





REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

CONSULTING SERVICES – SYSTEM INTEGRATION, MINISTRY OF EDUCATION, YOUTH AND INFORMATION

> TENDER#: NIDS/2021/3.2.5.3/QCBS Country: JAMAICA

LOAN #4437/OC-JA – IMPLEMENTATION OF NATIONAL IDENTIFICATION SYSTEM FOR ECONOMIC GROWTH

The Office of the Prime Minister (OPM), acting on behalf of the Government of Jamaica (hereinafter called "Borrower"), has received financing (hereinafter called "funds") in the amount equivalent to US\$68,000,000.00 from the Inter-American Development Bank (hereinafter called "the Bank") towards the cost of the implementation of 4437/OC-JA -National Identification System (NIDS) Project. The Borrower intends to apply a portion of the funds to eligible payments under the contract for the upgrade/improvement of the Government's Information and Communications Technology Infrastructure. Payments by the Bank will be subject in all respects to the terms and conditions of the Loan Contract. Payments will be made only at the request of the Borrower and upon approval by the Bank in accordance with the terms and conditions of the financing contract between the Borrower and the Bank. No party other than the Borrower shall derive any rights from the Loan Contract or have any claim to the funds.

The OPM now invites eligible firms or consortia ("Consultants") to indicate interest in providing the required services. Interested Consultants should provide information demonstrating:

- 1. At least five (5) years' experience in developing and modifying completed enterprise schools' management system and schools' beneficiary system;
- Demonstrated experience with system architecture design in at least three (3) completed enterprise solutions development and implementation;
- 3. Experience developing training manuals and delivering training for technical users and end-users for three (3) completed projects;
- 4. The proposed team of experts for this consultancy;
- Two (2) client references for similar work done;
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- 6. Registration of firm, that is, presentation of a valid certificate of business registration; and
- 7. A valid Tax Compliance Letter.

Consultants will be selected in accordance with the procedures set out in the Inter-American Development Bank: Policies for the Selection and Contracting of Consultants financed by the Inter-American Development Bank GN-2350-9 and is open to all local eligible bidders as defined in the policies. A Consultant will be selected in accordance with the Quality-and Cost-Based Selection (QCBS) method set out in the Consultant Policies. An evaluation of the EOI proposals will be completed and the top six firms meeting the minimum required score of 70 points will be shortlisted for the Request for Proposal stage.

The Terms of Reference will be made available for download via the e-GP Procurement System at https://www.gojep/gov.jm. on July 12, 2021. For assistance regarding registration, training on use of system, download of tender documents and upload of tender proposals, please contact the Ministry of Finance, Procurement and Asset Policy Unit Customer Care Desk at 876-932-5220/932-5253 or email papucustomercare@mof.gov.jm.

Expressions of Interest must be completed using the Expression of Interest Submission Document and submitted electronically in PDF Format via the GOJ's e-GP Procurement system at https://www.gojep/gov.jm by 3:00 p.m. local time Wednesday, August 11, 2021.

The OPM reserves the right to terminate the procurement process and reject all submissions at any time prior to the award of contract without thereby incurring any liability to any of the bidders.

NOTICE

WORK FROM HOME ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE OFFICE OF PUBLIC PROCUREMENT POLICY

The Ministry of Finance and the Public Service, through the Office of **Public Procurement** Policy wishes to advise that the Office will be operating remotely during the period March 04, 2021-March 25, 2021 in accordance with the **Prime Minister's** announcement of mandatory Work from Home Orders for members of the public service.

While these arrangements are in place, the Office may be reached by emailing the Help Desk at opppcustomercare@ mof.gov.jm. Where matters are exigent, the following details may be used.

For matters related to the Government of Jamaica Electronic Procurement (GOJEP) Platform, please contact:

- 1-876-806-5149;
- 1-876-806-4581;
- 1-876-806-4536; or
- 1-876-806-5587

For matters related to Procurement Policy Advisory, please contact: • 1-876-806-4536; or • 1-876-838-6224

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For matters related to Insurance Placement and Training, please contact:

- 1-876-806-4978; or • 1-876-806-4536
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Invitation for Bids

Provision of Consultancy Services for Development and Implementation of Data Visualization and Business Intelligence Platform Bid No: PPC-PROC#0063/2021

The Public Procurement Commission, formerly known as the National Contracts Commission, now invites eligible and qualified bidders to submit bids for the **Development and Implementation of Data Visualization and Business Intelligence Platform** for its offices on the 3rd Floor, Panjam Building, 60 Knutsford Boulevard, Kingston 5.

Funding:	Funding will be provided by the Government of Jamaica.
Procurement Method: International Competitive Bidding (ICB)	
Eligibility Criteria:	A copy of the Consultant's valid Tax Compliance Certificate shall be submitted prior to the contract award.
Availability of Bidding Document:	Bidding Document is now available for download on the Government Electronic Procurement Platform at www.gojep.gov.jm.
Bid Validity Period: 120 days after bid closing date	
Pre-Bid Meeting:	A pre-proposal conference will take place online via Zoom on July 23, 2021 at 1100 hours (11:00 a.m.) .
Clarification:	The deadline for request for clarification is August 5, 2021 at 1100 hours (11:00 a.m.).
Deadline:	Tenders must be submitted on the Government Electronic Procurement Platform no later than August 10, 2021 at 1100 hours (11:00 a.m.). Late submissions will be automatically rejected.
Online tenders will only be made available and accepted via the Government Electronic Procurement Platform (www.gojep.gov.jm).	

No hard copies will be accepted as there will be no tender box available for the submission of tender documents.

To participate in this tender opportunity, suppliers must be registered and trained to use the Electronic Procurement System **at www.gojep.gov.jm.**

For assistance in regard to registration, training, access to tender document and uploading of bids, please contact the *Ministry* of *Finance, Office of the Public Procurement Policy Unit Customer Service Desk* at 1-876-806-5149, 1-876-806-4581, 876-806-4536, 876-932-5251 or 876-932-5244, or via email at opppcustomercare@mof.gov.jm.

Interested bidders may obtain further information from the: Manager, Public Procurement Public Procurement Commission 3rd Floor Panjam Building 60 Knutsford Boulevard Kingston 5 Telephone #:1-876-807-3114/1-876-754-3747 Email: tamara.holt@ppc.gov.jm

PLEASE CHECK THE MINISTRY'S WEBSITE FOR THE FULL DOCUMENTS

> For Bookings Email: jisadvertising@gmail.com, procurement@jis.gov.jm