

Invitation for Bids (IFB)

Name of the Country:	<i>Islamic Republic of Pakistan</i>
Name of Project:	<i>Tax Administration Reforms Project</i>
Brief Description of the Information System	<i>Supply, Installation and Configuration Of Video Surveillance, Access System, Connectivity & Allied Equipment</i>
Credit #	<i>Cr.4007-PAK</i>
Grant #	<i>Tf.054392</i>
ICB #	<i>1(30)/SS(PTR)/2008</i>
IFB Title	<i>Supply, Installation and Configuration Of Video Surveillance, Access System, Connectivity & Allied Equipment</i>

1. This Invitation for Bids (IFB) follows the General Procurement Notice (GPN) for this project that appeared in Development Business, issue no. of 27th August, 2004. Applicable edition of the Guidelines: Procurement under IBRD Loans and IDA Credits of May 2004, revised October, 2006 and May 2010.
2. The *Islamic Republic of Pakistan* has received credit / grant from the *International Development Association (IDA) / Department For International Development (DFID)* toward the cost of *Tax Administration Reform Project* and it intends to apply part of the proceeds of this *Credit / Grant* to payments under the agreement(s) resulting from this IFB namely, *Supply, Installation and Configuration Of Video Surveillance, Access System, Connectivity & Allied Equipment*
3. The *Federal Board of Revenue* serves as the implementing agency for the project and now invites sealed bids from eligible Bidders for the *Supply, Installation and Configuration Of Video Surveillance, Access System, Connectivity & Allied Equipment*:

[NB: For detailed review of the bidding documents including specifications of items and quantities please visit FBR website <http://www.fbr.gov.pk/tenders/Default.asp>].

4. Bidding will be conducted using the International Competitive Bidding (ICB) procedures specified in the World Bank's Guidelines: Procurement under IBRD Loans and IDA Credits and is open to all Bidders from eligible source countries as defined in the Guidelines that meet the following minimum qualification criteria:

- 4.1. **Financial Capability**

- 4.1.1. **Turnover**

Overall cumulative turnover of at least US \$ 0.7 million or equivalent in the last five years. In case of a joint venture the lead partner's turnover should not be less than 50%;

- 4.1.2. **Liquidity**

At least, US \$ 0.2 million or equivalent in the form of liquid assets i.e, Cash in Bank or Certified Credit line facility with a scheduled Bank. In case of joint venture the lead partner's liquid assets should not be less than 50%;

- 4.2. **Experience and Technical Capacity**

During past five (5) years, the Bidder must have completed at least three (3) successful contracts for supply of security equipments whose aggregate value should be equivalent to quoted bid price.

5. Interested eligible Bidders may obtain further information from *Federal Board of Revenue* and inspect the bidding documents at the address given below from *0900 to 1500 hours on any working day*.
6. 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 *Pak Rupees 1,000*. The method of payment will be a *direct deposit at any branch of National Bank of Pakistan or State Bank of Pakistan under Government of Pakistan Head of Account C 03870 – Miscellaneous Receipts*. The document will be sent by *Courier Service against payment of Rs.300 for delivery within Pakistan and Rs.6,500 or equivalent in case of delivery for abroad*. A pre-bid meeting, which potential bidders may attend, will be held at *1200 hours on 29th June, 2011 at FBR House*. *Bidders are requested to submit their queries/questions in writing one week prior to the pre-bid conference for response*.
7. Bids must be delivered to the address below *by 1100 hours on 1st August, 2011*. All bids must be accompanied by a bid security in shape of Bank Guarantee, Pay order, Demand Draft, Call Deposit only, which should be equal to 2% of the bid amount. The amount of the Bid Security shall be in *Pak Rupees* or an equivalent amount in a freely convertible currency. Late bids will be rejected. Bids will be opened in the presence of the Bidders' representatives, who choose to attend at the address below at *1130 hour on 1st August, 2011*.

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