



**Government  
of Jamaica**



**OFFICE OF THE PRIME MINISTER  
INVITATION FOR BIDS**

**Institution:** Inter-American Development Bank (IDB)  
**Country:** JAMAICA  
**Project Name:** Implementation of the National Identification System (NIDS) for Economic Growth  
**Sector:** Government of Jamaica/Information and Communications Technology  
**Abstract:** The loan will be used to finance goods, works, consulting and non-consulting services related to the improvement of the Government of Jamaica's Information and Communications Technology Infrastructure.  
**Loan #:** 4437/OC-JA  
**Contract/Bid#:** NIDS/2021/WBS-1.2.3.1  
**Deadline:** **November 30, 2021**

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 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 bids from eligible bidders for Civil Registration and Vital Statistics Solution for the Registrar General's Department.

Bidding will be conducted through International Competitive Bidding procedures as specified in the Inter-American Development Bank's Policies for Procurement of Works and Goods financed by the Inter-American Development Bank (GN2349-9), and is open to all eligible bidders as defined.

Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information and inspect the bidding documents via the GOJ's e-GP Procurement System at <https://www.gojep.gov.jm>.

**Eligibility for Bid Submission**

To establish eligibility, Bidders must comply with the following criteria at the time of bid submission:

1. First Stage Bid Form completed and signed;
2. Valid copy of Certificate of Incorporation;
3. Proof of certification from manufacturer(s) to implement and support the systems being proposed OR Declaration of ownership of the system being proposed signed by a Notary Public.
4. Copy of Joint Venture Agreement, if making submission as a Joint Venture;
5. Bidder is from an IDB Member country.

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Bids are to be submitted electronically via the GOJ's e-GP Procurement System at <https://gojep.gov.jm> by **3:00 p.m. local time on November 30, 2021**.

Tender opening will be done electronically on the same day at **3:15 p.m. local time**. An online bid opening report will be sent to all Bidders who submit a proposal. A bid security will not be required.

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.

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