Invitation for Bids

Date: ***19 April 2018***

Loan/Financing No: *P-SO-KF0-010*

GRANT ID No. 5900155010902

1. This Invitation for Bids (IFB) follows the General Procurement Notice (GPN) for this Project that appeared in *United Nations Development Business online* (***UNDB online***) No. **AfDB522-05/17** of ***29 May 2017***, and on the African Development Bank's Internet Website (www.afdb.org).

2. The Government of ***Somalia*** has received a loan from the African Development Bank ***AfDB*** in various currencies towards the cost of ***National statistics capacity building project***. It is intended that part of the proceeds of this loan/financing will be applied to eligible payments under the contract for ***Procurement of ICT Hardware and Software.***

3.The ***ministry of planning, investment and economic development, federal republic of Somalia*** now invites sealed Bids from eligible Bidders for the supply of ***ICT hardware and software which will include the design, procurement and installation of new IT server-based networks with high hybrid (wired/wireless) equipment and software systems.*** (Hereinafter called "the Goods"). International Competitive Bidding will be conducted in accordance with the Bank's ***Rules and Procedures for Procurement of Goods and Works***.

4. Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from and inspect the bidding documents at the ***Ministry of Planning, Investment and Economic Development, Federal Republic of Somalia***

Street Address: Afgoye road, Wadajir district

Mogadishu, Somalia

Electronic mail address: hajir.wahab@gmail.com

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5. A complete set of Bidding Documents may be purchased by interested bidders upon the submission of a written application to the said Executing Agency, and upon payment of a non-refundable fee of ***50 USD (fifty US dollar)***

6. The provisions in the Instructions to Bidders and in the General Conditions are those of the Bank's Standard Bidding Document for Procurement of Goods.

7. Bids must be delivered to the above office[1] on or before ***1000Hrs*** on ***June 7th, 2018*** and must be accompanied by a security[2] of ***6,500 USD (Six thousand five hundred US Dollar)***

8. Bids shall remain valid for ***120 days*** after the deadline for bid submission prescribed above.

9. Bids will be opened in the presence of bidders' representatives who choose to attend at ***1030Hrs*** on ***June 7th, 2018***, at the ***Ministry of Planning, Investment and Economic Development, Federal Republic of Somalia, conference hall-1, ground floor wadajir dist, Afgoye road***

Mogadishu, Somalia