

REQUEST FOR QUOTATION (RFQ)

Project Title: Bukhara Region Water Supply and Sewerage Project (Phase 1)

Contract Ref: BWSP-W-S/Shop/13-29/01

Date of Issue of Request: January 29, 2024

1. The JSC UZSUVTAMINOT (Purchaser) hereby requests you to submit price quotation(s) for the supply of the following item¹:

(i) *Dredger for cleaning the bottom of sedimentation pond from sedimentary sludge*

Please note, however, that a firm which has been associated with the firm that prepared the design, and specifications of the contract that is subject of this procurement for the Purchaser, shall not be eligible for the supply of the corresponding goods.

The technical specifications and required quantities are available from the address listed in 2. below.

2. You will submit one original of the Price Quotation using the Form of Quotation available from the address below, and clearly marked “Original”. In addition, you will also submit one copy marked as “COPY”. In case of any discrepancy between the Original and Copy, the original shall govern. Your quotation in the attached format should be signed, sealed in an envelope and addressed to and delivered to the following address:

Purchaser’s Address : Mirzo Ulugbek district, Dormon yuli str., 3-5 Floor/ Room number: 1
Tashkent / Uzbekistan

- Telephone: +99855 503-60-15 (253)

[Option: Your price quotation may be submitted by electronically to the following address:]

Purchaser’s Address : Mirzo Ulugbek district, Dormon yuli str., 3-5 Floor/ Room number: 1
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¹ The detail technical specification and requirements for the items needed to be purchased are explained in annex I.

- *Telephone:* +99855 503-60-15 (253)
Electronic mail address: po.aiib@uzsuv.uz

3. Your quotation written in **Russian** language, should be accompanied by adequate technical documentation and catalogue(s) and other printed material or pertinent information (in **English and Russian** languages) for each item quoted, including names and addresses of firms providing after-sales service facilities in Uzbekistan
4. The deadline for receipt of your quotation (s) by the Purchaser at the address indicated in Paragraph 2 is: **March 4, 2024**
5. You will submit only one set of quotations for the above items. Your quotation must be typed or written in indelible ink and shall be signed by you or your authorized representative. Without a signature in your Form of Quotation, your quotation will not be considered further.
6. Your quotation(s) should be submitted as per the following instructions and in accordance with the attached form of Contract. The attached Terms and Conditions of Supply is an integral part of the Contract.
 - (i) **PRICES:** The prices should be quoted for supply and delivery to **Bukhara Suvtaminot** (place of destination). Prices shall be quoted in the currency of the Purchaser.
 - (ii) **EVALUATION OF QUOTATIONS:** Offers determined to be substantially responsive to the technical specifications will be evaluated by comparison of their prices. An offer is not substantially responsive if it contains material deviations or reservations to the terms, conditions, and specifications in this Request for Quotation, and it will not be considered further. The Purchaser will evaluate and compare only the quotations determined to be substantially responsive. In evaluating the quotations, the Purchaser will adjust for any arithmetical errors as follows:
 - (a) Where there is a discrepancy between amounts in figures and in words, the amount in words will govern;
 - (b) where is a discrepancy between the unit rate and the line-item total resulting from multiplying the unit rate by the quantity, the unit rate as quoted will govern; and
 - (c) If a Supplier refuses to accept the correction, his quotation will be rejected.

In addition to the quoted price, the evaluated price shall include Value Added Tax (VAT) in Uzbekistan.

(iii) **AWARD OF CONTRACT/PURCHASE ORDER.** The award will be made to the bidder offering the lowest evaluated price and that meets the required standards of technical and financial capabilities. The successful bidder will sign a Contract as per the Purchasers form of contract and terms and conditions of supply which is available from the address listed in 2.

(iv) **VALIDITY OF THE OFFER:** Your quotation(s) should be valid for a period of **thirty (30) days** from the deadline for receipt of quotation(s) indicated in Paragraph 4 of this Request for Quotation.

(v) If you withdraw your quotation during the validity period and/or refuse to accept the award of a contract when and if awarded subject to (iv) above, then you will be excluded from the list of suppliers for the project for two years.

7. Further information can be obtained from:

AIIB PCU - JSC UZSUVTAMINOT

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8. The bidder whose quotation has been accepted will be notified of the award of contract through the Letter of Acceptance issued by the Purchaser within **42 (forty-two) days** from the date of submission of quotation.

9. The Purchaser intends to apply funds from the Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank (hereinafter called “the Bank”) for eligible payments under the Contract/Purchase Order resulting from this Request for Quotations.

10. The Bank requires that the Recipient (and all other beneficiaries of the Bank financing), as well as tenderers, suppliers, contractors, concessionaires and consultants under Bank-financed contracts for the Project, observe the highest standard of transparency and integrity during the procurement, execution and implementation of such contracts. The Bank’s actions in connection with a Prohibited Practice under the Project are detailed in paragraph 15 of the Bank’s Procurement Instructions for Recipients (Section IV Prohibited Practices).

11. The procedures for making a Procurement-related Complaint are detailed in the Bank’s Procurement Instructions for Recipients (Annex IV).

12. Please Confirm by e-mail your participation in this procurement process and whether or not you will submit the price quotation(s).

Sincerely,

**Mukhammad-Ali Musadinov
Acting Head of AIIB PCU
JSC UZSUVTAMINOT (Purchaser)**