

SPECIFIC PROCUREMENT NOTICE

Invitation for Prequalification

Republic of Moldova Road Sector Program Support Project

Road Rehabilitation Works under the Contract RSPSP/W03/01: Rehabilitation of M2 Chisinau-Sorooca road km 5+733 – km 26+200

This invitation for prequalification follows the General Procurement Notice that appeared in the Supplement to the Official Journal of European Union (OJ/S) No. 218 on November 10, 2010.

The Government of the Republic of Moldova has received financing from the European Investment Bank towards the cost of the Moldova Road Sector Program Support Project and intends to apply the proceeds to payments for road rehabilitation works under the **Contract RSPSP/W03/01: Rehabilitation of M2 Chisinau-Sorooca road km 5+733 – km 26+200**.

The works in the contract will comprise Asphaltic Concrete overlays laid over existing surfacing which will require reshaping by milling off high spots and laying regulating courses to low areas. Additional preparatory works will be required in some areas to deal with heavy cracking in the existing asphalt pavements. In addition to the overlay and pavement reconstruction works there will be a limited amount of minor reparation works to shoulders, side drainage and to structures.

The State Road Administration intends to prequalify contractors for this road rehabilitation Contract. The prequalified applicants will be invited to bid for the contract according to the evaluation of the prequalification application. It is expected that Invitations for Bid will be issued in June 2011.

Prequalification document and the bid documents will be conducted through prequalification procedures specified in the World Bank's Guidelines: Procurement under IBRD Loans and IDA Credits, May 2004 (revised October 2006 and May 2010), with the format and text of Standard Bidding Documents.

A complete set of the prequalification documents in English may be obtained free of charge:

(i) on the official website of the State Road Administration at the following link:

[www.asd.md/ENG/docs/Prequalification Document RSPSP-2011- PQ01.pdf](http://www.asd.md/ENG/docs/Prequalification_Document_RSPSP-2011-PQ01.pdf)

(ii) via e-mail on submission of a request at the address below; and

(iii) in electronic format.

Interested eligible applicants may obtain further information and inspect the prequalification document at the address below during office hours from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. (local time).

Applications for prequalification should be submitted in sealed envelopes, delivered on or before April 21, 2011 at 10:00 a.m. (local time), and must be clearly marked "ICB No.: RSPSP/2011/ICB01: Road Rehabilitation Works under the Contract RSPSP/W03/01".

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