



NOTICE OF INVITATION FOR PREQUALIFICATION (IPF)

TENDER No.: LVSWWDA/PQ/KFW/WWM/W-1/2025

Lake Victoria South Water Works Development Agency, is one of the nine Water Works Development Agencies, established in the Water Act 2016. The Agency is currently under the Ministry of Water, Sanitation and Irrigation. It covers 8 Counties of Bomet, Homa Bay, Kericho, Kisii, Kisumu, Migori, Nyamira and Siaya.

The Government of Kenya (GoK) through the Ministry of Water, Sanitation and Irrigation (MWSI) has received a loan from the Government of Germany, through KfW Development Bank (KfW) to undertake the "Waste Water Management at Lake Victoria South" programme for Kericho, Litein and Kisii Towns. The Project aims to provide sustainable and equitable drinking water and basic sanitation facilities for the population and contribute towards the protection of water resources. The Project objective is to contribute to the protection of Lake Victoria from pollution by improving the quality of wastewater discharged into the lake and catchment area.

The Agency now invites applications for Prequalification from all eligible bidders for **Lot 1 - Construction Works for Rehabilitation and Improvement of Water Supply Reticulation Network for Kisii**, Kenya.

Publication Date:	08/04/2025
Country:	Republic of Kenya
Title:	Lot 1 - Construction Works for Rehabilitation and Improvement of Water Supply Reticulation Network for Kisii.
Project Name:	Waste Water Management at Lake Victoria South funded by the Federal Republic of Germany
Employer:	Lake Victoria South Water Works Development Agency (LVSWWDA)
Loan	German Financial Cooperation. BMZ 2013 65 352
KfW Procurement No.:	509954
Deadline for Submission of Application:	9th May 2025 , 12:00 a.m. Kenyan Local Time

1. This Invitation for Prequalification follows the General Procurement Notice for this project that appeared on the website of Germany Trade and Invest GmbH (GTAI) on **8th April 2025**. This Contract will be jointly financed by the Government of Kenya and Federal Republic of Germany through KfW. The prequalification and the bidding processes are for international competitive bidding (ICB), and will be governed by Kenyan national laws and regulations and the eligibility rules and procurement guidelines of KfW, as defined in the KfW Guidelines for the Procurement of Consulting Services, Works, Plant, Goods and Non-Consulting Services in Financial Cooperation with Partners, <https://www.kfw-entwicklungsbank.de/PDF/Download-Center/PDF-Dokumente-Richtlinien/FZ-Vergabерichtlinien-V-2021-EN.pdf>. Properly executed Declarations of Undertaking shall be duly signed and submitted by all partners of the Applicant together with their Application.
2. The Republic of Kenya, represented by the Minister of Finance and Economic Planning has received financing loan from KfW towards part of the cost of the Project. The Project Executing Agency is Lake Victoria South Water Works Development Agency (LVSWWDA).
3. LVSWWDA (the "Employer") intends to prequalify firms and joint ventures for bidding for the contract under this Project.

The anticipated contract scope of works includes:

- Rehabilitation and replacement of the water distribution network (approx. 31 km), uPVC GI and asbestos pipes, diameter varying in size from OD63mm to OD350mm with HDPE pipes, diameter varying in size from OD63mm to OD350mm.
- Extension of the existing water distribution network by about 33 km, diameter varying in size from OD63mm to OD350mm.
- Installation of approximately 2,500 consumer connections including water meters and meter boxes.

4. This procurement application is for one works contract.
5. The duration of the Works is anticipated to be 24 months (+12 months DNP). The Works are anticipated to commence in **November 2025**.
6. It is expected that the Invitation for Bids will be made in **July 2025**.
7. Bidding Documents will be prepared in accordance with KfW Standard Bidding Documents for Works, with General Conditions governed by "Multilateral Development Bank Harmonised Edition (2010)" Conditions of Contract for Construction (Pink Book), under the license agreement between KfW and FIDIC.
8. For purposes of communication during the preparation of Prequalification Application, a Firm / Joint Venture / Association intending to submit Application **shall be required to pre-register its intent by an email communication to the Employer** through the address indicated: procurement@lvswwda.go.ke and cc mmayi@lvswwda.go.ke. The Prequalification Documents can be accessed free of charge from the LVSWWDA website www.lvswwda.go.ke or the Government Tender Portal www.tenders.go.ke. **Only 'Pre-registered' applicants shall qualify for communication of any subsequent clarification and/or additional information pertaining to the PQ Document.**
9. Addenda / clarifications will also be posted on the LVSWWDA website and the Government Tender Portal immediately they become available.
10. Applications for Prequalification shall be in an envelope clearly marked with the following:

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Prequalification Application for: Waste Water Management at Lake Victoria South
"Lot 1 - Rehabilitation and Improvement of Water Supply Reticulation Network for Kisii"

containing **one (1) original** and **one (1) copy plus one (1) soft copy**, in English language, and delivered physically to the address below. Electronic submission is not an option.

Tender Box
Lake Victoria South Water Works Development Agency
Lavictors House, Off Ring Road, Milimani
P.O. Box 3325 – 40100
Kisumu, Kenya

For bulky documents, delivery should be made to the Supply Chain Division and a register duly completed to record the delivery.

The prequalification applications will be opened immediately thereafter in the presence of interested applicants who may wish to attend.