

REVISION
ITB/UNDP/SO/003/2014
Procurement of Ballistic Vests and Helmets, and Hard Armour Upgrade Panels

The following information is being modified from the tender document ITB/UNDP/SO/003/2014 and shall be considered by bidders when preparing their bids. Other information in the ITB, except as amended below and indicated in the additional supplementary document, shall remain unchanged and shall continue in full effect:

1. Letter of Invitation (page 2, paragraph 2) is revised as below

The purpose, therefore, of this Invitation to Bid is to conclude Long Term Agreements (LTAs) for each Lot as indicated below:

- Lot I: Ballistic Vests Pullover Type
- Lot II: Hard Armour Upgrade Panels for Ballistic Vests
- Lot III: Ballistic Helmets

Bidders can submit offers for one or more Lots and the LTAs will be awarded on a Lot by Lot basis. A maximum of two LTAs will be awarded for each Lot to successful Bidders for an initial period of one year, with the contract renewable on an annual basis up to three years subject to satisfactory performance. Guidelines on secondary competition procedures among LTA vendors are provided under the Terms of Reference (Section 3 of the ITB).

2. Instruction to Bidders – Data Sheet (page 18, No. 5) is revised as below

Condition for Submitting Bid for Parts or Sub-Parts of the Total Requirements: ☒ Proposals for partial lots are not allowed; partial lots will be declined.

3. Instruction to Bidders – Data Sheet (page 20, No. 21) is revised as below

Deadline of Bid Submission: 30 May 2014 @5.00 PM (Eastern Standard Time).

4. Instruction to Bidders – Data Sheet (page 21, No. 25) is revised as below

- ☒ Non-Discretionary “Pass/Fail” Criteria on the Technical Requirements (Section 3); and
- ☒ Lowest price offer of technically qualified/responsive Bid for each Lot

5. Instruction to Bidders – Data Sheet (page 24, No. 31) is revised as below

UNDP will award the contract to:

- ☒ Two LTAs will be awarded per each Lot to the technical qualified/responsive Bidders that offer the lowest price for each Lot indicated below.

Lot I: Ballistic Vests Pullover Type

Lot II: Hard Armour Upgrade Panels for Ballistic Vests

Lot III: Ballistic Helmets

6. Terms of Reference (page 26, paragraph 1) is revised as below

UNDP intends to set up Long Term Agreements (LTAs) for the Supply of Ballistic Vests and Helmets and the Hard Armour Upgrade Panels for UNDP staff, including those in the country offices. Two Long Term Agreements (LTAs) will be issued for each Lot as indicated below:

- Lot I: Ballistic Vests Pullover Type
- Lot II: Hard Armour Upgrade Panels for Ballistic Vests
- Lot III: Ballistic Helmets

The LTA will be for an initial period of one year with the contract renewable on an annual basis up to three years subject to satisfactory performance. Majority of the procurement will be for Country Offices in the Arab as well as those in the Asia and Pacific regions. The estimated quantity required for these ballistic items for 3 years would be approximately 750 units for each Lot. However, UNDP does not guarantee it will place orders for this quantity and is not bound by the LTAs to purchase any minimum quantity of goods.

7. Terms of Reference (page 26, paragraph 3) is revised as below

Below are the goods specifications for each Lot:

- Lot I: Ballistic Vests Pullover Type
- Lot II: Hard Armour Upgrade Panels for Ballistic Vests
- Lot III: Ballistic Helmets

Note: Detail specifications do not change. The specifications are as per the TOR of the ITB document except for little exceptions as mention below under No. 7.

8. Terms of Reference (page 27-28, Item No. II – Hard Armour Upgrade Panels) is added with the following information

- a. The Hard Armour Upgrade Panels shall only be required to meet the minimum specification of NIJ Level III or its equivalents. **UNDP is no longer requiring Hard Armour Upgrade Panels NIJ Level IV or its equivalent for Ballistic Vests.**
- b. The maximum weight of each of the main ballistic panels (front or rear) is 2.5kg and maximum weight for each of the side ballistic panels is 0.7 kg.

9. Terms of Reference (page 29, Guidance to Bidders on Secondary Competition – paragraph 1) is revised as below

UNDP intends to award two LTAs for each Lot to the responsive bidders. After the LTAs are established with the successful bidders, the award of an assignment for a specific project will be made to one of LTA holders through secondary competition.

10. Section 4 – 7 of the ITB has been revised. Please use the attached document entitled REVISED Section 4 – 7 (updated May 7)

Date: 7 May 2014