



JAMAICA SOCIAL INVESTMENT FUND

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“INVESTING FOR COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT”

Invitation for Bids (IFB)

Grant No. 2012/297-267

1. The European Union (EU) through the 10th European Development Fund (EDF) and the Government of Jamaica (GoJ) jointly funds the Poverty Reduction Programme (PRP). The Jamaica Social Investment fund (JSIF) is the implementing agency for the PRP. The purpose of the programme is the improvement in socio-economic conditions and quality of life in communities with emphasis on the promotion of community safety and the reduction of criminal behaviour in volatile and vulnerable communities. Specifically, the PRP will improve the living conditions of the poor by providing access to quality basic infrastructure and services.

The Government of Jamaica intends to apply part of the proceeds of this grant to cover payments under the following contracts:

HOLY FAMILY INFANT SCHOOL REHABILITATION – KINGSTON (#073340).

Bid No. 6433

The Jamaica Social Investment Fund now invites sealed bids from eligible and qualified bidders for the proposed **Holy Family Infant School Rehabilitation – Kingston**. The scope of works involves the installation of a suspended ceiling, demolition of breeder blocks, concrete block works, installation of windows and doors, termite treatment, electrical rehabilitation, renovation of bathroom block, construction of play area, general painting, provision of outside learning area/green space and the construction of concrete wheel chair ramps. *Construction period is three (3) months.*

All national 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**. (See www.ncc.gov.jm).

CENTRAL BRANCH ALL AGE SCHOOL SANITATION – ST. ANDREW (#073341)

Bid No. 6427

The Jamaica Social Investment Fund now invites sealed bids from eligible and qualified bidders for the proposed **Central Branch All Age School Sanitation – St. Andrew**. The scope of works involves the rehabilitation of existing bathroom block, construction of garbage collection enclosure, installation of chain link fencing, construction of tank base and supply and connection of water tanks, construction of landscaped walkway and the demolition of a partially demolished building and general clearing of a section of the site. *Construction period is three (3) months.*

All national 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**. (See www.ncc.gov.jm).

OSBOURNE STORE PRIMARY SCHOOL REHABILITATION – CLARENDON (#073307)

Bid No. 6425

The Jamaica Social Investment Fund now invites sealed bids from eligible and qualified bidders for the proposed **Osbourne Store Primary School Rehabilitation – Clarendon**. The scope of works include but

is not limited to repairs to Block C roof covering, ceiling and floor to be fixed, rehabilitation of electrical works to include installation of adequate lightening arresters, partitioning of classrooms and internal and external painting. Blocks A, B and C and bathroom units to be retrofitted with wheel chair ramps and one stall in each bathroom to be retrofitted for wheelchair accessibility. **Construction period is three (3) months.**

All national Bidders must be registered with the National Contracts Commission (NCC) at the time of bid opening in the category “**Building Construction**” in **Grade 2 or higher**. (See www.ocg.gov.jm).

Bids **shall** be accompanied by a Bid Security in the amount of **One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000.00)**.

FRANKLYN TOWN PRIMARY SCHOOL REHABILITATION – KINGSTON (#073287)

Bid No. 6437

The Jamaica Social Investment Fund now invites sealed bids from eligible and qualified bidders for the proposed **Franklyn Town Primary School Rehabilitation – Kingston**. The scope of works involves removal and re-construction of the existing timber roofs, demolition and re-construction of the kitchen to include eating area, construction of wheel chair ramps, rehabilitation of the bathroom block, electrical re-wiring, partitioning of the classrooms and painting of the facility. **Construction period is three (3) months.**

All national Bidders must be registered with the National Contracts Commission (NCC) at the time of bid opening in the category “**Building Construction**” in **Grade 2 or higher**. (See www.ocg.gov.jm).

Bids **shall** be accompanied by a Bid Security in the amount of **One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000.00)**.

BARRETT TOWN ALL-AGE SCHOOL EXPANSION – ST. JAMES (#073282)

Bid No . 6428

The Jamaica Social Investment Fund now invites sealed bids from eligible and qualified bidders for the proposed **Barrett Town All-Age School Expansion**. The scope of works includes but is not limited to the demolition and construction of a new 4-classroom block with an administrative area, a kitchen and 2 student bathrooms. Works also includes installation of a 70m chain-link perimeter fence. **Construction period is three (3) months.**

All national Bidders must be tax compliant at bid opening and a valid **Tax Compliance Certificate (TCC)** and proof of registration with the **National Contracts Commission (NCC)** in the category “**Building Construction**” in **Grade 2 or higher** must be submitted with their bid at the time of bid opening. (See www.ncc.gov.jm).

Bids **shall** be accompanied by a Bid Security in the amount of **One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000.00)**.

2. Bidding will be conducted in accordance with tender procedures and guidelines specified in the Grant Contract **2012/297-267** External Actions of the European Community – Annex ii: Contract Award Procedures of the European Community and Handbook of Public Sector Procurement Procedures (Revised March 2014), volume 2 of 4 procedures for the Procurement of Goods, General Services & Works.

3. Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from:

General Manager, Finance and Procurement

Jamaica Social Investment Fund

Ground Floor, The Dorchester

11 Oxford Road

Kingston 5, Jamaica

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

4. 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.** during the Bid collection period **Wednesday, May 13, 2015 to Wednesday, May 27, 2015**. 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 (J\$2, 500.00)** for printed copy or **Five Hundred Jamaican Dollars (J\$500.00)** 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

5. Bids must be delivered to the address below by **12:00 noon on Thursday, May 28, 2015**. Late bids will be rejected. Bids will be opened in the presence of bidders' representatives who choose to attend at the address below on **Thursday, May 28, 2015 at 12:05pm**

The Distribution of Bidding Document Form can be down loaded from our website at http://www.jamaicasif.org/sites/default/files/Distribution_of_Bidding_Documents_Form.pdf

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