Government of St. Vincent and the Grenadines Regional Disaster Vulnerability Reduction Project

Credits Nos. 4986-VC & 5450-VC; SCF-PPCR Loan No. TF011132; SCF-PPCR Grants Nos. TF010206, TF016733 & TF0A3698

PROJECT ID No.: P117871

Construction of Bridges and Fords – Lot1: Dauphine; Lot 2: Fenton

- 1. The **Government of Saint Vincent and the Grenadines** has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the **Regional Disaster Vulnerability Reduction Project**, and intends to apply part of the proceeds toward payments under the contract **Bridges and Fords at Dauphine and Fenton**.
- 2. The Ministry of Finance, Economic Planning, Sustainable Development, and Information Technology now invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for the reconstruction of bridges, fords, road rehabilitation and drainage.

Bidders shall have the following experience and qualification requirements (the aggregate requirements must be satisfied when bidding for both lots):

- i. Minimum average annual construction turnover: Lot 1:XCD \$4,100,000.00 and Lot 2: XCD \$5,200,000.00 calculated as total certified payments received for contracts in progress and/or completed within the last three (3) years, divided by three (3) years
- ii. Access to, or has available, liquid assets, unencumbered real assets, lines of credit, and other financial means (independent of any contractual advance payment) sufficient to meet the construction cash flow requirements estimated as: Lot 1: XCD 935,000.00 and Lot 2: XCD 1,200,000.00
- iii. A minimum of one similar contract that has been satisfactorily and substantially completed as a prime contractor, joint venture member, management contractor or sub-contractor between 1st January 2013 and application submission deadline: valued at: Lot 1: XCD 2,300,000.00 and Lot 2: XCD 2,900,000.00
- iv. Experience under construction contracts in the role of prime contractor, JV member, sub-contractor, or management contractor for at least the last **five (5)** years, starting **1st January 2013**.

3. Bidding will be conducted through the International Competitive Bidding procedures as specified in the World Bank's <u>Guidelines: Procurement of Goods, Works and Non-Consulting Services under IBRD Loans and IDA Credits & Grants by World Bank Borrowers</u> [insert correct title and date of applicable Guidelines edition as per legal agreement] ("Procurement Guidelines"), and is open to all eligible bidders as defined in the Procurement Guidelines. In addition, please refer to paragraphs 1.6 and 1.7 setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest.

- 4. Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from Ministry of Finance, Economic Planning, Sustainable Development, and Information Technology (cenplan@svgcpd.com scstewart@svgcpd.com rmacleish@svgcpd.com ssutherland@svgcpd.com edfpmcu@svgcpd.com) and inspect the bidding documents during office hours 0900 to 1500 hours at the address given
- 5. A complete set of bidding documents in **English** may be purchased by interested eligible bidders upon the submission of a written application to the address below. The documents will be sent via email.
- 6. Bids must be delivered to the address below on or before **Friday 17**th **August, 2018 at 1400 hours (local time)**. Electronic bidding **will not** be permitted. Late bids will be rejected. Bids will be publicly opened in the presence of the bidders' designated representatives and anyone who choose to attend at the address below on **Friday 17**th **August, 2018 at 1430 hours (local time).**
- 7. All bids must be accompanied by a **Bid Security** of **Lot 1: XCD 57,000.00 and Lot 2: 72,000.00.** The aggregate requirement must be satisfied if bidding for both lots.
- 8. The address(es) referred to above is(are):

Address for Further Information, Inspection of and Requesting Bidding Documents

The Director of Economic Planning
Ministry of Finance, Economic Planning, Sustainable Development, and
Information Technology
1st Floor, Administrative Building
Bay Street, Kingstown,
St. Vincent and the Grenadines
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Address for Submission of Bids and Bid Opening

The Chairman
Central Supplies Tenders Board (Ministry of Finance)
2nd Floor, Administrative Building
Bay Street, Kingstown,
St. Vincent and the Grenadines