



Invitation to Tender

No SW/1/2018

The Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan

Jordan Valley Authority (JVA)

Consulting Services for Environmental Impact Assessment Study for Aqaba- Amman Water Desalination and Conveyance (“AAWC”) Project

1. The Ministry of Water and Irrigation / Jordan Valley Authority (MWI/JVA) of the Government of Jordan requires the services of an **Independent Local Jordanian Qualified Consulting Firms** classified as First Grade in: Water and Environment, or **Environment** as per the Ministry of Public Works and Housing Government Tenders Department (GTD) classification system, and they shall associate themselves in any form of association including Joint Venture with International Firms specializes in performing marine studies, in accordance with the ToR requirements , and any other services to be agreed between the association members to conduct and prepare the Environmental and Social Impact Assessment Study for Aqaba-Amman Water Desalination and Conveyance Project. The structure and content of the ESIA shall be consistent with applicable requirements in the United States Agency for International Development (USAID) 22 CFR 216 Agency Environmental Procedures and the Ministry of Environment (MoE) of the Government of Jordan (GoJ) ESIA Regulation No. 37 of 2005 for a "Comprehensive ESIA" for Category 1 projects.
2. Project Tentative Schedule:

19 February- 4 March/ 2018	Purchase of tender documents.
23 March/ 2018	Deadline to receive clarification requests from bidders, 12:00 p.m, Jordan Local Time.
5 April/ 2018	Final Submission Date: 2 weeks after 11 March/ 2018.

3. Tenderers shall submit signed authorization letter to receive the ToR tender documents.
4. Any question, communication or request for additional information concerning this Call for Tenders are only permitted in writing to the PEA and up to two weeks before the deadline for the submission of the proposals.
5. Tenders should be submitted in sealed envelopes, delivered to the address in the tender document before **5 April, 2018 14:00 p.m** (Submission Deadline), and be clearly marked **“Consulting Services for Environmental and Social Impact Assessment Study for Aqaba-Amman Water Desalination and Conveyance Project.**

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