

**SPECIFIC PROCUREMENT  
VOLTA RIVER AUTHORITY  
INVITATION TO TENDER**

Contract Name: **REPLACEMENT OF ASBESTOS CEMENT PIPES WITH HDPE PIPES IN AKOSOMBO  
WATER SUPPLY DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM**

Contract N<sup>o</sup>: **GR/VRA/WK/0040/2018**

1. Volta River Authority (VRA) of the Republic of Ghana intends to apply part of its budgetary allocation to fund eligible payments under the Replacement of Asbestos Pipes to HDPE pipes in its water distribution network in Akosombo in the Eastern Region of Ghana

The scope of the works comprises the Replacement of asbestos pipes in the water distribution pipe network within Akosombo Community "Two" by excavating approximately 1.5m deep 2800m trench and laying HDPE pipes including supply and installation of valves, pipe fittings and other accessories.

2. The Volta River Authority invites sealed tenders from eligible Contractors who have registered with the Ministry of Works and Housing and with a minimum financial classification certificate of K2 or G2 and can demonstrate experience of having executed similar projects.

The total estimated period for the completion of the project is **Eight (8) Months**.

3. Tendering will be conducted through the National Competitive Tendering procedures specified in the Public Procurement Act, 2003 (Act 663) and the Public Procurement (Amendment) Act, 2016 (Act 914) and is open to all tenderers as defined in the Guidelines of the Public Procurement Authority of the Republic of Ghana.
4. Interested eligible Tenderers may obtain the Tendering Document and further information and inspect the tendering documents at the address below during office hours from **09:00 to 15:00 hours GMT** each working day from **June 18, 2018 to July 12, 2018**.

The Director,  
Engineering Services Department,  
P.O. Box 77,  
Akuse - Eastern Region  
  
Tel: 0302 664941-9 Ext. 723216  
E-mail: [dengsd@vra.com](mailto:dengsd@vra.com); [sesd@vra.com](mailto:sesd@vra.com)

5. A complete set of Tender document in English may be purchased at the office of the address stated above for a non-refundable fee of **Three Hundred Ghana Cedis (GH¢300.00)** in cash or certified cheque in the name of Volta River Authority. Tender Documents shall be available from **June 18, 2018 to July 12, 2018**.
6. Tenders shall be completed, sealed and marked "**TENDER – REPLACEMENT OF ASBESTOS PIPES TO HDPE PIPES IN AKOSOMBO WATER SUPPLY DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM**", addressed to the Chief Executive, Volta River Authority, P. O. Box MB 77, Accra, Ghana and **delivered to the Engineering Services Department Conference Room, VRA – Akuse, in the Eastern Region on July 12, 2018** by 13:00hours GMT.
7. Tenders shall be valid up to **180 days** after the deadline of Tender submission. All tenders must be accompanied by a tender security of **Thirty-Five Thousand Ghana Cedis (GHS35,000.00)**. The tender security shall remain valid for **28 days** after the validity of Tenders.
8. A site visit shall be held on **June 28, 2018** for all interested Tenderers. Tenderers who wish to visit the project site, at their own cost, are required to meet at VRA's Real Estate Office in Akosombo in the Eastern Region at **11:00am on June 28, 2018**.
9. Tenders will be opened in the presence of representatives of Tenderers who choose to attend at the Engineering Services Department Conference Room, VRA - Akuse in the Eastern Region immediately after 13:00hours GMT on **July 12, 2018**.

**Late submissions will be rejected.**

