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NWC SEEKING METER INSTALLATION CONTRACTORS

The National Water Commission (NWC) is currently seeking to engage the services of local contractors to assist in the installation of new water meters connected to customer premises across the island as part of efforts to install some 450,000 solid state and other meters being procured over the next several years and to increase overall customer metering.

The NWC has issued advertisements in local newspapers and on its website inviting “Request for Proposals (RFPs) from firms, with strong capabilities, experience and qualified personnel in Project Management and water engineering to install consumer water meters.”

According to the NWC, this is part of steps being taken by the NWC to aggressively increase meter coverage and reduce the level of non-revenue water (NRW) levels.

To qualify for consideration, tenderers must submit valid Tax Compliance Certificates (TCCs), be registered with the National Contracts Commission (NCC) in the categories of **Mechanical Works (Grade 1 minimum) or Pipelaying (Grade 1, minimum) or Civil Engineering Works (Grade 1, minimum)**, among other things.

Details of the Request for Proposals may be accessed from the NWC’s website, www.nwcjamaica.com/tender.

Prospective bidders are expected to submit their bids by **Tuesday, February 19, 2019**.