

INVITATION TO TENDER

Morupule Coal Mine (MCM) is a mining company established in 1973 to mine and transform coal into energy for Botswana. The MCM business is at the heart of a prosperous future for Botswana and coal production contributes significantly to the economic development of Botswana. Morupule Coal Mine is owned by the Government of Botswana through the Minerals Development Company Botswana (MDCB).

Morupule Coal Mine is located 14 km northwest of the urbanized village of Palapye (the fastest growing center outside the capital city of Gaborone), along the Serowe-Palapye national highway (A14) Road. The company's vision, is "To be a partner of choice in the global coal transition"

MCM invites well established, experienced Botswana registered construction companies to tender for the following:

Construction of Type D & E Houses Project for Morupule Coal Mine in Palapye, Tender No. M0700-PMO-0008-00-00-CF

The project aims to construct and deliver type D & E houses for the mine by the end of this year or early next year. The works tendered for covers: civil works, building works, electrical & mechanical works and associated services. Only contractors who can demonstrate the following are invited to tender:

- Prior experience in delivering projects of similar nature with a total value of BWPI5 million and above.
- Registered at the equivalent of PPADB Grades D and higher for Civils and Earthworks or Morupule Coal Mine Grade 5 & 6
- The company must have experience in raft foundations, bulk earthworks and commercial management of specialist subcontractors.
- The company must have 100% citizen ownership.
- Valid and current BURS tax clearance certificate.

Tender **documents link**, will be shared with the Tenderer upon receiving proof of payment of a non-refundable fee of **BWPI 000.00** only on or before **06 February 2023**.

Payments may be made in cash or by Electronic Funds Transfer to:

Account Name: Morupule Coal Mine;

Bank Name: Stanbic Bank;

Account N^o: 9060001295360

Branch: Fairgrounds Swift Code: SBICBWGX.

REF: "Your Company Name"- "Tender No. M0700-PMO-0008-00-00-CF"

Site Visit

It is a pre-requisite of this tender that bidders attend a site visit in order to familiarize themselves with the site, the scope of the services and the environmental conditions under which the services are to be performed.

The site visit shall take place on **07 February 2023 at 0900hours**. Representatives attending the site visit are required to arrange their own transport, accommodation and protective clothing, i.e. hard hat, steel-toed boots, reflective vest, trousers and long sleeved shirts.

Submission:

Tenderers are required to submit **one original and an Electronic Copy (USB or Compact Disks)** of the tender to;

The Tender Box
Morupule Coal Mine
Security Office
Along Palapye/Serowe Road (A14)
Palapye, Botswana

Tenders are to be submitted in sealed envelopes marked:

Construction of Type D & E Houses Project at Morupule Coal Mine, Palapye, **Tender No. M700-0008-00-00-CF**

The closing date for the receipt of tender submissions shall be **02 March 2023 at 12:00 noon**. Tenders received after the closing date and time will not be considered.

Telegraphic, telephonic, telex, facsimile or emailed submissions will also not be considered. Morupule Coal Mine reserves the right to reject or accept any submission and does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any portion of any tender. Acceptance thereof is not binding on the company until confirmed through official notification. The services pertaining to this tender shall be run under Morupule Coal Mine General Conditions of Service, details of which are in the tender documents. Enquiries relating to this tender must be addressed to: **The Contracts Manager**, at e-mail: mtema@mcm.co.bw or Tel: +267 494 1343.