REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI)

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Title of the EOI:
Maintenance des onduleurs (ASC Alimentation Sans Coupure) au Palais des Nations et ses annexes à Genève - Maintenance services for UPS inverters at UNOG in Geneva

Date of this EOI: 27 April 2020  Closing Date for Receipt of EOI: 15 May 2020

EOI Number: EOIUNOG17451

Address EOI response by fax or e-mail to the Attention of: Luciano Sergi

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UNSPSC Code: 32121705

DESCRIPTION OF REQUIREMENTS

EN FRANÇAIS:

L'Office des Nations Unies à Genève (UNOG) souhaite recevoir des expressions d'intérêt pour un appel d'offres qu'il émettra prochainement pour l'exécution des travaux de maintenance des onduleurs (ASC Alimentation Sans Coupure) au Palais des Nations et ses annexes à Genève (Suisse). Suite à cet Appel d'offres un contrat sera établi pour une durée initiale de trois (3) ans avec possibilité d'une prolongation de deux (2) périodes supplémentaires et consécutives d'une (1) année maximum chacune (3+1+1), sous réserve de l'exécution satisfaisante des prestations effectuées et de la disponibilité des budgets de l'ONUG.

Ces services (de maintenances préventive et curative) seront rendues sur plusieurs onduleurs, entre 0,7 kVA et 120 kVA, de marques telles que Aprotec, Socomec, APC, Borri, Riello, Schneider… Le marché sera attribué au soumissionnaire qualifié dont l'offre remplit essentiellement les conditions énoncées dans le cahier des charges et est considérée comme la moins coûteuse pour l'ONUG.

Veuillez noter que cette demande d'expression d'intérêt (EOI) ne constitue pas un appel d'offres. L'ONUG se réserve le droit de modifier ou d'annuler l'appel d'offres à tout moment. Seuls les fournisseurs considérés comme qualifiés par l'ONUG pour fournir ces marchandises seront invités à participer.

La date limite de réception des expressions d'intérêt (soumettant le formulaire de réponse ci-dessous) est fixée au vendredi 15 mai 2020, 17h (heure de Genève). Toutes les réponses seront traitées de manière strictement confidentielle.
IN ENGLISH:

The United Nations Office at Geneva (UNOG) wishes to receive expressions of interest for an invitation to bid which it will issue shortly for the maintenance services of UPS inverters at the Palais des Nations and its annexes in Geneva (Switzerland). The resulting contract will be established for an initial period of three (3) years with the possibility of an extension of two (2) additional and consecutive periods of one (1) year maximum each (3+1+1), provided satisfactory performance of the contractor and availability of funding.

These maintenance services (preventive and corrective) will be delivered to a large number of UPS inverters (with power ranging between 0.7 kVA and 120 kVA) of different makes such as Aprotec, Socomec, APC, Borri, Riello, Schneider…. The contract will be awarded to the qualified bidder whose offer essentially meets all the conditions set out in the terms of reference and is considered the least costly for UNOG.

This request for expression of interest is not an invitation to bid. UNOG reserves the right to modify or cancel this invitation to bid at any time. Only vendors considered as qualified by UNOG to supply such goods will be invited to participate.

The deadline for the submitting your response (using the response form attached below) to this EOI is Friday 15 May 2020, at 5pm (Geneva time). All responses will be treated in strict confidence.

SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS / INFORMATION (IF ANY)

NOTE

Information on tendering for the UN Procurement System is available free of charge at the following address: https://www.ungm.org/Public/Notice

Only the United Nations Global Marketplace (UNGM) has been authorised to collect a nominal fee from vendors that wish to receive automatically Procurement Notices or Requests for Expression Of Interest. Vendors interested in this Tender Alert Service are invited to subscribe on http://www.ungm.org

Vendors interested in participating in the planned solicitation process should complete/submit the Vendor Response Form of this EOI either electronically (through the link available on the next page) or send it via fax or e-mail to ONUG / UNOG (UNOG) before the closing date set forth above.
NOTICE

- Companies can only participate in solicitations of the UN Secretariat after completing their registration (free of charge) at the United Nations Global Marketplace (www.ungm.org).
- As you express interest in the planned solicitation by submitting this response form, please verify that your company is registered under its full legal name on the United Nations Global Marketplace (www.ungm.org) and that your application has been submitted to the UN Secretariat.
- We strongly recommend all companies to register at least at Level 1 under the United Nations Secretariat prior to participating in any solicitations.

Please note: You can express your interest to this REOI by filling out this form manually or electronically (recommended) at: https://www.un.org/Depts/ptd/node/add/interest-expressed?EOI=EOIUNOG17451

To be completed by the Vendor *(All fields marked with an ‘*’ are mandatory)*

**COMPANY INFORMATION**

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We declare that our company fully meets the prerequisites A, B, C, D, E and F, for eligibility to register with the United Nations as outlined in the paragraph 1 of the EOI INSTRUCTIONS page.

Signature: ___________________________ Date: ___________________

Name and Title: ___________________________
1) Registering as a Vendor with the United Nations

Vendors interested in fulfilling the requirement described above must be registered at the UN Global Marketplace (www.ungm.org) with the UN Secretariat in order to be eligible to participate in any solicitation. Information on the registration process can be found at https://www.un.org/Depts/ptd/vendors.

Prerequisites for Eligibility

In order to be eligible for UN registration, you must declare that:

A. Your company (as well as any parent, subsidiary or affiliate companies) is not listed in, or associated with a company or individual listed in:
   II. the IIC Oil for Food List website or, if listed on either, this has been disclosed to the United Nations Procurement Division in writing.

B. Your company (as well as any parent, subsidiary or affiliate companies) is not currently removed or suspended by the United Nations or any other UN organisation (including the World Bank);

C. Your company (as well as any parent, subsidiary of affiliate companies) is not under formal investigation, nor have been sanctioned within the preceding three (3) years, by any national authority of a United Nations Member State for engaging or having engaged in proscribed practices, including but not limited to: corruption, fraud, coercion, collusion, obstruction, or any other unethical practice;

D. Your company has not declared bankruptcy, are not involved in bankruptcy or receivership proceedings, and there is no judgment or pending legal action against your company's operations in the foreseeable future;

E. Your company does not employ, or anticipate employing, any person(s) who is, or has been a UN staff member within the last year, if said UN staff member has or had prior professional dealings with the Vendor in his/her capacity as UN staff member within the last three years of service with the UN (in accordance with UN post-employment restrictions published in ST/SGB/2006/15.

F. Your company undertakes not to engage in proscribed practices (including but not limited to: corruption, fraud, coercion, collusion, obstruction, or any other unethical practice), with the UN or any other party, and to conduct business in a manner that averts any financial, operational, reputational or other undue risk to the UN.

For Registered Vendors: Vendors already registered at the UN Global Marketplace with the UN Secretariat must ensure that the information and documentation (e.g. financial statements, address, contact name, etc.) provided in connection with their registration are up to date in UNGM. Please verify and ensure that your company is registered under its full legal name.

For Vendors Interested in Registration: Vendors not yet registered should apply for registration on the United Nations Global Marketplace (http://www.ungm.org); information on the registration process can be found at https://www.un.org/Depts/ptd/vendors. Vendors must complete the registration process prior to the closing date of the REOI. Vendors who have not completed the UNGM registration process with the UN Secretariat before the closing date of the REOI are not considered eligible to participate in solicitations of the UN Secretariat. We strongly recommend all companies to register at least at Level 1 under the UN Secretariat prior to participating in any solicitations.

IMPORTANT NOTICE: Any false, incomplete or defective vendor registration may result in the rejection of the application or cancellation of an already existing registration.

2) EOI Process

Vendors interested in participating in the planned solicitation process should forward their expression of interest (EOI) to ONUG / UNOG (UNOG) by the closing date set forth in this EOI. Due to the high volume of communications UNOG is not in a position to issue confirmation of receipt of EOIs.

Please note that no further details of the planned solicitation can be made available to the vendors prior to issuance of the solicitation documents.

This EOI is issued subject to the conditions contained in the EOI introductory page available at https://www.un.org/Depts/ptd/doi.