

REQUEST FOR QUOTATION (RFQ) (Goods & Service)

NAME & ADDRESS OF FIRM	DATE: January 25, 2019		
	REFERENCE: MyRFQ_2019_008		

Dear Sir / Madam:

We kindly request you to submit your quotation for **Design and Printing Services for Minamata Convention Initial Assessment (MIA) Project**, as detailed in Annex 1 of this RFQ. When preparing your quotation, please be guided by the form attached hereto as Annex 2.

Quotations may be submitted on or before January 31, 2019 at 12:00pm and via (choose appropriate box) $\boxtimes e$ -mail, $\boxtimes courier$ mail or $\square facsimile$ to the address below:

United Nations Development Programme

Menara PJH, Level 10, No. 2 Jalan Tun Abdul Razak, Precinct 2, 62100 Putrajaya, Malaysia
Procurement Unit

MYQ19008@undp.org

Quotations submitted by email must be limited to a maximum of 7MB, virus-free and no more than [indicate number]email transmissions. They must be free from any form of virus or corrupted contents, or the quotations shall be rejected.

It shall remain your responsibility to ensure that your quotation will reach the address above on or before the deadline. Quotations that are received by UNDP after the deadline indicated above, for whatever reason, shall not be considered for evaluation. If you are submitting your quotation by email, kindly ensure that they are signed and in the .pdf format, and free from any virus or corrupted files.

Please take note of the following requirements and conditions pertaining to the supply of the abovementioned good/s: [check the condition that applies to this RFQ, delete the entire row if condition is not applicable to the goods being procured]

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Delivery Terms [INCOTERMS 2010] (Pls. link this to price schedule)	□FCA □CPT □CIP ☑DAP ☑ Other [pls. specify]				
Customs clearance, if needed, shall be done by:	☐ Supplier/Offeror				
Exact Address/es of Delivery Location/s (identify all, if multiple)	United Nations Development Programme Level 10, Menara PJH, No.2 Jalan Tun Abdul Razak Precinct 2, 62100, Putrajaya				
UNDP Preferred freight Forwarder, if any	N/A				
Distribution of shipping documents (if using freight forwarder)	N/A				
Latest Expected Delivery Date and Time (if delivery time exceeds this, quote may be rejected by UNDP)	☑ 70 days from the issuance of the Purchase Order (PO)				
Delivery Schedule	⊠Required				
	□ AIR	⊠LAND			
Mode of Transport	□SEA	□OTHER [pls. specify]			
Preferred	☑Malaysian Ringgit				
Currency of Quotation					
Value Added Tax on Price Quotation	Must be inclusive c	of VAT and other applicable indirect taxes.			
After-sales services required	□N/A				
Deadline for the Submission of Quotation	COB, Thursday, Janua	ry 31, 2019 and 12.00noon (local time)			
Electronic submission (email)	■ Format: PDF files	only			
requirements	■ File names must	be maximum 60 characters long and must not ror special character other than from Latin			
	 All files must be f 	ree of viruses and not corrupted.			
	Max. File Size per	transmission: 7mb			
	 Mandatory subje 	ct of email: MyRFQ_2019_008 MIA Project			
All documentations, including catalogs, instructions and operating manuals, shall be in this language	☑ English				
Documents to be submitted	· ·	☑ Duly Accomplished Form as provided in Annex 2, and in accordance with the list of requirements in Annex 1;			

	☑ Latest Internal Revenue Certificate / Tax Clearance;
	☐ Latest Business Registration Certificate;
	☑ Written Self-Declaration of not being included in the UN Security Council 1267/1989 list, UN Procurement Division List or other UN Ineligibility List;
	☑ Please state previous experience of doing similar work for the UN system, as this would be an added advantage.
	☑ Sample of Publication similar to the request.
Period of Validity of Quotes	⊠ 90 days
starting the Submission Date	In exceptional circumstances, UNDP may request the Vendor to extend the validity of the Quotation beyond what has been initially indicated in this RFQ. The Proposal shall then confirm the extension in writing, without any modification whatsoever on the Quotation.
Partial Quotes	Not permitted ■ Not permitted Not
Payment Terms	☑ 100% upon complete delivery of goods
Liquidated Damages	Will be imposed as follows: Percentage of contract price per day of delay: 1% Max. number of days of delay 30, after which UNDP may terminate the contract.
Evaluation Criteria	 ☑ Technical responsiveness/Full compliance to requirements and lowest price¹ comprehensiveness of after-sales services ☑ Full acceptance of the PO/Contract General Terms and Conditions
UNDP will award to:	☑ One and only one supplier
Type of Contract to be Signed	⊠ Purchase Order
Special conditions of Contract	☑ Cancellation of PO/Contract if the delivery/completion is delayed by 30 days
Conditions for Release of Payment	☑ Upon signing of Delivery Order by Beneficiaries
Annexes to this RFQ	☑ Specifications of the Goods Required (Annex 1)
	☑ Form for Submission of Quotation (Annex 2)
	☐ General Terms and Conditions / Special Conditions (Annex 3).
	Non-acceptance of the terms of the General Terms and Conditions (GTC) shall be grounds for disqualification from this procurement process.

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¹ UNDP reserves the right not to award the contract to the lowest priced offer, if the second lowest price among the responsive offer is found to be significantly more superior, and the price is higher than the lowest priced compliant offer by not more than 10%, and the budget can sufficiently cover the price difference. The term "more superior" as used in this provision shall refer to offers that have exceeded the pre-determined requirements established in the specifications.

Contact Person for Inquiries	Procurement Unit
(Written inquiries only)	MYQ19008@undp.org
	Any delay in UNDP's response shall be not used as a reason for
	extending the deadline for submission, unless UNDP determines that
	such an extension is necessary and communicates a new deadline to
	the Proposers.

Goods offered shall be reviewed based on completeness and compliance of the quotation with the minimum specifications described above and any other annexes providing details of UNDP requirements.

The quotation that complies with all of the specifications, requirements and offers the lowest price, as well as all other evaluation criteria indicated, shall be selected. Any offer that does not meet the requirements shall be rejected.

Any discrepancy between the unit price and the total price (obtained by multiplying the unit price and quantity) shall be re-computed by UNDP. The unit price shall prevail, and the total price shall be corrected. If the supplier does not accept the final price based on UNDP's re-computation and correction of errors, its quotation will be rejected.

After UNDP has identified the lowest price offer, UNDP reserves the right to award the contract based only on the prices of the goods in the event that the transportation cost (freight and insurance) is found to be higher than UNDP's own estimated cost if sourced from its own freight forwarder and insurance provider.

At any time during the validity of the quotation, no price variation due to escalation, inflation, fluctuation in exchange rates, or any other market factors shall be accepted by UNDP after it has received the quotation. At the time of award of Contract or Purchase Order, UNDP reserves the right to vary (increase or decrease) the quantity of services and/or goods, by up to a maximum twenty-five per cent (25%) of the total offer, without any change in the unit price or other terms and conditions.

Any Purchase Order that will be issued as a result of this RFQ shall be subject to the General Terms and Conditions attached hereto. The mere act of submission of a quotation implies that the vendor accepts without question the General Terms and Conditions of UNDP herein attached as Annex 3.

UNDP is not bound to accept any quotation, nor award a contract/Purchase Order, nor be responsible for any costs associated with a Supplier's preparation and submission of a quotation, regardless of the outcome or the manner of conducting the selection process.

Please be advised that UNDP's vendor protest procedure is intended to afford an opportunity to appeal for persons or firms not awarded a purchase order or contract in a competitive procurement process. In the event that you believe you have not been fairly treated, you can find detailed information about vendor protest procedures in the following link:

http://www.undp.org/content/undp/en/home/operations/procurement/protestandsanctions/

UNDP encourages every prospective Vendor to avoid and prevent conflicts of interest, by disclosing to UNDP if you, or any of your affiliates or personnel, were involved in the preparation of the requirements, design, specifications, cost estimates, and other information used in this RFQ.

UNDP implements a zero tolerance on fraud and other proscribed practices, and is committed to identifying and addressing all such acts and practices against UNDP, as well as third parties involved in UNDP activities. UNDP expects its suppliers to adhere to the UN Supplier Code of Conduct found in this link: http://www.un.org/depts/ptd/pdf/conduct_english.pdf

Thank you and we look forward to receiving your quotation.

Sincerely yours,

Patrick Pee
Assistance Resident Representative (O)
23 January 2019

Technical Specifications

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Item/s to be Supplied	Quantity	Description/ Specifications of Goods			
1. Design and printing of National MIA Report	500	 a) Design and Layout Provide professional design services for the report, including the layout of the text, design of cover page, and insertion of graphics and photographs where necessary; Submit a preliminary layout for discussion; consult MESTECC, UKMP & UNDP for comments and revise accordingly; Send the final booklet in format ready for printing for review and approval. The final report must come in both soft (working format and PDF i.e an e-version) and hard copies; Unify all in complete page layout Provide a 3 Mock –up of the Cover Page design At least two rounds of changes Artwork: Microsoft Word content will be supplied b) Printing Publication Size: A4; Expected number of pages: Approximate 250 pages; Cover page: 250GSM FSC Certified paper; Full Colour (4C); Matt coated. Inside pages: 120GSM FSC Certified paper; Full Colur (4C). Finishing: Perfect binding (adhesive); PDF version of full report in USB drive for Re-printing purpose (Hi-Resolution) & compressed document to be uploaded in website (design and layout of cover). 			
2. Design and printing of booklet: Summary (Quick Facts) of National MIA Report	1,000	 a) Design and Layout Provide professional design services for the summary report, including the layout of the text, design of cover page, and insertion of graphics and photographs where necessary; Submit a preliminary layout for discussion; consult MESTECC, UKMP & UNDP for comments and revise accordingly; Send the final booklet in format ready for printing for review and approval. The final report must come in both soft (working format and PDF i.e an e-version) and hard copies; 			

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	Provide a 3 Mock –up of the Cover Page design
	At least two rounds of changes
	Artwork: Microsoft Word content will be supplied
	b) Printing
	Publication Size: A5;
	Expected number of pages: Approximate 50 pages;
	Cover page:
	250GSM FSC Certified paper;
	Full Colour (4C);
	Matt coated.
	Inside pages: A2000M FCC Contified place pages:
	120GSM FSC Certified gloss paper;Full Colur (4C).
	Full Colur (4C).Finishing: Perfect binding (adhesive);
	PDF version of full report in USB drive for Re-printing
	purpose (Hi-Resolution) & compressed document to
	be uploaded in website (design and layout of cover).
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3. Design and printing of 1,000	a) Design and Layout
booklet: Mercury	Provide professional design services for the report,
Awareness	including the layout of the text, design of cover page,
	and insertion of graphics and photographs where
	necessary;
	Submit a preliminary layout for discussion; consult
	MESTECC, UKMP & UNDP for comments and revise
	accordingly;
	Send the final booklet in format ready for printing for Send the final booklet in format ready for printing for Send the final booklet in format ready for printing for
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	Provide a 3 Mock –up of the Cover Page design
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	Artwork: Microsoft Word content will be supplied
	b) Printing
	Publication Size: A5;
	Expected number of pages: Approximate 11-20 pages;
	Cover page:
	250GSM FSC Certified paper;
	Full Colour (4C);
	Matt coated.
	Inside pages: AFOCSM FCC Contifications are as a second page.
	➤ 150GSM FSC Certified paper;
	Full Colur (4C).
	Finishing: Saddle binding;

		 PDF version of full report in USB drive for Re-printing purpose (Hi-Resolution) & compressed document to be uploaded in website (design and layout of cover).
4. Design and printing of brochure: Mercury awareness in health sector	1,000	 a) Design and Layout Provide professional design services for the brochure on Mercury awareness in Health Sector- Ministry of Health (MoH), including the layout of the text, design of cover page, and insertion of graphics and photographs where necessary; Provide at least 3 draft design options based on content provided by MOH – selection of layout design to be done and finalized in consultation with MOH; Send the final booklet in format ready for printing for review and approval. The final report must come in both soft (working format and PDF i.e an e-version) and hard copies; Unify all in complete page layout At least two rounds of changes Artwork: Microsoft Word content will be supplied b) Printing Publication Size: A4 (Open); Paper: 150 GSM Certified FSC Paper; Full colour (4Cx 4C) Matt coated Finishing: 2-3 folds PDF version of full report in USB drive for Reprinting purpose (Hi-Resolution) & compressed document to be uploaded in website (design and layout of cover).
5. Design and printing of brochure: Safety awareness on Mercury	1,000	 a) Design and Layout Provide professional design services for the brochure on Safety Awareness on Mercury (DOSH safety requirement); including the layout of the text, design of cover page, and insertion of graphics and photographs where necessary; Provide at least 3 draft design options based on content provided by DOSH – selection of layout design to be done and finalized in consultation with DOSH; Send the final booklet in format ready for printing for review and approval. The final report must come in both soft (working format and PDF i.e an e-version) and hard copies; Unify all in complete page layout At least two rounds of changes Artwork: Microsoft Word content will be supplied

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Other requirements

- 1. For every item listed, the service provider is required to provide along with quotations, few samples with similar or almost similar specifications, preferably samples of reports/booklets/brochures printed for governmental agencies.
- 2. All items must be printed using FSC certified paper.
- 3. Printing proofs (soft and hard copy) of final product for every item must be presented for approval by UNDP & MESTECC with no additional cost.
- 4. Please indicate additional/discount if number of pages exceed/is less than the quantity stipulated above.
- 5. Please indicate cost for reprint within one year, if required.
- 6. *Soft copies of final product of all items in pdf format, must be provided inside a USB thumb drive.

Annex 2

FORM FOR SUBMITTING SUPPLIER'S QUOTATION²

(This Form must be submitted only using the Supplier's Official Letterhead/Stationery³)

We, the undersigned, hereby accept in full the UNDP General Terms and Conditions, and hereby offer to supply the items listed below in conformity with the specification and requirements of UNDP as per RFQ Reference No. **MyRFQ_2019_008**

TABLE 1: Offer to Supply Goods Compliant with Technical Specifications and Requirements

Item No.	Description/ Specifications of Goods	Qty	Latest Delivery Date	Unit Price	Total Price per Item
1. Design and printing of National MIA Report	 a) Design and Layout Provide professional design services for the report, including the layout of the text, design of cover page, and insertion of graphics and photographs where necessary; Submit a preliminary layout for discussion; consult MESTECC, UKMP & UNDP for comments and revise accordingly; Send the final booklet in format ready for printing for review and approval. The final report must come in both soft (working format and PDF i.e an e-version) and hard copies; Unify all in complete page layout Provide a 3 Mock –up of the Cover Page design At least two rounds of changes Artwork: Microsoft Word content will be supplied b) Printing 	500			
	 Publication Size: A4; 				

² This serves as a guide to the Supplier in preparing the quotation and price schedule.

³ Official Letterhead/Stationery must indicate contact details – addresses, email, phone and fax numbers – for verification purposes

	 Expected number of pages: Approximate 250 pages; 			
	Cover page:			
	paper; > Full Colour (4C);			
	 Matt coated. Inside pages: 120GSM FSC Certified 			
	paper; Full Colur (4C).			
	 Finishing: Perfect binding (adhesive); 			
	PDF version of full report in USB drive for Re-printing purpose (Hi-Resolution) & compressed document to be uploaded in			
	website (design and layout of cover).			
2. Design and printing of	a) Design and Layout Provide professional design	1,000		
booklet: Summary	services for the summary report, including the layout of the text,			
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	discussion; consult MESTECC, UKMP & UNDP for comments and			
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	Page design At least two rounds of changes			
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	b) Printing • Publication Size: A5;			
	 Expected number of pages: Approximate 50 pages; 			
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	paper; Full Colour (4C); Matt coated.			
	Inside pages:			

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3. Design and printing of booklet: Mercury Awareness	 a) Design and Layout Provide professional design services for the report, including the layout of the text, design of cover page, and insertion of graphics and photographs where necessary; Submit a preliminary layout for discussion; consult MESTECC, UKMP & UNDP for comments and revise accordingly; Send the final booklet in format ready for printing for review and approval. The final report must come in both soft (working format and PDF i.e an e-version) and hard copies; Unify all in complete page layout Provide a 3 Mock –up of the Cover Page design At least two rounds of changes Artwork: Microsoft Word content will be supplied b) Printing Publication Size: A5; Expected number of pages: Approximate 11-20 pages; Cover page: 250GSM FSC Certified paper; Full Colour (4C); Matt coated. Inside pages: Full Colur (4C). Finishing: Saddle binding; 	1,000		

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consultation with DOSH;
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TABLE 2: Offer to Comply with Other Conditions and Related Requirements

Evaluation will be done on the below items, companies are requested to indicate whether they comply or not comply

Other Information pertaining to our	Your Responses			
Quotation are as follows:	Yes, we will comply	No, we cannot comply	If you cannot comply, pls. indicate counter proposal	
Delivery Lead Time				
Quality of Samples (Promotional Materials min. three (3) samples)				
Validity of Quotation				
The supplier shall warrant the printed materials are duly packaged for easy transportation as well as to avoid any				

damage during shipping and storage of the products. Each secondary package shall contain title of material, language in which the material		
is printed and quantity.		
All Provisions of the UNDP General Terms		
and Conditions		
Other requirements [pls. specify]		

All other information that we have not provided automatically implies our full compliance with the requirements, terms and conditions of the RFQ.

[Name and Signature of the Supplier's Authorized Person]
[Designation]
[Date]

General Terms and Conditions

1. ACCEPTANCE OF THE PURCHASE ORDER

This Purchase Order may only be accepted by the Supplier's signing and returning an acknowledgement copy of it or by timely delivery of the goods in accordance with the terms of this Purchase Order, as herein specified. Acceptance of this Purchase Order shall affect a contract between the Parties under which the rights and obligations of the Parties shall be governed solely by the terms and conditions of this Purchase Order, including these General Conditions. No additional or inconsistent provisions proposed by the Supplier shall bind UNDP unless agreed to in writing by a duly authorized official of UNDP.

2. PAYMENT

- 2.1 UNDP shall, on fulfillment of the Delivery Terms, unless otherwise provided in this Purchase Order, make payment within 30 days of receipt of the Supplier's invoice for the goods and copies of the shipping documents specified in this Purchase Order.
- 2.2 Payment against the invoice referred to above will reflect any discount shown under the payment terms of this Purchase Order, provided payment is made within the period required by such payment terms.
- 2.3 Unless authorized by UNDP, the Supplier shall submit one invoice in respect of this Purchase Order, and such invoice must indicate the Purchase Order's identification number.
- 2.4 The prices shown in this Purchase Order may not be increased except by express written agreement of UNDP.

3. TAX EXEMPTION

- 3.1 Section 7 of the Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of the United Nations provides, inter alia, that the United Nations, including its subsidiary organs, is exempt from all direct taxes, except charges for utilities services, and is exempt from customs duties and charges of a similar nature in respect of articles imported or exported for its official use. In the event any governmental authority refuses to recognize UNDP's exemption from such taxes, duties or charges, the Supplier shall immediately consult with UNDP to determine a mutually acceptable procedure.
- 3.2 Accordingly, the Supplier authorizes UNDP to deduct from the Supplier's invoice any amount representing such taxes, duties or charges, unless the Supplier has consulted with UNDP before the payment thereof and UNDP has, in each instance, specifically authorized the Supplier to pay such taxes, duties or charges under protest. In that event, the Supplier shall provide UNDP with written evidence that payment of such taxes, duties or charges has been made and appropriately authorized.

4. RISK OF LOSS

Risk of loss, damage to or destruction of the goods shall be governed in accordance with Incoterms 2010, unless otherwise agreed upon by the Parties on the front side of this Purchase Order.

5. EXPORT LICENCES

Notwithstanding any INCOTERM 2010 used in this Purchase Order, the Supplier shall obtain any export licences required for the goods.

6. FITNESS OF GOODS/PACKAGING

The Supplier warrants that the goods, including packaging, conform to the specifications for the goods ordered under this Purchase Order and are fit for the purposes for which such goods are ordinarily used and for purposes expressly made known to the Supplier by UNDP, and are free from defects in workmanship and materials. The Supplier also warrants that the goods are contained or packaged adequately to protect the goods.

7. INSPECTION

- 7.1 UNDP shall have a reasonable time after delivery of the goods to inspect them and to reject and refuse acceptance of goods not conforming to this Purchase Order; payment for goods pursuant to this Purchase Order shall not be deemed an acceptance of the goods.
- 7.2 Inspection prior to shipment does not relieve the Supplier from any of its contractual obligations.

8. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY INFRINGEMENT

The Supplier warrants that the use or supply by UNDP of the goods sold under this Purchase Order does not infringe any patent, design, trade-name or trade-mark. In addition, the Supplier shall, pursuant to this warranty, indemnify, defend and hold UNDP and the United Nations harmless from any actions or claims brought against UNDP or the United Nations pertaining to the alleged infringement of a patent, design, trade-name or trade-mark arising in connection with the goods sold under this Purchase Order.

9. RIGHTS OF UNDP

In case of failure by the Supplier to fulfil its obligations under the terms and conditions of this Purchase Order, including but not limited to failure to obtain necessary export licences, or to make delivery of all or part of the goods by the agreed delivery date or dates, UNDP may, after giving the Supplier reasonable notice to perform and without prejudice to any other rights or remedies, exercise one or more of the following rights:

- 9.1 Procure all or part of the goods from other sources, in which event UNDP may hold the Supplier responsible for any excess cost occasioned thereby.
- 9.2 Refuse to accept delivery of all or part of the goods.
- 9.3 Cancel this Purchase Order without any liability for termination charges or any other liability of any kind of UNDP.

10. LATE DELIVERY

Without limiting any other rights or obligations of the parties hereunder, if the Supplier will be unable to deliver the goods by the delivery date(s) stipulated in this Purchase Order, the Supplier shall (i) immediately consult with UNDP to determine the most expeditious means for delivering the goods and (ii) use an expedited means of delivery, at the Supplier's cost (unless the delay is due to <u>Force Majeure</u>), if reasonably so requested by UNDP.

11. ASSIGNMENT AND INSOLVENCY

- 11.1. The Supplier shall not, except after obtaining the written consent of UNDP, assign, transfer, pledge or make other disposition of this Purchase Order, or any part thereof, or any of the Supplier's rights or obligations under this Purchase Order.
- 11.2. Should the Supplier become insolvent or should control of the Supplier change by virtue of insolvency, UNDP may, without prejudice to any other rights or remedies, immediately terminate this Purchase Order by giving the Supplier written notice of termination.

12. USE OF UNDP OR UNITED NATIONS NAME OR EMBLEM

The Supplier shall not use the name, emblem or official seal of UNDP or the United Nations for any purpose.

13. PROHIBITION ON ADVERTISING

The Supplier shall not advertise or otherwise make public that it is furnishing goods or services to UNDP without specific permission of UNDP in each instance.

14. CHILD LABOUR

The Supplier represents and warrants that neither it nor any of its affiliates is engaged in any practice inconsistent with the rights set forth in the Convention on the Rights of the Child, including Article 32 thereof, which, inter alia, requires that a child shall be protected from performing any work that is likely to be hazardous or to interfere with the child's education, or to be harmful to the child's health or physical, mental, spiritual, moral or social development.

Any breach of this representation and warranty shall entitle UNDP to terminate this Purchase Order immediately upon notice to the Supplier, without any liability for termination charges or any other liability of any kind of UNDP.

15. MINES

The Supplier represents and warrants that neither it nor any of its affiliates is actively and directly engaged in patent activities, development, assembly, production, trade or manufacture of mines or in such activities in respect of components primarily utilized in the manufacture of Mines. The term "Mines" means those devices defined in Article 2, Paragraphs 1, 4 and 5 of Protocol II annexed to the Convention on Prohibitions and Restrictions on the Use of Certain Conventional Weapons Which May Be Deemed to Be Excessively Injurious or to Have Indiscriminate Effects of 1980.

Any breach of this representation and warranty shall entitle UNDP to terminate this Purchase Order immediately upon notice to the Supplier, without any liability for termination charges or any other liability of any kind of UNDP.

16. SETTLEMENT OF DISPUTES

- **16.1 Amicable Settlement.** The Parties shall use their best efforts to settle amicably any dispute, controversy or claim arising out of, or relating to this Purchase Order or the breach, termination or invalidity thereof. Where the Parties wish to seek such an amicable settlement through conciliation, the conciliation shall take place in accordance with the UNCITRAL Conciliation Rules then obtaining, or according to such other procedure as may be agreed between the Parties.
- **16.2 Arbitration.** Unless, any such dispute, controversy or claim between the Parties arising out of or relating to this Purchase Order or the breach, termination or invalidity thereof is settled amicably under the preceding paragraph of this Section within sixty (60) days after receipt by one Party of the other Party's request for such amicable settlement, such dispute, controversy or claim shall be referred by either Party to arbitration in accordance with the UNCITRAL Arbitration Rules then obtaining, including its provisions on applicable law. The arbitral tribunal shall have no authority to award punitive damages. The Parties shall be bound by any arbitration award rendered as a result of such arbitration as the final adjudication of any such controversy, claim or dispute.

17. PRIVILEGES AND IMMUNITIES

Nothing in or related to these General Terms and Conditions or this Purchase Order shall be deemed a waiver of any of the privileges and immunities of the United Nations, including its subsidiary organs.

18. SEXUAL EXPLOITATION:

- 18.1 The Contractor shall take all appropriate measures to prevent sexual exploitation or abuse of anyone by it or by any of its employees or any other persons who may be engaged by the Contractor to perform any services under the Contract. For these purposes, sexual activity with any person less than eighteen years of age, regardless of any laws relating to consent, shall constitute the sexual exploitation and abuse of such person. In addition, the Contractor shall refrain from, and shall take all appropriate measures to prohibit its employees or other persons engaged by it from, exchanging any money, goods, services, offers of employment or other things of value, for sexual favors or activities, or from engaging in any sexual activities that are exploitive or degrading to any person. The Contractor acknowledges and agrees that the provisions hereof constitute an essential term of the Contract and that any breach of this representation and warranty shall entitle UNDP to terminate the Contract immediately upon notice to the Contractor, without any liability for termination charges or any other liability of any kind.
- 18.2 UNDP shall not apply the foregoing standard relating to age in any case in which the Contractor's personnel or any other person who may be engaged by the Contractor to perform any services under the Contract is married to the person less than the age of eighteen years with whom sexual activity has occurred and in which such marriage is recognized as valid under the laws of the country of citizenship of such Contractor's personnel or such other person who may be engaged by the Contractor to perform any services under the Contract.

19.0 OFFICIALS NOT TO BENEFIT:

The Contractor warrants that no official of UNDP or the United Nations has received or will be offered by the Contractor any direct or indirect benefit arising from this Contract or the award thereof. The Contractor agrees that breach of this provision is a breach of an essential term of this Contract.

20. AUTHORITY TO MODIFY:

Pursuant to the Financial Regulations and Rules of UNDP, only the UNDP Authorized Official possess the authority to agree on behalf of UNDP to any modification of or change in this Agreement, to a waiver of any of its provisions or to any additional contractual relationship of any kind with the Contractor. Accordingly, no modification or change in this Contract shall be valid and enforceable against UNDP unless provided by an amendment to this Agreement signed by the Contractor and jointly by the UNDP Authorized Official.