



AMENDMENT NO. 2

Date: 15/06/2021

Subject: Amendment No. 2 to “Invitation to Bid” for Procurement of Plastic Medical Waste Bags within the scope of COVID-19 Resilience and Response Project

Ref: UNDP-TUR-ITB(CV)-2021/009 (E-TENDERING EVENT ID: TUR10-ITB-21-009)

Dear Madam/Sir,

Please find ATTACHMENT-1 for the “Answers to Questions from Prospective Bidders” within the context of subject ITB.

You are kindly requested to prepare and submit your bids in response to our subject “Invitation to Bid” with consideration of these answers; whereas all other clauses of the “Invitation to Bid”, except as amended herein, remaining valid.

Please make sure that your bids are submitted through e-tendering on or before 17 June 2021, 04:00 am (EST/EDT New York Time), as indicated in the e-tendering system.

Attachments:

ATTACHMENT-1 Answers to Questions from Prospective Bidders

Yours sincerely,

UNDP TURKEY Country Office

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Question 1: As per financial standing criteria of the ITB given in Section 4. Evaluation Criteria, Minimum average annual turnover of the bidder shall not be less than USD 250.000 for the last 3 years (i.e. 2018, 2019, 2020) and Bidders must submit audited Financial Statements. Could you please clarify the exchange rate to be used for converting the TRY amount to USD amount in our Financial Statements?

Answer 1: Bidders shall convert TRY amount to USD amount through UN Operational Exchange rate valid on 31st December of each corresponding year. UN Operational Exchange rate history can be accessed through <https://treasury.un.org/operationalrates/OperationalRates.php>

Question 2: As per the Previous Experience criteria of the ITB given in Section 4. Evaluation Criteria, Minimum 1 contract of similar value and nature shall have been implemented over the last 5 years counting back from the Bid submission deadline. Could you please clarify the following?:

- **Our company has implemented contract within the Country (in Turkey). Will the projects implemented in Turkey be considered acceptable?**
- **Can laboratory equipment, kits and consumables be accepted as similar experience?**

Answer 2: Answers to above queries are as follows:

- *Any contract which meets the criteria stipulated in the ITB can be considered acceptable regardless of the Country of assignment.*
- *Evaluation shall be conducted by an evaluation committee which shall make assessments with regard to the similarity of the claimed Contract as per ITB requirements at the evaluation stage. It is not possible to provide any information at this stage.*