



Invitation for Prequalification

Date:	24 February 2021
Loan/Grant No. and Title:	Loan 3794/Grant0646-MLD: South Asia Sub regional Economic Cooperation National Single Window Project
Contract No. and Title:	Package No. 01 R: Supply, Install, Configure, Develop and Maintain NSW Software and Hardware (Turnkey NSW System)
Deadline for Submission of Bids:	5 April 2021, 11:00 hours Maldivian Time

1. The Republic of Maldives has received financing from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) toward the cost of **South Asia Sub regional Economic Cooperation National Single Window Project** and part of this financing will be used for payment under the Contract Package named above. The eligibility rules and procedures of ADB will govern the prequalification and the bidding process.
2. The Ministry of Finance, on behalf of Ministry of Economic Development (“the Employer”) intends to prequalify firms for: **Supply, Install, Configure, Develop, and Maintain NSW Software and Hardware (Turnkey NSW System)**.
3. It is expected that the Invitation for Bids will be made in May 2021.
4. To obtain further information and inspect the Pre-qualification Document, interested eligible Applicants should contact:

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5. Interested Applicants shall register with the Ministry of Finance, from **24 February 2021 to 4 April 2021** by:
 - payment of a non-refundable Registration fee of **MVR 1,500.00 (Maldivian Rufiyaa One Thousand Five Hundred) or USD 100.00 (United States Dollar One Hundred)**, through our online payment portal - **Ban'deyri Pay** (<https://bandeyripay.finance.gov.mv/>), or by electronic transfer to a designated

bank account, information of which can be requested through email to above given email addresses, and;

- Once the payment has been confirmed, the applicant shall be registered upon submitting in person or by electronic mail, the following information to the address specified in paragraph 4 above:
 - Name and Address of the Applicant
 - Name, Email address and contact number of the Contact Person(s)
 - Copy of the Payment/Transaction Receipt.
6. A complete set of Pre-qualification documents and related documentation shall be available on the Ministry of Finance website www.finance.gov.mv for downloading until 4 April 2021. The Ministry of Finance shall not be held liable for any information not received by the Applicant, and it is the Applicants responsibility to verify the website for the latest information related to this invitation for pre-qualification.
 7. A pre-application meeting will be held online, details of which will be provided to all registered Applicants as well as Applicants who submit by email their interest to attend the meeting before 14:00 hours on 2 March 2021. Any clarifications to the project may be sent to the email addresses above within time as per ITA 7.1 of the Pre-qualification Document.
 8. Deliver your application in sealed envelopes (bearing the name and address of the Applicant and the specific identification of this prequalification process):
 - to the address above
 - on or before **11:00 hours Maldivian Time on 5 April 2021**

The Employer reserves the right to accept or reject late Applications.

9. The Employer will not be responsible for any cost or expense incurred by Applicants in connection with the preparation or delivery of their Application.
10. The Employer will notify all Applicants in writing of the names of those Applicants who have been pre-qualified.