

# **SPECIFIC PROCUREMENT NOTICE**

## **Procurement of Search and Rescue Vehicles (GA4.3)**

**REPUBLIC OF TURKEY**  
**Istanbul Special Provincial Administration**  
**Istanbul Project Coordination Unit (IPCU)**  
**Istanbul Seismic Risk Mitigation and Emergency Preparedness (ISMEP) Project**  
**Procurement of Search and Rescue Vehicles (GA4.3)**  
**Loan No: 4784-TU**  
**GA4.3**

The Republic of Turkey has received a loan from the World Bank toward the cost of the Istanbul Seismic Risk Mitigation and Emergency Preparedness (ISMEP) Project, and it intends to apply part of the proceeds toward payments under the contract for Procurement of Search and Rescue Vehicles (GA4.3). Istanbul Special Provincial Administration Istanbul Project Coordination Unit (IPCU) now invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for the supply of

- 1 item of Search Team K-9 Vehicle
- 1 item of the First Responders' NBC Vehicle
- 1 item of Water Rescue Vehicle

Qualifications requirements include:

(a) Experience and Technical Capacity

The Bidder shall furnish documentary evidence to demonstrate that it meets the following experience requirement(s):

The bidder should demonstrate that it has successfully completed supply of at least 2 Search and Rescue Vehicles or similar Vehicles (Ambulances, Fire Brigade, etc.) either equipped or non-equipped to various clients under one or several Contracts in the last 5 years.

(b) Joint Venture Partners should fulfill the above requirements as stipulated in the Bidding Documents.

Additional details are provided in the Bidding Documents. The delivery period is 120 days.

Bidding will be conducted through the international competitive bidding procedures as specified in the World Bank's [Guidelines: Procurement under IBRD Loans and IDA Credits](#), May 2004 version, and is open to all eligible bidders as defined in the guidelines.

Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from and inspect the bidding documents at the address below during office hours from 09:00 to 17:00. 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 nonrefundable fee of **either Euro 100 or YTL 200** with ref no GA4.3. The method of payment will be direct deposit or Bank transfer order to Vakıfbank Mercan Branch Istanbul, Turkey (for Turkish Lira account number **2013337** or for Euro account number **4013338**). The document will be provided from the address below or sent by courier, if requested by the Bidder.

All bids must be accompanied by a bid security of not less than 2 % (Two percent) in the currency of the bid or any other hard currency, and be delivered to the address below **at or before 14:30 local time on February 19<sup>th</sup>, 2007**. Electronic bidding will not be permitted. Bids will be opened immediately thereafter, in the presence of bidders' representatives, who choose to attend, at the address below. Late bids will be rejected.

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