

Regulating Energy for Sustainable Development

Invitation for Bids (IFB)

Request for Proposal

National Competitive Bidding

Procurement title: Consultancy for Statutory Audit

Procurement Reference Number: Mera 02/NCB/CS/St-Audit/2024-2025/007

Date of Issue: 18 November 2024

1. Malawi Energy Regulatory Authority (MERA) is an energy sector regulator established under the Energy Regulation Act of 2004.

2. MERA now invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for Procurement of External Auditors as follows:

Procurement Ref. Number	Description of Services or Related Goods	Location	Delivery Period
Mera 02/NCB/CS/St-Audit/2024-2025/007	Consultancy for Statutory Audit	MERA Complex	Twelve months with possibility of extending to a maximum of additional two years.

- 3. The interested eligible bidders may obtain further information and inspect the bidding document from MERA Procurement Unit at MERA Complex, 3rd Floor, Lilongwe 3, from **09:00 to 12:00** and **13 to 16:30 hours local time** from Monday to Friday except public holidays and weekends.
- 4. A complete set of bidding documents (soft copies) with technical specifications in English language can be obtained from MERA's Cash Office and Procurement Unit or through the following numbers: **0881004259**; **0995050310** upon payment and proof of receipt of a non-refundable fee of **MK5,000.00** to be deposited at the following Commercial Banks:

Name of Bank : National Bank of Malawi

Account Name : Malawi Energy Regulatory Authority

Account Number: 1276848
Branch: Capital City

Name of Bank : Standard Bank

Account Name : Malawi Energy Regulatory Authority

Account Number: 9100003331137 Branch: Capital City

- 5. Bidding will be conducted in accordance with the Open Tendering procedures as contained in the Public Procurement and Disposal of Assets Act No. 27 of 2017 and is open to all eligible bidders.
- 6. Sealed envelopes clearly marked "Consultancy for Statutory Audit" should be deposited in the Tender Box placed at the Reception, Ground Floor before 10:00hrs on 17 December 2024 to the address below:

The Chairperson

Internal Procurement and Disposal Committee

Malawi Energy Regulatory Authority (MERA)

MERA Complex, Next to Civic Offices, Capital City

P/Bag B496

Lilongwe 3.

- 7. Envelopes will be opened in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend at **10:00hrs** on **17 December 2024** at MERA Head Office near CIVIC Offices in City Centre.
- 8. Late bids shall be rejected.