



# MINISTRY OF DEFENCE

## SRI LANKA AIR FORCE



### INVITATION FOR BIDS (IFB)


## MAJOR OVERHAUL AND SERVICE LIFE EXTENSION OF AN-32B AIRCRAFT FOR THE SRI LANKA AIR FORCE

1. The Chairman, Standing High Level Procurement Committee (SHLPC), Ministry of Defence, Sri Lanka on behalf of the Secretary, Ministry of Defence, Defence Headquarters Complex, Sri Jayewardenapura, Kotte, Sri Lanka now invites sealed bids from eligible and qualified bidders in Sri Lanka, or abroad for the "Major Overhaul and Service Life Extension of AN-32B Aircraft for the Sri Lanka Air Force" The details of the procurement are as follows;

S/ No.	Procurement Identification Number	Description	Bid Security Value & Period	Last Date of Issuing of Bidding Documents	Non Refundable Fee (Rs.)	Date and time of Bid closing	Date and time of Bid opening
01	AHQ/24/-FR/ANT/1004	Major Overhaul and Service Life Extension of SCM-868 (S/NQ 3410) AN-32B Aircraft	Rs. 17,650,950.00 up to 10 <sup>th</sup> June 2026	16 <sup>th</sup> November 2025	100,000.00	17 <sup>th</sup> November 2025 at 1000 hrs	17 <sup>th</sup> November 2025 at 1000 hrs
02	AHQ/24/-FR/ANT/1005	Major Overhaul and Service Life Extension of SCM-869 (S/No 3504) AN-32B Aircraft	Rs. 17,650,950.00 up to 10 <sup>th</sup> June 2026	16 <sup>th</sup> November 2025	100,000.00	17 <sup>th</sup> November 2025 at 1000 hrs	17 <sup>th</sup> November 2025 at 1100 hrs

2. Bidding will be conducted through **International Competitive Bidding (ICB) method**.
3. Interested bidders may purchase a complete set of Bidding Documents in English language from the Procurement Branch, Ministry of Defence, Defence Headquarters Complex, Sri Jayewardenapura, Kotte (Tele- +94112390719, Fax- +94112390720, E-mail (procurement@defence.lk) on the submission of a written application to the **Chief Financial Officer I (Procurement & Project)** during the dates mentioned in **para 1**, between 0900 hrs to 1500 hrs on every working day with effect from **18<sup>th</sup> August 2025 to 16<sup>th</sup> November 2025** after paying the Non-refundable fee indicated against each procurement to the Secretary, Ministry of Defence, Defence Headquarters Complex, Sri Jayewardenapura, Kotte and the Bidding Document can be inspected (Free of Charge) at Procurement Branch, Ministry of Defence, Defence Headquarters Complex, Sri Jayewardenapura, Kotte from 0900 hrs to 1500 hrs. The method of payment of the non-refundable deposit **will be in cash**.
4. All Interested Bidders who have purchased bidding documents are allowed to inspect the AN-32B Aircraft at SLAF Base Katunayake from **18<sup>th</sup> August 2025 to 16<sup>th</sup> November 2025** between 0900 hrs to 1500 hrs on **every working day**.
5. Completed bid proposal must be couriered/ delivered to the address below, marked with Tender Identification Number on or before the stipulated time and date mentioned in above **para 1** and late bids will be rejected. Bids will be opened immediately after the closing of the bids in the presence of the bidders/ bidders' representatives who choose to attend the Bid Opening, in person at the address below as per the referred time and dates mentioned above. No bidder or his representative will be permitted to attend the bid opening after the bid closing time.
- Procurement Branch,  
2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Ministry of Defence, Defence Headquarters Complex,  
Sri Jayewardenapura, Kotte, Sri Lanka.
6. A pre-bid meeting will be held on **08<sup>th</sup> September 2025 at 1100 hrs** at the Sri Lanka Air Force, Defence Headquarters Complex, Sri Jayewardenapura, Kotte.
7. All prospective bidders shall submit a Bid Security in the form of an irrevocable and unconditional **Bank Guarantee**, en-cashable upon the first written demand, for the value and period specified in **para 1** above from a commercial bank operating in Sri Lanka and approved by the Central Bank of Sri Lanka or a foreign bank operating outside Sri Lanka, provided that the relevant bank Guarantee is confirmed by a commercial bank operating in Sri Lanka and approved by the Central Bank. It should be addressed to the **Secretary Ministry of Defence**.
8. The bidders may liaise with the following Officer of the Sri Lanka Air Force for further information.

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Procurement Division  
LL2 Floor, Sri Lanka Air Force Headquarters,  
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