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## Invitation for Bids (IFB) (International)

Date: December 11, 2014

Country: Bangladesh

Project: Emergency 2007 Cyclone Recovery and Restoration Project (ECRRP), Sub- Component-D1: Disaster

Risk Mitigation & Reduction

Credit No.: 4819-BD

IFB Title: Procurement of Disruption-free telecom equipment (Satellite Phone)

IFB Notice N.: Memo No.51.02.0000.304.007.36.14

Package No.: GD-13

- 1. This Invitation for Bids follows the General Procurement Notice for this Project that appeared in Development Business.
- 2. The Government of People's Republic of Bangladesh has received a credit from the International Development Association toward the cost of Emergency 2007 Cyclone Recovery and Restoration Project (ECRRP), Sub- Component-D1: Disaster Risk Mitigation & Reduction and it intends to apply part of the proceeds of this credit to payments under the Contract for Procurement of Disruption-free telecom equipment (Satellite Phone) (Package No.GD-13).
- 3. The Department of Disaster Management now invites sealed bid from eligible and qualified bidders for supply of Procurement of Disruption-free telecom equipment (Satellite Phone) for support of disaster victims during and after any disaster in near coast and riverine area of SIDR affected Districts (Details in the Tender Documents) in Bangladesh.
- **4.** Bidding will be conducted through the International Competitive Bidding (ICB) procedures specified in the World Bank's Guidelines: Procurement under IBRD Loans and IDA Credits, and is open to all bidders from Eligible Source Countries as defined in the Guidelines.
- 5. Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from Md. Harun-Or-Rashid khan,deputy director, Department of Disaster Management, Phone no.:+880-2-9859628 Fax:+880-2-9895992, e-mail: <a href="mailto:harunbarisal@yahoo.com">harunbarisal@yahoo.com</a> and inspect the Bidding Documents at the address given below from :

December 18, 2014 to Feb 2, 2015 on all regular working days between 9:00 am to 17:00 hours Bangladesh Standard Time (BST=GMT+ 6 hrs.).

- 6. Qualifications requirements include: Bidder must have: a) Financial Capability: i) average annual turnover, defined as the total payments received or to be received for contracts already completed by the bidder, for the last 03 (three) years at least following amount: equivalent to US\$ 0.2 million, ii) access to liquid asset, lines of credit and other finances at least following amount: equivalent to US\$ 0.10 million; and (b) Experience and Technical Capacity: i) minimum 10 years of overall experience in the supply of goods/equipment and related services as specified in the BDS, and ii) minimum 5 years of specific experience in the supply of similar goods and related services as specified in the BDS. If the Bidder is not the manufacturer, a legally enforceable manufacturer's authorization letter must be furnished in the prescribed form attached in section IV, assuring full guarantee and warranty obligations as per GCC and SCC. Additional details are provided in the Bidding Documents. A margin of preference for goods manufactured domestically shall be applied.
- 7. A complete set of Bidding Documents in English may be purchased by interested bidders on the submission of a written application to the address below and upon payment of a non-refundable fee US\$ 20 or BDT1500/- on or before Feb 2, 2015 on all regular working days between 9:00 am to 17:00 hours Bangladesh Standard Time (BST=GMT+ 6 hrs.). The method of payment will be in cash and the Bidding Documents have to be collected from the Project Office.
- Pre-Bid Clarification Meeting shall be held on Jan 08 2015 at 11:00 am Bangladesh Standard Time (BST=GMT+ 6 hrs.) at the address given below.
- 9. Bids MUST be submitted to the address below on or before 14:00 hours Bangladesh Standard Time (BST=GMT+ 6 hrs.) on Feb 3, 2015. Electronic bidding will not be permitted. Late bids will be rejected. Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend in person at the address below at 14:30 hours Bangladesh Standard Time (BST=GMT+ 6 hrs on Feb 3, 2015. Each bid MUST be accompanied by "Bid Security" of amount US\$ 2,000 or an equivalent amount in a freely convertible currency including Bangladesh Taka (BDT). A local agent/representative may arrange bid security on behalf of the bidder; but the bid security must be in the name of the bidder, NOT in the name of local agent.

10. The address referred to above is:

Name of Agency: Department of Disaster Management,

Designated official: ----

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Director (Joint Secretary) and