

CENTRAL TENDERS BOARD

TENDER NOTICE

PROCUREMENT OF PHYSICAL EDUCATION (PE) EQUIPMENT FOR GOVERNMENT AND GOVERNMENT-ASSISTED PRIMARY SCHOOLS, MINISTRY OF HEALTH, GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO (GORTT), INTER-AMERICAN DEVELOPMENT BANK (IDB) LOAN# 3411/OC-TT (TT-L1039)

Country: Trinidad and Tobago

Project: Health Services Support Program (HSSP)

IFB Title: Procurement of Physical Education (PE) Equipment for Government and Government-Assisted Primary Schools

Loan No.: 3411/OC-TT (TT-L1039)

SEPA No. HSSP-127-LPI-B-1.3.1

This Invitation for Bids follows the General Procurement Notice for this Project that appeared in Development Business, issue no. IDB36-01/15 of January 13, 2015.

The Government of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago has received financing from the Inter-American Development Bank (IDB) toward the cost of Health Services Support Program (HSSP), and it intends to apply part of the proceeds of this financing to payments under the Contract for the Procurement of Physical Education (PE) Equipment for Government and Government-Assisted Primary Schools.

The Central Tenders Board (CTB), on behalf of the Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Health now invites sealed tenders from eligible bidders for the Procurement of Physical Education (PE) Equipment for Government and Government-Assisted Primary Schools.

Bidding will be conducted through the 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 (GN 2349-9), 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 from Monday to Friday during office hours 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. (Local Time) at the Central Tenders Board's Office at address (1) below (Local Firms) or requested from the Central Tenders Board and sent by electronic mail – Email: mofctb@gov.tt (Foreign Firms)

Any further technical information can be obtained from address (2) below from Monday to Friday during office hours 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. (local time).

Tenders must be accompanied by the following: -

- i. Certificate of Incorporation
- ii. 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 bids (applicable to local firms only).

- iii. National Insurance Board (NIB) Compliance Certificate issued in accordance with the National Insurance Act (applicable to local firms only).
- iv. Completed Bid-Securing Declaration Form.

The original tender and six (6) copies must be submitted in sealed envelope(s) clearly marked: -

“Tender for the Procurement of Physical Education (PE) Equipment for Government and Government-Assisted Primary Schools for the Ministry of Health, Government of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago, IDB Loan # 3411/OC-TT”

Envelopes must be addressed to the Chairman, Central Tenders Board at *Address One (1)* below and 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 Thursday April 23, 2020**. Tenders will be opened publicly shortly thereafter. An authorized representative of the firm may attend the opening at *Address One (1)* below.

<p><u>Address 1</u> Central Tenders Board 116 Frederick Street Port of Spain Republic of Trinidad and Tobago Tel: 1-868-625-3565 Email: mofctb@gov.tt</p>	<p><u>Address 2</u> Mr. Richard Sargeant Procurement Specialist Project Implementation Unit Ministry of Health 63 Park Street Port of Spain Republic of Trinidad and Tobago Tel. No. 1-868-627-0012 Ext 1459 Email: <u>hssptt11039@health.gov.tt</u></p>
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Bidders should note that the dimensions of the **slot** in the Tenders Box are **37.5 cm x 5.5 cm** and as such, documents should be packaged accordingly. Electronic bidding will **not** be permitted.

The Central Tenders Board does not bind itself to accept any tender.

The Central Tenders Board reserves the right to cancel this process in its entirety or even partially, without defraying any cost incurred by any firm in submitting its bid.

Late tenders will not be considered under any circumstances.

Prospective bidders are advised that the Invitation for Bids will be advertised on:

- United Nations Development Business (UNDB) website: <https://www.devbusiness.com/>
- Ministry of Finance website: <http://www.finance.gov.tt/>
- Ministry of Health website: <http://www.health.gov.tt/>
- Ministry of Education website: <http://www.moe.gov.tt/>

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Central Tenders Board
Government of the Republic of Trinidad
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CTB: 26/25/2
March 11, 2020