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INVITATION TO BID

Supply and Delivery of Construction Materials in Mutua, Dondo and Sofala Provinces (Lots 1-3)

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SECTION 1. LETTER OF INVITATION

The United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) hereby invites you to submit a Bid to this Invitation to Bid (ITB) for the above-referenced subject.

This ITB includes the following documents and the General Terms and Conditions of Contract which is inserted in the Bid Data Sheet:

Section 1: This Letter of Invitation
Section 2: Instruction to Bidders
Section 3: Bid Data Sheet (BDS)
Section 4: Evaluation Criteria
Section 5: Schedule of Requirements and Technical Specifications
Section 6: Returnable Bidding Forms

Form A: Bid Submission Form
Form B: Bidder Information Form
Form C: Joint Venture/Consortium/Association Information Form
Form D: Qualification Form

- Form E: Format of Technical Bid
- Form F: Price Schedule
- Form G: Form of Bid Security
- Form H: Performance Security

If you are interested in submitting a Bid in response to this ITB, please prepare your Bid in accordance with the requirements and procedure as set out in this ITB and submit it by the Deadline for Submission of Bids set out in Bid Data Sheet.

Please acknowledge receipt of this ITB the "Accept Invitation" function in eTendering system, where applicable. This will enable you to receive amendments or updates to the ITB. Should you require further clarifications, kindly communicate with the contact person/s identified in the attached Data Sheet as the focal point for queries on this ITB.

UNDP looks forward to receiving your Bid and thank you in advance for your interest in UNDP procurement opportunities.

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SECTION 2. INSTRUCTION TO BIDDERS

A. GENERAL PROVISIONS

1.	Introduction	1.1	Bidders shall adhere to all the requirements of this ITB, including any amendments made in writing by UNDP. This ITB is conducted in accordance with the UNDP Programme and Operations Policies and Procedures (POPP) on Contracts and Procurement which can be accessed at <u>https://popp.undp.org/SitePages/POPPBSUnit.aspx?TermID=254a9f96-b883-476a- 8ef8-e81f93a2b38d</u>
		1.2	Any Bid submitted will be regarded as an offer by the Bidder and does not constitute or imply the acceptance of the Bid by UNDP. UNDP is under no obligation to award a contract to any Bidder as a result of this ITB.
		1.3	UNDP reserves the right to cancel the procurement process at any stage without any liability of any kind for UNDP, upon notice to the bidders or publication of cancellation notice on UNDP website.
		1.4	As part of the bid, it is desired that the Bidder registers at the United Nations Global Marketplace (UNGM) website (<u>www.ungm.org</u>). The Bidder may still submit a bid even if not registered with the UNGM. However, if the Bidder is selected for contract award, the Bidder must register on the UNGM prior to contract signature.
2.	Fraud & Corruption, Gifts and Hospitality	2.1	UNDP strictly enforces a policy of zero tolerance on proscribed practices, including fraud, corruption, collusion, unethical or unprofessional practices, and obstruction of UNDP vendors and requires all bidders/vendors observe the highest standard of ethics during the procurement process and contract implementation. UNDP's Anti-Fraud Policy can be found at http://www.undp.org/content/undp/en/home/operations/accountability/audit/office_of_audit_andinvestigation.html#anti
		2.2	Bidders/vendors shall not offer gifts or hospitality of any kind to UNDP staff members including recreational trips to sporting or cultural events, theme parks or offers of holidays, transportation, or invitations to extravagant lunches or dinners.
		2.3	In pursuance of this policy, UNDP:
			(a) Shall reject a bid if it determines that the selected bidder has engaged in any corrupt or fraudulent practices in competing for the contract in question;(b) Shall declare a vendor ineligible, either indefinitely or for a stated period, to be awarded a contract if at any time it determines that the vendor has engaged in any corrupt or fraudulent practices in competing for, or in executing a UNDP contract.
		2.4	All Bidders must adhere to the UN Supplier Code of Conduct, which may be found at <u>https://www.un.org/Depts/ptd/about-us/un-supplier-code-conduct</u>
3.	Eligibility	3.1	A vendor should not be suspended, debarred, or otherwise identified as ineligible by any UN Organization or the World Bank Group or any other international Organization. Vendors are therefore required to disclose to UNDP whether they are subject to any sanction or temporary suspension imposed by these organizations.
		3.2	It is the Bidder's responsibility to ensure that its employees, joint venture members, sub- contractors, service providers, suppliers and/or their employees meet the eligibility requirements as established by UNDP.

4.	Conflict of Interests	4.1	Bidders must strictly avoid conflicts with other assignments or their own interests, and act without consideration for future work. Bidders found to have a conflict of interest shall be disqualified. Without limitation on the generality of the above, Bidders, and any of their affiliates, shall be considered to have a conflict of interest with one or more parties in this solicitation process, if they: a . Are or have been associated in the past, with a firm or any of its affiliates which
			have been engaged by UNDP to provide services for the preparation of the design, specifications, Terms of Reference, cost analysis/estimation, and other documents to be used for the procurement of the goods and services in this selection process;
			b. Were involved in the preparation and/or design of the programme/project related to the goods and/or services requested under this ITB; or
			c. Are found to be in conflict for any other reason, as may be established by, or at the discretion of UNDP.
		4.2	In the event of any uncertainty in the interpretation of a potential conflict of interest, Bidders must disclose to UNDP, and seek UNDP's confirmation on whether or not such conflict exists.
		4.3	Similarly, the Bidders must disclose in their Bid their knowledge of the following:
			 a. If the owners, part-owners, officers, directors, controlling shareholders, of the bidding entity or key personnel who are family members of UNDP staff involved in the procurement functions and/or the Government of the country or any Implementing Partner receiving goods and/or services under this ITB; and b. All other circumstances that could potentially lead to actual or perceived conflict of
			Failure to disclose such an information may result in the rejection of the Bid or Bids affected by the non-disclosure.
		4.4	The eligibility of Bidders that are wholly or partly owned by the Government shall be subject to UNDP's further evaluation and review of various factors such as being registered, operated and managed as an independent business entity, the extent of Government ownership/share, receipt of subsidies, mandate and access to information in relation to this ITB, among others. Conditions that may lead to undue advantage against other Bidders may result in the eventual rejection of the Bid.
	B. PREPARATIO	ON C	OF BIDS
5.	General Considerations	5.1	In preparing the Bid, the Bidder is expected to examine the ITB in detail. Material deficiencies in providing the information requested in the ITB may result in rejection of the Bid.
		5.2	The Bidder will not be permitted to take advantage of any errors or omissions in the ITB. Should such errors or omissions be discovered, the Bidder must notify the UNDP accordingly.
6.	Cost of Preparation of Bid	6.1	The Bidder shall bear all costs related to the preparation and/or submission of the Bid, regardless of whether its Bid is selected or not. UNDP shall not be responsible or liable for those costs, regardless of the conduct or outcome of the procurement process.
7.	Language	7.1	The Bid, as well as any and all related correspondence exchanged by the Bidder and UNDP, shall be written in the language (s) specified in the BDS.
8.	Documents Comprising the Bid	8.1	The Bid shall comprise of the following documents and related forms which details are provided in the BDS:
			a) Documents Establishing the Eligibility and Qualifications of the Bidder;b) Technical Bid;

	 c) Price Schedule; d) Bid Security, if required by BDS; e) Any attachments and/or appendices to the Bid.
9. Documents Establishing the Eligibility and Qualifications of the Bidder	9.1 The Bidder shall furnish documentary evidence of its status as an eligible and qualified vendor, using the Forms provided under Section 6 and providing documents required in those forms. In order to award a contract to a Bidder, its qualifications must be documented to UNDP's satisfaction.
10. Technical Bid Format and Content	10.1 The Bidder is required to submit a Technical Bid using the Standard Forms and templates provided in Section 6 of the ITB.
	10.2 Samples of items, when required as per Section 5, shall be provided within the time specified and unless otherwise specified by the Purchaser, at no expense to the UNDP. If not destroyed by testing, samples will be returned at Bidder's request and expense, unless otherwise specified.
	10.3 When applicable and required as per Section 5, the Bidder shall describe the necessary training programme available for the maintenance and operation of the equipment offered as well as the cost to the UNDP. Unless otherwise specified, such training as well as training materials shall be provided in the language of the Bid as specified in the BDS.
	10.4 When applicable and required as per Section 5, the Bidder shall certify the availability of spare parts for a period of at least five (5) years from date of delivery, or as otherwise specified in this ITB.
11. Price Schedule	11.1 The Price Schedule shall be prepared using the Form provided in Section 6 of the ITB and taking into consideration the requirements in the ITB.
	11.2 Any requirement described in the Technical Bid but not priced in the Price Schedule, shall be assumed to be included in the prices of other activities or items, as well as in the final total price.
12. Bid Security	12.1 A Bid Security, if required by BDS, shall be provided in the amount and form indicated in the BDS. The Bid Security shall be valid for a minimum of thirty (30) days after the final date of validity of the Bid.
	12.2 The Bid Security shall be included along with the Bid. If Bid Security is required by the ITB but is not found in the Bid, the offer shall be rejected.
	12.3 If the Bid Security amount or its validity period is found to be less than what is required by UNDP, UNDP shall reject the Bid.
	12.4 In the event an electronic submission is allowed in the BDS, Bidders shall include a copy of the Bid Security in their bid and the original of the Bid Security must be sent via courier or hand delivery as per the instructions in BDS.
	12.5 The Bid Security may be forfeited by UNDP, and the Bid rejected, in the event of any, or combination, of the following conditions:
	 a) If the Bidder withdraws its offer during the period of the Bid Validity specified in the BDS, or; b) In the event the successful Bidder fails: to sign the Contract after UNDP has issued an award; or to furnish the Performance Security, insurances, or other documents that UNDP may require as a condition precedent to the effectivity of the contract that may be awarded to the Bidder.

13. Currencies	13.1 All prices shall be quoted in the currency or currencies indicated in the BDS. Where Bids are quoted in different currencies, for the purposes of comparison of all Bids:
	a) UNDP will convert the currency quoted in the Bid into the UNDP preferred currency, in accordance with the prevailing UN operational rate of exchange on the last day of submission of Bids; and
	b) In the event that UNDP selects a Bid for award that is quoted in a currency different from the preferred currency in the BDS, UNDP shall reserve the right to award the contract in the currency of UNDP's preference, using the conversion method specified above.
14. Joint Venture, Consortium or Association	14.1 If the Bidder is a group of legal entities that will form or have formed a Joint Venture (JV), Consortium or Association for the Bid, they shall confirm in their Bid that : (i) they have designated one party to act as a lead entity, duly vested with authority to legally bind the members of the JV, Consortium or Association jointly and severally, which shall be evidenced by a duly notarized Agreement among the legal entities, and submitted with the Bid; and (ii) if they are awarded the contract, the contract shall be entered into, by and between UNDP and the designated lead entity, who shall be acting for and on behalf of all the member entities comprising the joint venture.
	14.2 After the Deadline for Submission of Bid, the lead entity identified to represent the JV, Consortium or Association shall not be altered without the prior written consent of UNDP.
	14.3 The lead entity and the member entities of the JV, Consortium or Association shall abide by the provisions of Clause 9 herein in respect of submitting only one Bid.
	14.4 The description of the organization of the JV, Consortium or Association must clearly define the expected role of each of the entities in the joint venture in delivering the requirements of the ITB, both in the Bid and the JV, Consortium or Association Agreement. All entities that comprise the JV, Consortium or Association shall be subject to the eligibility and qualification assessment by UNDP.
	14.5 A JV, Consortium or Association in presenting its track record and experience should clearly differentiate between:
	a) Those that were undertaken together by the JV, Consortium or Association; and
	b) Those that were undertaken by the individual entities of the JV, Consortium or Association.
	14.6 Previous contracts completed by individual experts working privately but who are permanently or were temporarily associated with any of the member firms cannot be claimed as the experience of the JV, Consortium or Association or those of its members, but should only be claimed by the individual experts themselves in their presentation of their individual credentials
	14.7 JV, Consortium or Associations are encouraged for high value, multi-sectoral requirements when the spectrum of expertise and resources required may not be available within one firm.
15. Only One Bid	15.1 The Bidder (including the individual members of any Joint Venture) shall submit only one Bid, either in its own name or as part of a Joint Venture.
	15.2 Bids submitted by two (2) or more Bidders shall all be rejected if they are found to have any of the following:
	a. they have at least one controlling partner, director or shareholder in common; orb. any one of them receive or have received any direct or indirect subsidy from the other/s; or
	c. they have the same legal representative for purposes of this ITB; or

		 d. they have a relationship with each other, directly or through common third parties, that puts them in a position to have access to information about, or influence on the Bid of another Bidder regarding this ITB process; e. they are subcontractors to each other's Bid, or a subcontractor to one Bid also submits another Bid under its name as lead Bidder; or some key personnel proposed to be in the team of one Bidder participates in more than one Bid received for this ITB process. This condition relating to the personnel, does not apply to subcontractors being included in more than one Bid.
16. Bid Validity Period	16.1	Bids shall remain valid for the period specified in the BDS, commencing on the Deadline for Submission of Bids. A Bid valid for a shorter period may be rejected by UNDP and rendered non-responsive.
	16.2	During the Bid validity period, the Bidder shall maintain its original Bid without any change, including the availability of the Key Personnel, the proposed rates and the total price.
17. Extension of Bid Validity Period	17.1	In exceptional circumstances, prior to the expiration of the Bid validity period, UNDP may request Bidders to extend the period of validity of their Bids. The request and the responses shall be made in writing, and shall be considered integral to the Bid.
	17.2	If the Bidder agrees to extend the validity of its Bid, it shall be done without any change to the original Bid.
	17.3	The Bidder has the right to refuse to extend the validity of its Bid, in which case, the Bid shall not be further evaluated.
18. Clarification of Bid (from the Bidders)	18.1	Bidders may request clarifications on any of the ITB documents no later than the date indicated in the BDS. Any request for clarification must be sent in writing in the manner indicated in the BDS. If inquiries are sent other than specified channel, even if they are sent to a UNDP staff member, UNDP shall have no obligation to respond or confirm that the query was officially received.
	18.2	UNDP will provide the responses to clarifications through the method specified in the BDS.
	18.3	UNDP shall endeavour to provide responses to clarifications in an expeditious manner, but any delay in such response shall not cause an obligation on the part of UNDP to extend the submission date of the Bids, unless UNDP deems that such an extension is justified and necessary.
19. Amendment of Bids	19.1	At any time prior to the deadline of Bid submission, UNDP may for any reason, such as in response to a clarification requested by a Bidder, modify the ITB in the form of an amendment to the ITB. Amendments will be made available to all prospective bidders.
	19.2	If the amendment is substantial, UNDP may extend the Deadline for submission of Bid to give the Bidders reasonable time to incorporate the amendment into their Bids.
20. Alternative Bids	20.1	Unless otherwise specified in the BDS, alternative Bids shall not be considered. If submission of alternative Bid is allowed by BDS, a Bidder may submit an alternative Bid, but only if it also submits a Bid conforming to the ITB requirements. Where the conditions for its acceptance are met, or justifications are clearly established, UNDP reserves the right to award a contract based on an alternative Bid.
	20.2	If multiple/alternative bids are being submitted, they must be clearly marked as "Main Bid" and "Alternative Bid"
21. Pre-Bid Conference	21.1	When appropriate, a pre-bid conference will be conducted at the date, time and location specified in the BDS. All Bidders are encouraged to attend. Non-attendance, however, shall not result in disqualification of an interested Bidder. Minutes of the Bidder's

		conference will be disseminated on the procurement website and shared by email or on the e-Tendering platform as specified in the BDS. No verbal statement made during the conference shall modify the terms and conditions of the ITB, unless specifically incorporated in the Minutes of the Bidder's Conference or issued/posted as an amendment to ITB.
c. SUBMISSION		ID OPENING OF BIDS
22. Submission	22.1	The Bidder shall submit a duly signed and complete Bid comprising the documents and forms in accordance with requirements in the BDS. The Price Schedule shall be submitted together with the Technical Bid. Bid can be delivered either personally, by courier, or by electronic method of transmission as specified in the BDS.
	22.2	The Bid shall be signed by the Bidder or person(s) duly authorized to commit the Bidder. The authorization shall be communicated through a document evidencing such authorization issued by the legal representative of the bidding entity, or a Power of Attorney, accompanying the Bid.
	22.3	Bidders must be aware that the mere act of submission of a Bid, in and of itself, implies that the Bidder fully accepts the UNDP General Contract Terms and Conditions.
23. Hard copy (manual) submission	23.1	Hard copy (manual) submission by courier or hand delivery allowed or specified in the BDS shall be governed as follows:
		a) The signed Bid shall be marked "Original", and its copies marked "Copy" as appropriate. The number of copies is indicated in the BDS. All copies shall be made from the signed original only. If there are discrepancies between the original and the copies, the original shall prevail.
		 (b) The Technical Bid and Price Schedule must be sealed and submitted together in an envelope, which_shall: Bear the name of the Bidder; Be addressed to UNDP as specified in the BDS; and Bear a warning not to open before the time and date for Bid opening as specified in the BDS.
		If the envelope with the Bid is not sealed and marked as required, UNDP shall assume no responsibility for the misplacement, loss, or premature opening of the Bid.
24. Email and eTendering	24.1	Electronic submission through email or eTendering, if allowed as specified in the BDS, shall be governed as follows:
submissions		a) Electronic files that form part of the Bid must be in accordance with the format and requirements indicated in BDS;
		b) Documents which are required to be in original form (e.g. Bid Security, etc.) must be sent via courier or hand delivered as per the instructions in BDS.
	24.2	Detailed instructions on how to submit, modify or cancel a bid in the eTendering system are provided in the eTendering system Bidder User Guide and Instructional videos available on this link: https://www.undp.org/content/undp/en/home/procurement/business/resources-for-bidders
25. Deadline for Submission of Bids and Late Bids	25.1	Complete Bids must be received by UNDP in the manner, and no later than the date and time, specified in the BDS. UNDP shall only recognise the actual date and time that the bid was received by UNDP
	25.2	UNDP shall not consider any Bid that is received after the deadline for the submission

	of Bids.
26. Withdrawal, Substitution, and	26.1 A Bidder may withdraw, substitute or modify its Bid after it has been submitted at any time prior to the deadline for submission.
Modification of Bids	26.2 Manual and Email submissions: A bidder may withdraw, substitute or modify its Bid by sending a written notice to UNDP, duly signed by an authorized representative, and shall include a copy of the authorization (or a Power of Attorney). The corresponding substitution or modification of the Bid, if any, must accompany the respective written notice. All notices must be submitted in the same manner as specified for submission of Bids, by clearly marking them as "WITHDRAWAL" "SUBSTITUTION," or "MODIFICATION"
	26.3 eTendering: A Bidder may withdraw, substitute or modify its Bid by Cancelling, Editing, and re-submitting the Bid directly in the system. It is the responsibility of the Bidder to properly follow the system instructions, duly edit and submit a substitution or modification of the Bid as needed. Detailed instructions on how to cancel or modify a Bid directly in the system are provided in the Bidder User Guide and Instructional videos.
	26.4 Bids requested to be withdrawn shall be returned unopened to the Bidders (only for manual submissions), except if the bid is withdrawn after the bid has been opened.
27. Bid Opening	 27.1 UNDP will open the Bid in the presence of an ad-hoc committee formed by UNDP of at least two (2) members. 27.2 The Bidders' names, modifications, withdrawals, the condition of the envelope labels/seals, the number of folders/files and all other such other details as UNDP may consider appropriate, will be announced at the opening. No Bid shall be rejected at the opening stage, except for late submissions, in which case, the Bid shall be returned unopened to the Bidders.
	27.3 In the case of e-Tendering submission, bidders will receive an automatic notification once the Bid is opened.
d. EVALUATIO	N OF BIDS
28. Confidentiality	28.1 Information relating to the examination, evaluation, and comparison of Bids, and the recommendation of contract award, shall not be disclosed to Bidders or any other persons not officially concerned with such process, even after publication of the contract award.
	28.2 Any effort by a Bidder or anyone on behalf of the Bidder to influence UNDP in the examination, evaluation and comparison of the Bids or contract award decisions may, at UNDP's decision, result in the rejection of its Bid and may subsequently be subject to the application of prevailing UNDP's vendor sanctions procedures.
29. Evaluation of Bids	29.1 UNDP will conduct the evaluation solely on the basis of the Bids received.
	 29.2 Evaluation of Bids shall be undertaken in the following steps: a) Preliminary Examination including Eligibility b) Arithmetical check and ranking of bidders who passed preliminary examination by price. c) Qualification assessment (if pre-qualification was not done) a) Evaluation of Technical Bids b) Evaluation of prices Detailed evaluation will be focussed on the 3 - 5 lowest priced bids. Further higher priced bids shall be added for evaluation if
30. Preliminary Examination	30.1 UNDP shall examine the Bids to determine whether they are complete with respect to minimum documentary requirements, whether the documents have been properly

		signed, and whether the Bids are generally in order, among other indicators that may be used at this stage. UNDP reserves the right to reject any Bid at this stage.
31. Evaluation of Eligibility and	31.1	Eligibility and Qualification of the Bidder will be evaluated against the Minimum Eligibility/Qualification requirements specified in the Section 4 (Evaluation Criteria).
Qualification	31.2	 In general terms, vendors that meet the following criteria may be considered qualified: a. They are not included in the UN Security Council 1267/1989 Committee's list of terrorists and terrorist financiers, and in UNDP's ineligible vendors' list; b. They have a good financial standing and have access to adequate financial resources to perform the contract and all existing commercial commitments, c. They have the necessary similar experience, technical expertise, production capacity, quality certifications, quality assurance procedures and other resources applicable to the supply of goods and/or services required; d. They are able to comply fully with the UNDP General Terms and Conditions of Contract; e. They do not have a consistent history of court/arbitral award decisions against the Bidder; and f) They have a record of timely and satisfactory performance with their clients.
32. Evaluation of Technical Bid and prices	32.1	The evaluation team shall review and evaluate the Technical Bids on the basis of their responsiveness to the Schedule of Requirements and Technical Specifications and other documentation provided, applying the procedure indicated in the BDS and other ITB documents. When necessary, and if stated in the BDS, UNDP may invite technically responsive bidders for a presentation related to their technical Bids. The conditions for the presentation shall be provided in the bid document where required.
33. Due diligence	33.1	UNDP reserves the right to undertake a due diligence exercise, aimed at determining to its satisfaction, the validity of the information provided by the Bidder. Such exercise shall be fully documented and may include, but need not be limited to, all or any combination of the following:
		 a) Verification of accuracy, correctness and authenticity of information provided by the Bidder; b) Validation of extent of compliance to the ITB requirements and evaluation criteria based on what has so far been found by the evaluation team; c) Inquiry and reference checking with Government entities with jurisdiction on the Bidder, or with previous clients, or any other entity that may have done business with the Bidder; d) Inquiry and reference checking with previous clients on the performance on ongoing or completed contracts, including physical inspections of previous works, as
		 deemed necessary; e) Physical inspection of the Bidder's offices, branches or other places where business transpires, with or without notice to the Bidder; f) Other means that UNDP may deem appropriate, at any stage within the selection process, prior to awarding the contract.
34. Clarification of Bids	34.1	To assist in the examination, evaluation and comparison of Bids, UNDP may, at its discretion, request any Bidder for a clarification of its Bid.
	34.2	UNDP's request for clarification and the response shall be in writing and no change in the prices or substance of the Bid shall be sought, offered, or permitted, except to provide clarification, and confirm the correction of any arithmetic errors discovered by UNDP in the evaluation of the Bids, in accordance with the ITB.
	34.3	Any unsolicited clarification submitted by a Bidder in respect to its Bid, which is not a response to a request by UNDP, shall not be considered during the review and evaluation

		of the Bids.
35. Responsiveness of Bid	35.1	UNDP's determination of a Bid's responsiveness will be based on the contents of the bid itself. A substantially responsive Bid is one that conforms to all the terms, conditions, specifications and other requirements of the ITB without material deviation, reservation, or omission.
	35.2	If a bid is not substantially responsive, it shall be rejected by UNDP and may not subsequently be made responsive by the Bidder by correction of the material deviation, reservation, or omission.
36. Nonconformities, Reparable Errors and Omissions	36.1	Provided that a Bid is substantially responsive, UNDP may waive any non-conformities or omissions in the Bid that, in the opinion of UNDP, do not constitute a material deviation.
	36.2	UNDP may request the Bidder to submit the necessary information or documentation, within a reasonable period, to rectify nonmaterial nonconformities or omissions in the Bid related to documentation requirements. Such omission shall not be related to any aspect of the price of the Bid. Failure of the Bidder to comply with the request may result in the rejection of its Bid.
	36.3	For the bids that have passed the preliminary examination, UNDP shall check and correct arithmetical errors as follows:
		a) if there is a discrepancy between the unit price and the line item total that is obtained by multiplying the unit price by the quantity, the unit price shall prevail and the line item total shall be corrected, unless in the opinion of UNDP there is an obvious misplacement of the decimal point in the unit price; in which case, the line item total as quoted shall govern and the unit price shall be corrected;
		b) if there is an error in a total corresponding to the addition or subtraction of subtotals, the subtotals shall prevail and the total shall be corrected; and
		c) if there is a discrepancy between words and figures, the amount in words shall prevail, unless the amount expressed in words is related to an arithmetic error, in which case the amount in figures shall prevail.
	36.4	If the Bidder does not accept the correction of errors made by UNDP, its Bid shall be rejected.
E. AWARD OF	CON	TRACT
37. Right to Accept, Reject, Any or All Bids	37.1	UNDP reserves the right to accept or reject any bid, to render any or all of the bids as non-responsive, and to reject all Bids at any time prior to award of contract, without incurring any liability, or obligation to inform the affected Bidder(s) of the grounds for UNDP's action. UNDP shall not be obliged to award the contract to the lowest priced offer.
38. Award Criteria	38.1	Prior to expiration of the period of Bid validity, UNDP shall award the contract to the qualified and eligible Bidder that is found to be responsive to the requirements of the Schedule of Requirements and Technical Specification, and has offered the lowest price.
39. Debriefing	39.1	In the event that a Bidder is unsuccessful, the Bidder may request for a debriefing from UNDP. The purpose of the debriefing is to discuss the strengths and weaknesses of the Bidder's submission, in order to assist the Bidder in improving its future Bids for UNDP procurement opportunities. The content of other Bids and how they compare to the Bidder's submission shall not be discussed.

40. Right to Vary Requirements at the Time of Award	40.1	At the time of award of Contract, UNDP reserves the right to vary the quantity of goods and/or services, 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.
41. Contract Signature	41.1	Within fifteen (15) days from the date of receipt of the Contract, the successful Bidder shall sign and date the Contract and return it to UNDP. Failure to do so may constitute sufficient grounds for the annulment of the award, and forfeiture of the Bid Security, if any, and on which event, UNDP may award the Contract to the Second highest rated or call for new Bids.
42. Contract Type and General Terms and Conditions	42.1	The types of Contract to be signed and the applicable UNDP Contract General Terms and Conditions, as specified in BDS, can be accessed at <u>http://www.undp.org/content/undp/en/home/procurement/business/how-we-buy.html</u>
43. Performance Security	43.1	A performance security, if required in the BDS, shall be provided in the amount specified in BDS and form available at https://popp.undp.org/_layouts/15/WopiFrame.aspx?sourcedoc=/UNDP_POPP_DOC_ UMENT_LIBRARY/Public/PSU_Solicitation_Performance%20Guarantee%20Form.d ocx&action=default within a maximum of fifteen (15) days of the contract signature by both parties. Where a performance security is required, the receipt of the performance security by UNDP shall be a condition for rendering the contract effective.
44. Bank Guarantee for Advanced Payment	44.1	Except when the interests of UNDP so require, it is UNDP's standard practice to not make advance payment(s) (i.e., payments without having received any outputs). If an advance payment is allowed as per the BDS, and exceeds 20% of the total contract price, or USD 30,000, whichever is less, the Bidder shall submit a Bank Guarantee in the full amount of the advance payment in the form available at https://popp.undp.org/_layouts/15/WopiFrame.aspx?sourcedoc=/UNDP_POPP_DOC_UMENT_LIBRARY/Public/PSU_Contract%20Management%20Payment%20and%20 Taxes_Advanced%20Payment%20Guarantee%20Form.docx&action=default
45. Liquidated Damages	45.1	If specified in the BDS, UNDP shall apply Liquidated Damages for the damages and/or risks caused to UNDP resulting from the Contractor's delays or breach of its obligations as per Contract.
46. Payment Provisions	46.1	Payment will be made only upon UNDP's acceptance of the goods and/or services performed. The terms of payment shall be within thirty (30) days, after receipt of invoice and certification of acceptance of goods and/or services issued by the proper authority in UNDP with direct supervision of the Contractor. Payment will be effected by bank transfer in the currency of the contract.
47. Vendor Protest	47.1	UNDP's vendor protest procedure provides an opportunity for appeal to those persons or firms not awarded a contract through a competitive procurement process. In the event that a Bidder believes that it was not treated fairly, the following link provides further details regarding UNDP vendor protest procedures: <u>http://www.undp.org/content/undp/en/home/procurement/business/protest-and-sanctions.html</u>
48. Other Provisions	48.1 48.2	In the event that the Bidder offers a lower price to the host Government (e.g. General Services Administration (GSA) of the federal government of the United States of America) for similar goods and/or services, UNDP shall be entitled to the same lower price. The UNDP General Terms and Conditions shall have precedence. UNDP is entitled to receive the same pricing offered by the same Contractor in contracts with the United Nations and/or its Agencies. The UNDP General Terms and Conditions shall have precedence.

4	48.3	The United Nations has established restrictions on employment of (former) UN staff who have been involved in the procurement process as per bulletin ST/SGB/2006/15
		http://www.un.org/en/ga/search/view_doc.asp?symbol=ST/SGB/2006/15&referer

F. Section 3. Bid Data Sheet

The following data for the goods and/or services to be procured shall complement, supplement, or amend the provisions in the Invitation to Bid In the case of a conflict between the Instructions to Bidders, the Bid Data Sheet, and other annexes or references attached to the Bid Data Sheet, the provisions in the Bid Data Sheet shall prevail.

BDS No.	Ref. to Section.2	Data	Specific Instructions / Requirements
1	7	Language of the Bid	English
2		Submitting Bids for Parts or sub- parts of the Schedule of Requirements (partial bids)	Allowed Bidders are Allowed to submit partial bids per complete LOT
3	20	Alternative Bids	Shall not be considered
4	21	Pre-Bid conference	Will be Conducted Time: 11:00am Local Time Maputo Date : June 21, 2021 11:00 AM Venue : Online Zoom link: https://undp.zoom.us/j/89408098368?pwd=bXg5bXRGeHFy TWdBM1YvS0Z4WIIwZz09&from=addon Meeting ID: 894 0809 8368 Passcode: 884460 The UNDP focal point for the arrangement is: Procurement Unit Mozambique E-mail: procurement.mozambique@undp.org
5	16	Bid Validity Period	60 days
6	13	Bid Security	Required in the amount of USD USD 5,000 per Lot or its MZN Equivalent Bidders submitting bids for more than one lot <u>must</u> submit one bid security covering the accumulative amount required for. Acceptable Forms of Bid Security Bank Guarantee (See Section 8 for template) Any Bank-issued Check / Cashier's Check / Certified Check

7	41	Advanced Payment upon signing of contract	Allowed up to a maximum of 20% of contract value. To facilitate early mobilization and early start-up of the contract. As per UNDP policies, in principle, advance payments shall be backed up by a corresponding bank guarantee.
8	42	Liquidated Damages	Will be imposed as follows: Percentage of contract price per day of delay: 0.5% Max. number of days of delay 3 days , after which UNDP may terminate the contract.
9	40	Performance Security	Required in the amount of (10%) of the contract value The Performance Security shall be returned to the Contractor within 30 days after the completion of the contract, including any warranty obligations or defects liability period as may be agreed in the contract.
10	12	Currency of Bid	United States Dollar
11	31	Deadline for submitting requests for clarifications/ questions	7 days before the submission deadline
12	31	Contact Details for submitting clarifications/questions	 Focal Person in UNDP: Procurement Unit E-mail address: procurement.mozambique@undp.org Only requests for clarifications should be sent to this email address. Bids submitted to this email address will be disqualified. Bids must be submitted through e-Tendering only as provided in BDS No.15 below. Any delay in UNDPs response shall not be used as a reason for extending the submission deadline, unless UNDP determines that such an extension is necessary and communicates a new submission deadline in writing to Bidder
13	18, 19 and 21	Manner of Disseminating Supplemental Information to the ITB and responses/clarifications to queries	Posted directly to eTendering https://etendering.partneragencies.org; Proposers are advised to frequently check the above-mentioned website for any addenda/clarifications that may be posted.
14	23	Deadline for Submission	June 30, 2021 12:00 PM Mozambique, Maputo time zone. As indicated in e-Tendering system.
			Note that system time zone is in EST/EDT (New York) time zone.

			Try to submit your bid a day prior or well before the closing time. Do not wait until last minute. If you face any issues submitting your bid at the last minute, UNDP may not be able to provide any assistance. For eTendering submission - as indicated in eTendering system. Note that system time zone is in EST/EDT (New York) time zone.
14	22	Allowable Manner of Submitting Bids	⊠ e-Tendering
15	22	Bid Submission Address	 ☑ Online bidding in E-tendering module. Online bidding in E-Tendering module through: <u>https://etendering.partneragencies.org_</u>using your username and pass If you have not registered in the system yet, you can register now by logging in using Username: event.guest Password: why2change And follow the registration steps as steps as specified in the attached instruction to bidders/ user guide. BU Code and Event ID number Business Unit: MOZ10 Event ID: ITB00521
16	22	Electronic submission (email or eTendering) requirements	 Only electronic submission in the e-tendering module. Format: PDF files only File names must be maximum 60 characters long and must not contain any letter or special character other than from Latin alphabet/keyboard. All files must be free of viruses and not corrupted. Max. File Size per transmission: 50 MB Mandatory subject of email: ITB/005/2021 Supply and delivery of construction materials in Mutua, Dondo, Sofala Province. Bidders are encouraged to check the attachment formats prior to submission as UNDP will not be responsible if attachments are in other formats that cannot be opened without additional software.
17	25	Date, time and venue for the opening of bid	This is an e-Tendering submission, bidders will receive an automatic notification once their Bids are opened.
18	27, 36	Evaluation Method for the Award of Contract	 UNDP will conduct the evaluation solely on the basis of the Bids received. Evaluation of Bids shall be undertaken in the following steps: d) Preliminary Examination including Eligibility e) Arithmetical check and ranking of bidders who passed preliminary examination by price.

19 20 21	35	Expected date for commencement of Contract Maximum expected duration of contract UNDP will award the contract to:	 f) Qualification assessment (if pre-qualification was not done) c) Evaluation of Technical Bids d) Evaluation of prices Detailed evaluation will be focussed on the 3 - 5 lowest priced bids. Further higher priced bids shall be added for evaluation if necessary Lowest priced technically responsive, eligible and qualified bid. <i>July 15, 2021</i> 6 months One or more Proposers, depending on the following factors
			 Bidders can submit a bid for one Lot or multiple Lots. Bidders will be awarded multiple lots based on the following: - Determination of award for the Lots in such a scenario would be based on the following criteria: Overall least price combination across Lots to UNDP based on different combinations of award. Preference to award a Lot to a bidder in the event that there may not be other technically responsive bids for that Lot to ensure there is coverage for all Lots. Bidders shall furnish documentary evidence to demonstrate that it meets the following experience requirement(s): Bidders shall furnish data to support that they have the production / delivery capacity to perform the Contract and complete delivery of the supplies within the stipulated delivery period.
22	39	Type of Contract	Contract for Goods and/or Services to UNDP http://www.undp.org/content/undp/en/home/procurement/business/ho w-we-buy.html
23	39	UNDP Contract Terms and Conditions that will apply	UNDP General Terms and Conditions for Works http://www.undp.org/content/undp/en/home/procurement/business/ho w-we-buy.html
24		Other Information Related to the ITB	Post Qualification Actions; UNDP may at its discretion conduct post qualification actions using one or more, or all the actions indicated below:• Verification of accuracy, correctness and authenticity of the information provided by the Bidder on the legal, technical, and financial documents submitted including but not limited to Bid Security• Inquiry and reference checking with Government entities with

	jurisdiction on the Bidder, or any other entity that might have done business with the Bidder,•
	Inquiry and reference checking with other previous clients on the quality of performance on ongoing or past contracts completed.•
	Pre-Inspection of goods which will be carried out and certified by an independent party, prior to delivery to site.

G. Section 4. Evaluation Criteria

Preliminary Examination Criteria

Bids will be examined to determine whether they are complete and submitted in accordance with ITB requirements as per below criteria on a Yes/No basis:

- Duly Signed Forms A, B, C, D, E and F.
- Bid Form Signed by Authorized Person (s)
- Written Power of Attorney
- Bid Validity of 60 days
- Priced Bills of Quantities
- Certificate of Registration of the business, including Articles of Incorporation, or equivalent document if Bidder is not a corporation
- Certificate to commence business
- List of Equipment
- 3 years Audited Financial Statement (2017 2019)
- Bidder Information Sheet fill and completed
- Experiences (General, Similar and Specific)
- Bid Security submitted as per ITB requirements with compliant validity period
- Minimum Bid documents provided
- Source of material and equipment to be supplied
- A Credit line of 500K from a reputable bank for only one lot awarded or 1M Dollars for two lots or more
- The Supplier should comply fully with the UNDP General Terms and Conditions of Contract;

Minimum Eligibility and Qualification Criteria

Eligibility and Qualification will be evaluated on a Pass/Fail basis.

If the Bid is submitted as a Joint Venture/Consortium/Association, each member should meet the minimum criteria, unless otherwise specified.

Subject	Criteria	Document Submission requirement
ELIGIBILITY		
Legal Status (Mandatory)	Vendor is a legally registered entity.	Form B: Bidder Information Form
Eligibility (Mandatory)	Vendor is not suspended, nor debarred, nor otherwise identified as ineligible by any UN Organization or the World Bank Group or any other international Organization in accordance with ITB clause 3.	Form A: Bid Submission Form
Conflict of Interest (Mandatory)	No conflicts of interest in accordance with ITB clause 4.	Form A: Bid Submission Form
Bankruptcy (Mandatory)	Has not declared bankruptcy, is not involved in bankruptcy or receivership proceedings, and there is no judgment or pending legal action against the vendor that could impair its operations in the foreseeable future.	Form A: Bid Submission Form
Certificates and Licenses (Mandatory)	 Duly authorized to act as Agent on behalf of the Manufacturer, or Power of Attorney, if bidder is not a manufacturer Official appointment as local representative, if Bidder is submitting a Bid on behalf of an entity located outside the country 	Form B: Bidder Information Form

	 Patent Registration Certificates, if any of technologies submitted in the Bid is patented by the Bidder Export/Import Licenses, if applicable 	
Any additional criteria if required		
	 Valid Certificate of Business Registration. 	
	 Export/Import Licenses, if applicable 	
	 Tax Registration/Payment Certificate issued by the Internal Revenue Authority evidencing that the Bidder is updated with its tax payment obligations, or Certificate of Tax exemption, if any such privilege is enjoyed by the Bidder Trade name registration papers, if applicable Quality Certificate (e.g., ISO, etc.) and/or other similar certificates, accreditations, awards and citations received by the Bidder, if any Environmental Compliance Certificates, Accreditations, Markings/Labels, and other evidences of the Bidder's practices which contributes to the ecological sustainability and reduction of adverse environmental impact (e.g., use of non-toxic substances, recycled raw materials, energy-efficient equipment, reduced carbon emission, etc.), either in its business practices or in the goods it manufactures, if any Local Government permit to locate and operate in assignment location, if applicable Official Letter of Appointment as local representative, if Bidder is submitting a Bid on behalf of an entity located outside the country Statement of satisfactory performance from the top three (3) client's or more in terms of contract value for the past three (3) years; 	
QUALIFICATION		
History of Non- Performing Contracts ¹	Non-performance of a contract did not occur as a result of contractor default for the last 3 years.	Form D: Qualification Form
Litigation History	No consistent history of court/arbitral award decisions against the Bidder for the last 3 years.	Form D: Qualification Form
Previous Experience	Minimum 3 years of relevant experience (supply of building materials and tools) in the region or Africa.	Form D: Qualification Form
	Minimum 3 contracts of similar value, nature and complexity implemented over the last 3 years.	Form D: Qualification Form
	(For JV/Consortium/Association, all Parties cumulatively should meet requirement).	
Financial Standing	The Minimum average annual turnover of USD 500,000 or its equivalent in MZN for an average of three (3) -(2017, 2018 and 2019).	Form D: Qualification Form
	The same requirement will be required from bidders competing for several lots.	
	Provide Audited Financial Statement (Income Statement and Balance Sheet) by a certified public accountant for the financial years 2017, 2018	

¹ Non-performance, as decided by UNDP, shall include all contracts where (a) non-performance was not challenged by the contractor, including through referral to the dispute resolution mechanism under the respective contract, and (b) contracts that were so challenged but fully settled against the contractor. Non-performance shall not include contracts where Employers decision was overruled by the dispute resolution mechanism. Non-performance must be based on all information on fully settled disputes or litigation, i.e. dispute or litigation that has been resolved in accordance with the dispute resolution mechanism under the respective contract and where all appeal instances available to the Bidder have been exhausted.

	transportation, insurance and the total cost of ownership (including spare parts, consumption, installation, commissioning, training, special packaging, etc., where applicable)	23
Financial Evaluation	Detailed analysis of the price schedule based on requirements listed in Section 5 and quoted for by the bidders in Form F. Price comparison shall be based on the landed price, including	Form F: Price Schedule Form
	Bidder should be in continuous business of manufacturing / supplying the specific product as specified in the 'Summary of requirements' during the last 3 (three) years and similar products during the last 3 (three) years prior to bid opening.	
	 Production Capacity, Delivery Schedule, Available Fleets for delivery, Existing stock for the first delivery in terms of quantities. One warehouse of minimum 300 square meters, Three (3) trucks with a capacity of 12 tons minimum or an agreement with a dedicated transport company own of those vehicles. 	
	For the evaluation purposes Bidders are expected to submit the following in addition to the requirements above: The Bidder shall furnish documentary evidence to demonstrate that it meets the following experience requirement(s). such as	
	Stage II: Detailed Examination of Bids (a) Technical Compliance • Compliance with requirements in the BOQ/Statement of works • Method Statement • Delivery Schedule • Equipment details	
	The technical bids shall be evaluated on a pass/fail basis for compliance or non-compliance with the technical specifications identified in the bid document. Bids which fulfil the full requirements of Preliminary shall be considered Substantially Responsive. Only substantially responsive bids will progress to Stage II for Detailed Examination below.	
Technical Evaluation	The evaluation team shall review and evaluate the Technical Bids on the basis of their responsiveness to the Schedule of Requirements and Technical Specifications and other documentation provided, applying the procedure indicated in the BDS and other ITB documents	Form E: Technical Bid Form
	Bidder must demonstrate the current soundness of its financial standing and indicate its prospective long-term profitability. (For JV/Consortium/Association, all Parties cumulatively should meet requirement).	Form D: Qualification Form
	and 2019. (For JV/Consortium/Association, all Parties cumulatively should meet requirement).	

	Comparison with budget/internal estimates. Detailed analysis of the price schedule based on requirements listed in Section 5 and quoted for by the bidders in Form F. Financial Examination of Bids and comparison of Bids after Arithmetic checks of the BOQs (b) Financial Examination of Bids • Submitted and Corrected Bid Prices and Errors • Evaluated Bid Prices	
Post Qualification stage	 Stage III: Qualification Assessment Quality assurance (Reference check from 3 reputable clients Acid Test Ration for 1 	

H. Section 5a: Schedule of Requirements and Technical Specifications/Bill of Quantities

#	Item to be supplied Description/Specifications ²	Quantity	Delivery Date	Other Information
		1		
	LOT 1 Block, Sand and Steel			
		1		
	LOT 2 Materials for Houses and Latrine			
	Reconstruction (Metal & Wood)			
		1		
	LOT 3 Materials for Tools & Latrine Slab			
	Please refer to Annex 1-3 BOQs for Lot 1, I	Lot 2 & Lot 3		
	Please refer to Annex 4 –Schedule of deliver	ries		

I. Section 5b: Other Related Requirements

Further to the Schedule of Requirements in the preceding Table, Bidders are requested to take note of the following additional requirements, conditions, and related services pertaining to the fulfillment of the requirements: [check the condition that applies to this ITB, delete the entire row if condition is not applicable

² Clustering items by lots, if any, is recommended, especially if partial bids will be allowed.

to the goods being procured]

Delivery Term [INCOTERMS 2020]	DAP		
(Pls. link this to price schedule)	(UNDP will issue Exemption Letters for successful Suppliers)		
Exact Address of Delivery/Installation Location	Província de Sofala Distrito de Dondo Posto Administrativo de Mafambisse Localidade de Mutua Bairro de Reassentamento de Mutua Location GPS coordinates Mutua Latitude: 19° 26' 00",6 Sul Longitude: 34°36'39",4 Este		
Mode of Transport Preferred	Land / Sea		
UNDP Preferred Freight Forwarder, if any ³	Not Applicable		
Distribution of shipping documents (<i>if using freight forwarder</i>)	Not Applicable		
Customs, if required, clearing shall be done by:	Supplier		
Ex-factory / Pre-shipment inspection	Not Applicable		
Inspection upon delivery	Yes		
Installation Requirements	Not Applicable		
Testing Requirements	Not Applicable		
Scope of Training on Operation and Maintenance	Not Applicable		
Commissioning	Not Applicable		
Warranty Period	6 months		
Local Service Support	Not Applicable		
Technical Support Requirements	Not Applicable		
After-sale services Requirements	 Warranty on Parts and Labor for minimum period of Technical Support Provision of Service Unit when pulled out for maintenance /repair Others Not Applicable 		
Payment Terms Max of 20% upon contract signature/PO issuance a within 30 days from UNDP's acceptance of goods a receipt of invoice			
Conditions for Release of Payment	 Pre-shipment inspection Inspection upon arrival at destination Installation Testing Training on Operation and Maintenance 		

³A factor of the <u>Incoterms</u> stipulated in the ITB. The use of a UNDP preferred freight forwarder may be considered for purposes of ensuring forwarder's familiarity with procedures and processing of documentary requirements applicable to UNDP when clearing with customs authority of the country of destination.

	 □ Others [pls. specify] ⊠ Written Acceptance of Goods based on full compliance with ITB requirements 		
All documentations, including catalogues, instructions and operating manuals, shall be in this language	English		
Other information	 a) The price shall include the transportation, loading and offloading. 		
	b) Suppliers will ensure that they comply with all national environmental legislation concerning the supply of the		
	required raw materials (wood, sand, etc.).		
	c) Quality Assurance and Quality Control (QAQC) Test		
	for the materials shall be on the supplier cost at any delivery.		
	d) The supplier shall comply with the specification in		
	English, the Portuguese only for translation.		
	e) The material will be supplied gradually, according to propose schedule.		
	f) Certification of materials specifications to be presented		
	for engineer approval before delivery.		
	 g) UNDP has the right to refuse any delivery in case the supplied materials not corresponding to the specifications. 		
	 h) The actual cost will be paid according to the actual supply materials. 		
	 UNDP has the right to increase or decrease any item in the BOQ up to 25%. 		
	j) UNDP has the right to cancel any item in the BOQ		

J. Section 6: Returnable Bidding Forms / Checklist

This form serves as a checklist for preparation of your Bid. Please complete the Returnable Bidding Forms in accordance with the instructions in the forms and return them as part of your Bid submission. No alteration to format of forms shall be permitted and no substitution shall be accepted.

Before submitting your Bid, please ensure compliance with the Bid Submission instructions of the BDS 22.

Technical Bid:

Have you duly completed all the Returnable Bidding Forms?	
 Form A: Bid Submission Form 	
 Form B: Bidder Information Form 	
 Form C: Joint Venture/Consortium/ Association Information Form 	
 Form D: Qualification Form 	
 Form E: Format of Technical Bid/Bill of Quantities 	
 From G: Form of Bid Security 	
 [Add other forms as necessary] 	
Have you provided the required documents to establish compliance with the evaluation criteria in Section 4?	

Price Schedule:

Form F: Price Schedule Form	

к. Form A: Bid Submission Form

Name of Bidder:	[Insert Name of Bidder]	Date:	Select date
ITB reference:	[Insert ITB Reference Number]		

We, the undersigned, offer to supply the goods and related services required for [Insert Title of goods and services] in accordance with your Invitation to Bid No. [Insert ITB Reference Number] and our Bid. We hereby submit our Bid, which includes this Technical Bid and Price Schedule.

Our attached Price Schedule is for the sum of [Insert amount in words and figures and indicate currency].

We hereby declare that our firm, its affiliates or subsidiaries or employees, including any JV/Consortium /Association members or subcontractors or suppliers for any part of the contract:

- a) is not under procurement prohibition by the United Nations, including but not limited to prohibitions derived from the Compendium of United Nations Security Council Sanctions Lists;
- b) have not been suspended, debarred, sanctioned or otherwise identified as ineligible by any UN Organization or the World Bank Group or any other international Organization;
- c) have no conflict of interest in accordance with Instruction to Bidders Clause 4;
- d) do not employ, or anticipate employing, any person(s) who is, or has been a UN staff member within the last year, if said UN staff member has or had prior professional dealings with our firm in his/her capacity as UN staff member within the last three years of service with the UN (in accordance with UN post-employment restrictions published in ST/SGB/2006/15);
- e) have not declared bankruptcy, are not involved in bankruptcy or receivership proceedings, and there is no judgment or pending legal action against them that could impair their operations in the foreseeable future;
- f) undertake not to engage in proscribed practices, including but not limited to corruption, fraud, coercion, collusion, obstruction, or any other unethical practice, with the UN or any other party, and to conduct business in a manner that averts any financial, operational, reputational or other undue risk to the UN and we embrace the principles of the United Nations Supplier Code of Conduct and adhere to the principles of the United Nations Global Compact.

We declare that all the information and statements made in this Bid are true and we accept that any misinterpretation or misrepresentation contained in this Bid may lead to our disqualification and/or sanctioning by the UNDP.

We offer to supply the goods and related services in conformity with the Bidding documents, including the UNDP General Conditions of Contract and in accordance with the Schedule of Requirements and Technical Specifications.

Our Bid shall be valid and remain binding upon us for the period specified in the Bid Data Sheet.

We understand and recognize that you are not bound to accept any Bid you receive.

I, the undersigned, certify that I am duly authorized by [Insert Name of Bidder] to sign this Bid and bind it should UNDP accept this Bid.

Name:	
Title:	
Date:	
Signature:	

[Stamp with official stamp of the Bidder]

L. Form B: Bidder Information Form

Legal name of Bidder	[Complete]
Legal address	[Complete]
Year of registration	[Complete]
Bidder's Authorized Representative Information	Name and Title: [Complete] Telephone numbers: [Complete] Email: [Complete]
Are you a UNGM registered vendor?	□ Yes □ No If yes, [insert UGNM vendor number]
Are you a UNDP vendor?	□ Yes □ No If yes, [insert UNDP vendor number]
Countries of operation	[Complete]
No. of full-time employees	[Complete]
Quality Assurance Certification (e.g. ISO 9000 or Equivalent) (<i>If yes, provide a Copy of the valid Certificate</i>):	[Complete]
Does your Company hold any accreditation such as ISO 14001 or ISO 14064 or equivalent related to the environment? (<i>If yes, provide a Copy of the</i> <i>valid Certificate</i>):	[Complete]
Does your Company have a written Statement of its Environmental Policy? (<i>If yes, provide a Copy</i>)	[Complete]
Does your organization demonstrates significant commitment to sustainability through some other means, for example internal company policy documents on women empowerment, renewable energies or membership of trade institutions promoting such issues	[Complete]
Is your company a member of the UN Global Compact	[Complete]
Contact person that UNDP may contact for requests for clarifications during Bid evaluation	Name and Title: [Complete] Telephone numbers: [Complete] Email: [Complete]
Please attach the following documents:	 Company Profile, which should <u>not</u> exceed 5 (5) pages, including printed brochures and product catalogues relevant to the goods and/or services being procured Provide a Valid Certificate of Business Registration

 Tax Registration/Payment Certificate issued by the Internal Revenue Authority evidencing that the Bidder is updated with its tax payment obligations, or Certificate of Tax exemption, if any such privilege is enjoyed by the Bidder Trade name registration papers, if applicable Quality Certificate (e.g., ISO, etc.) and/or other similar certificates, accreditations, awards and citations received by the Bidder, if any Environmental Compliance Certificates, Accreditations, Markings/Labels, and other evidences of the Bidder's practices which contributes to the ecological sustainability and reduction of adverse environmental impact (e.g., use of non-toxic substances, recycled raw materials, energy-efficient equipment, reduced carbon emission, etc.), either in its business practices or in the goods it manufactures, if any Local Government permit to locate and operate in assignment location, if applicable Official Letter of Appointment as local representative, if Bidder is submitting a Bid on behalf of an entity located outside the country List and value of similar projects performed over the last three years, plus clients' contact details (name, telephone number, email) who may be contacted for further information on those contracts in table format; Statement of satisfactory performance from the top three (3) client's or more in terms of contract value for the past three (3) years; Provide Audited Financial Statement (Income Statement and Balance
more in terms of contract value for the past three (3) years;

M. Form C: Joint Venture/Consortium/Association Information Form

Name of Bidder:	[Insert Name of Bidder]	Date:	Select date
ITB reference:	[Insert ITB Reference Number]		

To be completed and returned with your Bid if the Bid is submitted as a Joint Venture/Consortium/Association.

No	Name of Partner and contact information (address, telephone numbers, fax numbers, e-mail address)	Proposed proportion of responsibilities (in %) and type of goods and/or services to be performed
1	[Complete]	[Complete]
2	[Complete]	[Complete]
3	[Complete]	[Complete]

Name of leading partner (with authority to bind the JV, Consortium, Association during the ITB process and, in the event a Contract is awarded, during contract execution)	[Complete]
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We have attached a copy of the below referenced document signed by every partner, which details the likely legal structure of and the confirmation of joint and severable liability of the members of the said joint venture:

 \Box Letter of intent to form a joint venture **OR** \Box JV/Consortium/Association agreement

We hereby confirm that if the contract is awarded, all parties of the Joint Venture/Consortium/Association shall be jointly and severally liable to UNDP for the fulfillment of the provisions of the Contract.

Name of partner:	Name of partner:
Signature:	Signature:
Date:	Date:
Name of partner:	Name of partner:
Signature:	Signature:
Date:	Date:

N. Form D: Eligibility and Qualification Form

Name of Bidder:	[Insert Name of Bidder]	Date:	Select date
ITB reference:	[Insert ITB Reference Number]		

If JV/Consortium/Association, to be completed by each partner.

History of Non- Performing Contracts

□Non-performing contracts did not occur during the last 3 years					
□ Contract((s) not performed in the	e last 3 years			
Year	Non- performed portion of contract	Contract Identification	Total Contract Amount (current value in US\$)		
		Name of Client: Address of Client: Reason(s) for non-performance:			

Litigation History (including pending litigation)

□ No litigat	ion history for the last	3 years	
□ Litigation	History as indicated l	below	
Year of dispute	Amount in dispute (in US\$)	Contract Identification	Total Contract Amount (current value in US\$)
		Name of Client: Address of Client: Matter in dispute: Party who initiated the dispute: Status of dispute: Party awarded if resolved:	

Previous Relevant Experience

Please list only previous similar assignments successfully completed in the last 3 years.

Similar Experience Table

Applicant's/Joint Venture/Consortium Partner's Legal Name:

Date:

JV/Consortium Party Name:

Similar Contract No.	Information			
Contract Identification	Name:			
	Contract no:			
Award date				
Start date				
Completion date				
Role in Contract	Contractor	Management	Subcontractor	
[check the appropriate box]		Contractor		
Total Contract Amount	US\$			
If partner in a JV/Consortium, or subcontractor, specify participation in total contract amount				
Employer's Name:				
Address:				
Telephone/fax number	Telephone Email Address:			
Description of the similarity in the form of (amount, Physical size, complexity and methods)				

List only those assignments for which the Bidder was legally contracted or sub-contracted by the Client as a company or was one of the Consortium/JV partners. Assignments completed by the Bidder's individual experts working privately or through other firms cannot be claimed as the relevant experience of the Bidder, or that of the Bidder's partners or sub-consultants, but can be claimed by the Experts themselves in their CVs. The Bidder should be prepared to substantiate the claimed experience by presenting copies of relevant documents and references if so requested by UNDP.

Project name Country of Assignment	& Client & Reference Contact Details	Contract Value	Period of activity and status	Types of activities undertaken

Bidders may also attach their own Project Data Sheets with more details for assignments above.

□ Attached are the Statements of Satisfactory Performance from the Top 3 (three) Clients or more.

Financial Standing

Annual Turnover for the last 3 years	Year Year Year	USD USD USD	
Latest Credit Rating (if any), indicate the source			

Financial information (in US\$ equivalent)	Historic information for the last 3 years				
	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3		
	Information from Balance Sheet				
Total Assets (TA)					
Total Liabilities (TL)					
Current Assets (CA)					
Current Liabilities (CL)					
	Info	ient			
Total / Gross Revenue (TR)					
Profits Before Taxes (PBT)					
Net Profit					
Current Ratio					

 \Box Attached are copies of the audited financial statements (balance sheets, including all related notes, and income statements) for the years required above complying with the following condition:

- a) Must reflect the financial situation of the Bidder or party to a JV, and not sister or parent companies;
- b) Historic financial statements must be audited by a certified public accountant;
- c) Historic financial statements must correspond to accounting periods already completed and audited. No statements for partial periods shall be accepted.

o. Form E: Format of Technical Bid

Name of Bidder:	[Insert Name of Bidder]	Date:	Select date
ITB reference:	[Insert ITB Reference Number]		

The Bidder's Bid should be organized to follow this format of the Technical Bid. Where the bidder is presented with a requirement or asked to use a specific approach, the bidder must not only state its acceptance, but also describe how it intends to comply with the requirements. Where a descriptive response is requested, failure to provide the same will be viewed as non-responsive.

SECTION 1: Bidder's qualification, capacity and expertise

- 1.1 Relevance of specialized knowledge and experience on similar engagements done in the region/country.
- 1.2 Quality assurance procedures and risk mitigation measures.

SECTION 2: Scope of Supply, Technical Specifications, and Related Services

This section should demonstrate the Bidder's responsiveness to the specification by identifying the specific components proposed, addressing the requirements, as specified, point by point; providing a detailed description of the essential performance characteristics proposed; and demonstrating how the proposed bid meets or exceeds the requirements/specifications. All important aspects should be addressed in sufficient detail.

- 2.1 A detailed description of how the Bidder will deliver the required goods and services, keeping in mind the appropriateness to local conditions and project environment. Details how the different service elements shall be organized, controlled and delivered.
- 2.2 Explain whether any work would be subcontracted, to whom, how much percentage of the requirements, the rationale for such, and the roles of the proposed sub-contractors and how everyone will function as a team.
- 2.3 The bid shall also include details of the Bidder's internal technical and quality assurance review mechanisms.
- 2.4 Implementation plan including a Gantt Chart or Project Schedule indicating the detailed sequence of activities that will be undertaken and their corresponding timing.

Note to UNDP: Under the Column "a", please list items from Section 5a. Related services and requirements such as installation, training and after-sales should also be listed as required.

Goods and services to be Supplied and Technical Specifications	Your response					
	Compliance with technical specifications		Delivery Date (confirm that you	Quality Certificate	Comments	
	Yes, we comply	No, we cannot comply (<i>indicate discrepancies</i>)	comply or indicate your delivery date)	/Export Licenses, etc. (indicate all that apply and attach)		
Please refer to Lot 1						
Please refer to Lot 2						
Please refer to Lot 3						

Other Related services and requirements	Compliance	e with requirements	Details or comments on the related requirements
(based on the information provided in Section 5b)	Yes, we comply	No, we cannot comply (<i>indicate discrepancies</i>)	
Delivery Schedule			
Payment Terms			
6 months warranty on all supplied goods			

SECTION 3: Management Structure and Key Personnel

Describe the overall logistics approach toward implementing the deliveries. Include schedule of deliveries, available warehouse space and equipment planned to be used. Provide a spreadsheet to show the time frame of process (order / customs clearance/ delivery at warehouse / consolidation / delivery at place

Provide CVs for key personnel that will be provided to support the implementation of this project using the format below. CVs should demonstrate qualifications in areas relevant to the scope of goods and/or services.

Format for CV of Proposed Key Personnel (NOT APPLICABLE)

Name of Personnel	[Insert]
Position for this assignment	[Insert]
Nationality	[Insert]
Language proficiency	[Insert]
Education/ Qualifications	[Summarize college/university and other specialized education of personnel member, giving names of schools, dates attended, and degrees/qualifications obtained.]
	[Insert]
Professional certifications	[Provide details of professional certifications relevant to the scope of goods and/or services]Name of institution: [Insert]
	 Date of certification: [Insert]
Employment Record/ Experience	[List all positions held by personnel (starting with present position, list in reverse order), giving dates, names of employing organization, title of position held and location of employment. For experience in last five years, detail the type of activities performed, degree of responsibilities, location of assignments and any other information or professional experience considered pertinent for this assignment.]
	[Insert]
References	[Provide names, addresses, phone and email contact information for two (2) references]

Reference 1: [Insert]
Reference 2: [Insert]

I, the undersigned, certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief, the data provided above correctly describes my qualifications, my experiences, and other relevant information about myself.

Signature of Personnel

Date (Day/Month/Year)

P. KEY EQUIPMENT

Equipment Requirements

1	Three (3) trucks with a capacity of 12 tons minimum	3	
2			
3			

Format for Proposed Key Equipment

The Bidder shall provide adequate information to demonstrate clearly that it has the capability to meet the requirements for the key equipment listed below. A separate Form shall be prepared for each item of equipment listed, or for alternative equipment proposed by the Bidder.

Item of equipme	nt		
Equipment information	Name of manufacturer		Model and power rating
	Capacity		Year of manufacture
Current status	Current location		
	Details of current commitments		
Source	Indicate source of the equipment Owned Rented	□ Leased	□ Specially manufactured

q. FORM F: Price Schedule Form

Name of Bidder:	[Insert Name of Bidder]	Date:	Select date
ITB reference:	[Insert ITB Reference Number]		

The Bill of Quantities (BOQ) to be priced are attached separately as excel sheet - Annex 1-3 The Bidder is required to insert only the rate in the BOQ.

Currency of the Bid: USD

Price Schedule – LOT 1

Item #	Description	UOM	Quantity	Unit Price	Total Price
	FCA charges, if any				
Bid Subtotal FCA (<u>Incoterms 2020</u>) (please state FCA International Airport):					
Transportation/Delivery Cost					
Bid Total DDP / DAT / DAP, off-loaded/cleared, Place, Country (Incoterms 2020)					
				Warranty	
			(GRAND TOTAL	

Name of Bidder:	
Authorised signature:	
Name of authorised signatory:	
Functional Title:	

Currency of the Bid: USD

Price Schedule – LOT 2

Item #	Description	UOM	Quantity	Unit Price	Total Price
	FCA charges, if any				

Bid Subtotal FCA (<u>Incoterms 2020</u>) (please state FCA International Airport):	
Transportation/Delivery Cost	
Bid Total DDP / DAT / DAP, off-loaded/cleared, Place, Country (Incoterms 2020)	
Warranty	
GRAND TOTAL	

Name of Bidder:	
Authorised signature:	
Name of authorised signatory:	
Functional Title:	

Currency of the Bid: USD

Price Schedule – LOT 3

Item #	Description	UOM	Quantity	Unit Price	Total Price
			FC	CA charges, if any	
	Bid Subtotal FCA (<u>Incoterms 2020</u>) (<i>please state FCA International Airport</i>):				
	Transportation/Delivery Cost				
	Bid Total DDP / DAT / DAP, off-loaded/cleared, Place, Country (<u>Incoterms 2020</u>)				
	Warranty				
	GRAND TOTAL				

Name of Bidder:	
Authorised signature:	
Name of authorised signatory:	
Functional Title:	

R. FORM G: Form of Bid Security

Bid Security must be issued using the official letterhead of the Issuing Bank. Except for indicated fields, no changes may be made on this template.

To: UNDP

[Insert contact information as provided in Data Sheet]

WHEREAS [Name and address of Bidder] (hereinafter called "the Bidder") has submitted a Bid to UNDP dated Click here to enter a date. to execute goods and/or services [Insert Title of Goods and/or Services] (hereinafter called "the Bid"):

AND WHEREAS it has been stipulated by you that the Bidder shall furnish you with a Bank Guarantee by a recognized bank for the sum specified therein as security if the Bidder:

- a) Fails to sign the Contract after UNDP has awarded it;
- b) Withdraws its Bid after the date of the opening of the Bids;
- c) Fails to comply with UNDP's variation of requirement, as per ITB instructions; or
- d) Fails to furnish Performance Security, insurances, or other documents that UNDP may require as a condition to rendering the contract effective.

AND WHEREAS we have agreed to give the Bidder such Bank Guarantee:

NOW THEREFORE we hereby affirm that we are the Guarantor and responsible to you, on behalf of the Bidder, up to a total of [*amount of guarantee*] [*in words and numbers*], such sum being payable in the types and proportions of currencies in which the Price Bid is payable, and we undertake to pay you, upon your first written demand and without cavil or argument, any sum or sums within the limits of [*amount of guarantee as aforesaid*] without your needing to prove or to show grounds or reasons for your demand for the sum specified therein.

This guarantee shall be valid up to 30 days after the final date of validity of bids.

SIGNATURE AND SEAL OF THE GUARANTOR BANK

Signature:		 	
Name:		 	
Date:		 	
Name of Ba	ank	 	
Address		 	

[Stamp with official stamp of the Bank] [insert: address and email address]

s. FORM H: Form of Performance Security

49. PERFORMACE BANK GUARANTEE

То:....

[INSERT FULL NAME AND ADDRESS OF RR or BUREAU/DIVISION DIRECTOR AT UNDP]

AND WHEREAS it has been stipulated by you in the said Contract that the Contractor shall furnish you with a Bank Guarantee by a recognized Bank for the sum specified therein as security for compliance with his obligations in accordance with the Contract;

AND WHEREAS we have agreed to give the Contractor such a Bank Guarantee;

NOW THEREFORE we hereby irrevocably affirm that we are the Guarantor and responsible to you, on behalf of the Contractor, up to a total of......[INSERT AMOUNT OF GUARANTEE IN FIGURES AND IN WORDS], such sum being payable in the types and proportions of currencies in which the Contract Price is payable, and we undertake to pay you, upon your first written demand and without cavil or argument, any sum or sums within the limits of[INSERT AMOUNT OF GUARANTEE] as aforesaid without your needing to prove or to show grounds or reasons for your demand for the sum specified therein.

We hereby waive the necessity of your demanding the said debt from the Contractor before presenting us with the demand.

We further agree that no change or addition to or other modification of the terms of the Contract or of the Works to be performed thereunder or of any of the Contract Documents which may be made between you and the Contractor shall in any way release us from any liability under this guarantee, and we hereby waive notice of any such change, addition or modification.

This guarantee shall be valid until twenty eight calendar days after issuance of the Certificate of Final Completion.

SIGNATURE AND SEAL OF THE GUARANTOR

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NAME OF BANK

ADDRESS

DATE