



HEALTH AND NUTRITION PROGRAMME • LAO/035

NOTICE OF INVITATION TO TENDER N° LAO/035•24 6995

TITLE: ACQUISITION AND INSTALLATION OF MEDICAL EQUIPMENT AND FURNITURE FOR MARIA TERESA HOSPITAL AND FOUR PROVINCES (GOODS)

in the framework of Programme LAO/035 receiving financial support from the governments of the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg and the Lao PDR

This notice of invitation is launched by and according to the procedures of the Luxembourg Agency for Development Cooperation (Lux-Development), on behalf of Programme LAO/035 receiving financial support from the governments of the Lao PDR and of the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg.

1. Identification and financing of the Programme

- a) Title: LAO/035 Health and Nutrition Programme
- b) Source of financing: The Government of the Lao PDR and the Government of the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg, as set out in the programme's bilateral agreement dated 05.12.2022.
- c) Status of financing: Approved

2. Identification of the Contract

- a) Type of Contract: Goods
- b) Object: Acquisition and installation of medical equipment and furniture for Maria Teresa Hospital and four provinces
- c) Reference number: LAO/035•24 6995
- d) Number of lots: 6
 - Lot 01: Dental Equipment;
 - Lot 02: Diagnostic, monitoring and treatment Equipment;
 - Lot 03: Maternal Health Equipment;
 - Lot 04: Physiotherapy Equipment;
 - Lot 05: Refrigeration, Pharmacy & Sterilisation Equipment;
 - Lot 06: Furniture.
- e) Grouping of lots: possible; tenderer can apply for one or more lots. The same tenderer may submit an offer for one or more lots and be awarded one or more lots. To be awarded several lots, a bidder must cumulatively satisfy the evaluation criteria

3. Eligibility and evaluation criteria

- a) Origin: No restriction
- b) Eligibility: Companies satisfying the criteria included in the statement of good standing and in the ethics clauses of the general regulations
- c) Evaluation: the award will be made lot by lot to the lowest administratively and substantially technically compliant tender, but according to the most advantageous combination for the program.

The contracting authority reserves the right to award lots or groups of lots that can be combined to be awarded to the same tenderer, if they are more technically and economically advantageous for the project.

A single or several lots may be awarded to the same company, if the company cumulatively meets the evaluation criteria, i.e. the administrative and technical criteria.

- d) Variants: no variants will be considered

4. Location and timeframe

- a) Location of the Programme: Vientiane Capital, Lao PDR

- b) Terms and place of delivery: Delivered duty paid (DDP) to Vientiane Province, Bolikhamxay, Khammouane and Bokeo provinces (Refer to the technical specifications).
- c) Performance period of the Contract: 04 months
- d) Validity period of tenders: 90 days from the time limit for receipt of tenders

5. Definitions

- a) Awarding authority: Lux-Development
- b) Contracting Authority: Lux-Development
- c) Beneficiary: Maria Teresa Hospital, Vientiane Provincial Health Office, Bolikhamxay Provincial Health Office, Khammouane Provincial Health Office and Bokeo Provincial Health Office.
- d) Supervisor: to be appointed later
- e) Donor: Grand Duchy of Luxembourg
- f) Donor's Representative: Lux-Development

6. Tender Dossier (TD)

- a) How to obtain the TD: the TD may be obtained free of charge via the following email address:

Email: procurement.opevte@luxdev.lu

- b) Consultation of the dossier: the TD may be consulted at the address mentioned below
- c) Written notifications and communications must be sent to the following address:

The Operational Pool Office (Lux-Development)

Dongpayna Road, Saphanthong Neua Village, Sisattanak District, Vientiane Capital, Lao PDR

Email: procurement.opevte@luxdev.lu

- d) Deadline for requests for additional information: 14 days before the deadline for submission of tenders
- e) Deadline for providing explanations to tenderers: 8 days before the deadline for submission of tenders

7. Language, currency, receipt and opening of tenders

- a) Language: English
- b) Currency: USD
- c) Address for receipt and opening: One original and two copies and a scanned file on USB. The bill of prices in Excel format and the detailed description of the goods in Word format must also be provided on the USB to:

The Operational Pool Office (Lux-Development)

Dongpayna Road, Saphanthong Neua Village, Sisattanak District, Vientiane Capital, Lao PDR

- d) Deadline for receipt of tenders: 03.10.2024 at 10h00 (local time)
- e) Date and time of the public opening session: immediately after the deadline for submission

8. Guarantees

- a) Tender Guarantee: 4,000 USD
- b) Performance Guarantee: 10% of the value of the Contract
- c) Other Guarantees: see TD

9. Payments

All eligible payments which are part of this Contract will be processed by Lux-Development on behalf of Programme LAO/035.

10. Information meeting and/or site visit

A non-mandatory information meeting (online or in person) will take place on 16.09.2024 at Programme LAO/035 office at 4th floor, Lao – Italian Building, Fa Ngum road, Phiawat Village, Sisattanak District Vientiane Capital, Lao PDR at **02:00 pm (local time)**.

11. Complementary or additional services

This Contract does not include any complementary or additional acquisition of goods. In the event where complementary or additional acquisition of goods would be required (initially not included), its value will be limited to a maximum of 50% of the initial value of the Contract.

12. Additional information

Negotiation is allowed under this tender procedure. The evaluation committee may, if it deems necessary, enter into negotiations with (i) the sole tenderer that has submitted an offer, or (ii) the tenderer that, under the terms of the TD, has submitted the highest ranked offer, or (iii) tenderers that have submitted tenders which are substantially compliant and economically most advantageous provided that there are no fully compliant and economically advantageous offers, and without fundamentally amending the initial provisions of the contract and in accordance with the principle of treating economic operators on equal terms.

If no technically substantially compliant offer is received for a lot, the contracting authority reserves the right to modify the list of items in this lot.