

INVITATION FOR BIDS (IFB)

Republic of Turkey
Istanbul Governorship
Istanbul Project Coordination Unit (IPCU)
Istanbul Seismic Risk Mitigation and Emergency Preparedness (ISMEP) Project

Procurement of NBC Vehicles and Systems

Loan No: 26980
(KFW-GA4.1)

1. This Invitation for Bids (IFB) follows the General Procurement Notice (GPN) for this project that appeared in UNDB online on July 21, 2017.
2. In order to prepare Istanbul for a potential earthquake the Republic of Turkey has received a Loan from the KfW Development Bank toward the cost of the Istanbul Seismic Risk Mitigation and Emergency Preparedness Project (ISMEP) and it intends to apply part of the proceeds of this *Loan* to payments under the Contract resulting from this IFB: *ISMEP-KFW-GA4.1*.
3. IPCU serves as the implementing agency for the Project and now invites sealed bids from eligible Bidders for the Supply *of items listed below* which comprises NBC Vehicles and Systems. The delivery duration of the goods and related services is maximum **270** calendar days.

No	Description	Quantity
Item 1.	Decontamination / Evacuation Vehicle	1
Item 2.	Reconnaissance Decontamination and Evacuation Vehicle	1
Item 3.	Decontamination Trailer System	1
Item 4.	Decontamination Tent System	1

4. Bidding will be conducted through the International Competitive Bidding (ICB) procedures specified in the World Bank's Guidelines: Procurement of Goods, Works and Non-consulting services under IBRD Loans and IDA Credits & Grants by World Bank Borrowers, January 2011, Revised July 2014, and is open to all Bidders eligible as defined in these Guidelines, that meet the following minimum qualification criteria:

If Bidder is Manufacturer:

4.1 The Bidder must show evidence that it will be able to provide continued representation/ legal services in Turkey providing the sufficient technical support for the proposed System. The warranty services, including operational support activities, services must be provided locally within Istanbul.

4.2 During the past five (5) years, the Bidder must have successfully completed at least one (1) similar contracts for providing special purpose vehicles such as NBC vehicles and/or systems or similar vehicles (Ambulances, Fire Trucks, Mobile Hospital Trucks, Search and Rescue Trucks, Survey Vehicles, Communication Vehicles, Broadcast Vehicles, etc.) either equipped or non-equipped to various clients under one or several Contracts having similar functional/technical characteristics given in the Technical Requirements in Section VI of this Bidding Document.

4.3 The annual average turnover of the Bidder must exceed Euro 5 Million (Five million Euro) or an equivalent amount in a freely convertible currency during last three (3) years.

4.4 The bids submitted by the firms who have proven non satisfactory experience and with respect to contractual obligations, completion time, or have practiced substantial defaults and/or disputes resulted from not fulfilling their contractual obligations under Contract(s) signed with the Ministry of Internal Affairs, Turkey or debarred by Public Procurement Agency (Kamu İhale Kurumu), and the KfW Development Bank etc. may be considered non-qualified and rejected.

4.5 Additional documents to be submitted (to be used during the qualification):

(i). The Bidder shall provide reference list of major customers in the last five (5) years with address, fax number, and contact person and reference letters at least from three major customers who IPCU may contact.

(ii). The Bidder shall provide complete and accurate information about non-performance of a contract within the last three (3) years prior to the deadline for application submission, based on all information on fully settled disputes or litigation. A fully settled dispute or litigation is one that has been resolved in accordance with the Dispute Resolution Mechanism under the respective contract, and where all appeal instances available to the bidder have been exhausted. A negative determination against the bidder for non-performance of a contract shall be a reason for disqualifying the bidder. If a dispute or litigation is settled before signing the Contract with the successful bidder, further determination will be done against the qualification of the successful bidder before signing the Contract.

(iii). If the bid is submitted by an agent, the bidders shall submit, as part of their bid, Copyright Authorization or Manufacturer Authorization Form accordingly in a format given in Section IV, Bidding Forms.

The Suppliers can only establish Joint Ventures to enhance their capabilities. Consortiums will not be eligible for participating in this tender. Qualification requirements for Joint Ventures (JV) are as follows:

4.6 The Bidder must show evidence that the JV will be able to provide continued representation/ legal services in Turkey providing the sufficient technical support for the proposed System. The warranty services, including operational support activities, services must be provided locally within Istanbul.

4.7 During the past five (5) years, the Bidder must have successfully completed at least one (1) similar contracts for providing special purpose vehicles such as NBC vehicles and/or systems or similar vehicles (Ambulances, Fire Trucks, Mobile

Hospital Trucks, Search and Rescue Trucks, Survey Vehicles, Communication Vehicles, Broadcast Vehicles, etc.) either equipped or non-equipped to various clients under one or several Contracts having similar functional/technical characteristics given in the Technical Requirements in Section VI of this Bidding Document.

4.8 The annual average turnover of the JV Partners collectively must exceed Euro 5 Million (Five million Euro) or an equivalent amount in a freely convertible currency during last 3 (three) years, where the average turnover of the Lead Partner must be at least 50% (fifty percent) of this amount and each of the other partners must have at least 25 % (twenty five percent) of this amount during the last 3 years.

4.9 Additional documents to be submitted (to be used during the qualification):

(i). The JV partners shall provide reference list of major customers in the last five (5) years with address, fax number, and contact person and reference letters at least from three major customers who IPCU may contact.

(ii). The JV partners shall provide complete and accurate information about non-performance of a contract within the last three (3) years prior to the deadline for application submission, based on all information on fully settled disputes or litigation. A fully settled dispute or litigation is one that has been resolved in accordance with the Dispute Resolution Mechanism under the respective contract, and where all appeal instances available to the bidder have been exhausted. A negative determination against the bidder for non-performance of a contract shall be a reason for disqualifying the bidder. If a dispute or litigation is settled before signing the Contract with the successful bidder, further determination will be done against the qualification of the successful bidder before signing the Contract.

(iii). If the bid is submitted by an agent, the JV shall submit, as part of their bid, Copyright Authorization or Manufacturer Authorization Form accordingly in a format given in Section IV, Bidding Forms.

If Bidder is not Manufacturer:

If a Bidder is not a manufacturer, but is offering the Goods on behalf of the Manufacturer under Manufacturer's Authorization Form (Section IV, Bidding Forms), the Manufacturer shall demonstrate the above qualifications 4.1 to 4.10 and the Bidder shall demonstrate that it has successfully completed at least one (1) similar contracts for providing special purpose vehicles such as NBC vehicles and/or systems or similar vehicles (Ambulances, Fire Trucks, Mobile Hospital Trucks, Search and Rescue Trucks, Survey Vehicles, Communication Vehicles, Broadcast Vehicles, etc.) either equipped or non-equipped to various clients under one or several Contracts having similar functional/technical characteristics given in the Technical Requirements in Section VI of this Bidding Document in the past five (5) years.

5. Interested eligible Bidders may obtain further information from IPCU and inspect the bidding documents at the address given below from 9:00 to 17:00 hours (Turkey time).

6. A complete set of bidding documents in English may be purchased by interested Bidders on submission of a written application to the address below and upon payment of a nonrefundable fee of 400 TL or in 100 Euros. The method of payment will be direct deposit to bank account numbers are as follows:

TL Account:

Vakıfbank Mercan Branch Istanbul,
IBAN Number: TR31 0001 5001 5800 7286 1036 53

EURO Account:

Vakıfbank Mercan Branch Istanbul,
IBAN Number: TR91 0001 5001 5804 8000 3946 63
The document will be sent by certified mail.

7. Bids must be delivered to the address below at or before ***February 13, 2018 at 14:00 hrs (Turkey time)***. Bids ***need*** to be secured by a Bid Security. The amount of Bid Security required is: 250.000 TL (twohundredfiftythousand Turkish Liras) or an equivalent amount in a freely convertible currency. Late bids will be rejected. Bids will be opened in the presence of Bidders' representatives who choose to attend at the address below on ***February 13, 2018 at 14:00 hrs (Turkey time)***
8. The addresses referred to above are:

Address for obtaining further information:

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Address for bid submission and bid opening:

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