

JAMAICA SOCIAL INVESTMENT FUND

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“INVESTING FOR COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT”

INVITATIONS FOR BIDS (IFB)

EMERGENCY RECOVERY PROJECT

Loan # 4878-JM

Bid No. 3758

CROFTS HILL BASIC SCHOOL – HURRICANE DEAN – CLARENDON (#71896)

The Government of Jamaica has received a loan from the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development toward the cost of the **HURRICANE DEAN EMERGENCY RECOVERY LOAN PROJECT**, and it intends to apply part of the proceeds of this loan to payments under the following Contract:

The Jamaica Social Investment Fund now invites sealed bids from eligible and qualified bidders for **Crofts Hill Basic School – Hurricane Dean in Clarendon**. The project involves demolition and alteration works; extension of existing classroom; construction of a new sanitation block; painting existing and new walls and installation of a new security fence. Provision of play area. The delivery/construction period is **three (3) months**.

FLUCTUATIONS IN INPUT COSTS NOT APPLICABLE.

All Bidders must be registered with the National Contracts Commission (NCC) at the time of bid opening in the category “**Building Construction**” in **Grade 4 or higher Grades**. (See www.ocg.gov.jm).

Bidding will be conducted in accordance with the World Bank’s tender procedures and guidelines specified in the World Bank’s *Guidelines: Procurement under IBRD Loans and IDA Credits*, and in accordance with the Selective Tendering (Local Advertising) procedures and guidelines specified in the Government of Jamaica Handbook of Public Sector Procurement Procedures (November 2008), National Contracts Commission, Sub-Section No. S-2040.

A complete set of Bidding Documents in English may be collected by interested bidders in printed copy or compact disc. **All bids must be submitted in printed copy.**

Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from:

*The Project Manager – Hurricane Dean
Jamaica Social Investment Fund
Second Floor
1c – 1f Pawsey Road
Kingston 5, Jamaica
Phone: 876-968-4545, e-mail: contracting@jsif.org*

All Bidders must be tax compliant at bid opening. **The original Tax Compliance Certificate (TCC) must be presented at the bid opening or within two (2) days of the bid opening.**

Bid Collection period is **Monday, May 11, 2009 to Monday, June 1, 2009 from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.** Bids must be delivered to the address below at or before **Tuesday, June 2, 2009 at 12:00 noon**. Electronic bidding **shall not** be permitted. Late bids will be rejected. Bids will be opened physically on **Tuesday, June 2, 2009 at 12:05** in the presence of the bidders’ representatives who choose to attend in person at the address below at **12:05 p.m.**

The Distribution of Bidding Document Form can be down loaded from our website at http://www.jsif.org/jsif_bids.asp

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