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Invitations for Bids (IFB)

TROPICAL STORM GUSTAV - EMERGENCY RECOVERY PROJECT

Grant # TF097314-JM

**LABYRINTH PRIMARY SCHOOL REFURBISHING - TS GUSTAV – ST. MARY
(072521)**

Bid No. 4348

1. The European Union (EU) through the Global Fund for Disaster Reduction and Recovery (GFDRR) has provided grant funds to the Government of Jamaica for the implementation of the Tropical Storm Gustav – Emergency Recovery Project. The project will be administered by the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development (IBRD). Proceeds of this grant will be applied to cover payments under the following contract.

Jamaica Social Investment Fund now invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for the proposed **Labyrinth Primary School Refurbishing - TS Gustav in St. Mary**. The works involve rehabilitation of roof, multi-purpose court and drive way; wall and floor repairs. Installation of fixtures and fencing with toe wall. Construction of heat resistant container resource room. Expansion of school’s poultry/layer house. The construction period is **Three (3) Months**.

All national bidders must be registered with the National Contracts Commission (NCC) in the category **“Building Construction ” in Grade 3 or higher grades**.

Bids **shall** be accompanied by a Bid Security in the amount of **Two Hundred and Seven Thousand Dollars (\$207,000.00)**.

3. Bidding will be conducted in accordance with tender procedures and guidelines specified in the Government of Jamaica Handbook of Public Sector Procurement Procedures (Revised October 2010), Volume 2 of 4 Procedures for the Procurement of Goods, General Services & Works.

4. Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from:

General Manager – Finance and Procurement

Jamaica Social Investment Fund

Second Floor

1c – 1f Pawsey Road

Kingston 5, Jamaica

Phone: 876-968-4545, e-mail: contracting@jsif.org and inspect the Bidding Documents.

Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from and inspect the bidding documents at the Jamaica Social Investment Fund at the address below from **8:30 a.m. to 4:45 p.m.** Bid collection period **Wednesday, March 30, 2011 to Wednesday, April 13, 2011.** A complete set of bidding documents in English may be purchased by interested bidders on the submission of a written Application to the address below and upon payment of a non-refundable fee of **Two Thousand Five Hundred Jamaican Dollars (JMD2,500.00)** for printed copy or **Five Hundred Jamaican Dollars (JMD500.00)** for Compact Disc (CD) in cash or certified cheque made payable to the Jamaica Social Investment Fund. **All bids must be submitted in printed copy. Original and Copy of the bid must be submitted in accordance with Instruction to Bidders.**

6. 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.**

7. Bids must be delivered to the address below by **12:00 noon on Thursday, April 14, 2011.** Late bids will be rejected. Bids will be opened in the presence of bidders' representatives who choose to attend at the address below at **12:05 p.m. on Thursday, April 14, 2011.**

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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