## **INVITATION FOR BIDS (IFB)**

## **Bid Issue Date: December 19, 2019 The Socialists Republic of Vietnam**

Developing Hanoi University of Pharmacy to meet the regional standard Loan Agreement No.: VNM-44

- 1. The Government of the Socialist Republic of Vietnam has received a Loan from the Export-Import Bank of Korea from the resources of the Economic Development Cooperation Fund (EDCF) of the Republic of Korea in the amount of Forty Five Million US Dollars (US\$ 45,000,000) toward the cost of the project of "Development of HANOI UNIVERSITY OF PHARMACY to meet the regional standard" (hereinafter referred to as the "VNM 44 Project"), and intends to apply a portion of the proceeds of this loan to payments under the contract for 'Procurement of Construction and Equipment Supply (CB No.: HUPPCE01).
- 2. The Project Executing Agency now invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for the 'Procurement of Construction and Equipment Supply and installation for the Project'.
- 3. Bidding will be conducted through Competitive Bidding (CB) procedures specified in the Guideline for Procurement under EDCF Loans, and is open to all eligible bidders that meet the following minimum qualification criteria.
  - 3.1. For construction aspect/company
    - At least 01 (One) contract successfully completed (The number of past projects implemented in the forms of JV or association shall be calculated as one (1) experience regardless of the ratio of the bidder's shareholding) in 'Construction Building Works for University or Research Institute' that can meet the requirements of (i) and (ii), as contractor, subcontractor, or JV member within the last ten (10) years prior to the submission deadline:
  - (i) With a value of at least USD 27,000,000 (Twenty-seven million USD) that has been successfully completed. Contract amounts in other currencies than US Dollar are required to be converted to US Dollar by applying the telegraphic selling exchange rate of contract date. Projects implemented in the forms of JV or association shall be calculated and considered as multiplying by the ratio of the bidder's shareholding.
    - *In this case, bidder's potion shall meet the requirement of a value of at least USD 27,000,000.*
  - (ii) With GFA at least 26,000 m<sup>2</sup> (not including roof area) that has been successfully completed. Projects implemented in the forms of JV or association shall be calculated and considered as multiplying by the ratio of the bidder's shareholding. Bidder's portion shall meet the requirement of GFA at least 26,000 m<sup>2</sup> (Twenty-six thousand square meter).
  - \* In case that a bidder (single entity or JV) has two contracts: one can meet the requirement of (i) and the other can meet the requirement of (ii), it is accepted as qualified for the requirement.
  - \* In case of JV attending this bid, the ratios of shareholdings of JV members are not applied in counting the number and amount of project to be considered in this criteria.
  - 3.2. For IT software &hardware and/or lab equipment supplier: Single contractor or bidders in the combined JV members shall have successfully completed 01 (one) contract in software & hardware and/or lab equipment within last 10 years prior to the submission deadline with a value of at least 1,000,000 USD (one million US dollar) in the role of contractor or subcontractor.
    - Projects implemented in the forms of JV or association shall be calculated and considered as multiplying by the ratio of the bidder's shareholding and the calculated amount shall meet at least of USD1,000,000.
  - \* In case of JV attending this bid, the shareholdings of JV members are not applied counting the number and amount of project to be considered in this criteria.
- 4. Interested eligible Bidders may obtain further information from Project Management Unit of Hanoi University of Pharmacy and inspect the bidding documents at the address below from 09:00 to 16:00.
- 5. A complete set of bidding documents may be purchased by any interested Bidders on the submission of a written application to the address below from AM09:00 of December 19, 2019 and upon payment of a nonrefundable fee of USD1,000 (One Thousand US Dollars) in cash. The method of payment will be a direct payment by cash. The document will be furnished to the bidders who register the bid by paying the registration fee at the address below.
- 6. Bids must be delivered to the address below at or before [AM09:00, February 03, 2020]. All bids must be accompanied by a bid security of Bank Guarantee issued by a reputable/legal institution selected by the bidder and located in the eligible countries specified in 'Section V. Eligible Countries' at the minimum **USD750,000** (Seven hundred fifty thousand US Dollars). Late bids shall be rejected. Bids will be opened in the presence of the Bidder's representatives who choose to attend at the address below at [AM09:30, February 03, 2020].
- 7. The Hanoi University of Pharmacy will not be responsible for any costs or expenses incurred by Bidders in connection with the preparation or delivery of Bids.

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