

TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO
HEALTH SECTOR REFORM PROGRAMME
Sector: Construction
CONSTRUCTION OF THE NEW POINT FORTIN DISTRICT HOSPITAL
Loan No. 937/OC-TT
Prequalification Notice

The Government of Trinidad and Tobago (GORTT) has received funds from the Inter-American Development Bank (IDB) to partially finance its Health Sector Reform Programme. It is intended that part of the proceeds of this financing (the other part through direct GORTT funds) will be applied to the provision of contracting services for the construction of the new district hospital in Point Fortin, Trinidad.

The South West Regional Health Authority (the Employer) now invites interested contractors (hereinafter called the "Contractor or Bidder") to present their respective proposals in sealed envelopes, with proof of their legal, technical and financial capacity. The intention is to short list eligible and qualified contractors based on set evaluation criteria, for the construction of the new hospital in Point Fortin.

This invitation is open to local and foreign companies/consortiums and/or joint ventures between local and foreign companies. Only contracting firms/teams from IDB member countries will be considered. Eligibility with respect to nationality will be determined in accordance with the applicable rules of the IDB.

Interested parties may obtain further information, including eligibility to participate and may inspect the prequalification documents at the address below.

A complete set of prequalification documents may be obtained by interested parties upon payment of a non-refundable fee of \$TT 150 or \$US 25, payable at the address below, by cash or certified cheque. It will not be necessary to make the request in person to receive a complete set of the prequalification documents, since these can be sent by mail.

Prequalification documents must be received in the office mentioned below on or before 1200 hours (local time) on Wednesday, 16 March 2005. It will not be necessary to submit statements of interest in person, since they may be sent by mail. However, the Employer is not responsible for documents not received thereof on or before the time and date specified for reception of proposals, in which case they will be rejected and returned unopened.

Prequalification submissions will be opened at a public ceremony in the presence of those representatives of firms who choose to attend, at 1330 hours on Wednesday, 16 March 2005 at the same address.

Interested parties are asked to submit proposals responsive to the prequalification documents and in the form, number of copies and properly addressed as detailed in the said documents.

South West Regional Health Authority

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