



# UNIDADE DE GESTÃO DE PROJETOS ESPECIAIS

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## Request for Bids Small Works

(One-Envelope Bidding Process)

**Employer:** Unidade de Gestão de Projetos Especiais (UGPE) | Ministério das Finanças e do Fomento Empresarial

**Project:** Resilient Tourism and Blue Economy Development in Cabo Verde Project

**Contract title:** REHABILITATION IMPROVEMENTS OF THE ROAD EN1-SL-01, ESPARGOS - SANTA MARIA (ILHA DO SAL)

**Country:** Republic of Cabo Verde

**Credit No.:** IDA-71260

**RFB No:** 20/RTBED/UGPE/2022

**Issued on:** January 17, 2023

**Assignment Title:** REHABILITATION IMPROVEMENTS OF THE ROAD EN1-SL-01, ESPARGOS - SANTA MARIA (ILHA DO SAL)

1. The Government of the Republic of Cabo Verde has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the **Resilient Tourism and Blue Economy Development in Cabo Verde Project** and intends to apply part of the proceeds toward payments under the contract for **REHABILITATION IMPROVEMENTS OF THE ROAD EN1-SL-01, ESPARGOS - SANTA MARIA (ILHA DO SAL)**. For this contract, the Borrower shall process the payments using the Direct Payment disbursement method, as defined in the World Bank's Disbursement Guidelines for Investment Project Financing.
2. The implementing agency, **Unidade de Gestão de Projectos Especiais (UGPE)**, now invites sealed Bids from eligible Bidders REHABILITATION IMPROVEMENTS OF THE ROAD EN1-SL-01, ESPARGOS - SANTA MARIA (ILHA DO SAL). The national road "EN1-SL-01-Espargos-Santa Maria" constitutes the main transport infrastructure of the island, connecting the two most important cities (Santa Maria and Espargos) in addition to being the access road to the airport and the Murdeira and Algodoeiro ZDTI. The national road is still a strong artery in the development of tourist activities on the island and in the development of the national economy.
3. Bidding will be conducted through national competitive procurement using Request for Bids (RFB) as specified in the World Bank's "Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers", dated July 2016 and revised in November 2017, August 2018 and November 2020 ("Procurement Regulations"), and is open to all eligible Bidders as defined in the Procurement Regulations.
4. Interested eligible Bidders may obtain further information from Unidade de Gestão de Projectos Especiais (UGPE) and inspect the bidding document during office hours from 8 a.m. until 4 p.m. (local



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- time), during working days, at the address given below. In addition, please refer to paragraphs 3.14, 3.15 and 3.17 setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest.
5. The Bidding document in English may be purchased by interested eligible Bidders upon the submission of a written application to the address below.
  6. Bids must be delivered to the address below on or before **March 15, 2023 at 3:00 pm (CV time)**. Electronic Bidding will be permitted. Late Bids will be rejected. Bids will be publicly opened in the presence of the Bidders' designated representatives and anyone who chooses to attend at the address below by **March 15, 2023 at 3:30 pm (CV time)**.
  7. **All Bids must be accompanied by a Bid Security, in a form of a Bank Guarantee of 360.000 USD (three hundred and sixty thousand dollars).**
  8. All Bids must be accompanied by a Sexual Exploitation and Abuse (SEA) and/or Sexual Harassment (SH) Declaration.
  9. Attention is drawn to the Procurement Regulations requiring the Borrower to disclose information on the successful bidder's beneficial ownership, as part of the Contract Award Notice, using the Beneficial Ownership Disclosure Form as included in the bidding document.

The address (es) referred to above is (are): [Aguinaldo.marc@mf.gov.cv](mailto:Aguinaldo.marc@mf.gov.cv) [Madelene.david@mf.gov.cv](mailto:Madelene.david@mf.gov.cv)  
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