United Nations Development Programme *Iraq*



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Addendum 1

To: All potential bidders

Subject REF: IRQ10/ITP-001/2022 - Pre-Qualification For (a) Rubble removal/cleaning works, (b) Housing and (c) Building Rehabilitation and/or similar related works – introducing additional clauses

With reference to the Invitation to Prequalification IRQ10/ITP-001/2022 - Pre-Qualification For (a) Rubble removal/cleaning works, (b) Housing and (c) Building Rehabilitation and/or similar related works:

We, hereby, notify the following amendment to the above referred ITP as follows:

Additional provision. Section 2: Instructions to Applicants, Clause 12 - Solicitation Process for Prequalified Construction Companies, shall be amended to add the following clauses:

- Upgradation from a lower Band to a Higher Band during validity of the pre-qualified list based upon an application by the pre-qualified Contractor.
- Removal of a pre-qualified Contractor from the list on account of reported incident of indulgence in fraud and corruption.
- Pre-qualified Contractors with three (3) or more on-going contracts (excluding defects liability period) with UNDP Iraq, awarded through operation of the pre-qualified list, shall be excluded from invitation/bidding of new tenders unless the total combined value of all on-going contracts does NOT exceed the maximum dollar threshold set for the highest band which the Contractor qualifies (i.e \$200k for Band 1, \$600k for Band 2 and \$1M for Band 3).

Note: Based upon the lessons learnt from operation of the pre-qualified list for award of contracts, UNDP reserves the right to modify the conditions/procedures for invitation in the future as may be deemed appropriate. Advance notification to all prequalified Contractors shall be issued accordingly.

Now therefore, Section 2: Instructions to Applicants, Clause 12 - Solicitation Process for Prequalified Construction Companies shall read in its entirety as follows:

12. SOLICITATION PROCESS FOR PREQUALIFIED CONSTRUCTION COMPANIES:

- In the upcoming ITB processes, only prequalified contractors from this Pre-Qualification (PQ) process can be invited to bid and will be evaluated according to the criteria stipulated in the tender document.
- After the notification of the results of the PQ for successful bidders, UNDP shall invite bids from the Applicants that have been considered qualified to undertake renovation/rehabilitation and CfW/rubble removal activities according to the Band the firm/company is pre-qualified.
- Bidders may be required to provide a Bid Security and Bank Guarantee acceptable to the UNDP in the form and an amount to be specified in the Bidding Documents on case to case basis, and the

successful Bidder shall be required to provide a Performance Security as specified in the Bidding Documents.

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All other clauses and conditions shall remain unchanged.

Please be guided accordingly.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

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