



MINISTRY OF EDUCATION

Education System Transformation Programme (ESTP)

Invitation to Bid
***Procurement for the Supply & Delivery of
School Furniture***

The **Government of Jamaica** has received financing (Loan # 2301-OC-JA) from the Inter-American Development Bank (IDB) toward the cost of executing the **Education System Transformation Programme**, and it intends to apply part of the proceeds toward payments under the contract for the ***Supply and Delivery of School Furniture***.

Bidding will be conducted using the National Competitive Bidding (NCB) procedures specified in the Inter-American Development Bank's Policies for the Procurement of Goods financed by the Inter-American Development Bank (IDB) and is opened to all bidders from IDB member countries.

Local interested bidders **must** present evidence of registration with the **National Contracts Commission (NCC)** at the time of submission in the category of School Furniture and **must** also present a valid **Tax Compliance Certificate (TCC)**.

Interested eligible bidders may obtain a copy of the bid document at the **Ministry of Education's ESTP Office** (address below), weekdays **9:30AM – 04:30PM as of Tuesday, May 19, 2015**. The Bid document may be purchased by interested applicants on payment of a non-refundable fee of **J\$3,000.00**. The method of payment shall be **cash, wire transfer, or bank draft made payable to the Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Education**. Payments should be made to the Cashier at the Accounts Payable Department, 2nd Floor, Building 1. The bid document may then be collected by hand or by email from the address below.

Bids should be submitted in sealed envelopes to the address below by **June 12, 2015 @ 2:00 p.m.** and be clearly marked "**Procurement for the Supply & Delivery of School Furniture**", and addressed to:

The Director
Education System Transformation Programme
Ministry of Education
Building 1, Room 500
2-4 National Heroes Circle
Kingston 4, Jamaica
Tel: 876 -612-5886
E-mail: estp@moey.gov.jm

The Tender box will be closed on **June 12, 2015** at **2:00 p.m.** sharp after which the Tender Opening will commence at **2:10 p.m.** at:

Ministry of Education
Building 1, 5th Floor Conference Room
2-4 National Heroes Circle
Kingston 4, Jamaica.

LATE BIDS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.