



Invitation for Bids

Date:	23 April 2019
Grant No. and Title:	51330-MLD: South Asia Subregional Economic Cooperation National Single Window Project
Contract No. and Title:	GD-01: Supply, Install, Configure, Develop, and Maintain NSW Software and Hardware (Turnkey NSW System)
Deadline for Submission of Bids:	Extended to 10 June 2019, 12:00 hrs., Maldivian Time

1. The Government of the Republic of Maldives has applied for financing from Asian Development Bank (ADB) toward the cost of **South Asia Subregional Economic Cooperation National Single Window Project**. Part of this financing will be used for payments under the contract named below. Bidding is open to Bidders from eligible source countries of ADB.

2. The **Ministry of Finance, on behalf of Ministry of Economic Development** (the Employer), invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for the **Supply, Install, Configure, Develop, and Maintain NSW Software and Hardware (Turnkey NSW System) (Package No. GD-01)**. Completion period is 30 months after the contract signing date with 36 months maintenance period (including one year warranty period).

3. **Open competitive bidding – International** will be conducted in accordance with ADB's [Single Stage: One Envelope](#) bidding procedure and is open to all Bidders from eligible countries as described in the Bidding Document.

4. Only eligible Bidders with the following key qualifications should participate in this bidding:

- Minimum average annual construction turnover of USD 5.00 million calculated as total certified payments received for contracts in progress or completed, within the last 3 years;
- Successful completion of Software Development, implementation, customization and maintenance Contract as main supplier within the last five (5) years, of at least One (1) contract(s) each valued at least four (4) million USD with nature, and complexity similar to the scope of requirements described in Section 6 (Schedule of Requirements).

For the complete eligibility and qualification requirements, Bidders should refer to the Bidding Document.

5. To obtain further information and inspect the Bidding Document, Bidders should contact:

Mr. Ahmed Mujuthaba
Chief Procurement Executive
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Copy to: tender@finance.gov.mv

6. A complete set of bidding documents and related documentation is available for download on Ministry of Finance website www.finance.gov.mv **free of cost**. The Employer shall not be held liable for any information not received by the Bidder. It is the Bidder's responsibility to verify the website for the latest information related to this Bid.

7. To participate in the bidding process, eligible Bidders shall register with the Ministry of Finance, between 4 April 2019 to 19 May 2019, by: (a) payment of a non-refundable Registration fee of MVR 1,500.00 (Maldivian Rufiyaa One Thousand Five Hundred) or USD 100.00, by cash/cheque at the Ministry of Finance between 08:30 hrs. and 12:00 hrs. on all working days, or by electronic transfer to a designated bank account, information of which can be requested through email to aminath.juweriya@finance.gov.mv; and, (b) submitting in person or e-mailing the following information, once the payment has been confirmed:

- Name and Address of the Bidder
- Name, e-mail ID and telephone numbers of the Contact Person(s)
- Copy of the Payment/Transaction Receipt.

8. Any clarifications to the project may be sent to the address in clause 5 of this invitation for bids on or before 13:00 Hours Maldivian Time on 10 May 2019.

9. Deliver bids:

- to the address above
- **on or before 10 June 2019, 12:00 hrs., Maldivian Time**
- together with bid security as described in the Bidding Document
- Electronic submission of bid is not allowed.

Late bids will be rejected.

Bids will be opened immediately in the presence of Bidders' representatives who choose to attend.

10. This Invitation for Bid is also published in the Ministry of Finance website www.finance.gov.mv