## **INVITATION FOR BIDS**

Date: Loan No. and Title:

Contract No. and Title:

Deadline for Submission of Bids:

26 March 2018 Loan No 3264-PAK: Flood Emergency Reconstruction and Resilience Project (FERRP) NCB-P&D-FERRP-02, Procurement of Hardware & Software for Data Clearing House 25 April 2018, 11:00 AM

1. The *Islamic Republic of Pakistan* has received a loan from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) towards the cost of *Flood Emergency Reconstruction and Resilience Project (FERRP).* Part of this loan will be used for the Contract named above. Bidding is open to bidders from eligible source countries of the ADB, who can prove their eligibility and qualification as mentioned hereunder and in the Bidding Documents.

Contract No.	Description of Package	Successful completion as main supplier within the last three (03) years, of at least five (05) contracts over the last (03) years with similar nature, and complexity comparable to the scope of supply described in Section 6 (Schedule of Supply) for the following lots:	The bidder should have an average annual turnover calculated as total certified payments received for contracts in progress or completed, within the last three (03) years for the following lots:
NCB- P&D- FERRP- 02	Lot 1 :High-tech Advance Servers	PKR 27.20 million or equivalent	PKR 51.0 million or equivalent
	Lot 2 : Core Firewall	PKR 6.72 million or equivalent	PKR 12.6 million or equivalent
	Lot 3 : Switches	PKR 1.28 million or equivalent	PKR 2.40 million or equivalent
	Lot 4 : IBM – Bluemix/ Watson	PKR 7.20 million or equivalent	PKR 13.50 million or equivalent

- 2. The Project Coordination/Implementation Unit, Flood Emergency Reconstruction and Resilience Project, P&D Punjab("the Purchaser") now invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for the lot / lots as mentioned above ("the Goods"). Bidder may submit separate bids for one or multiple lots. However, a bidder may be awarded one or multiple Lots if it submits the lowest evaluated substantially responsive bid(s) provided such bidder meets the aggregated qualification requirements for one or multiple Lots.
- National competitive bidding will be conducted in accordance with ADB's <u>Single Stage: One</u> <u>Envelope</u> bidding procedure and is open to all bidders from eligible countries as described in the BiddingDocument.
- 4. To obtain further information and inspect the Bidding Documents, bidders should contact

Program Coordinator Project Coordination/ Implementation Unit, FERRP- P&D Punjab, 24 C, Zaman Park, Lahore, 54000 Pakistan Telephone: (92-42) 99205904, 99205906 Fax: (92-42) 99205910 E-mail: <u>pcuferrp@gmail.com</u>, <u>ranaafarooq@gmail.com</u>

- 5. To purchase the Bidding Documents in English, eligible bidders should:
  - write to the address above requesting the Bidding Documents for NCB-P&D-FERRP-02, Procurement of Hardware & Software for Data Clearing House

- pay a nonrefundable fee of Rs. 5,000 through Pay order or Demand Draft in favor of the Purchaser
- the document may be sent by courier service for an additional fee of PKR 3,000 for domestic delivery or US\$ 100 for overseas delivery. No liability will be accepted for loss or late delivery.
- 6. A pre-bid meeting shall take place on **06 April**, **2018** at 11:00 A.M at the address mentioned above.
- 7. Deliver your bid
  - to the address above
  - on or before the deadline: 25 April, 2018, 11:00 AM
  - together with a Bid Security as described in the Bidding Document.

Bids will be opened immediately after the deadline for bid submission (at 11:30 AM on 25 April, 2018) in the presence of bidders'representatives who choose to attend. No bid will be received after the deadline.

8. The Project Coordination/Implementation Unit, FERRP, P&D Punjabwill not be responsible for any costs or expenses incurred by bidders inconnection with the preparation or delivery of bids.

## (PROJECT DIRECTOR) PIU-FERRP, P&DD Government of the Punjab