

Invitation for Bids (IFB)

Kenya National Bureau of Statistics - Development of the National Statistical System Project

Credit Number: IDA Q 42760

Supply of Computer Equipment IFB: NO KNBS/STATCAP 003/11-12

1. This Invitation for Bids follows the General Procurement Notice for this Project that appeared in *Development Business*, on 23rd November, 2006.
1. The Government of Kenya has received a credit from the World Bank toward the cost of Developing the National Statistical System and intends to apply part of the proceeds of this credit to payments under the contract agreement resulting from this IFB: toward payments under the contract for Supply of IT Equipment.
2. The Kenya National Bureau of Statistics now invites sealed bids from qualified bidders for the following supply of IT Equipment:

Item No.	Lot Description	Quantity
	Lot 1	
1.	Desktop Computers	220
2.	UPS	220
3.	Printers	215
	Lot 2	
4.	Server-Type I	2
5.	Server-Type II	1

3. Bidders have the option to bid for one or more Lots but must bid for all items in a Lot. Bids quoting for incomplete items in a Lot will be considered non-responsive and rejected. Bids shall be evaluated on a Lot-by-Lot basis and the lowest evaluated bidder for each Lot will be awarded the contract for the Lot.
4. Bidding will be conducted through the international competitive bidding procedures specified in the World Bank's *Guidelines: Procurement under IBRD Loans and IDA Credits, (May 2004 and revised in October 2006 and May 2010.)* and is open to all bidders from eligible source countries as defined in the Guidelines..
5. Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from the Project Manager, Developing the National Statistical System (STATCAP) Project and inspect the bidding documents at the address given below from Monday to Friday, 0900hrs to 1630 hrs Kenyan local time excluding holidays.

6. A complete set of bidding documents in *English* may be purchased by interested bidders on the submission of a written application to the address below and upon payment of a non-refundable fee of Kshs. 5,000/- or an equivalent amount in a freely convertible foreign currency payable in cash or bankers cheque payable to the Director General Kenya National Bureau of Statistics, during working hours between 0800 hrs and 1630hrs.
7. Bidding documents should be submitted in a plain sealed envelope clearly marked:

**THE PROJECT MANAGER,
NATIONAL STATISTICAL SYSTEM (STATCAP) PROJECT
TENDER NO. KNBS/ICB/STATCAP 01/2011-2021
PROCUREMENT OF COMPUTER EQUIPMENT**

and should be sent to the addresses shown below or placed in the tender box at our offices on the 2nd Floor, Herufi House so as to reach the undersigned **on or before 15th November, 2011 at 10.30 hours local time.**

Postal Address:

The Project Manager,
National Statistical System Project
Attention: Procurement Manager
P.O Box 00100 – 30266
Nairobi, Kenya.

Physical Address:

Kenya National Bureau of Statistics
Attention: Procurement Manager
Herufi House, Room 226
LT. Tumbo Avenue
Nairobi, Kenya.

Bids will be opened immediately thereafter in the presence of the bidders or their representatives who choose to attend. All bids shall be accompanied by a Bid Security of not less than Kshs. 835,000.00 for lot 1 and Kshs. 115,000.00 for Lot 2 or equivalent in freely convertible currency from a reputable Bank.

PROJECT MANAGER