Central Bank of Lesotho

Invitation to Tender (ITT)

The Central Bank of Lesotho invites registered suppliers for the supply, delivery, installation and commissioning of HP ProLiant DL380 Gen9 Hard Disks as follows:

Description	Quantity
600GB 10K SAS Hard Drives for HP ProLiant DL380 Gen9 servers	**2**
600GB SSD SATA Hard Drives for HP ProLiant DL380 Gen9 servers	**8**

Tender Conditions:

1. Bidders are required to show i) delivery period ii) validity period of bid iii) after sales service and iv) warranty period.
2. Bids in sealed envelopes bearing no identification of the bidder, clearly marked "Bid for HP ProLiant DL380 Gen9 Hard Disks" should be deposited in the tender box located at the reception area of Central Bank of Lesotho at corner Moshoeshoe & Airport Roads no later than 14h30 on Friday, July 06th, 2018.
3. Bids will be opened the same day at 14h30 in the Central Bank Auditorium. Bidders or their representatives who wish to attend are welcome.
4. Valid certified (at source) copies of current tax clearance certificate and traders license must be submitted with the bid.
5. Bidders are to note that the Bank may require a performance guarantee of no more than 10% of the bid amount.
6. Bidders are requested to quote in Maloti or Rands only.
7. Central Bank of Lesotho is not bound to accept the lowest or any bid.
8. Bidders must expressly respond to the specifications as stipulated in the advertisement. References to materials which the bidder is not the author shall not constitute a response or part thereof.
9. For further clarification bidders are requested to contact the undersigned at telephone #:22232126 and /or mlechela@centralbank.org.ls.
10. Evaluation criteria shall consist of the following mandatory requirements amongst others (Failure of which result in disqualification):

Supplier registration	**Valid certified (at source) copies of traders license/ certificate of Incorporation (if not Lesotho Registered)copies of traders license/ certificate of Incorporation (if not Lesotho Registered)**
Tax Compliance	**Valid certified (at source) copies of current tax clearance certificate**
Technical Specification	**Signed bid detailing the required specifications as they are.**
Price	**Competitive Price**

11. Other important evaluation factors are as follows:

Delivery Period	**Not more than 4 weeks**
Validity of the bid	**Valid for at least 30 days**
After sale service	**For a minimum period of 1 year**
Warranty period	**Should be transferred "as is" from the manufacturer to the Bank by the supplier.**

Special notes

- Bidders are expected to ensure strict compliance with the above specifications and conditions, failure to do so will result in disqualification of bids.
- All Bidders are advised that a Vendor Exclusion Policy shall apply where necessary; copies of the policy may be obtained from the Secretary.
- Bidders are to note that the Central Bank of Lesotho shall apply withholding tax obligation when effecting payment.

M. Lechela (Mrs.) Secretary, Tender Committee