



College of the Marshall Islands
Project Management Unit (PMU)
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CMI 013B: SOLAR POWER PHASE 1 (Stage 2)

Bidding will take place in August for the implementation of the second stage of the first phase of the college's alternate energy master plan. Companies with proven experience in the design and installation of rigid solar panel power supplies are hereby invited to express interest in the project.

Stage 2 includes, but is not limited to, the following: design of the complete installation including roof mountings, supply and installation of rigid solar panels on Classroom Building 3 (CB3), which has a roof area of approximately 800sq.m, supply and installation of all cabling to controllers/inverters in the CB3 upper floor corridor, AC connection from the controllers/inverters to the Solar Power Bus in the Campus Main Switchboard on the second floor of the Energy Center and Maintenance Building (cable run distance approximately 100 metres) and the provision of an internet based monitoring system. The goal of Stage 2 is to provide 50kW or more of solar power.

A Performance Specification, sketches and Contract Documentation have been prepared by the College's consultants and will be made available, by Email, to interested bidders. A Pre Bid Meeting will take place on the CMI Campus on the 11th September 2009 and the Bid Closing date is the 25th September 2009. It is anticipated that the installation will commence in January 2010.

Bids will be evaluated both Technically (30% weighting) and Financially (70% weighting). Marshall Islands Companies receive a 10% preference under RMI law, and this preference is applied if 4 or more complying bids are received. The CMI Bid Committee is responsible for awarding contracts.

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