### SERVICE CONTRACT NOTICE

< IT maintenance and streamlining of activities > < SUDAN - KHARTOUM >

### 1. Reference

< Z443529EDE >

### 2. Procedure

Single tender

# 3. Programme title

MAYO UP - RESILIENZA DELLE POPOLAZIONI VULNERABILI DELLE OPEN AREAS DI MAYO

AID 11813

### 4. Financing

The project is financed by AICS

## 5. Contracting authority

AICS - Italian Agency for Development Cooperation Khartoum Office St. no 33rd Amarat, House no 25 Block 12 K-east Khartoum, SUDAN

## **CONTRACT SPECIFICATION**

### 6. Nature of contract

Global price

### 7. Contract description

The purpose of this contract is to provide IT support to streamline activities' implementation and improve the planning capacities of the Project Management Teams to better deliver on project's result in favour of the target groups of the action.

### 8. Number and titles of lots

One lot only

## 9. Maximum budget

EUR 4.800,00

## **CONDITIONS OF PARTICIPATION**

## 10. Legal basis, eligibility and rules of origin

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### 11. Number of tenders

No more than one tender can be submitted by a natural or legal person whatever the form of participation (as an individual legal entity or as leader or member of a consortium submitting a tender). In the event that a natural or legal person submits more than one tender, all tenders in which that person has participated will be excluded.

#### 12. Grounds for exclusion

As part of the tender, tenderers must submit a signed declaration, included in the tender form, to the effect that they are not in any of the exclusion situations listed in Section 2.6.10.1. of the practical guide.

Tenderer included in the lists of EU restrictive measures (see Section 2.4. of the PRAG) at the moment of the award decision cannot be awarded the contract.

## 13. Sub-contracting

Subcontracting is NOT allowed.

#### PROVISIONAL TIMETABLE

### 14. Provisional commencement date of the contract

< 28.02.2022 >

## 15. Implementation period of the tasks

< 6 months from the date of signature of the contact from both parties >

### **SELECTION AND AWARD CRITERIA**

## 16. Selection criteria

Capacity-providing entities

An economic operator (i.e. candidate or tenderer) may, where appropriate and for a particular contract, rely on the capacities of other entities, regardless of the legal nature of the links it has with them. If the economic operator relies on other entities, it must in that case prove to the contracting authority that it will have at its disposal the resources necessary for the performance of the contract by producing a commitment by those entities to place those resources at its disposal. Such entities, for instance the parent company of the economic operator, must respect the same rules of eligibility and notably that of nationality as the economic operator relying on them and must comply with the selection criteria for which the economic operator relies on them. Furthermore, the data for this third entity for the relevant selection criterion should be included in a separate document. Proof of the capacity will also have to be provided when requested by the contracting authority.

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With regard to technical and professional criteria, an economic operator may only rely on the capacities of other entities where the latter will perform the tasks for which these capacities are required.

With regard to economic and financial criteria, the entities upon whose capacity the economic operator relies, become jointly and severally liable for the performance of the contract.

The following selection criteria will be applied to the tenderers. In the case of tenders submitted by a consortium, these selection criteria will be applied to the consortium as a whole if not specified otherwise. The selection criteria will not be applied to natural persons and single-member companies when they are subcontractors.

The tenderer shall not use previous experience which caused breach of contract and termination by a contracting authority as a reference for selection criteria.

- 1) Economic and financial capacity of the tenderer (based on item 3 of the tender form). In case of tenderer being a public body, equivalent information should be provided. The reference period which will be taken into account will be the last three financial years for which accounts have been closed.
  - the financial situation of the tenderer should not be in deficit, taken into account debts, at the beginning and end of year.
- 2) Professional capacity of the tenderer (based on items 4 of the tender form).

The reference period which will be taken into account will be the last three years preceding the submission deadline.

- has a professional certificate appropriate to this contract, Please provide the certificate
- 3) Technical capacity of tenderer (based on items 5 and 6 of the tender form). The reference period which will be taken into account will be the last [three years] preceding the submission deadline.
  - the tenderer has provided services under at least < 1 > contract with a budget of at least that of this contract in <IT> which [was] implemented at any moment during the last three years. Please provide the evidence (contract – letter – references)

This means that the service contract the tenderer refers to could have been started at any time during the indicated period but it does not necessarily have to be completed during that period, nor implemented during the entire period. Tenderers are allowed to refer either to service contracts completed within the reference period (although started earlier) or to service contracts not yet completed. Only the portion satisfactorily completed during the reference period will be taken into consideration. This portion will have to be supported by documentary evidence (-statement or certificate from the entity which awarded the contract, proof of payment) also detailing its value. If a tenderer has implemented the service contract in a consortium, the percentage that the

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tenderer has successfully completed must be clear from the documentary evidence, together with a description of the nature of the services provided if the selection criteria relating to the pertinence of the experience have been used.

### 17. Award criteria

Best price-quality ratio.

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### **TENDERING**

#### 18. Deadline for submission of tenders

The deadline for submission of tenders is specified in point 8 of the instruction to tenderers.

## 19. Tender format and details to be provided

Tenders must be submitted using the standard tender form for simplified procedures, the format and instructions of which must be strictly observed. The tender form is available from the following internet address: <a href="http://ec.europa.eu/europeaid/prag/annexes.do?group=B">http://ec.europa.eu/europeaid/prag/annexes.do?group=B</a>, under the zip file called Simplified Tender dossier.

The tender must be accompanied by a declaration on honour on exclusion and selection criteria using the template available from the following Internet address:

http://ec.europa.eu/europeaid/prag/annexes.do?chapterTitleCode=A

Any additional documentation (brochure, letter, etc.) sent with a tender will not be taken into consideration.

## 20. How tenders may be submitted

Tenders must be submitted in English exclusively to the contracting authority, using the means specified in point 8 of the instructions to tenderers.

Tenders submitted by any other means will not be considered.

By submitting a tender tenderers accept to receive notification of the outcome of the procedure by electronic means.

#### 21. Alteration or withdrawal of tenders

Tenderers may alter or withdraw their tenders by written notification prior to the deadline for submission of tenders. No tender may be altered after this deadline.

Any such notification of alteration or withdrawal shall be prepared and

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submitted in accordance with point 9 of the instructions to tenderers.

## 22. Operational language

All written communications for this tender procedure and contract must be in English.

### 23. Additional information

Financial data to be provided by the candidate in the standard application form must be expressed in [EUR]. If applicable, where a candidate refers to amounts originally expressed in a different currency, the conversion to [EUR] shall be made in accordance with the InforEuro exchange rate of [<MONTH and YEAR> of the applicable InforEuro exchange rate, which can either correspond to the month and year of the publication of the present contract notice or the month and year corresponding to the deadline for submitting applications], which can be found at the following address: <a href="http://ec.europa.eu/budget/graphs/inforeuro.html">http://ec.europa.eu/budget/graphs/inforeuro.html</a>.

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