



Ministry of Water and Environment



Koninklijk Nederlands
Meteorologisch Instituut
Ministerie van Infrastructuur en Waterstaat

GENERAL PROCUREMENT NOTICE

COUNTRY:	The Republic of Uganda
NAME OF PROJECT:	The Systematic Observations Financing Facility (SOFF) Grant Project
SECTOR:	Climate Change and Environment
MODE OF FINANCING:	Grant
FINANCING NO:	UGA1070

The Government of Uganda (GoU) represented by the Ministry of Water and Environment has received financing in the amount of US\$ 6.3m equivalent from the United Nations Multi-Partner Trust Fund (UNMPTF) through the Islamic Development Bank toward the cost of the Systematic Observations Financing Facility (SOFF) project, and it intends to apply part of the proceeds to payments for goods, works, related services and consulting services to be procured under this project.

The project will include the components listed below, which will be procured under Limited International Bidding (LIB), National Competitive Bidding (NCB) and National Shopping (NS), Fixed Budget Selection (FBS/NS) and Least Cost Selection (LCS/NS) methods.

Component 1: Enhancement of Department of Meteorological Services' Institutional and Human Capacity

Component 2: Rehabilitation and Construction of GBON Infrastructure,

Component 3: Network Compliance with GBON Requirements,

Component 4: Support to the Project Management Unit,

Component 5: Financial Audit,

Component 6: Project Management, Coordination and Administrative Fees,

Component 7: Emergency Contingency,

The goods, works and related services to be procured are:

1. GOODS

- Install Nine Automatic Weather Stations (AWS) with all the Spare Parts for 3 years, and One Upper Air Station (UAS) System with its consumables for 1 year (Limited International Bidding),
- Supply Two Hydrogen Generators and 1,000 Litre Hydrogen Storage Tank (Limited International Bidding),
- Development of a calibration lab - 4 Calibration Chambers (Limited International Bidding)

- Supply ICT Equipment (Computers, Screens, Software for PMU & Control Monitoring Rooms) and 1 Power generator (National Competitive Bidding (NCB),
- PMU Vehicles (1 station Wagon, 1 Double Cabin Pick up and 1 Van (National Shopping (NS)

2. WORKS

- Civil Works: Construction of a new building that will house the upper air station and rehabilitation/construction of fencing structures for all the existing 9 weather stations (NCB),

3. CONSULTANCY

- Gender Assessment for the Department of Meteorology-SOFF Framework -Fixed Budget Selection (FBS) from a shortlist of national firms),
- Financial Audit-Least Cost Selection (LCS)from a shortlist of certified national audit firms.

Procurement of contracts financed by the Islamic Development Bank will be conducted through the procedures as specified in the Guidelines for the Procurement of Goods, Works and Related Services under Islamic Development Bank Project Financing (April 2019 edition, revised in February 2023), and is open to all eligible bidders as defined in the guidelines. Consulting services will be selected in accordance with the Guidelines for the Procurement of Consultancy Services under Islamic Development Bank Project Financing (April 2019 edition, revised in February 2023).

Specific procurement notices for contracts to bid under the Islamic Development Bank's National Competitive Bidding (NCB) procedures and for contracts for consultancy services will be announced, as they become available, in the Ministry of Water and Environment website; <https://www.mwe.go.ug> and the Royal Netherlands Meteorological Institute (KNMI) website, and relevant technical magazines, newspapers/publications of wide national and international circulation including the local newspapers such as The New Vision and The Daily Monitor.

Prequalification of suppliers and contractors will not be required for these contracts

Interested eligible firms and individuals who would wish to be considered for the provision of goods, works and consulting services for the above mentioned project, or those requiring additional information, should contact the Beneficiary at the address below:

Procurement and Disposal Unit

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