SOKOTO ENERGY RESEARCH CENTRE (ENERGY COMMISSION OF NIGERIA) USMANU DANFODIYO UNIVERSITY, SOKOTO TECHNICAL AND FINANCIAL BIDS 1.0 INTRODUCTION

The Sokoto Energy Research Centre, Usmanu Danfodiyo University, Sokoto wishes to invites interested and credible Companies to apply for the Technical and Financial bids of various projects of the Centre for the 2016 Fiscal year.

2.0 SCOPE

The Scope of work includes:-

LOT 1: Construction of security Perimeter fence at the permanent site

LOT II: Biomass Research and Development (Biogas, Digesters, Improved Fuel Wood Stove) for Energy infrastructure development.

LOT III: Thin film Solar Cell Research and Development for energy Infrastructure Development

LOT IV: Project Monitoring Vehicle

LOT V: Wind Energy Research and Development for Electricity Generation

LOT VI: Construction of Solar Borehole in Various Wards in Dala LGA

LOT VII: Solar Powered Projects at Argungu/Augie LGA. Kebbi State.

LOT VIII: Establishment of Solar Boreholes and Solar Street Lights in Karaye/Rogo, Gwale in Kano State, Kebbi, Sokoto, Kaduna States

3.0 BIDDING CRITERIA

The following requirement for Tender shall be submitted:

I. Certified true copy of certificate of Registration with Corporate Affairs Commission (CAC) as a limited liability Company

II. Certified true copy of Tax Clearance Certificate for the last three years (2013, 2014, and 2015).

III. List of managerial, technical and administrative staff of the company.

IV. Names and address of bankers including a letter of recommendation from the Bank indicating financial capability to undertake the project.

V. Evidence of Compliance with Industrial Training Fund (ITF) contributions requirements. VI. Evidence of similar and verifiable jobs successfully executed within the last five years with their locations, contract value, and evidence of completion.

VII. Compliance with the provision of pension Act, 2014

VIII. Evidence of Company Audited Account for three (3) years (2013, 2014 and 2015).

IX. A sworn affidavit indicating that none of the Directors of the Company had been convicted for any criminal offence relating to fraud, financial impropriety, criminal misrepresentation or falsification.

X. Evidence of registration on the National Data-base of contractors. Consultants and Service Providers (NDCCSPS) by inclusion of interim registration report (IRR) issued by BPP in line with the provision of section 5 (h) of the PPA, 2007.

4.0 SUBMISSION

Bid document containing specification on the interested lot(s) can be obtained from the Office of the Admin. Secretary Energy Research Centre, Usmanu Danfodiyo University, Sokoto; upon payment of non-refundable fees of Twenty Thousand Naira (N20,000.00) only through e-collection in favour of Sokoto Energy Research Centre. The prospective bidders shall enclose the original technical and financial bids In two separate envelopes indicating clearly the company name and lot of interest on each envelope and marked Technical and Financial bids respectively, at the top corner of each envelope. The two envelopes shall be enclosed in another envelope which shall be sealed and bear the lot description, the name and address of the Company and addressed to:

The Administrative Secretary Sokoto Energy Research Centre

Usmanu Danfodiyo University

P.M.B 2346, Sokoto.

The document should be registered and submitted at the relevant bid box at the Sokoto Energy Research Centre Premises **on or before 11th October, 2016**.

NOTE: Receipt of Bids shall be closed on the same date at 12:00p.m and be opened immediately on the same date, at the Sokoto Energy Research Centre Premises.

- Only Companies with Technical bids that fulfil the requirements would have their names pasted on the Centre's Notice Board, and their financial bids will be publicly opened on a date to be indicated on the same notice.
- All bids are expected to include ORIGINAL COPIES of the receipt of Tender fee in their financial bid envelopes.
- Name, address, email and phone numbers of the Companies should also be clearly written at the back of the envelopes.
- Submission of bidding document is not a guarantee for the award of contract.

DISCLAIMER AND CONCLUSION

The publication is for information purposes only and does not constitute an offer by the Sokoto

Energy Research Centre to transact with any party for the project nor does it constitute a commitment or obligation on the part of the SERC to procure concession services. The Sokoto Energy Research Centre will not be responsible for any expenses incurred by any party (ies) in connection with any response to the invitation and or preparation or submission in response to an inquiry.

The Sokoto Energy Research Centre reserves the right to terminate the selection process at any time without incurring any liabilities.

(Signed) The Administrative Secretary, Sokoto Energy Research Centre Usmanu Danfodiyo University, Sokoto