**INVITATION FOR TENDERS**

**Ukraine**

**Horishni Plavni District Heating Project - Energy Efficiency Improvement of the District Heating system in Horishni Plavni**

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***Gas Boilers and Auxiliary Equipment***

This Invitation for Tenders follows the General Procurement Notice for this project which was published on the NEFCO website, Procurement Notices section ***(http://www.nefco.org/how\_to\_work/procurement\_notices)*** on July 12, 2018.

Communal Production Enterprise “Teploenergo” of Town Horishni Plavni hereinafter referred to as “the Employer”, intends to use part of the proceeds of a loan from the Nordic Environment Finance Corporation (the NEFCO) towards the cost of Horishni Plavni District Heating Project - Energy Efficiency Improvement of the District Heating system in Horishni Plavni. The project is co-financed with the Е5Р\* Fund.

The Employer now invites sealed tenders from Contractors for the following contract to be funded from part of the proceeds of the loan:

**Gas Boilers and Auxiliary Equipment** – The contract is divided into two phases as follows:

**Phase 1** including

* installation, testing, pre-commissioning and commissioning of one already purchased 30MW gas boiler with auxiliary equipment,
* supply, installation, testing, pre-commissioning and commissioning of one boiler’s chimney, 2 heat exchangers of 30 MW each, one boiler circulation pump, chemical water purification system for the already purchased boiler.

**Phase 2** including

* design works, supply of the equipment and materials, installation, testing, pre-commissioning and commissioning of main and auxiliary boiler house equipment including two (2) new 30 MW capacity gas boilers with burners, two (2) boiler’s chimneys, two (2) heat exchangers of 30 MW each, five (5) circulation high-voltage pumps, two (2) boiler circulation pumps, and supply and installation of all auxiliary equipment that including internal boiler house system of pipes and valves.

All deliveries and installations will be performed in the existing main boiler house at 31 Energetykiv str. in Horishni Plavni. Both phases are included in the contract to be performed by a successful Tenderer.

**Civil works** - including renovation of walls, floors and installation works.

Tendering for contracts that are to be financed with the proceeds of a loan from the NEFCO is open to firms from any country.

To be qualified for the award of a contract, tenderers must satisfy the following minimum criteria:

* Tenderers shall not having conflicts of interests.
* The Tender’s average annual turnover over the last 5(five) years exceeded EURO 8,900,000 (eight million nine hundred thousand) or equivalent. In case of tender submitted by JVCA, the leading partner should demonstrate at least 50% compliance with the requirement.
* The Tenderer shall demonstrate that it has access to, or has available, liquid assets, unencumbered real assets, lines of credit, and other financial means sufficient to meet the production cash flow for the contract estimated as not less than EURO 1,110,000 (one million one hundred and ten thousand) equivalent, taking into account the Tenderer's commitments for other contracts.
* Experience as Contractor, in at least 3 (three) contracts for boiler house rehabilitation or construction works of a nature and complexity comparable to the proposed contract within the last 5 (five) years, that have been successfully completed and that are similar to the proposed Plant.
* The Tenderer, shall have successful experience as prime contractor or subcontractor of supply and installation least one 30 MW fire-tube gas boiler and two at least 20 MW fire-tube gas boilers in the countries with similar climatic conditions over a five years period ending on the deadline for tender submission, having been in successful operation at least for 1 (one) year prior to submission of the tender. Relevant references shall be provided.

A two stage tender procedure will be adopted and will proceed as follows:

(a) the First Stage tender will consist of a technical proposal only, without any reference to prices. Following evaluation by the Employer of the First Stage tenders, the Employer will invite each tenderer who meets the qualification criteria and who has submitted a technically responsive tender to a clarification meeting. The proposals of all such tenderers will be reviewed at the meeting and all required amendments, additions, deletions and other adjustments will be noted and recorded in a Memorandum. Only qualified tenderers submitting a technically responsive and acceptable First Stage tender will be invited to submit a Second Stage tender.

(b) the Second Stage tender will consist of an updated technical tender incorporating all changes required by the Employer as recorded in the Memorandum to the clarification meeting or as necessary to reflect any amendments to the tender documents issued subsequent to submission of the First Stage tender; and the commercial tender

The Contract is planned to be completed within 9 (nine) months after the effective date.

Tender documents may be obtained from the office at the address below upon payment of a non-refundable fee of EURO 200 (two hundred) or equivalent in a convertible currency.

The method of payment will be direct deposit to any of the specified account numbers for respective currency:

For payments in EUR:

Account number (EUR) – 26000924417384

Beneficiary’s bank: PUBLІC JOІNT-STOCK COMPANY JOІNT STOCK BANK “UKRGASBANK” KIEV, UKRAINE;

SWIFT: UGASUAUK;

Correspondent Bank: Commerzbank AG FRANKFURT AM MAIN, Germany

SWIFT: COBADEFF

Correspondent account: 4008864332 01.

Beneficiary: COMMUNAL PRODUCTION ENTERPRISE "TEPLOENERGO" OF TOWN HORISHNI PLAVNI

Name in Cyrillic: Комунальне виробниче підприємство «Теплоенерго» м.Горішні Плавні»

For payments in UAH:

Комунальне виробниче підприємство «Теплоенерго» м.Горішні Плавні»

ЄДРПОУ 13940851

Р/р 26000924417384 в ПАТ Акціонерний банк «Укргазбанк»

МФО 320478

Адреса: 39800, м. Горішні Плавні, Полтавська область, вул.Молодіжна,8, другий поверх, приймальня.

Before payment the tenderers must send a scanned copy of the signed official request for the tender documents receipt. This request must include the full Name of the Tenderer, its requisites, the address where the tender documents must be delivered to and the name of the tender.

Upon receiving appropriate evidence of payment of the non-refundable fee/, the documents will be promptly dispatched electronically in PDF and MS format, however, no liability can be accepted for their non-delivery or late delivery. In case of discrepancies between the PDF and Word versions of the document, the PDF version shall prevail.

All Second Stage tenders must be accompanied by a Tender Security of EURO 33,000 (thirty three thousand Euro) or equivalent in Ukrainian Hryvna at the rate of the National Bank of Ukraine on the date of the Tender Security issue, and must be delivered to the address below on or before the time and date of the submission deadline specified in the Letter of Invitation to submit Second Stage tenders, at which time they will be opened in the presence of the tenderers’ representatives who wish to attend.

A pre-tender meeting / site visit will be held at 10:00 a.m. local time, on September 04, 2018, at the below address.

All requests for clarification must be received by the Employer till September 11 , 2018, 17:00 a.m.

Please, note that it is not allowed to send the requests for clarification after the deadline.

First Stage tenders must be delivered to the office at the address below on or before 11:00 a.m., on October 09, 2018, at which time they will be opened in the presence of those tenderers’ representatives who choose to attend. Late Tenders will be rejected.

A register of potential tenderers who have purchased the tender documents may be inspected at the address below.

Prospective tenderers may obtain further information from, and also inspect and acquire the tender documents at, the following office:

Contact person: Mr. Pavlo Snizhko

Employer’s entity: Communal Production Enterprise “Teploenergo” of Town Horishni Plavni

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\*The Eastern Europe Energy Efficiency and Environment Partnership (E5P) is a €180 million multi-donor fund managed by the EBRD and designed to promote energy efficiency investments in Ukraine and other eastern European countries. The fund was established under an initiative of the Swedish government during its presidency of the European Union (EU) in 2009. E5P complements energy efficiency loans provided by financial institutions including the European Bank for Reconstruction and Development, the European Investment Bank, KfW, NEFCO and the World Bank Group. Contributors to E5P are the EU and the US, as well as Denmark, Estonia, Finland, Germany, Iceland, Ireland, Latvia, Lithuania, Norway, Poland, Slovak Republic, Sweden, Switzerland and Ukraine.