



United Nations Procurement Division

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI)

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Title of the EOI:

Supply of Rifle/Carbine Firearms for 5.56x45 NATO calibre

Date of this EOI: 23 October 2025**Closing Date for Receipt of EOI:** 20 November 2025**EOI Number:** EOIUNPD23922**Beneficiary Country/Territory:** Global**Commodity/Service category:** Staff Security & Safety**Address EOI response by fax or e-mail to the Attention of:** Martin Stephanus Kurnia, Procurement Officer**Fax Number:** N/A**E-mail Address:** martin.kurnia@un.org**UNSPSC Code:**

46101500 - Firearms



DESCRIPTION OF REQUIREMENTS

The United Nations (UN) Department of Operational Support (DOS) is seeking to establish a global system contract for the provision of rifle/carbine firearm for 5.56x45 NATO calibre to serve as duty firearm for UN Close Protection Officers and UN Security Officers worldwide.

The Global System contract allowing all UN entities to place Purchase Order directly with the contract awarded Vendor (s) as per prices, terms and conditions stated in the final contract for the supply of rifle/carbine firearm will be awarded for an initial period of one (1) year with an option to extend for two additional 1-year periods (1+1+1) at the sole discretion of the UN and upon satisfactory performance of the contractor.

The vendor shall provide Rifle/Carbine chambered for 5.56x45 NATO calibre, using short stroke piston gas operating system with a rotating bolt in short (subcompact), medium (carbine) and standard barrel lengths (rifle); with fully-auto and semi-auto firing modes; using 30 rounds M16/M4 style STANAG magazine; with ambidextrous safety selector, magazine release and non-reciprocating cocking handle; with foldable buttstock; with Mil_STD-1913 picatinny rails.

The vendor must be able to obtain export licenses from the relevant government authorities in your manufacturing country to supply the proposed rifles/carbines to United Nations field missions in following locations: Afghanistan, Iraq, Yemen, Lebanon, Somalia, Libya, South Sudan, Central African Republic, Democratic Republic of Congo, Kosovo, Haiti and Ukraine.

The product is expected to have minimum service life of 15,000 rounds for barrel, trigger group, bolt carrier under normal usage.

The bidders must be either the manufacturer or an authorized supplier of the firearm and shall have a minimum of 5 years of experience as supplier.

The detailed Scope of Requirements (SOR), including the performance and technical specifications, quantities, and delivery, along with other the detailed Evaluation Criteria and Pricing Matrix, will be sent out to all bidders responding to this Expression of Interest (EOI).

SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS / INFORMATION (IF ANY)

Companies that wish to participate in the upcoming tender are requested to submit their Expression of Interest (EOI) by submitting the electronic Vendor Response Form as per below instructions. Suppliers must be duly registered as a UN Secretariat vendor in the United Nations Global Marketplace (www.ungm.org) at the Basic Level or above to participate in the upcoming tender.

Vendors are advised that this EOI does not constitute a solicitation.

The UN reserves the right to change or cancel this requirement at any time during the EOI and/or solicitation process.

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 submit the Vendor Response Form of this EOI electronically (through the link available on the next page) before the closing date set forth above.



VENDOR RESPONSE

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**.
- While companies can participate in solicitations after completion of registration at Basic Level, we strongly recommend all companies to register at least at **Level 1** under the United Nations Secretariat prior to participating in any solicitations.
- Companies are reminded of the restrictions of employment of former UN personnel that were involved in the procurement process during their last three years of service as per ST/SGB/2006/15, including (a) employing those personnel for one year after separation of service and (b) allowing those personnel to communicate with, or appear before, active UN personnel for matters related to the procurement process for two years after separation of service. Violation of the provisions of ST/SGB/2006/15 may lead to suspension of the registration of the company as a UN vendor.

PLEASE NOTE: You should express your interest to this EOI electronically at:

<https://www.ungm.org/Public/Notice/282417>

In case you have difficulties submitting your interest electronically, please contact martin.kurnia@un.org directly for instructions.



EOI INSTRUCTIONS

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:
 - I. the Compendium of United Nations Security Council Sanctions Lists (<https://www.un.org/securitycouncil/content/un-sc-consolidated-list>), or
 - 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 or 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 that could impair 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 United Nations Procurement Division (UNPD) by the closing date set forth in this EOI. *Due to the high volume of communications UNPD 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/eoi>.

