



MINISTRY OF EDUCAITON

Improving Results in Secondary Education (IRISE) Project

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Notification of Intention to Award

ELITE CONTRACTORS AND GLOBAL SERVICES

For the attention of Bidder's Authorized Representative

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**DATE OF TRANSMISSION: This Notification is sent by: email on *August 2, 2022*
@10.00am local time**

Notification of Intention to Award

Employer: Ministry of Education

Project: Improving Results in Secondary Education (IRISE) Project

Contract title: Expansion of 4No. Junior High Schools to Senior High Schools in Grand Bassa-Margibi Counties (Lot 4) School

Country: Liberia

Loan No. /Credit No. / Grant No.: D5030-LR

RFB No: LR-MOE-138238-CW-RFB (Lots 1-7) [Lot 4]

This Notification of Intention to Award (Notification) notifies you of our decision to award the above contract. The transmission of this Notification begins the Standstill Period. During the Standstill Period, you may:

- a) request a debriefing in relation to the evaluation of your Bid, and/or
- b) submit a Procurement-related Complaint in relation to the decision to award the contract.

1. The successful Bidder

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| Name: | <i>ELITE CONTRACTORS AND GLOBAL SERVICES</i> |
| Address: | <u>Lynch Street, Monrovia,</u> <u>Montserrado, Liberia</u> |
| Contract price: | US\$\$662,293.84 |

2. Other Bidders

| Name of Bidder | Bid price | Evaluated Bid price (if applicable) |
|--------------------------------------|------------------|-------------------------------------|
| MASMELL ENGINEERS | US\$713,378.20 | N/A |
| INTEGRATED GROUP | US\$1,631,332.40 | N/A |
| KRISOP CONSULT LIMITED | US\$788,277.00 | N/A |
| LIDA LIBERIA LIMITED | US\$208,223.09 | N/A |
| GBOSHN ASSOCIATES | US\$622,983.03 | N/A |
| JD CONSTRUCTION | US\$662,903.84 | US\$662,903.84 |
| JEAMCO Inc | US\$654,257.18 | N/A |
| JLN | US\$662,499.84 | US\$626,016.8 |
| ASSOCIATED BUILDER | US\$682,945.11 | US\$682,945.11 |
| CHANNEL LOGISTIC | US\$680,488.80 | N/A |
| CONCRETE MENDER & MERCHANDISE INC. | US\$518,377.60 | N/A |
| DESIRE CONSTRUCTION COMPANY SERVICES | US\$1,278,009.60 | US\$693,780.40 |
| ROYAL CONSTRUCTION ENGINEERING | US\$685,352.80 | US\$685,352.80 |

3. Reason/s why your Bid was unsuccessful

| No. | Names of Bidder | Reason(s) for why Bid was unsuccessful |
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| 1. | MASMELL ENGINEERS | Bidder did not provide Bid Security and presented an expired Contractors Classification and Certification System (CCCS) Certificate from the Ministry of Public Works. |
| 2. | INTEGRATED GROUP | Bidder did not provide a Bid Security and a Valid Tax Clearance Certificate. |
| 3. | KRISOP CONSULT LIMITED | Bidder provided a Bid Bond instead of Bank Guarantee as required by ITB 19.3. |
| 4. | GBOSHN ASSOCIATES | Bidder has a major material omission from its bid as a result of failure to provide the below details: a. Site Organization b. Mobilization Schedule Construction Schedule |
| 5. | JD CONSTRUCTION | Bidder's price was not competitive. |
| 6 | JEAMCO Inc | Bidder did not provide Power of attorney and Bid Security |

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| 7 | JLN | The Bidder met all of the requirements and was substantially responsive in terms of price. However, the Bidder had been recommended for contract award for another lot and could not demonstrate sufficient capacity with respect to equipment and personnel to undertake the assignments simultaneously. |
| 8 | ASSOCIATED BUILDER | Bidder's price was not competitive. |
| 9 | CHANNEL LOGISTIC | Did not provide list of qualification forms (FIN 3.2Form EXP - 4.1, Form EXP - 4.2 (a), Form EXP - 4.(b), Form EXP - 4.2 (C). |
| 10 | CONCRETE MENDER & MERCHANDISE INC. | Bidder has a major material omission from its bid as a result of failure to provide the below details: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Site Organization b. Method Statement c. Mobilization Schedule d. Construction Schedule e. MSIP to Manage ESHS Risk f. Code of Conduct |
| 11 | DESIRE CONSTRUCTION COMPANY SERVICES | Bidder's price was not competitive. |
| 12 | ROYAL CONSTRUCTION ENGINEERING | Bidder's price was not competitive. |

4. How to request a debriefing?

DEADLINE: The deadline to request a debriefing expires at midnight on **August 4, 2022.**

You may request a debriefing in relation to the results of the evaluation of your Proposal. If you decide to request a debriefing your written request must be made within three (3) Business Days of receipt of this Notification of Intention to Award.

Provide the contract name, reference number, name of the Consultant, contact details; and address the request for debriefing as follows:

Attention: Abraham A. Kiazolu, II

Title/position: Project Coordinator, IRISE Project

Agency: Ministry of Education

Email address: procurement.irise@gmail.com/+231779062191/+231888281165

If your request for a debriefing is received within the 3 Business Days deadline, we will provide the debriefing within five (5) Business Days of receipt of your request. If we are

unable to provide the debriefing within this period, the Standstill Period shall be extended by five (5) Business Days after the date that the debriefing is provided. If this happens, we will notify you and confirm the date that the extended Standstill Period will end.

The debriefing may be in writing, by phone, video conference call or in person. We shall promptly advise you in writing how the debriefing will take place and confirm the date and time.

If the deadline to request a debriefing has expired, you may still request a debriefing. In this case, we will provide the debriefing as soon as practicable, and normally no later than fifteen (15) Business Days from the date of publication of the Contract Award Notice.

5. How to make a complaint.

DEADLINE: The deadline for submitting a Procurement-related Complaint challenging the decision to award the contract will expire on midnight, **August 15, 2022.**

Provide the contract name, reference number, name of the Bidder, contact details; and address the Procurement-related Complaint as follows:

Attention: Abraham A. Kiazolu, II

Title/position: Project Coordinator, IRISE Project

Agency: Ministry of Education

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At this point in the procurement process, you may submit a Procurement-related Complaint challenging the decision to award the contract. You do not need to have requested, or received, a debriefing before making this complaint. Your complaint must be submitted within the Standstill Period and received by us before the Standstill Period ends.

Further information:

For more information see the [Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers \(ProcurementRegulations\)\[https://policies.worldbank.org/sites/ppf3/PPFDocuments/Forms/DispPage.aspx?docid=4005\]](https://policies.worldbank.org/sites/ppf3/PPFDocuments/Forms/DispPage.aspx?docid=4005) (Annex III). You should read these provisions before preparing and submitting your complaint. In addition, the World Bank's Guidance "[How to make a Procurement-related Complaint](http://www.worldbank.org/en/projects-operations/products-and-services/brief/procurement-new-framework#framework)" [<http://www.worldbank.org/en/projects-operations/products-and-services/brief/procurement-new-framework#framework>] provides a useful explanation of the process, as well as a sample letter of complaint.

In summary, there are four essential requirements:

1. You must be an 'interested party'. In this case, that means a Bidder who submitted a Bid in this bidding process, and is the recipient of a Notification of Intention to Award.
2. The complaint can only challenge the decision to award the contract.
3. You must submit the complaint within the period stated above.
4. You must include, in your complaint, all of the information required by the Procurement Regulations (as described in Annex III).

5. Standstill Period

DEADLINE: The Standstill Period is due to end at midnight on August 15, 20022 at local time.

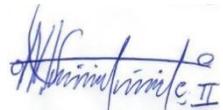
The Standstill Period lasts ten (10) Business Days after the date of transmission of this Notification of Intention to Award.

The Standstill Period may be extended as stated in Section 4 above.

If you have any questions regarding this Notification, please do not hesitate to contact us.

On behalf of the Employer:

Signature:



Name: **Abraham A. Kiaziolu, II**

Title/position: Project Coordinator, IRISE Project, Ministry of Education

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