



GOJ PUBLIC PROCUREMENT PAGE

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 Electric 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 opppcustomer@care@mof.gov.jm or visit our website at www.procureja.gov.jm.

We look forward to seeing you at these sessions.

GOJEP – Increasing transparency and efficiency in doing business with the Government of Jamaica.



INVITATION TO QUOTE

(CONSULTING SERVICES– INDIVIDUAL SELECTION)

Contracting Entity: Planning Institute of Jamaica
Project Name: Foundations for Competitiveness and Growth Project
Project Loan No.: 9203-JM – Government of Jamaica Counterpart Financing
Project Activity: FCG/GOJ/CON/42- Consultancy for Assessment of and Guidance on the Establishment of a Programme Management Office (PMO) at Planning Institute of Jamaica (PIOJ)

The Government of Jamaica successfully engaged the World Bank to extend and expand its 6-year US\$50 million loan facility called Foundation for Competitiveness and Growth Project (FCGP) to allow it to deepen the reform initiatives that had been supported under the Project. Approval was granted for the additional financing of an initial US\$10 million from the World Bank and the Government committed to provide a further US\$5 million, thus providing a total of US\$15 million to support the various government entities implementation of investment climate reforms.

The consulting services ("the Services")

The Planning Institute of Jamaica (PIOJ) is at the forefront of coordinating Jamaica's national development initiatives, including the implementation of various public investment projects. In recent years, Jamaica has made significant strides in public sector transformation, particularly through strategic public investment initiatives. However, a common challenge has been the fragmented approach to project management across various Ministries, Departments, and Agencies (MDAs). Many projects, especially those that are cross-cutting, spanning multiple sectors or development goals, do not neatly fall within the purview of a single MDA. These projects often face delays and inefficiencies due to the lack of a cohesive framework that can coordinate, monitor, and ensure their successful implementation.

Large-scale and multi-sectoral projects in particular have struggled with bottlenecks and issues related to resource allocation which have contributed to delays in implementation. Reports from the World Bank and other development agencies have highlighted concerns about low project completion rates and the need for more structured management frameworks to streamline the process.

In this regard, the consultant will analyse and develop the most effective operational framework for a Programme Management Office (PMO) in PIOJ to support select cross-cutting national programmes/projects. The functions of the PMO are envisaged to be:

- Back-office fiduciary and technical support services to facilitate and support implementation of projects which are the subjects of (other) MDAs not having the capacity nor expertise to undertake them.
- Implementation of projects having cross-cutting themes, such as growth, which would not fit within a single MDA.

The intended start date is January 2025 and the anticipated duration is 15 weeks.

The request for quotation can be accessed at www.gojep.gov.jm or <https://www.pioj.gov.jm/procurement/>.

The Planning Institute of Jamaica now invites eligible individuals ("Consultants") to indicate their interest in providing the Services. A Consultant will be selected in accordance with the Public Procurement Act, 2015, the Public Procurement (Amendment) Act, 2018 and the Public Procurement Regulations, 2018. Quotations with a detailed curricula vita, in a written form, must be uploaded on or before **November 22, 2024 at 1:00 p.m.** Submissions will be accepted via the Electronic Government Procurement Portal (www.gojep.gov.jm). No hard copy submission will be accepted.

Further information can be obtained at the address below during office hours **8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. local time.**

Planning Institute of Jamaica
Attn: Dellue Wint Dawkins - Procurement Specialist
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Tel: 876 960 9339
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MINISTRY OF EDUCATION, SKILLS, YOUTH & INFORMATION

INVITATION TO BID

The Government of Jamaica, through the Ministry of Education, Skills, Youth and Information has made budgetary provisions under the 2024-2025 Maintenance Programme for the maintenance of schools with infrastructure issues islandwide.

Eligible bidders are now invited to submit bids to carry out the **Rehabilitation of Existing Defective Timber Building, Re-Roofing to Grade 1 Block & Repairs to Roofs & Ceiling of Grade 5 & 6 Blocks at Burnt Savannah Primary School**

Scope: The scope of works includes but not limited to the following:

- Replacement of Roof Sheeting
- Repairs to roof sheeting
- Painting
- Carpentry Works
- Guttering Works
- Electrical Repairs
- Termite Treatment

Procurement Method: National Competitive Bidding

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

Bidders must submit:

1. Valid Tax Compliance Certificate (T.C.C.)/Valid Tax Compliance Letter (TCL) at the bid submission deadline
2. Valid registration certificate from the Public Procurement Commission (P.P.C.) in the category of **Building Construction (Grade 3) minimum**

Availability of Bidding Document: The bidding Document will be available for download from the GOJ's Electronic Procurement website at www.gojep.gov.jm on **Monday, November 4, 2024**

Mandatory Pre-Bid Meeting/Site Visit: Wednesday, November 13, 2024

Clarifications: Clarifications and/or questions will only be accepted through www.gojep.gov.jm no later than **Friday, November 22, 2024**

Submission Deadline: Bids must be submitted online via www.gojep.gov.jm no later than **Monday, December 2, 2024 at 11:30 a.m.** Bid Opening will follow at **11:45 a.m. (Jamaica time)**

To participate in this tender opportunity, supplies must first be registered on GOJEP at www.gojep.gov.jm.

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

For assistance regarding training, download of tender and upload of tender proposals, please contact the Ministry of Finance, Procurement and Assessment Policy Unit Customer Care Desk at 876-932-5520/932-5253/932-5244 or email papucustomer@care@mof.gov.jm

Failure of the bidder to directly register and download the Tender/Bidding document from the GOJEP website will result in ineligibility/non-responsiveness of that bid and disqualification from the procurement proceedings.

The Ministry of Education, Skills, Youth and Information is not obligated to accept the lowest or any tender and reserves the right to annul the tender process and reject all tenders at any time before the award without incurring any liability.

GOVERNMENT PUBLIC PROCUREMENT

If you are interested in doing business with the Government, you are invited to view tender notices for procurement contracts on this page.

NOTICE

PLEASE CHECK THE MINISTRY'S WEBSITE FOR THE FULL DOCUMENTS

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