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**GUYANA  
MAHAICA TO ROSIGNOL ROAD REHABILITATION PROJECT  
Transport  
SUPPLY AND INSTALLATION OF FIXED-PLATFORM AND PORTABLE VEHICLE SCALES  
LO-1094/SF-GY  
Invitation for Bids**

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The Government of Guyana has received financing from the Inter-American Development Bank (IDB) toward the cost of the Mahaica to Rosignol Road Rehabilitation Project, and it intends to apply part of the loan proceeds to payments under the contract for which this invitation for bids is issued.

The Ministry of Public Works and Communications now invites sealed bids from eligible and qualified bidders for the supply and installation of four fixed-platform vehicle scales and 12 portable vehicle scales.

Bidding will be conducted through the international competitive bidding procedures specified in the IDB's *Policies for the Procurement of Works and Goods financed by the IDB*, and is open to all bidders from eligible source countries as defined in the policies.

Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from the Coordinator of the Works Services Group (e-mail below) and inspect the bidding documents at the first address below as of 24 September 2007.

Qualifications requirements include: participation in at least one similar contract within the last five years of minimum value US\$ 350,000 and minimum annual turnover of US\$ 350,000. Valid GRA and NIS certificates must be submitted by local bidders. A margin of preference for eligible national contractors will not be applied. Additional details are provided in the bidding documents.

A complete set of bidding documents, in English, may be obtained by interested bidders on the submission of a written application to first address below and upon payment of a non-refundable fee of G\$ 20,000. The method of payment will be Manager's check or cash in favor of the Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Public Works and Communications. Payments must be made at the Central Accounting Unit of the aforementioned Ministry. In the case of overseas bidders, the cost per set of bidding documents is US\$ 100, and information to effect payment will be given to such interested bidders. The bidding documents will be sent by courier in the case of overseas bidders and can be collected by hand at the same address in case of local bidders.

All bids must be accompanied by a security of US\$ 40,000 or its equivalent in a freely convertible currency and be delivered to the second address below at or before 0900 hours on Tuesday, 20 November 2007. Electronic bidding will not be permitted. Late bids will be rejected. Bids will be opened immediately thereafter, in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend in person, at the second address below.

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