

REPUBLIC OF MAURITIUS



ROAD DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

Invitation for Bids (IFB)

Authorised under Section 14 (2) of the Public Procurement Act 2006

Open National Bidding

Procurement Ref. No: CPB/52/2020

1. The **Road Development Authority** is inviting bids from eligible bidders of Mauritian nationals or entities incorporated in Mauritius/opened to local bidders through the Government eProcurement System for the **Construction of Verdun Bypass**. Participation is limited to citizens of Mauritius or entities incorporated in Mauritius. Joint ventures should be among entities incorporated in Mauritius.
2. Bidding documents may be downloaded from the eProcurement System <https://eproc.publicprocurement.govmu.org>. Reference Number on the system: **RDA/IFB/2020/101**.
3. Bids must be submitted online on the eProcurement System at latest by **23 February 2021 up to 13.30 (Local Time)**.
4. Bidders who have submitted bids online by the closing date and time shall decrypt and re-encrypt their bids from **23 February 2021 from 14:31 hours (Local Time) till 25 February 2021 up to 14:00 hours (Local Time)**.
5. Bids shall be accompanied by a Bid Security which should be deposited at address given at paragraph 9 below by **23 February 2021 up to 13:30 hours (Local Time)** at latest.
6. Interested bidders should register by signing up on the e-Procurement System of the Government of Mauritius on <http://eproc.publicprocurement.govmu.org> in order to participate in the bidding exercise. Guidelines to bidders on the process of bidding through e-Procurement System can be accessed on: [http://eproc.publicprocurement.govmu.org/files/masterfiles/HOW-TO-REGISTER-ON-THE E-PROCUREMENT-SYSTEM-v2.pdf](http://eproc.publicprocurement.govmu.org/files/masterfiles/HOW-TO-REGISTER-ON-THE-E-PROCUREMENT-SYSTEM-v2.pdf).
7. The e-Procurement helpdesk can be contacted for assistance and training on +(230) 201 1530 or e-mail: eprocdesk@govmu.org during weekdays between 09:00 hours (Local Time) to 16:00 hours (Local Time).
8. It is mandatory for prospective bidders to purchase a Digital Signature Certificate (DSC) from Emudhra Mauritius on www.emudhra.mu to be able to submit bids. For any queries and assistance, the customer service of Emudhra Mauritius can be contacted by e-mail at digitalcertificate@mauritiuspost.mu or call on +(230) 211 8423.
9. Bids will be opened online in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend at the address given hereunder on **25 February 2021 as from 14:01 hours (Local Time)**.

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10. The **Road Development Authority** reserves the right to accept or reject any bid and to annul the bidding process and reject all bids at any time prior to award of the Contract, without thereby incurring any liability to any Bidder.

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