

TENDER NOTICE

CENTRAL TENDERS BOARD

Supply of Geospatial Datasets for the Ministry of National Security, Government of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago (GORTT) Inter-American Development Bank (IDB) Loan No. 1808/OC-TT

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ELECTRONIC GOVERNMENT AND KNOWLEDGE BROKERING
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SPECIFIC PROCUREMENT NOTICE
Loan No: LO 1808/OC-TT
Project No. TT-056
Contract/Bid No.

The Government of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago via the Ministry of Public Administration has received financing from the Inter-American Development Bank (IDB) and intends to apply part of the proceeds to payments under the project Electronic Government and Knowledge Brokering Program for the Supply of Geospatial Datasets for the Ministry of National Security (MNS), Trinidad and Tobago.

The MNS is embarking upon the development of an Enterprise Geographic Information System (eGIS) that will provide a coordinated and centralized approach to the Ministry's business activities which rely on a geospatial component. The Ministry's Enterprise Geographic Information System will be a decision-support tool that allows the user to analyse data based on geographic location. The eGIS solution will be scalable, robust and built for high availability to support the various functionalities needed in an end-to-end web GIS system. These include geospatial data modelling, geoprocessing, analysis, web services, mobile applications, desktop applications and development tools.

The services to be provided by this solution will be available to all Divisions of the Ministry, Specialised Agencies, Tobago Emergency Management Agency (TEMA), other strategic partners and the public. To enable the eGIS solution, geospatial data that is up-to-date, standardized, clean, accurate and contains the relevant meta-data is required.

The geospatial datasets of Trinidad and Tobago which will be required, but not limited to, include Administrative Boundaries, Transportation, Natural, Cultural and Physical Infrastructure as part of the data service and maintenance. The vendor must also demonstrate their capacity to provide the Ministry with up-to-date data and the relevant documentation to support the maintenance of the data.

The Central Tenders Board on behalf of the Ministry of Public Administration now invites sealed bids from eligible bidders to provide the Ministry of National Security with Geospatial Datasets. Bidding will be conducted through international competitive bidding procedures as specified in the Inter-American Development Bank's *Policies for Procurement of Works and Goods financed by the Inter-American Development Bank* (current edition), and is open to all eligible bidders as defined in the policies which can be found at website: <http://www.iadb.org/procurement>.

Bidding documents may be obtained during normal working hours from **Monday to Friday during office hours 8 a.m. to 4 p.m** at the Central Tenders Board's Office, at address (1) below.

Any further technical information can be obtained during normal working hours from address (2) below from **Monday to Friday during office hours 8 a.m. to 4 p.m local time**.

Proposals must be accompanied by the following where applicable:-

- (i) Valid Income Tax and Value Added Tax Clearance Certificates issued by the Board of Inland Revenue and dated not more than six (6) months prior to the closing date for submission of proposals.
- (ii) Valid Certificate of Compliance issued in accordance with the National Insurance Act.

Bidders are also required to provide a bid security in the sum of **One Hundred Thousand Trinidad and Tobago Dollars (TT\$100,000.00)** or equivalent in United States Dollars established by a recognized financial institution with their bid.

An original and six (6) copies of the bids should be placed in sealed envelopes clearly marked on the outside:-

“Tenders for the Supply of Geospatial Datasets for the Ministry of National Security, Government of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago (GORTT)”

Envelopes must be addressed to the Chairman, Central Tenders Board, 116 Frederick Street, Port of Spain and be deposited in the **BROWN** Tenders Box located in the lobby of the Board's Office not later than **1:00 p.m. (Local Time) on September 05, 2013**.

Bidders should note that the dimensions of the **slot** in the Tenders Box are **37.5 cm x 5.5 cm** and as such, tenders should be packaged accordingly.

Bids will be opened shortly thereafter. The Bidder or an authorized representative may be present at the opening.

Late bids will not be considered in any circumstances.

The Board does not bind itself to accept any bids.

The Central Tenders Board reserves the right to cancel the present notice in its entirety or even partially, without defraying any cost incurred by any firm in submitting their proposal.

Prospective bidders are advised that they can visit the website <http://www.finance.gov.tt> for all published Tender Notices.

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