



JAMAICA SOCIAL INVESTMENT FUND

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“INVESTING FOR COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT”

Invitation for Bids (IFB)

Grant No. 4

The Jamaica Social Investment Fund (JSIF) was established in 1996 as a component of the Government of Jamaica's strategy to reduce poverty. The Fund promotes, appraises, finances and supervises social and economic infrastructure projects, including schools, roads, agro-processing, water, sanitation, health centres, community centres, homes for children and the elderly, as well as, vocational skills training, counselling, parenting, life education and organizational strengthening.

The Government of Jamaica has received a grant from the **PETROCARIBE DEVELOPMENT FUND (PDF)** and it intends to apply part of the proceeds of this grant to cover payments under the following Contract:

PETROCARIBE DEVELOPMENT FUND GLENMUIR HIGH SCHOOL PHOTOVOLTAIC SYSTEM

The Jamaica Social Investment Fund now invites sealed bids from eligible and qualified bidders for the **PetroCaribe Development Fund – Glenmuir High School Photovoltaic System (Bid #)**. The works include but is not limited to the Design, Supply, Installation and Commissioning of a suitably designed, sized and scaled Photovoltaic System (inclusive of twenty-four (24) months maintenance) at the Glenmuir High School in the Parish of Clarendon. *The contract period is three (3) months.*

1. 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 “**Photovoltaic & Wind Powered Systems**” and/or “**Renewable Energy Systems**”, and must be submitted with their bid at the time of bid opening. (See www.ncc.gov.jm).
2. Bidding will be conducted through the National Competitive Bidding (NCB) procedures specified in the Government of Jamaica 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:
*Procurement Manager
Jamaica Social Investment Fund
Ground Floor, The Dorchester
11 Oxford Road, Kingston 5, Jamaica
Phone: 876-968-4545, e-mail: contracting@jsif.org*
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 **Thursday, August 2, 2018 at 8:30am to Wednesday, August 29, 2018 at 11:00 a.m.** 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 Dollars (J\$2,500.00)** for printed copy 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 Wednesday, August 29, 2018**. Late bids will be rejected. Bids will be opened in the presence of bidders' representatives who choose to attend at the address below at **12:10 p.m. on Wednesday, August 29, 2018**.

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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