

Expression of interest for development of solar pv hybrid mini-grids in Turkana County

Barclays Bank of Kenya Limited (BBK) is implementing a Results Based Financing (RBF) project that will provide financial incentives (grants) to beneficiaries, i.e. project developers willing to invest in solar PV hybrid mini-grids in Turkana County, Kenya.

The RBF project is funded by the UK Department for International Development (DFID) and hosted by Energising Development Programme (EnDev) and implemented by Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) GmbH in Kenya through the Promotion of Solar Hybrid Mini-Grids (ProSolar) Programme. The aim of the RBF project is to assist in market creation for private sector operated mini-grids in Kenya. The disbursement of the incentives to private project developers will be done after delivery and verification of pre-agreed objectives and results.

BBK is calling for expressions of interest from interested private firms already active in the electricity generation, distribution or retail services. The interested firms will develop solar PV hybrid mini-grids in three village centres in Turkana County i.e. Lolupe, Nadwat and Kataboi. Upon selection, successful developers will build, own and operate the mini-grids in these villages. Upon setting-up the infrastructure, the successful developers will be partially compensated with the RBF incentive.

Companies may associate with other firms in the form of a joint venture to enhance their qualifications, but one firm can only submit an EOI for one village.

Interested firms can obtain the "EOI" documents (application form and project brief) which contain more details by sending a blank email to procurement.kenya@giz.de with the subject "EOI HYBRID MINI-GRIDS"

"Eligible firms are requested to deposit their "Expression of Interest" for this opportunity in the Tender Box situated at BBK, Bishops Gate Building - Ground Floor, 5th Ngong Avenue not later than, **28th January 2016 at 11.00 am (East African Time)**, for the attention of:

**The BBK Project Manager
Solar PV Hybrid Mini-Grids RBF Project**

Call for EOI: 14th January 2016

Submission Deadline for EOIs: 28th January 2016



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