



The Ministry of Health & Wellness

REQUEST FOR BIDS

Request for the Supply, delivery, installation and commissioning of Laparoscopic Tower inclusive of two (2) years' Service Contract and Compatible UPS System for the Unit – St. Ann's Bay Regional Hospital

Procuring Entity: North-East Regional Health Authority (NERHA)

Scope: Supply, delivery, installation and commissioning of Laparoscopic Tower inclusive of two (2) years' Service Contract and Compatible UPS System for the Unit – St. Ann's Bay Regional Hospital

Eligibility Requirements:

1. Copy of a valid Tax Compliance Certificate (TCC)
2. Copy of a valid Public Procurement Commission (PPC) Certificate in the Medical Equipment and Supplies

Procurement Method: National Competitive Bidding

Availability of Tender Documents: Bidding Documents will be available for download on the Government of Jamaica Electronic Procurement website at www.gojep.gov.jm as of **Wednesday, August 28, 2024 at 11:30 a.m.**

Deadline for Bid Submission: Bids must be submitted online via www.gojep.gov.jm by **Thursday, September 19, 2024 at 2:00 p.m.** Late bids will be automatically rejected by the system.

Bid Opening: An online bid opening will take place on www.gojep.gov.jm on **Thursday, September 19, 2024 at 2:15 p.m.** An online bid opening report will be sent to all bidders who submit a proposal.

Bids shall be valid for a period of **120 days** after bid closing date. There will be no physical tender box for drop-off of bids.

For additional information, please visit the North-East Regional Health Authority's website at <http://www.nerha.gov.jm>.

This is an online Tender where tenders will only be made available and accepted via the Government Electronic Procurement Portal (www.gojep.gov.jm). No offline (hard copies) Bids will be accepted and there will be no physical tender box for drop-off of tender documents.

To participate in this tender opportunity, suppliers must first be registered on the Government of Jamaica Electronic Procurement System via the platform at www.gojep.gov.jm.

To register, please select the "Register as a supplier" link from the system home page.

For assistance regarding training, 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/ 932-5246/932-5253 or via email at oppccustomer@moj.gov.jm.

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST (CONSULTING SERVICES – INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANT SELECTION)

Loan No.: LN-9652-JM
Assignment Title: Functional Assessment of Jamaica's Public Employment Services
Reference No.: JM-MLSS-387412-CS-INDV

The Government of Jamaica/Ministry of Labour & Social Security has received financing from the World Bank towards the cost of implementing the Social Protection for Increased Resilience and Opportunity (SPIRO) Project and intends to apply part of the proceeds for consulting services for the **Functional Assessment of Jamaica's Public Employment Services**.

Objectives of the Consultancy: The Consultancy will have two primary tasks: 1) assessing Jamaica's IT systems for providing Employment Services; 2) mapping current ("as is") Employment Services business processes and making recommendations for an improved ("to be") ES operational model; 3) providing support for the implementation of the proposed new model; and 4) coordinating and overseeing an assessment of the IT systems underlying Jamaica's Employment Services that will be undertaken in a parallel consultancy. The focus of these tasks will be MLSS's four main Employment Services functions (labour market intelligence, job matching, career and skills guidance, referrals) and the case management, monitoring and evaluation, performance management, and grievance redress processes that support delivery across these functions. All tasks will be undertaken in close consultation with MLSS.

Duration of the Consultancy: The Consultant is expected to work for an estimated 110 business days over one year. If not located in Jamaica, the Consultant will be expected to travel to Jamaica on mission(s) to meet with stakeholders, gather information, and hold the required workshop.

Selection Method: Individual Consultant Selection Method as set out in the Procurement Regulations. The evaluation will be based on academic, technical expertise and work experience as detailed in the Terms of Reference.

Availability of the Documents: The detailed Terms of Reference (TOR) for the consultancy were made available for download on **Friday, August 16, 2024** on the following Government website: www.gojep.gov.jm.

Submission Date & Time: CVs must be submitted online via www.gojep.gov.jm on or before **August 30, 2024 at 3:00 p.m.**

To participate in the opportunity, the service provider must first be registered on the Government's Electronic Procurement System at www.gojep.gov.jm.

For assistance with registration on the GOJEP portal, please contact the Ministry of Finance and the Public Service Help Desk at (876) 932-5220 or via email at oppccustomer@moj.gov.jm.

For additional information about the GOJEP, please send email to: mofprocure@mof.gov.jm.

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The Ministry of Labour & Social Security now invites eligible individuals ("Consultants") to indicate their interest in providing the Services for a **Functional Assessment of Jamaica's Public Employment Services**. Interested Consultants should provide information demonstrating that they have the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the Services.

The attention of interested Consultants is drawn to Section III, paragraphs, 3.14, 3.16, and 3.17 of the World Bank's "Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers" September 2023 setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest.

TRAINING NOTICE

SUPPLIER FREE VIRTUAL TRAINING SERIES OCTOBER 2023-FEBRUARY 2024

EXCLUSIVE USE OF THE GOVERNMENT OF JAMAICA ELECTRONIC PROCUREMENT (GOJEP) SYSTEM

In keeping with the Government's commitment to strengthen, promote and enhance the Public Procurement system, the Ministry of Finance and the Public Service (MOFPS), through the Office of Public Procurement Policy (OPPP), has officially mandated the use of the e-Procurement System for procurement transactions exceeding One Million, Five Hundred Thousand Jamaican Dollars (\$1,500,000.00), effective as of August 01, 2023. Suppliers interested in conducting business with the Government of Jamaica are now required to access and submit procurement documents through the Government of Jamaica Electronic Procurement (GOJEP) system. The OPPP is providing continuous and dedicated support to suppliers, and is pleased to announce the commencement of its annual free virtual supplier training series for the 2023-24 financial year. All interested suppliers are encouraged to partake in this initiative. Virtual sessions will run from October 2023-February 2024.

These sessions are designed to empower participants with the knowledge and skills required to effectively support the navigating, administering and managing of the GOJEP system. Each session is four (4) hours in length, and integrates interactive discussions, covering topics such as supplier self-registration, electronic bid submission and supplier account management.

To register for this free virtual training, visit www.procureja.gov.jm, select the "Events" tab and follow the instructions listed below:

- Select the cohort you wish to register for.
- Read the training overview;
- Click the Zoom Event link at the bottom of the page to initiate your registration and select your respective training date. Please note that a maximum of two (2) participants per company are allowed to register;
- Complete the mandatory information for the designated participant/s as required;
- Click 'Register' to confirm your participation.

For more information on this free GOJEP training initiative, contact the Office of Public Procurement Policy by phone: 876-932-5220; or by email oppccustomer@mof.gov.jm or visit our website at www.procureja.gov.jm.

We look forward to seeing you at these sessions.

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