

Specific Procurement Notice DAO/CB/MCA-M/ES-12-A/Compact

Acquisition, Delivery and Installation of IT Equipment for beneficiaries' schools as part of « Integrated School Improvement Model" Component (Secondary Education)

On November 30, 2015, the Government of the Kingdom of Morocco concluded a second cooperation program (Compact II) with the United States Government, represented by the Millennium Challenge Corporation (MCC), with the objective to improve the quality of human capital and land productivity.

The budget allocated by MCC to Compact II, which came into effect on June 30, 2017, amounts to 450 million dollars, to which is added a contribution of the Moroccan Government of a value equivalent to at least 15% of the American contribution. The global budget will finance, over a period of five years, two projects, namely "Education and Training for Employability" and "Land Productivity", the implementation of which has been entrusted to the Millennium Challenge Account - Morocco (Agence MCA-Morocco).

By way of this specific procurement notice, Agence MCA-Morocco now invites eligible entities ("Bidders") to submit Bids for the provision of IT equipment, multimedia and connectivity equipment for 90 schools benefiting from the project "Secondary Education" in the regions of Tangier Tetouan Al Hoceima, Fes Meknes and Marrakech Safi over a period of 30 months More details on these goods and related services are provided in the Schedule of Requirements in the bidding document associated with this IFB (the "Bidding Document").

Please note that this is an English translation of a notice originally drafted in French. Please note that all communication and solicitation documents related to this notice will be conducted in French.

This IFB is open to all eligible Bidders who wish to respond. Subject to restrictions noted in the Bidding Document, eligible entities may associate with other Bidders to enhance their capacity to successfully carry out the assignment.

The goods and related services, and the contract expected to be awarded, are divided into two parts, as follows:

- A basic part of 10 months for Tangier-Tetouan-Al Hoceima region;
- An option part of 24 months for the regions of Fes-Meknes and Marrakech-Safi.

These two parts are not sequential.

A Supplier will be selected under the Competitive Bidding method, the evaluation procedure for which is described in this Bidding Document, in accordance with the "MCC Program Procurement Guidelines," which are provided on the MCC website (www.mcc.gov/ppg). The selection process, as described, will include a review and verification of qualifications and past performance, including a reference check, prior to the contract award.

Bidders interested in submitting a Bid should register their interest by sending an e-mail, giving full contact details of the Bidder, to the following point of contact: procurement@mcamorocco.ma. This will ensure that the Bidders receive updates regarding this IFB.

Please note that a Pre-Bid Conference will be held on **2 July 2019 at 3 p.m, Rabat time**, at the Agence MCA-Morocco address below. Bidders may also remotely attend this meeting via the following link: https://zoom.us/j/122836919.

Attendance is strongly advised for all prospective Bidders or their representatives but is not mandatory.

Bids must be submitted electronically no later than **24 July 2019 at 3 p.m (Rabat time)** only via the following link: https://www.dropbox.com/request/pZMo4vGJifCpMQZhRP0x

Please note that Bids submitted by paper or by email shall not be accepted. The full procedure for electronic submission shall be only, the procedure delineated in Annex 1 to the Section II (Bid Data Sheet)-Procedure for Electronic Submission of Bids in the bidding document.



All Bids must be accompanied by a bid security, original version, for an amount of **one million five hundred thousand Moroccan Dirhams (1.500.000 MAD)** or its equivalent in American dollars, in a closed envelope and must be delivered to the address below no later than **24 July 2019 at 3 p.m** (Rabat time).

Yours sincerely,

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