

Specific Procurement Notice – Request for Bids (Goods)
Request for Bids
(One-Envelope Bidding Process)

**Procurement of racks, servers, firewalls, and computers to support
Software Systems implementation.**

Purchaser: Ministry of Finance, Economic Planning, and Information Technology

Project: Caribbean Digital Transformation Project

Contract title: Procurement of racks, servers, firewalls, and computers to support Software Systems implementation.

Country: St. Vincent and the Grenadines

Credit No.: IDA-66910

RFB No: SVG-CARDTP-GO-RFB-3

Issued on: 07-March-2024

1. St. Vincent and the Grenadines has received financing from the International Development Association (IDA) toward the cost of the Caribbean Digital Transformation Project and intends to apply part of the proceeds toward payments under the contract for the “Procurement of racks, servers, firewalls, and computers to support Software Systems implementation”.
2. The Ministry of Finance, Economic Planning, and Information Technology now invites sealed Bids from eligible Bidders for the Procurement of racks, servers, firewalls, and computers to support Software Systems implementation. The delivery period is expected to be within twelve (12) weeks from the completion of the contract agreement.
3. Bidding will be conducted through international competitive procurement using Request for Bids (RFB) as specified in the World Bank’s “Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers”, November 2020 (“Procurement Regulations”), and is open to all eligible Bidders as defined in the Procurement Regulations.
4. Interested eligible Bidders may obtain further information from and inspect the bidding document during office hours from 08.30 am to 04.00 pm (local SVG time) at the address given below.
5. The bidding document in the English Language may be requested by interested Bidders upon the submission of a written application (by email or hand-delivered) to the address below:

Attn: Mr. Edmond Jackson
Director General, Finance and Planning
Ministry of Finance, Economic Planning and Information Technology
2nd Floor, Administrative Building

Bay Street, Kingstown
St. Vincent and the Grenadines

Email: procurement@gov.vc; wgeorge@gov.vc; office.finance@gov.vc

The document will be sent via email to the interested Bidders.

6. Bids must be delivered to the address below on or before 2:00 PM (SVG time) Monday, April 22, 2024. Electronic submission of bids will be permitted. Late Bids will be rejected. Bids will be publicly opened in the presence of the Bidders' designated representatives and anyone who chooses to attend at the address below at 3:00 PM (SVG time) Monday, April 22, 2024. Bidders may also attend the bid opening via an online platform, the details of which shall be shared at least one (1) hour before the scheduled bid opening.

7. The address referred to above to obtain further information (paragraph 4), and to submit bid documents (paragraph 6) is as follows:

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7. All Bids must be accompanied by a Bid-Security of US \$4,000.00