Invitation for Bids (IFB)

Name of Country: Bangladesh

Name of Project: Third Primary Education Development Program (PEDP-III)

Credit number: 4999-BD

IFB Title: Procurement of Multimedia Projector-5575 units

Package No.: GD 409.01

Dated: 01 June, 2015.

IFB No. 38.151.180.007.115.00.376.2015-2062

- 1. This Invitation for Bids follows the General Procurement Notice for this Project that appeared in UN Development Business online dated: 11 October 2011.
- 2. The People's Republic of Bangladesh has received funds from as many as nine development partners including a credit from the International Development Association toward the cost of Third Primary Education Development Program (PEDP-III) and it intends to apply part of the proceeds of these funds to payments under the Contract for Procurement of Multimedia Projector-5575 units (Lot 1 = 1400 units, Lot 2 = 1400 units, Lot 3 = 1400 units and Lot 4 = 1375 units) under package No. **GD 4**09.01.
- 3. The Directorate of Primary Education (DPE) now invites sealed bids from eligible and qualified bidders for supply, installation & testing of Multimedia Projectors-5575 units for Government Primary Schools.
- 4. Bidding will be conducted through the International Competitive Bidding (ICB) procedures specified in the World Bank's Guidelines: Procurement under IBRD Loans and IDA Credits January 2011 (revised July 2014), and is open to all bidders from Eligible Source Countries as defined in the Guidelines.
- 5. Interested eligible Bidders may obtain further information and inspect the Bidding Document from the address in para-13 below during office hours (09.00 to 17.00 hours, local time) on all working days (Sunday to Thursday) except government holidays up to one day prior to the deadline for bid submission.
- 6. Key qualifications requirements include: (a) Financial Capability: Minimum amount of liquid asset or working capital or credit facility is: 80% of the total bid price of each lot. (b) Experience: Shall have been in existence for not less than 5 (five) years with experience of supply contracts for Government department or any reputed national or international organization for at least 3 (three) years. (c) Technical Capacity: (i) If the bidder is the manufacturer, the minimum annual production capacity shall be at least 100% in quantity of Multimedia Projectors of proposed contract. (ii) If the bidder is supplier, it shall demonstrate satisfactory completion of supply minimum 150 Nos. of Multimedia Projectors of under a single contract within last 5 (five) years counting backward from the date of publication of IFB. (d) After Sales Services: The bidder/supplier should have offices or service agents (distributors/dealers/resellers, if any) preferably in each administrative division of Bangladesh having capability and resources to meet warranty claims and after sales services at district levels. Additional details are provided in the Bidding Documents.
- 7. A margin of preference for certain goods manufactured domestically shall be applied.

- 8. A complete set of Bidding Documents in English may be purchased by interested bidders on the submission of a written application to the address below and upon payment of a non-refundable fee BDT 3,000 or USD 40. The method of payment will be in the form of pay order in favor of "Director General, DPE & Program Director, PEDP-III" from any scheduled Bank in Bangladesh or in Bidders country acceptable to the purchaser. The bidding documents have to be collected from DPE upon purchase and bid submission shall be accompanied with original purchase receipt.
- 9. Bids must be delivered to the address below:

Room No.: 610, Floor: 6th floor, Building No.: 06

Ministry of Primary and Mass Education

Bangladesh Secretariat, City: Dhaka, Postal Code: 1000

Country: Bangladesh

The deadline for the submission of bids is:

Date: August 13, 2015; Time: 2.00pm Bangladesh Standard Time (GMT + 6 hrs).

Electronic bidding will not be permitted. Late bids will be rejected.

- 10. Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend in person at the same place of bid submission 15 minutes after deadline.
- 11. All bids must be accompanied by a Bid Security amounting United States Dollar 25,000 for each Lot or equivalent in a freely convertible currency.
- 12. A Pre-Bid meeting shall be held at:

Multipurpose Hall Room (Ground floor)

Directorate of Primary Education

Street Address: Section 2, Mirpur, City: Dhaka-1216

Country: Bangladesh

Date: July 06, 2015; Time: 11.00 am Bangladesh Standard Time (GMT + 6 hrs)

13. The address referred for all correspondence is:

Attention: Director (Finance), Directorate of Primary Education

Floor/Room number: 6th Floor/Room # 710 Section 2, Mirpur, Dhaka-1216, Bangladesh

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