



## **OPEN NOTICE OF INVITATION TO BID - RE-ADVERTISED.**

**URCS/WRKS/2025/002766**

**SUBJECT: CONSTRUCTION OF ADDITIONAL COMPONENTS FOR MISIERA WATER TREATMENT PLANT IN NAKIVALE REFUGEE SETTLEMENT, ISINGIRO DISTRICT**

**TENDER PERIOD/BIDDING PERIOD NOVEMBER 27<sup>TH</sup> 2025 TO DECEMBER 23<sup>RD</sup> 2025.**

The Uganda Red Cross Society (URCS), the country's leading national humanitarian organization and a member of the International Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement, is implementing the Nakisawa Project in Nakivale Refugee Settlement in partnership with the Austrian Red Cross (AutRC) and with funding from the Austrian Development Agency (ADA). The project aims to address critical humanitarian needs in Water, Sanitation and Hygiene (WASH), Protection, Gender and Inclusion (PGI), and Livelihoods.

As part of this intervention, URCS is undertaking the upgrade of the Misiera Water Treatment Plant to improve its efficiency, performance, and long-term sustainability.

URCS therefore invites Sealed Bids from eligible and competent bidders for the supply and delivery of the following items

**Construction of additional Components for Misiera Water Treatment Plant including Water Intake system, Back Wash System, Inspection Chambers, Sludge Filtration Bed, Drainable Latrine and a Gate House in Nakivale Refugee Settlement, Isingiro District, to be executed from January 2026**

1. Invitation to bid documents can be picked from URCS Supply Chain Office in Kampala located on Plot 551/555 Rubaga Road from **Monday, December 1<sup>st</sup>, 2025 to Tuesday December 16<sup>th</sup>, 2025**.
2. Interested Bidders shall pick the Invitation to Bid document from Supply Chain Department after payment of a Non- refundable fee of UGX: 150,000/=. The payment mode shall be cash, payable at the Uganda Red Cross Society Cash Office
3. Bidders who participated in the previous procurement process are highly encouraged to re-apply and will receive the bidding documents at no cost.
4. Eligible Bidders must have:

- Registration/Certificate of Incorporation, income Tax Clearance addressed to URCS, VAT registration Certificate, 2025 Trading License
- Company Profile with clear memorandum and articles of association and clear company management set up
- Evidence of 5 completed projects of similar supplies / Works in the last 5 years
- Audited books of accounts for the last three financial years.

5. Qualified and interested bidders should submit sealed envelopes to URCS Offices on plot 551/555 Rubaga Road Supply Chain Management Office within the period indicated above.
6. Bid submission mode: One envelope submission method system will be used where the bidders are expected to submit one envelope (technical Combined with Financial)
7. Bid security, bid validity period, terms of payment, BoQs, and the detailed award/evaluation criteria are fully provided in the bidding documents
8. Bidding documents shall be submitted in sealed Envelopes clearly marked "**OFFER TO UNDERTAKE CONSTRUCTION OF ADDITIONAL COMPONENTS FOR MISIERA WATER TREATMENT PLANT IN NAKIVALE REFUGEE SETTLEMENT, ISINGIRO DISTRICT**, and addressed to; **The Secretary General, Uganda Red Cross Society-Attention Director Procurement & Supply Chain Management P.O Box 494, Kampala, Uganda not later than Tuesday December 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2025 at 11:00Am**
9. All bidders or their representatives are invited to attend the Bid Opening Ceremony on 23<sup>rd</sup> December 2025 at 11:30Am
10. The Uganda Red Cross Society reserves the right to reject any bid and is not bound to award the contract to the lowest bidder or any other bidder
11. Alternative offers are not permitted
12. Any breach of confidentiality will lead to disqualification.

The Planned Procurement Schedule is as follows.

<b>Activity</b>	<b>Date</b>
<b>Publication of Bid Notice</b>	<b>November 27<sup>th</sup> 2025</b>
<b>Site Visit (Must Attend)</b>	<b>On 8th -9<sup>th</sup> December 2025 at Nakivale Refugee Settlement.</b>
<b>Bid Closing</b>	<b>December 23<sup>rd</sup> 2025 at 11:00Am</b>
<b>Evaluation Process</b>	<b>January 12<sup>th</sup> 2026</b>
<b>Display and Communication of Best Evaluated bidder Notice</b>	<b>January 19<sup>th</sup> 2026</b>
<b>Contract Signing</b>	<b>January 28<sup>th</sup> 2026</b>

**SECRETARY GENERAL**