



Ref: CWWDA/EIB/W/TP/3/2025 (14)

Date 27th June 2025

Dear Applicants,

RE: LOT 3-CONSTRUCTION OF THE NORTH MAINLAND TRANSMISSION MAIN AND NGUU TATU STORAGE RESERVOIR BID No. CWWDA/EIB/W/TP/3/2025

Subject: Request for Clarification No.1

This letter is in response to your requests for clarifications regarding the above-mentioned tender. In accordance with the provisions of the Prequalification documents, we are providing responses to all queries received from Applicants. These responses have been uploaded to our website: www.cwwda.go.ke/tenders.

You are also advised to visit our website regularly prior to submission to check for any further clarifications.

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Improvement of Drinking Water and Sanitation Systems in Mombasa, Lot 3 - Construction of the North Mainland Transmission Main and Nguu Tatu Reservoir

(CWWDA/EIB/W/TP/03/2025)

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S/No.	Request for Clarification / Query	Response
1.	<p><u>Specific Experience</u></p> <p>Regarding the requirement for specific experience, we would like to inquire whether it is permissible to submit the application under the name of the parent company while utilizing the specific experience of a subsidiary.</p>	<p>Experience of a subsidiary cannot be used unless the subsidiary is a participating JV member in the bid.</p>
2	<p><u>Extension of Submission Deadline</u></p> <p>We would like to request a one-month extension of the tender submission deadline from July 03, 2025, to August 04, 2025. This request is made given the complexity and scale of the project, which requires comprehensive planning.</p>	<p>An extension of three (3) weeks is granted. Revised submission date is 24th July 2025.</p>
3	<p><u>Extension of Submission Date</u></p> <p>The prequalification tender documents were issued on 4th June 2025, while the submission date is 3rd July 2025, which means the Bidders are only left with one month to prepare the bid documents.</p> <p>Considering the importance of this project, and to enable us to prepare a comprehensive bid, we kindly request your good office to extend the bid submission date by three weeks to 24th July 2025.</p>	<p>See response S/No. 2 above.</p> <p>An extension of three (3) weeks is granted. Revised submission date is 24th July 2025..</p>
4.	<p><u>Eligibility and Qualification Criteria: Part 4 - Experience</u></p> <p>4.2 (b) - Specific Construction & Contract Management Experience: Requirement No. ii) Two (2) Contracts involving Construction of Reinforced Concrete Water Retaining Structures of capacity equal to or greater than 10,000m³;</p> <p>Please clarify whether the 10,000m³-capacity requirement can be satisfied by multiple RC water retaining structures combined under the same contract experience? For example, a contract involving construction of 2 Nr. RC water retaining structures of total capacity 12,000m³, will such contract be considered responsive to this criterion?</p>	<p>Qualification criteria 4.2(b)(ii) is varied as follows:</p> <p>4.2(b)(ii)... Experience in major concrete works for water retaining structures</p> <p><i>Two (2) experiences involving construction of reinforced concrete water storage tanks (inclusive of clarifiers, rapid sand filters, etc., but excluding Dams and Ponds) of total capacity equal to or greater than 10,000m³ per experience. The 10,000m³ capacity can be achieved through several contracts executed at the same time period. Each of the Tanks considered in the aggregated capacity of 10,000m³ should not be less than 5000m³.</i></p> <p>Furthermore, the following is added at the end of the requirement for criterion 4.2 (b):</p>

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	In the case of a JV or reference provided as sub-contractor, clear evidence shall be provided to attest that the works were actually implemented by the JV member or sub-contractor.
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