United Nations Procurement Division

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI)

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Title of the EOI:

Provision of Suply of Interlocking Building Block System for Construction

Date of this EOI: 24 November 2025 Closing Date for Receipt of EOI: 8 December 2025

EOI Number: EOIUNPD23988

Beneficiary Country/Territory: Global

Commodity/Service category: Accommodation

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UNSPSC Code:

30241500 - Portable Structure Consolidating Components

30130000 - Structural building products

30100000 - Structural components and basic shapes

30240000 - Portable Structure Building Components

DESCRIPTION OF REQUIREMENTS

- 1. The United Nations (UN) seeks to establish a Global Systems Contract for: 1) Supply of Interlocking Building Block System for construction
- 2. Provision of complete solution-design and supply of interlocking building block system.

The product shall be interlocking/ building blocks type or kit-of-parts type, manufactured from composite materials or material with equivalent/ comparable properties to construct buildings that are structurally safe for human occupancy. The material shall be lightweight, have effective strength to weight ratio, require minimum maintenance, and easily assembled or disassembled with minimum or no fasteners to build infrastructure that may be utilized as living accommodations with kitchens and ablution, office spaces with or without ablutions, public/community spaces, and other infrastructure for communities. The product shall be such that it can be packed and transported easily (remotest locations where standard modes of transportation are limited) and are ready for assembly on site. The product shall have low carbon emissions, minimal waste generation, and weather resistance to bear extreme heat and freezing temperatures. The components of the structure shall be pest and termite resistant and mold and mildew resistant. The bidder shall be able to provide the complete design solution that is structurally safe for human occupancy for various scenarios and loading details as per International Building Codes or equivalent and supply of all components for functional solution for following scenarios:

- 1. Living Accommodation (single level) that includes kitchenette and ablution with minimum internal area of 28 Sqm, 56 sqm and 168 sqm respectively, with provision of Accessibility for Persons with Disabilities. (Considering 28sqm footprint for single person)
- 2. Living accommodation (multistory Lower Level (LL) + 2 additional levels) that includes kitchenette and ablutions, with minimum internal space area 28sqm; 56 sqm and 168 sqm, respectively. (Considering 28sqm footprint for single person)
- 3. Office accommodation (single level) with minimum internal area of 28sqm, 56 sqm and 168 sqm with ablutions
- 4. Office accommodation (multistory LL + 2 additional levels) with minimum internal space area 28 sqm, 56 sqm and 168 sqm with ablutions.
- 5. Recreational Space Open floor area of 168 sqm.
- 6. Ablutions with area of 14sqm with 2 water closets and 2 shower areas.
- 7. Kitchens (including cooking, dishwashing, dry and cold storage, seating (60 persons) and service area) of 234 sqm.

The service life of the building component and the built structure shall be 25 years or more.

The Contract (s) shall be awarded to the selected bidder(s) for an initial period of three (3) years with an option to extend for two additional 1-year periods (3+1+1) at the sole discretion of the UN.

The bidder must have minimum three (3) years of experience in the market.

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

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 https://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/285495

In case you have difficulties submitting your interest electronically, please contact appenzeller@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 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 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 (https://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. <u>Due to the high volume of communications UNPD is not in a position to issue confirmation of receipt of EOIs.</u>

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.

