

## CALL FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI) CONSTRUCTION OF PRECAST HOUSING UNITS FOR VULNERABLE HOUSEHOLDS IN THE ISLAND OF MAURITIUS

### **A. Expression of Interest (EOI)**

The National Empowerment Foundation (NEF), operating within the policy framework of the Ministry of Social Integration and Economic Empowerment, executes programmes / projects in favour of vulnerable groups.

In this respect, the NEF is looking for Manufacturers, Suppliers, Contractors or Joint Ventures having the necessary experience, technical knowhow and resources in the construction of precast housing units, in reinforced concrete or any alternatives, with all amenities.

A housing unit shall consist of a living/dining room, two (2) bedrooms, a kitchen, one toilet and bathroom; all complete with finishes, paintings, openings, electrical works and fittings, plumbing works and sanitary appliances. The siteworks will consist of construction of appropriate discharging systems (such as septic tanks, absorption pits, soakaways, grease traps, catchpits, connection to the wastewater network where applicable, etc) for discharge of waste water and rainwater.

The net floor area of the housing units will be 50 m<sup>2</sup> (approx. 136 units) and 40 m<sup>2</sup> (approx. 05 units). The housing units are scattered all over the island.

### **B. Submission of EOI**

Interested Manufacturers, Suppliers, Contractors or Joint Ventures are invited to express their interest by providing the following information:

- Name of Company/ Joint Venture, Postal Address, Email address/ Website, Telephone & Fax details, Place and year of registration/ incorporation, principal place of business and name and nationality of owners;
- Organizational profile detailing management and key members and site personnel;
- Experience in Construction Works for last five (05) years and monetary value of construction works;
- Specific experience and demonstration of technical capability in projects of similar nature and complexity (precast construction) undertaken over the last ten (10) years with testimonials from Client / Architect/ Engineer or Quantity Surveyor who supervised the works; and
- Technical brochure and specifications for precast units.

The EOI, in a sealed envelope, should obligatorily be deposited in the Bid Box of the **National Empowerment Foundation** at the address indicated below on or before **Friday 19 August 2016 at 13.30 hrs (local time) at latest**. The envelope should be clearly marked "**Proposal For Construction of Precast Housing Units**".

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Late submissions shall not be accepted and shall be rejected. Electronic submissions are not permitted.

The National Empowerment Foundation reserves the right to cancel this process prior to contract award without thereby incurring any liability to bidders.

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