

The Government of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka



Ministry of City Planning and Water Supply

National Water Supply & Drainage Board

Memo No: NWSDB/PPP/Weliwita/2016/01

## NOTICE OF INVITATION FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST BY WAY OF REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATION FOR WELIWITA BULK WATER SUPPLY PPP

The National Water Supply & Drainage Board ("NWSDB") under the Ministry of City Planning and Water Supply of the Government of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka, invites Expression of Interest by way of Request for Qualification from interested Applicants, to undertake the development, operation and maintenance of the Weliwita Bulk Water Supply PPP (the "Project") through a Public Private Partnership on design, build, finance, operate and transfer model.

NWSDB has adopted a two-stage process, and intends to pre-qualify suitable Applicants during the end of the first stage which is the pre-qualification stage, and the pre-qualified Applicants will then be eligible for participation in the second stage which is the bid stage.

A pre-proposal investor conference shall be held at 10:00 a.m. on 09<sup>th</sup> January, 2017 to address the queries of the Applicants. Application due date shall be 20<sup>th</sup> February, 2017.

Interested Applicants can access the Invitation for Expression of Interest by way of Request for Qualification ("RFQ") document by accessing the web link, <u>www.waterboard.lk</u>, which includes detailed terms and conditions for the application submission. The Applicants are expected to submit relevant details as per the RFQ document in a comprehensive manner supported by all necessary supporting documents. To obtain further information, please contact:

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The Application shall be unconditional and unqualified. Any condition or qualification or any other stipulation contained in the Application shall render the Application liable to rejection as a non-responsive Application.

The Chairman Standing Cabinet Appointed Procurement Committee