



## UGANDA ELECTRICITY TRANSMISSION COMPANY LTD

**CONSULTING  
SERVICES FOR FEASIBILITY STUDY  
FOR THE PROPOSED  
220kV MASAKA – MBARARA  
TRANSMISSION LINE AND  
ASSOCIATED SUBSTATIONS  
IFB: UETCL/SRVCS/2013/00019  
REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF  
INTEREST**

### 1. Project description

The Government of Uganda (GOU) has received financing from Agence Française de Développement (AFD) to finance feasibility study and detailed design for the proposed project. GOU through Uganda Electricity Transmission Company Limited (UETCL) the implementing Agency intends to apply part of the proceeds for consultancy services. The services include conducting a feasibility study for the proposed 220kV transmission Line Masaka-Mbarara with an approximate length of 135km and associated substation

### 2. Required consultancy services

The scope of the study includes:

To conduct a feasibility study and detailed design for the project

To prepare tender documents for procurement of the Engineering Procurement and Construction Contractor for construction Masaka – Mbarara Power Transmission line and the associated substations basing on the outcome of the study.

The deliverables shall be a bankable document and tender documents to enable the client secure funds for

construction, expected during the study execution period of 12 Calendar months.

### 3. Request for Expressions of Interest

UETCL now invites eligible consultants to indicate their interest in providing the services. Interested consultants must provide information indicating that they are qualified to perform the services and relevant experience to execute the required scope of services.

Documents to be submitted include:

Cover letter

Evidence that the signatory of the covering letter has authority to do so

Legal and financial documents of the company indicating clearly the legal status, corporate profile and financial standing of the company

Evidence of conducting feasibility studies for at least 3 transmission line and substation Station projects at 132kV and above of comparable magnitude to the services being procured, in the last eight years; in sub-Saharan Africa or in any comparable developing countries

Organisational structure indicating number and qualifications of in-house personnel, including home office, backstopping and quality assurance personnel.

Very brief curriculum vitae of: available in-house experts, home office, backstopping and quality assurance personnel (max. 3 pages per staff). *Brief CVs shall consist of name, professional qualification, year obtained, with firm since, position in firm, technical field and*

*specialisation and relevant experience to the services being procured.*

A consultant will be selected in accordance with the World Bank procurement guidelines (current edition obtainable at [www.worldbank.org](http://www.worldbank.org)).

**Consultants may associate with other firms in the form of a joint venture or a sub consultancy to enhance their qualifications.**

Expressions of interest must be delivered to the address below by **11.00 hrs** (Uganda Time) the **10<sup>th</sup> April 2013**

Interested consultants may obtain further information at the address below during office **hours 0900 to 1600hours.**

Attention: **Principal Procurement Officer**

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#### **4. Language of the procedure**

All written communications for this tender procedure and contract must be in English.

#### **PLANNED PROCUREMENT SCHEDULE**

Publish invitation for EOI	<b>25<sup>th</sup> February 2013</b>
EOI closing date	<b>10<sup>th</sup> April 2013</b>
Evaluation	<b>12<sup>th</sup> April 2013 to 22<sup>nd</sup> April 2013</b>
Internal approvals	<b>24<sup>th</sup> April to 10<sup>th</sup> May 2013</b>
Submission for No Objection	<b>13<sup>th</sup> May 2013</b>
Funding agency No Objection	<b>20<sup>th</sup> May 2013</b>
Invitation for submission of Proposals	<b>23<sup>rd</sup> May 2013</b>