

Supply, Installation & Configuration of the Hardware & Software for
FBR Private Cloud Active Active Data Center at Islamabad

Under
One Envelop Procedure

INVITATION FOR BIDS (IFB) - GOODS

December 22nd, 2017



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Invitation For Bids – Goods (One-Envelope Bidding Process)

(Date: December 22th, 2017)

Country: Islamic Republic of Pakistan

Name of Project: Accelerating Growth and Reforms Multi-Donor Trust Fund (MDTF) Grant for Strengthening Tax Systems and Building Tax Policy Analysis Capacity

Contract Title: *Supply, Installation & Configuration of the Hardware & Software for FBR Private Cloud Data Centers at Islamabad*

Grant No.: TFOA4946

RFB Reference No.: 1(124) S (BDT-IT)/2017

1. The Islamic Republic of Pakistan has received grant from the International Development Association financing from the World Bank toward the cost of Strengthening FBR's Capacity in Information Technology, and intends to apply part of the proceeds toward payments under the contract *Supply, Installation & Configuration of the Hardware & Software for FBR Private Cloud Active Active Data Center Islamabad*.
 2. The Federal Board of Revenue now invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for *Supply, Installation & Configuration of the Hardware & Software for FBR Private Cloud Data Active Active Data Center at Islamabad*.
 3. Bidding will be conducted under One Envelop Procedure through National Competitive Bidding (NCB) using a Request for Bids (RFB) Document as specified in the World Bank's "Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers" January 2017 ("Procurement Regulations"), and is open to all eligible Bidders as defined in the Procurement Regulations.
 4. Interested eligible Bidders may obtain further information from Federal Board of Revenue, Syeda Adeela Bokhari- Chief TAGR-procurement at steptagr@fbr.gov.pk and inspect the Standard Procurement Document during office hours *from 0900 to 1600 on any working day* at the address given below.
 5. The Standard Procurement Document in English may be purchased by interested Bidders upon the submission of a written application to the address below and upon payment of a nonrefundable fee of PKR 5,000. 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 1391200-Fees, Fine and Forfeitures. The document will be sent by Courier Service against payment of PKR 1,000 for delivery within Pakistan and PKR 10,000 or equivalent in case of delivery abroad.
 6. Bids must be delivered to the address below from 30 days of publication i.e. 22nd January, 2018 on or before 1100. Electronic Bidding will not be permitted. Late Bids will be rejected. Bids will be publicly opened in the presence of the Bidders' designated representatives and
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anyone who chooses to attend at the address below on the last date of submission of bids i.e 22nd January, 2018.

7. A Pre-Bid meeting will be held within 2 weeks of this publication at the address given below on 5th January 2018 on 1100 am. Bidders are strongly encouraged to bring a copy of the Standard Bidding Document with them for any discussion and clarification regarding contents of the SBDs.
8. All Bids must be accompanied by a bid security in shape of Bank Guarantee, Pay Order, and Demand Draft, call deposit only which should be equivalent to 2% of the total bid value. The amount of the bid security shall be in Pak Rupees or an equivalent amount in freely convertible currency.
9. The procurement and ensuing contract are subject to availability of financing from World Bank.
10. The address referred to above is:

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