

It is hereby notified that sealed tenders are invited for **Contract No.: EP/SP/75/14—Low-Level Radioactive Waste Storage Facility Follow-on Contract**.

The scope of the Contract comprises (a) the design and construction of modification and upgrading works to the existing Low-level Radioactive Waste Storage Facility (LLRWSF) located in Siu A Chau, Hong Kong Special Administrative Region; and (b) the operation and maintenance of the LLRWSF, including the provision of waste transfer services. The Contract is scheduled to commence on 19 January 2016, following the expiry of the existing contract (Contract No. EP/SP/40/02) for the design, construction, operation and maintenance of the LLRWSF.

Tenders must be clearly marked with the tender reference and the subject of the tender on the outside of the envelope (but should not bear any indication that may relate the tender to the tenderer) addressed to the Chairman, Central Tender Board, and placed in the Government Logistics Department Tender Box located on Ground Floor, North Point Government Offices, 335 Java Road, North Point, Hong Kong, before 12.00 noon on Friday, 3 July 2015. Late tenders will not be accepted.

In the event a typhoon signal No. 8 or above or a black rainstorm warning is hoisted between 9.00 am and 12.00 noon on Friday, 3 July 2015, the tender closing time will be postponed to 12.00 noon on the first working day of the following week. An announcement of the change will be made through the radio.

The tender documents and further particulars are obtainable from Mr. Frank Wan, ERM Hong Kong Ltd, 16th Floor, Berkshire House, 25 Westlands Road, Quarry Bay, Hong Kong (Tel: (852) 2271 3000, Fax: (852) 2723 5660, Email: frank.wan@erm.com).

The tenderer (or in the case of a joint venture, any one of the participants/shareholders) shall have contract experience in (a) design and construction of waste management facility; and (b) operation and maintenance of radioactive waste management facility. Details of the requirements are stipulated in the tender document.

This tender is covered by the Agreement on Government Procurement of the World Trade Organisation and will not involve electronic auction. This notice also serves as a summary notice required under the Agreement on Government Procurement of the World Trade Organization.

A charge will be levied for the delivery of the tender documents where the delivery of such documents is requested by a tenderer. A written request must be made.

The Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region does not bind itself to accept any tender irrespective of whether the tender is the lowest bid or, as the assessment of the tenders is based on a marking scheme, the tender has the highest combined price and technical score.

The Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region reserves the right to negotiate with any tenderer about the terms of the offer.

Details of the award of this contract will be published in the Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region Gazette and made available on the Internet at http://www.gld.gov.hk/eng/services_2_c.htm.

Joint ventures satisfying the requirements stated in the tender document will be considered.