Invitation for Bids (IFB)

The Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka Ministry of Defence

Supply, Dilivery, Installation and Commissioning of 01 No, of Recompression Chamber for

Sri Lanka Navy

Contract No/Contract Identification: MOD/SLN/04/2021

1. The Chairman Ministry Procurement Committee on behalf of the Sri Lanka Navy (SLN), now invites sealed bids from eligible and qualified bidders in Sri Lanka or abroad for the following procurement as specified in the bidding documents.

Supply, Delivery, Installation and Commissioning (Icluding Training) of 01 No's of Recompression Chamber for Sri Lanka Navy.

2. Bidding process will be conducted through International Competitive Bidding (ICB).

3. Bids will be invited from the suppliers who possess at least five (05) years experience in manufacturing of Recompression Chamber. Foreign Bidders shall quote through duly appointed (accredited) Local Agent in Sri Lanka and the Bidders shall comply followings,

a. Aforesaid Local Agent shall have registered his/her business for last five (05) years in Sri Lanka.

b. Bidder shall have successfully completed at least Three (03) similar nature contracts, during the last five (05) years out of which, one (01) contract shall consist with similar scope and their contract sum shall not be less than Sri Lankan Rupies Three Hundred million (LKR 300,000,000.00) for each.

c. Bidder should have suitable workshop facility with technical staff including engineers in relevant felids in order to attend warranty repairs as well as the annual maintenance offer which is mandatory requirement to be carried out within the warranty period.

d. Bidder shall provide minimum of Two (02) years comprehensive warranty for entire system including all electrical /electronic and mechanical components of the Recompression Chamber from the date of commissioning.

e. Bidder shall provide Fifteen (15) years after sales service/technical support and guarantee for availability of spare parts, software and accessories from manufacturer. (On completion of warranty period)

f. There shall be a local office or locally registered agent in Sri Lanka for the any query/ repair of the Recompression Chamber within the warranty period.

g. Bidder should provide OEM certificate for offered chamber.

h. Availability of manufactures authorization for Local bidder and should provide certification.

4. Contract completion period is One Hundred and Eighty (180) calendar days from the date of signed the contract.

5. Qualified bidders shall possess legal right for the above procurement and the Bidder should possess valid business registration under Public Contract Act No. 3 of 1987(for local bidders only). A copy of the certificate for Business Firm Registration should be submitted with the Bidding Document. Additional details are provided in the Bidding Documents and few important extractions of the Public Contract Act is as follows.

"any person who act as an agent or sub –agent, representative or nominee on behalf of any bidder, shall register himself and such public contract in accordance with the section 10 and shall furnish to the register the particulars required to be furnish under section 6"

"where any person is an agent, sub- agent, representative or nominee for or on or behalf of a bidder, he shall first produce a certificate of his appointment as agent sub – agent, representative or nominee to the registrar before he registers himself and the public contract under this section.

Bidders are advised to present the registration certificate along with bidding document, according to the "Public Contracts Act No. 3 of 1987", if relevant.

6. Eligible Bidder should submit the Certification of International Standards on the compatibility of the production.

7. Financial Capability and other qualification requirement: Average annual turnover of the Bidder shall not be less than Sri Lankan Rupees (LKR) 750,000,000.00 in last consecutive three years.

8. Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from Director Naval Foreign Procurement Sri Lanka Navy Po Box 593, upper Chatham Street, Colombo 01, Sri Lanka Telephone 0094112445066 (Direct Line) 0094117190000, Ext. 12331 facsimile number: 0094112448725: Electronic mail address <u>nhqssofp@navy.lk</u> and inspect the Bidding Document (free of charge) at the address below.

The Procurement Branch. Ministry of Defence Defence Headquarters Complex Sri Jayawardanapura Kotte, Sri Lanka.

From 0900 hours to 1500 hours in every working days.

9. If the Bidder or his Local Agent has been blacklisted by any Statutory Board, Government Instition or State Owned Company shall not be eligible to obtain tender.

10. A complete set of Bidding Documents in English language may be purchased by interested Bidders on the submission of a written application to the address below from 09^{th} August 2021;

The Procurement Branch. 2nd Floor, Ministry of Defence, Defence Headquarters Complex, Sri Jayawardanapura, Kotte, Sri Lanka.

Tel: 0094 11 2390719 Fax: 0094 11 1390720 Email: procurement@defence.lk

And,

Upon a payment of a non-refundable fee of LKR 35,000.00 (Thirty Five Thousand) in cash to Ministry of Defence.

11. Bids must be delivered to the address below on or before 1100 hours on 22^{nd} September 2021.

The Accountant (Procurement), Ministry of Defence, Defence Headquarters Complex Sri Jayawardanapura Kotte. Sri Lanka.

12. Late Bids will be rejected. Technical Bids will be opened immediately after closing of Bids (At 1100 hours on 22^{nd} September 2021) in the presence of the Bidders' representatives who wish to attend.

13. Financial Bids will be opened after Technical Evaluation as per the determination of Ministry Procurement Committee.

14. Bid shall be valid up to 21^{st} December 2021.

15. All Bids must be accompanied by "Bid-Security," of Sri Lankan Rupees Nine (09) Million (LKR 9,000,000.00). The Bid Security (ITB 20.2) shall be a Bank Guarantee issued by the bank operating in Sri Lanka, approved by the Central bank of Sri Lanka. The Bid Guarantee should be valid up to 18th January 2022. Further, it should be as per the format given.

16. The decision taken by the Ministry Procurement Committee will be the final decision and the purchaser reserves the right to make any amendments based on Financial Regulations and Treasure Circulars issued periodically by the Government of Sri Lanka.

17. Contact Details:

Attention:	Director Naval Foreign Procurement
	Sri Lanka Navy
	PO Box 593
	Upper Chatham Street
	Colombo 01
	Sri Lanka

Telephone: 094 11 2445066 0094 11 7190000, Ext 12331 Facsimile Number: 0094 11 2448725 Electronic Mail address: <u>nhqssofp@navy.lk</u>

Accountant (Procurement)

 Ministry of Defence:
 0094 11 2390719

 Facsimile number:
 0094 11 2390720

18. Bidders are advised to inform in writing, to the Accountant (Procurement), Ministry of Defence, the name and NIC/ Passport number of the authorized individual who will be participating at the Bid opening at least Prior to three (03) working days of Bid opening.

19. Pre Bid meeting will be held on 24th August 2021 at 1400 hours at Sri Lanka Navy Headquarters, Colombo 01.

Chairman Ministry Procurement Committee Ministry of Defence Defence Headquarters Complex Sri Jayawardanapura Kotte. Sri Lanka.