



**Nigeria Electrification Project**  
**Development of Solar Hybrid Mini Grids for Rural  
Economic Development –Minimum Subsidy Tender  
(Phase 1 – 4 lots)**

**Initial Selection Document  
Addendum #1**

**Employer:** Rural Electrification Agency

**Project:** Nigeria Electrification Project

**Contract Title:** Development of Solar Hybrid Mini Grids for Rural Economic Development - Minimum Subsidy Tender (Phase 1 – 4 lots)

**Country:** Nigeria

**Credit No.:** 62910

**ISD No:** REA-NEP-SHM1

**Issued on:** April 19<sup>th</sup>, 2019

This is addendum No. 1 to the Initial Selection Document (ISD) for Development of Solar Hybrid Mini Grids for Rural Economic Development–Minimum Subsidy Tender (Phase 1 – 4 lots) Published on April 12, 2019. Three (3) sections of the document are affected and modified accordingly. These include:

- Section II – Initial Selection Data Sheet (ISDS) - Provision 4.9
- Section III – Initial Selection Criteria and Requirements Criterion 3.3 (Ability to Raise Debt).
- Section IV – Application Forms – Application submission letter.

The details of the modifications are as shown in the enclosed table.

Revision #	Location	Revision	Current text	Revised text
1	Section II – Initial Selection Data sheet  <b>Provision 4.9</b>	Provision 4.9 in the datasheet has been removed. The relevant provision regarding state-owned enterprises can be found in provision 4.9 of the instructions to Applicants: “Applicants that are state-owned enterprise or institutions in the Employer’s Country may be eligible to be initially selected, compete and be awarded a Contract(s) only if they can establish, in a manner acceptable to the Bank, that they (i) are legally and financially autonomous (ii) operate under commercial law, and (iii) are not under supervision of the Employer”.	“State-owned enterprises are not eligible to be initially selected”.	No text
2	Section III – Initial Selection Criteria and Requirements.  <b>Criterion 3.3 Ability to Secure Debt</b>	A revision has been made to the terms in bold	“The Applicant shall demonstrate evidence that it has experience in raising debt, shown by having raised debt successfully for at least two (2) projects in infrastructure since January 2014, for an amount of at least USD5 million or its Nigeria Naira equivalent for each project. For these projects, the Applicant should provide: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ A brief description of the project and of the <b>equity</b> amount raised</li> <li>▪ References (names and contact information).”</li> </ul>	“The Applicant shall demonstrate evidence that it has experience in raising debt, shown by having raised debt successfully for at least two (2) projects in infrastructure since January 2014, for an amount of at least USD5 million or its Nigeria Naira equivalent for each project. For these projects, the Applicant should provide: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ A brief description of the project and of the <b>debt</b> amount raised</li> <li>▪ References (names and contact information).”</li> </ul>

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3	Section IV – Application Forms  <b>Application Submission Letter, paragraph (f)</b>	The text has been replaced to reflect the revision #1. A revised version of the Application submission letter is provided in this Addendum.	“We are not a state-owned enterprise or institution.”	“ <i>[Select the appropriate option and delete the other]: [We are not a state-owned enterprise or institution] / [We are a state-owned enterprise or institution but meet the requirements of ITA 4.9]</i> ”

# Application Submission Letter

Date: Click or tap to enter a date

Applicant Name: Insert Full Name

Title: Development of Solar Hybrid Mini Grids for Rural Economic Development -  
Minimum Subsidy Tender (Phase 1 – 4 lots)

To: The Rural Electrification Agency

We, the undersigned, apply to be qualified for the referenced Contract and declare that:

- (a) Our legal name is Legal Name
- (b) **No reservations:** We have examined and have no reservations to the Initial Selection Document, including Addendum(s) No(s). issued in accordance with ITA 8:  
Number and Addendum Issuing Date  
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- (c) **No conflict of interest:** We (and all Members in the case of a Joint Venture), along with our Subcontractors, have no conflict of interest in accordance with ITA 4.6.
- (d) **Eligibility:** We (and all Members in the case of a Joint Venture), along with our Subcontractors, meet the eligibility requirements as stated in ITA 4, we have not been suspended by the Employer based on execution of a Bid-Securing Declaration or Proposal-Securing Declaration in accordance with ITA 4.10.
- (e) **Suspension and Debarment:** We (and all Members in the case of a Joint Venture), along with our Subcontractors, suppliers, consultants, manufacturers, or service providers for any part of the contract, are not subject to, and not controlled by any entity or individual that is subject to, a temporary suspension or a debarment imposed by the World Bank Group or a debarment imposed by the World Bank Group in accordance with the Agreement for Mutual Enforcement of Debarment Decisions between the World Bank and other development banks in accordance with ITA 4.7 and 4.8. Further, we are not ineligible under laws or official regulations of the Federal Republic of Nigeria or pursuant to a decision of the United Nations Security Council in accordance with ITA 5.1.
- (f) **State-owned enterprise or institution:** *[Select the appropriate option and delete the other]:  
[We are not a state-owned enterprise or institution] / [We are a state-owned enterprise or institution but meet the requirements of ITA 4.9]*

(g) **Clean ESHS track record:** We (and all Members in the case of a Joint Venture), as well as our Subcontractors, have not had any employer suspend or terminate a contract and/or call the performance security for a contract for reasons related to Environmental, Social, Health, or Safety (ESHS) performance, and have not paid any fine related to ESHS violations since January 2016, in accordance with Initial Selection Criterion 2.5.

(h) **Subcontractors and Specialized Subcontractors:** We, in accordance with ITA 24.2 and 25.2, plan to subcontract the following parts of the contract:

*[Insert any part of the contract which the Applicant intends to subcontract along with complete details of the Specialized Subcontractors, their qualification, and experience]*

(i) **Commissions, gratuities, fees:** We declare that the following commissions, gratuities, or fees have been paid or are to be paid with respect to the Initial Selection process, the corresponding RFP process or execution of the Contract, in accordance with ITA 11.2:

<u>Name of Recipient</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Reason</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Full Name for each occurrence	Street, number, city, country	Indicate reason	Specify amount, \$USD equivalent
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[If no payments were made or promised, add the following statement: “No commissions or gratuities have been or are to be paid by us to agents or any third party relating to this Application”]

(j) **Not bound to accept:** We understand that you may cancel the Initial Selection process at any time and that you are neither bound to accept any Application that you may receive nor to invite the Initially Selected Applicants to submit Proposals for the Contract subject of this Initial Selection process, without incurring any liability to the Applicants, in accordance with ITA 26.1.

(k) **True and correct:** All information, statements and descriptions contained in the Application are in all respect true, correct, and complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

(l) **Inquiries:** The REA and its authorized representatives are hereby authorized to conduct any inquiries or investigations to verify the statements, documents, and information submitted in connection with this Application, and to seek clarification

from our bankers and clients regarding any financial and technical aspects. This Application Submission Letter will also serve as authorization to any individual or authorized representative of any institution referred to in the supporting information to provide such information deemed necessary and as requested by you to verify statements and information provided in this Application, such as the resources, experience, and competence of the Applicant.

Signed

*[insert signature(s) of an authorized representative(s) of the Applicant]*

Name Full Name of person signing the application

In the Capacity of Capacity of person signing the application for full name of Applicant

Duly authorized to sign the Application for and on behalf of:

Name of Applicant

Address Street, Number, Town/City, Country

Dated on date day of month, year..

*[For a Joint Venture, either all members shall sign or only the authorized representative, in which case, the power of attorney to sign on behalf of all members shall be attached].*