

## INVITATION TO TENDER

### FOR FRAMEWORK CONTRACT: TECHNICAL IMPLEMENTATION AND BACKSTOPPING SUPPORT FOR GIZ'S SUPPORT TO NILE BASIN COOPERATION TENDER REFERENCE NO: 7000013035

#### Name of Project: Transboundary Water Cooperation in the Nile Basin

#### 1. Background

The Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) GmbH is the German Federal Enterprise for technical cooperation and has been operating in Uganda since 1964 to promote sustainable development on behalf of the German Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development (BMZ).

The Nile Basin Initiative (NBI) is an inter-governmental organization dedicated to equitable and sustainable management and the development of the shared water resources of the Nile basin. GIZ, on behalf of BMZ is supporting NBI.

#### 2. Invitation to Bid

GIZ Uganda through Transboundary Water Cooperation in the Nile Basin invites bids from competent and eligible Individual expert to provide technical implementation and backstopping support for GIZ's support to Nile Basin cooperation under a framework contract.

#### 3. Obtaining/Downloading Bid Documents & Terms of Reference

Interested and eligible bidders can download detailed bidding/tender documents in soft copy form only from the GIZ Uganda Tender weblink: [https://www.giz.de/sites/default/files/media/els-document/2026-06/7000013035-nbi-backstopping-support-framework\\_0.zip](https://www.giz.de/sites/default/files/media/els-document/2026-06/7000013035-nbi-backstopping-support-framework_0.zip) or scan the QR code below. The tender is effective starting from the date of the first publication of this tender. The tender reference number is: "7000013035- NBI Backstopping Support Framework".

#### 4. Seeking Clarification Regarding the Bidding Documents, Tender Terms and Conditions

All requests for clarifications regarding this tendering process must be submitted in writing and addressed to GIZ Uganda via email at [procurement-giz-uganda@giz.de](mailto:procurement-giz-uganda@giz.de) at least 5 days before the bid submission deadline. Please include the tender reference number: "7000013035- NBI Backstopping Support Framework" in the subject line of your email.

#### 5. Bid Submission

Interested bidders should submit their bids/offers electronically by Monday 06.07.2026 at 23:59 Hrs (EAT) to [UG\\_Quotation@giz.de](mailto:UG_Quotation@giz.de). Please indicate the tender reference number: **7000013035- NBI Backstopping Support Framework**" in the subject line of your email.

#### 6. Important Information to Note

- Failure to indicate the tender reference number in the subject may disqualify your offer directly as it may fail to be received in the tender box.
- Late submissions will not be accepted.
- Only bids submitted to [UG\\_Quotation@giz.de](mailto:UG_Quotation@giz.de) are acceptable.
- Bids submitted with GIZ staff or other GIZ emails in copy shall be rejected.
- You should have priced offer in PDF. Do not encrypt offers since they may be incompatible with GIZ software.
- Use two separate emails to submit the technical and financial proposals. Submit the technical proposal in one email and the financial proposal in a separate email.
- Only use GIZ's file transfer service at <https://filetransfer.giz.de/> for submitting documents that exceed the default mail size of 30 MB. Using other forms of file transfer disqualifies your offer.
- Should you use the file transfer in (g) above, ensure you submit the password before the bid submission deadline date and time to [UG\\_Quotation@giz.de](mailto:UG_Quotation@giz.de). Failure to provide the password, your offer cannot be opened and will be disqualified automatically.
  - The financial offer should be submitted in Uganda Shillings.
  - Failure to follow any of the above instructions may result in your offer being encrypted and/or rejected.



*GIZ reserves the right to cancel this process at any stage without informing the providers and without any obligation to refund the providers who will have participated in this tender process.*

**Disclaimer:** GIZ DOES NOT charge any kind of FEE(s) at whichever stage of the tendering process.