

# **Specific Procurement Notice**

## **Request for proposals**

### **Information Systems**

#### **Development and Deployment of a Modern Electronic Credit Information Sharing (Reference) System for Bank of Sierra Leone-BSL**

#### **(Single Stage: Two-Envelope Bidding Process)**

**Purchaser: Bank of Sierra Leone-BSL**

**Project: Sierra Leone Second Financial Inclusion Project**

**Contract title: Development and Deployment of a Modern Electronic Credit Information Sharing (Reference) System for Bank of Sierra Leone-BSL**

**Country: Sierra Leone**

**Grant No.: E2050-SL**

**RFP No: SL-BSL-554618-NC-RFP**

**Issued on: 17<sup>th</sup> September, 2026**

**Closing/Submission Date and Time: 3<sup>rd</sup> November, 2026 at 1200 Hrs. GMT**

1. The Government of Sierra Leone (GoSL) has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the Sierra Leone Second Financial Inclusion Project (P177947), and intends to apply part of the proceeds toward payments under the contract for the Development and Deployment of a Modern Electronic Credit Information Sharing (Reference) System for Bank of Sierra Leone-BSL
2. The Sierra Leone Second Financial Inclusion Project now invites sealed Proposals from eligible Proposers to provide their technical and financial offer for Development and Deployment of a Modern Electronic Credit Information Sharing (Reference) System for Bank of Sierra Leone-BSL. In addition, following system deployment, the Supplier shall provide onsite operational and technical support for a period of three (3) years while transferring knowledge and operational capability to BSL staff. At the end of this period, BSL shall assume full operational control of the system.
3. The procurement process will be conducted through international competitive procurement using Request for Proposals (RFP) as specified in the World Bank's "Procurement Regulations for IPF dated September 2025, 7<sup>th</sup> Edition ("Procurement Regulations"), and is open to all eligible Proposers as defined in the Procurement Regulations
4. Interested eligible Proposers may obtain further information from the ***Project Coordinator Project Implementation Unit, Sierra Leone Second Financial Inclusion Project, 5th Floor, Sam Bangura Building, Gloucester Street, Freetown*** during office hours 9 am GMT to 5 pm GMT], or via email to [slsfip@bsl.gov.sl](mailto:slsfip@bsl.gov.sl). The RFP can be inspected during office hours 0900 to 1700 hours Monday to Friday at the address given below at Paragraph 9.

5. The request for proposals document in **English language** may be purchased by interested eligible Proposers upon the submission of a written application to the address below and upon payment of a nonrefundable fee of ***SLE2,390 (Two Thousand Three Hundred and Ninety Leones) or \$100.00 (One Hundred United States Dollars)***. The method of payment will be by bank transfer, wire transfer, or direct deposit in the below bank account:

**FOR LEONES- Account Name: SL SEC FIN INCLUSION (SLSFIP SLE)**

**Bank: Bank of Sierra Leone**

**Account No. 0122001493**

**BBAN: 000001012200149342**

**SWIFT BIC: BSLESLFR**

**FOR USD- Account Name: SL SEC FIN INCLUSION (SLSFIP USD)**

**Account number: 0122001486**

**Bank: Bank of Sierra Leone**

**BBAN: 000001012200148663**

**SWIFT BIC: BSLESLFR**

**Intermediary Bank:**

**FEDERAL RESERVE BANK**

**33 LIBERTY STREET**

**NEW YORK, NY 10045**

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**

**SWIFT BIC: FRNYUS33**

**ACCOUNT NUMBER: 021084898**

6. Proposals must be delivered to the address below on or before **1200 Hrs GMT on 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2026**. Electronic procurement **will not** be permitted. Late Proposals will be rejected. The outer Proposal envelopes marked “ORIGINAL PROPOSAL”, and the inner envelopes marked “TECHNICAL PART” will be publicly opened in the presence of the Proposers’ designated representatives and anyone who chooses to attend, at the address below on **3<sup>rd</sup> November 2026 at 1200 Hrs GMT**. All envelopes marked “FINANCIAL PART” shall remain unopened and will be held in safe custody of the Purchaser until the second public Proposals opening.
7. All Proposals must be accompanied by a ***Proposal Security of USD30,000 (Thirty Thousand United States Dollars)*** or its equivalent in a freely convertible currency from a reputable Commercial Banking Institution.
8. Attention is drawn to the Procurement Regulations requiring the Borrower to disclose information on the successful Proposer’s beneficial ownership, as part of the Contract Award Notice, using the Beneficial Ownership Disclosure Form as included in the request for proposal document.
9. The address (es) referred to above is (are):
- Project Coordinator  
Project Implementation Unit  
Sierra Leone Second Financial Inclusion Project  
5th Floor, Sam Bangura Building Gloucester Street Freetown Sierra Leone.

