

NATIONAL COMPETITIVE BIDDING FOR
Supply, Installation and maintenance of IT Equipments (1100 Computers, 1100 UPS & 504 printers) for various Departments under ACCSDP Project.

INVITATION FOR BIDS (IFB)

Date : **3rd September 2020**

Loan No.: IBRD Loan No. 8754-IN

IFB No.: ARIASS/ACCSDP/182/2019/ 55-A dated: **3rd September 2020**

1. The Government of Assam through Government of India has received loan from the World Bank towards the cost of 'Assam Citizen-Centric Service Delivery Project (ACCSDP)' and it is intended that part of the proceeds will be applied to eligible payments under the contracts for Procurement of IT Equipments for various Line Department offices under ACCSDP Project

2. ARIAS Society now invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for supply of:

Sl no	Item Name	Quantity	Delivery Location
Lot 1	All-in-One Desktop	1100	Attached as Annexure 1
Lot 2	Multi Function Printer	504	
Lot 3	UPS	1100	

3. Bidders may Bid for one or several contracts, as further defined in the bidding document. Bidders wishing to offer discounts in case they are awarded more than one contract will be allowed to do so, provided those discounts are included in the Letter of Bid
4. Bidding will be conducted through the National Competitive Bidding (NCB) procedures agreed with World Bank. The bidding is open to all eligible bidders as defined in the Bank's Procurement Guidelines. In addition, please refer to paragraphs 1.6 and 1.7 of the Guidelines setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest.
5. Interested eligible Bidders may obtain further information from and inspect the bidding documents during office hours 10:30 am to 4:00 pm at the office of **the State Project Director, Assam Citizen-Centric Service Delivery Project (ACCSDP), Assam Rural Infrastructure and Agricultural Services (ARIAS) Society, Agriculture Complex, Khanapara, G.S. Road, Guwahati-781022 (Assam, India), India.**
6. A complete set of bidding documents may be purchased by any interested eligible bidder on the submission of a written application to the above office and upon payment of a non-refundable fee as indicated below in the form of a Demand Draft/ from any scheduled/nationalized bank in favour of **State Project Director (SPD), ARIAS Society, Guwahati, payable at Guwahati.**

The Bidding Document is also available on the website www.arias.in and can be **freely downloaded by interested bidders.** The bidders, who have downloaded the bid documents, shall be solely responsible for checking the website for any addendum/amendment issued subsequently to the bid document and take into consideration the same while preparing and submitting the bids.

7. The bidding document may be obtained from the office of **ARIAS Society** during office hours, on all working days either in person or by post. Bidding document requested by mail will be dispatched by courier/speed post on payment of under mentioned postal charges. The **ARIAS Society** will not be held responsible for the postal delay, if any, in the delivery of documents or non-receipt of the same.

- a) **Price of bidding document (non-refundable)** : Rs. 5000/-
- b) **Postal charges, inland** : Rs. 500/-
- c) **Postal charges, overseas** : Rs. 2000/-
- d) **Bid reference** : IN-ARIAS-145755-GO-RFQ

- e) **Date of commencement of sale of bidding document** : 4th September 2020
- f) **Last date for sale of bidding document** : 3rd October 2020
- g) **Last date and time for receipt of bids** : 5th October 2020 at 14.00 Hours
- h) **Time and date of opening of bids** : 5th October 2020 at 14.30 Hours
- i) **Place of opening of bid** : ARIAS Society Office, Agriculture Complex, Khanapara, G.S. Road, Guwahati-781022 (Assam, India),
- j) **Officer inviting bids** : The State Project Director, ARIAS Society
- k) **Address for communication** : The State Project Director, World Bank financed Assam Citizen-Centric Service Delivery Project (ACCSDP), Assam Rural Infrastructure and Agricultural Services (ARIAS) Society, Agriculture Complex, Khanapara, G.S. Road, Guwahati-781022 (Assam, India),
website: www.arias.in
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Email address: spd@arias.in

8. All bids must be accompanied by a bid security as specified in the bid document and must be delivered to the above office at the date and time indicated above. **Electronic bidding will not be permitted. Late bids will be rejected.**
9. Bids will be publically opened in the presence of Bidders' designated representatives who choose to attend at the address given above on the specified date and time.
10. In the event of the date specified for bid receipt and opening being declared as a closed holiday for the purchaser's office, the due date for submission of bids and opening of bids will be the following working day at the appointed times.

Sd/-
State Project Director
ARIAS Society