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Directorate General of Food Modern Food Storage Facilities Project (MFSP) ProbashiKallayan Bhaban (Level-17) 71-72 Eskaton Garden, Dhaka-1000 www.mfsp.gov.bd

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Date: 20/09/2020

## **Invitation for Bids (IFB)**

Country: Bangladesh

Project name: Modern Food Storage Facilities Project

Credit Number: IDA 5265-BD

Name of IFB: Supply, Installation and Commissioning of Online food stock and market monitoring

system of DG Food including data center, software etc

IFB Number: GD-27a

- 1. The Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the Modern Food Storage Facilities Project, and intends to apply part of the proceeds toward payments under the contract for above mentioned package.
- 2. The Directorate General of Food now invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for above mentioned package.
- 3. Bidding will be conducted through the International Competitive Bidding procedures as specified in the World Bank's Guidelines: Procurement of Goods, Works and Non-Consulting Services under IBRD Loans and IDA Credits & Grants by World Bank Borrowers 2011 ("Procurement Guidelines"), and is open to all eligible bidders as defined in the Procurement Guidelines. In addition, please refer to paragraphs 1.6 and 1.7 setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest.
- 4. Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information and inspect the bidding documents from the website <a href="www.mfsp.gov.bd">www.mfsp.gov.bd</a> and may contact the procureing entity during office hours.
- 5. A complete set of bidding documents in English may be purchased by eligible bidders upon the submission of a written application to the address below and upon payment of a non-refundable fee of BDT 10,000 (Taka Ten Thousand only) or USD 120 (USD One hundred twenty only). The method of payment will be Bank Draft or Pay Order in favor of Director General of Food. For overseas delivery, the bidder may obtain the bidding document by instructing any international courier service/local agent to collect the same from the address given below. Softcopy of the bidding documents are available (for view only) at website <a href="https://www.mfsp.gov.bd">www.mfsp.gov.bd</a> for information only.
- 6. A pre-bid meeting will be held at address below on **07 October 2020 at 11:00 hour**. In addition, the pre-bid meeting will be telecast live through videoconference (which will also be recorded) and the link to the videoconference will be sent 7 calender days before the specified date of pre-bid meeting through email to all prospective bidders who purchased the bidding documents.
- 7. Bids must be delivered to the address below on or before **04** November **2020 14:00** hour. 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 anyone who choose to attend at the address below on the same day at 14:30 hour. In addition, the bid opening meeting will be telecast live through videoconference (which will also be recorded) and the link to the videoconference will be sent 7 calender days before the specified date of bid opening through email to all prospective bidders who purchased the bidding documents who may choose to attend the meeting virtually.
- 8. All bids must be accompanied by a Bid Security of USD 300,000 or BDT 25million.
- 9. The attention of prospective Bidders is drawn to (i) the fact that they will be required to certify in their bids that all software is either covered by a valid license or was produced by the Bidder and (ii) that violations are considered fraud, which can result in ineligibility to be awarded World Bank-financed contracts.

The address referred to above is: Project Director Modern Food Storage Facilities Project ProbashiKallayan Bhaban (Level-17) 71-72 Eskaton Garden, Dhaka-1000, Bangladesh

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(Md. Rezaul Karim Sheikh)
Project Director

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- 1. The Secretary, Ministry of Food, Bangladesh Secretariat, Dhaka.
- 2. Director General of Food, Directorate General of Food, Dhaka.
- 3. Task Team Leader of MFSP, World Bank, Dhaka.
- 4. System Analyst, Directorate General of Food, Dhaka. He is requested to publish IFB in the website of the DG Food <a href="www.dgfood.gov.bd">www.dgfood.gov.bd</a>
- 5. Senior Procurement Specialist, MFSP, Dhaka. He is requested to publish full set of bidding document and IFB in the website of the Project <a href="www.mfsp.gov.bd">www.mfsp.gov.bd</a>. Also, to publish IFB in CPTU and UNDB website.
- 6. Assisstant Deputy Director, MFSP, Dhaka. He is requested to publish the IFB in one national Bangla newspaper and one national English newspaper.

(Md. Rezaul Karim Sheikh)
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