

Central Bank of Lesotho

Invitation to tender



The Central Bank of Lesotho invites registered suitable suppliers for the supply and installation of the 2 x air-conditioners, one (1) unit shall be running while the other shall be redundant and they shall switch automatically. The units shall be installed above a purpose made steel frames of 450mm. The specifications are as follows:

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS	
Model type	- Downflow up air flow configuration
Gross sensible Cooling capacity	- 25 – 30kW
Net total sensible cooling capacity	- 24kW
Electrical supply	- 415V / 50Hz
Refrigerant	- Environmentally friendly gas
Noise operation	- Not more than 70dB (A)
Warranty	- Manufacturer's warranty
Auto restart from power outage	
Remote operation	
FUNCTIONAL SPECIFICATIONS	
The Air Cons shall be:	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Specifically created and designed for cooling the electrical and electronic devices. • Applicable to equipment rooms, computer rooms, and similar ecosystems which call for a high degree of accuracy and precision in maintaining the ambient temperature. • Able to keep room conditions within a specific range and also must have the precision to react quickly to a drastic change in heat load and prevent wide temperature fluctuations. • An air-cooled single cooling system and configured with DC Speed Regulation back-inclined centrifugal fan. 	
SERVICE REQUIREMENTS	
The contractor shall be expected to produce his own shop drawings for the installation.	
Delivery Services and Installation (The installation shall be based on 1600m above sea level). Server room floor area ± 34.0 m ²	
The supplier shall provide after sales support and enter into a maintenance contract with the Bank to maintain the equipment.	

MANDATORY TENDER CONDITIONS AND REQUIREMENTS (FAILURE TO COMPLY FULLY WITH THESE REQUIREMENTS WILL RESULT IN DISQUALIFICATION.

1. Bidders are required to show i) delivery period ii) validity period of bid iii) warranty.
2. Electronic PDF email bid submissions stating "Bid for Air Con Units" on the email subject should be emailed to mlechela@centralbank.org.ls no later than 14h30 Friday June 18th 2021.
3. The Tender opening will be on the same day at 14:30hrs. As a health measure, no bidders will be allowed to attend the opening session. All proponents will be emailed the record of the opening proceedings.
4. Valid copies of current tax clearance certificate and traders license or certificate of Incorporation (if not Lesotho Registered) must be submitted with the bid.
5. One-page letter of introduction identifying the proponent (proponent's name and physical

address together with contact details; contact person, telephone number and e-mail address) and signed by the person or persons authorized to sign on behalf of, and bind the proponent to statements made in the tender

6. All required documents should be provided in a document form not as reference to a website or link.
7. Recent financial statements of the bidder duly signed by an Audit Firm or practicing Chartered Accountant or a credit line letter from an authorized Financial Institution that reflect respectively a minimum working capital and credit/ loan facility equivalent or more than the bid amount must be provided with the bid.
8. Bidders are to note that the Bank may require a performance guarantee of no more than 10% of the bid amount.
9. Bidders are requested to quote in Maloti or Rands only.
10. Bidders must expressly respond and fully comply with the specifications as stipulated in the advertisement.

EVALUATION CRITERIA

Evaluation criteria shall consist of the following mandatory requirements (Failure of which result in disqualification):

Supplier registration	Valid copy of the traders license/ certificate of Incorporation (if not Lesotho Registered)
Tax Compliance	Valid copy of current tax clearance certificate
Technical and functional Specification	Full compliance to the detailed specifications
Financial Capacity	Recent financial statement of the bidder duly signed by an Audit Firm or practicing Chartered Accountant or a credit line letter from an authorized Financial Institution that reflect a minimum working capital or credit equivalent or more than the bid amount
Delivery Period	Not more than 4 weeks
Validity of the bid	Valid for at least 30 days
Warranty	Manufacturer warranty should be provided "as is"
Price	Competitive Price

SPECIAL NOTES

1. For further clarification bidders are requested to contact the undersigned at telephone #:22232126 and /or mlechela@centralbank.org.ls.
2. Central Bank of Lesotho is not bound to accept the lowest or any bid.
3. All Bidders are advised that a Vendor Exclusion Policy shall apply where necessary; copies of the policy may be obtained from the Secretary.
4. Bidders are to note that the Central Bank of Lesotho shall apply withholding tax obligation where applicable when effecting payment.
5. Contractors and suppliers shall recognize the importance of performing the work in a safe and responsible manner so as to prevent damage, injury, or loss to individuals, the environment, including materials and equipment used at the work place and or stored on-site.

M. Lechela (Mrs.)
Secretary, Tender Committee