
- In Koura: Construction of approximately 200 km new sewer, including lifting/pumping stations as may be required.
- In Minieh-Dannieh: Construction of approximately 200 km new sewer, including lifting/pumping stations as may be required.

2. Rehabilitation of the existing WWTP in Tripoli, mainly consisting in the replacement of parts either because of natural ageing or because spare parts are no longer available.

3. Supply NLWE with vehicles for operation and maintenance use.

4. Engineering and supervision consultancy services:

Preparation of detailed engineering design and Tender documents, assist the CDR & PIU during Bids evaluation, and supervision of construction works.

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Procurement of contracts financed by the European Investment Bank (EIB) will be conducted through the procedures specified in the EIB's Guide to procurement for project financed by EIB, updated version of September 2018, and is open to all bidders from eligible source countries as defined in the guidelines. Consulting services will be selected in accordance with the valid edition of the EIB's Guidelines.

Specific procurement notices for contracts bidding under the EIB's international competitive bidding (ICB) procedures, and for consultants' contracts, will be announced as and when they become available in the Official Journal of the European Union (OJEU) and in local newspapers.

Prequalification of consultants will be required for the preparation of detailed designs and tender documents for the construction of the networks, and for the supervision services.

Interested eligible bidders who wish to be included on the mailing list to receive an invitation to prequalify and bid under ICB procedures, and interested consultants who wish to receive a copy of the advertisement requesting expressions of interest for consultants' contracts, or those requiring additional information, may contact the CDR at the address below:

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