



GOVERNMENT OF THE KINGDOM OF SWAZILAND

MANZINI TO MBADLANE (MR3) HIGHWAY PROJECT (LOT 1)

GENERAL PROCUREMENT NOTICE

1. The Government of the Kingdom of Swaziland has received a loan from the African Development Bank to finance the Manzini to Mbadlane (MR3) Highway Project.
2. The principal objectives of this project are to improve regional interconnectivity thus improve efficiency within the trade value-chain, particularly on exports, to increase trade flow and generate revenue for the country and thus reduce poverty as well as reducing vehicle operating cost on the route and improve mobility.
3. The project includes the following components: (i) Civil Works, Consultancy Services, Implementation of ESMP, Community Feeder Roads, Axle Load Control and Technical Assistance Services.
4. Procurement of goods and/or works will be in accordance with the Bank's Rules and Procedures for the Procurement of Goods and Works dated May 2008, Revised July 2012. Acquisition of the services of Consultants will follow the Bank's Rules and Procedures for the Use of Consultants, dated May 2008, Revised July 2012. Bidding documents are expected to be available in June 2015
 - Procurement of civil works which includes: (i) construction and upgrade of new and existing carriage way respectively and all associated infrastructure, utilities and services; (ii) implementation of environmental and social measures; and (iii) construction of weighbridge and implementation of axle load control measures shall be carried out under International Competitive Bidding (ICB) using the Bank's Standard Bidding Documents.
 - Recruitment of Consultants for pre-construction services and supervision shall be done through Quality and Cost Based Selection (QCBS). Technical, financial, and road safety audit services will be procured through national shortlist using Least Cost Selection (LCS) method
5. Interested bidders may obtain further information, and should confirm their interest, by contacting :

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