The Government of Mongolia has received financing from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) toward the cost of the Skills for Employment Project and intends to apply part of the proceeds of this financing to payments under the contracts named above. Bidding is open to Bidders from eligible source countries of ADB.

The Ministry of Education, Culture, Science and Sports of Mongolia ("the Purchaser") invites sealed bids from eligible Bidders for supply and delivery of equipment and tools for STEM subjects, senior secondary education under five (5) lots, as follows:

Lot 1 (Chemistry): 87 sets;
Lot 2 (Physics): 117 sets;
Lot 3 (Design and Technology): 72 sets;
Lot 4 (Audio-visual aid): 276 sets;
Lot 5 (Math): 483 sets

Bidders may bid for one lot, combination of lots and all lots.

International Competitive Bidding (ICB) 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.

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

Contractual Experience
- As a minimum, at least two (2) contracts successfully completed as supplier within the last three (3) years with the aggregate amount of these two (2) contracts equal to at least:

  Lot 1 (Chemistry): USD 680,000;
  Lot 2 (Physics): USD 1,600,000;
  Lot 3 (Design and Technology): USD 1,080,000;
Lot 4 (Audio-Visual Aid): USD 260,000;  
Lot 5 (Math): USD 250,000

OR

at least one (1) contract successfully completed as supplier within the last three (3) years with the amount equal to at least:

Lot 1 (Chemistry): USD 600,000  
Lot 2 (Physics): USD 1,400,000  
Lot 3 (Design and Technology): USD 940,000  
Lot 4 (Audio-Visual Aid): USD 230,000  
Lot 5 (Math): USD 220,000

which should be the supply contract of educational equipment and educational goods.

Bidders for multiple Lots shall meet the aggregate requirements for lots stated above.

Average Annual Turnover

• Minimum average annual turnover of calculated as total payments received by the Bidder for contracts completed or under execution over the last three (3) years for:

Lot 1 (Chemistry): USD 1.28 million  
Lot 2 (Physics): USD 3 million  
Lot 3 (Design and Technology): USD 2 million  
Lot 4 (Audio-Visual Aid): USD 0.5 million  
Lot 5 (Math): USD $0.48 million

calculated as total payments received by the Bidder for contracts completed or under execution over the last three (3) years.

Bidders for multiple Lots shall meet the aggregate requirements for lots stated above.

Cash Flow

• Availability of or access to liquid assets, lines of credit, and other finances sufficient to meet cash flow requirement which is at least:

Lot 1 (Chemistry): USD 425,000  
Lot 2 (Physics): USD 1,020,000  
Lot 3 (Design and Technology): USD 675,000  
Lot 4 (Audio-Visual Aid): USD 165,000  
Lot 5 (Math): USD 160,000

Bidders for multiple Lots shall meet the aggregate requirements for lots stated above.

Historical Financial Performance

• Soundness of the Bidder's financial position showing long-term profitability demonstrated through audited annual financial statements (balance sheet, income statement) for the last three (3) years.
Pending Litigation

- All pending claims, arbitration, or other litigation shall represent in total not more than 50 percent of the Bidder’s net worth. Any pending litigation or arbitration formally commenced against the Bidder shall be considered.

Additional details are provided in the Bidding Documents.

5. Interested eligible Bidders may obtain further information from the Project Implementation Unit of Skills for Employment Project and inspect the Bidding Document at the address given below, during 09:30-12:30 and 14:00-17:00 hours of working days.

6. To purchase the Bidding Document in the English, eligible Bidders should:
   - Send official letter to batzaya@sfep.mn or deliver to the below address requesting the Bidding Document no. GS05;
   - Pay a non-refundable fee of USD 30 by cash or bank transfer to:
     - Beneficiary Bank: State Bank of Mongolia, Address: Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia
     - USD Account number: 1060-0003-5699, Account name: Skills for Employment Project
     - SWIFT Code: STBMMNUB
     - Correspondent Bank: China Construction Bank Corporation, New York branch
     - SWIFT CODE: PCBCUS33, USD Account no. 675201295560

The Bidding Document will be sent by email.

7. Bids must be delivered to the address below at or before 15:30 hours (Ulaanbaatar time) on 2 May 2019. All bids must be accompanied by a Bid Security as described in the Bidding Document. Late bids shall be rejected.

8. The Purchaser will not be responsible for any cost or expense incurred by Bidders in connection with the preparation or delivery of bids.

9. The address referred to above is as follows:

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