## **Specific Procurement Notice**

## Request for Bids Goods

(One-Envelope Bidding Process)

Country: Republic of Serbia Name of Project: Enabling Digital Governance Project Contract Title: Central backup – Primary DC (hardware components with customized software solution) Loan No.: 8947-YF RFB Reference No.: SER-EDGE-RFB-G-21-27

- 1. Republic of Serbia has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the Enabling Digital Governance Project (EDGe), and intends to apply part of the proceeds toward payments under the contract for Central backup Primary DC (hardware components with customized software solution). For this contract, the Borrower shall process the payments using the Direct Payment disbursement method, as defined in the World Bank's Disbursement Guidelines for Investment Project Financing, except for those payments, which the contract provides to be made through letter of credit.
- 2. The Office for Information Technologies and Electronic Government (OITeG) now invites sealed Bids from eligible Bidders for Central backup Primary DC (hardware components with customized software solution). The purpose is:
  - Providing back-up services to ensure safety of the all Oracle DB in Government stores
  - Continuity of government business operations

Delivery, installation and testing of the equipment are included in the scope of the work as well as support during warranty period, 24x7x365 4h onsite SLA.

List of all hardware, software and network equipment:

1.	Integrated Database Backup Appliance
2.	Tape library
3.	SAN Switches for Tape Connectivity
4.	Server for Management

Detailed technical specification is defined in section 3. Technical Specifications

All the necessary licenses needed for functioning and advanced functionality included.

- 3. Bidding will be conducted through international competitive procurement using a Request for Bids (RFB) as specified in the World Bank's "Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers" (July 2016 Revised November 2017 and August 2018) ("Procurement Regulations"), and is open to all eligible Bidders as defined in the Procurement Regulations.
- 4. Interested eligible Bidders may obtain further information from the Central Fiduciary Unit of the Ministry of Finance and inspect the bidding documents from 09:00 to 15:00 hours at the address given below.
- 5. The bidding document in English only may be purchased by interested eligible Bidders upon the submission of a written application to the address below and upon payment of a nonrefundable fee of EURO 40.00 or equivalent in Serbian Dinars (RSD) based on the selling exchange rate published by the National Bank of Serbia on the date of payment.

Domestic Bidders shall make payment to the Government Treasury Account no.:

840-745128843-36- Other budget revenues of the Republic, with reference to the model approval number 97 41601, payment code 253 with obligatory Purpose of payment: SER-EDGE-RFB-G-21-27.

Foreign bidders shall make payment according to following payment instructions:

FIELD 32A: VALUE DATE-EUR-AMOUNT FIELD 50K: ORDERING CUSTOMER FIELD 56A: DEUTDEFFXXX (INTERMEDIARY) DEUTSCHE BANK AG., F/M **TAUNUSANLAGE 12** GERMANY FIELD 57A: (ACC.WITH BANK) NBSRRSBGXXX NARODNA BANKA SRBIJE(NATIONAL BANK OF SERBIA-NBS) **BEOGRAD, KRALJA PETRA 12** SERBIA FIELD 59: /RS3584000000000273086 (BENEFICIARY) REPUBLIC OF SERBIA-BUDGET **KRALJA MILANA BR.14** BEOGRAD SERBIA FIELD 70: DETAILS OF PAYMENT Ref: SER-EDGE-RFB-G-21-27

Bank/transfer charges are on bidder's account. Kindly mark in instruction for payment.

The document will be sent by e-mail.

- 6. Bids must be delivered to the address below on or before **December 01, 2021, 12:00 Noon, local time**. Electronic Bidding will not 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 on **December 01, 2021, 12:15 p.m. local time in the Conference room at the 1<sup>st</sup> floor.**
- 7. All Bids must be accompanied by a Bid Security of **EURO 14,000.00.**
- 8. The addresses referred to above are:

## Office for inquiry and issuance of the bidding document:

Ministry of Finance Attn: Ljiljana Krejović, CFU 3-5 Sremska St, 7 floor Room 708 Tel: +381 11 2021587 11000 Belgrade To: ljiljana.krejovic@mfin.gov.rs Cc: ljiljana.dzuver@mfin.gov.rs Cc: edge@ite.gov.rs

## The Bid submission address is:

Ministry of Finance 3-5 Sremska St, 7 floor Registry Office 701 11000 Belgrade Republic of Serbia