



## Information and Communication Technology Agency of Sri Lanka

### Invitation for Bids (IFB)

#### Procurement of Hitachi SAN Storage Upgrade for Lanka Government Cloud IFB No. ICTA/GOSL/GOODS/NCB/2018/50

1. The Chairman, Department Procurement Committee (DPC), on behalf of Information and Communication Technology Agency of Sri Lanka (ICTA) now invites sealed bids from eligible and qualified bidders for the procurement of Hitachi SAN Storage upgrade for Lanka Government Cloud.

Detailed Description of the requirement and specification are given in the Bidding Document.

2. Bidding will be conducted using the National Competitive Bidding (NCB) procedure that shall be governed by the Procurement Guidelines of Government of Sri Lanka and is open to all eligible bidders that meet the eligibility and qualification requirements given in the bidding documents.
3. Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from Ms. Rosemary Boudewyn – Senior Procurement Officer, ICTA, 160/24, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Kirimandala Mawatha, Colombo 05 and inspect the bidding documents during office hours on working days commencing from **January 18, 2019** at the office of ICTA at the above address. Telephone: 2369099, Facsimile: 2369091, Email: [procurement@icta.lk](mailto:procurement@icta.lk). Bidding Documents are also available <https://www.icta.lk/procurement> only for inspection purposes.
4. A complete set of Bidding Documents in English Language may be purchased by interested bidders on submission of a written application and upon payment of a non-refundable fee of **Sri Lankan Rupees Two Thousand (LKR 2,000.00)** effective from **January 18, 2019** during office hours on working days from the office of the ICTA at 160/24, 2<sup>nd</sup> floor, Kirimandala Mawatha Colombo 05. The method of payment will be by cash.
5. A Pre-bid meeting which potential bidders may attend will be held at **1400 hrs (2.00 p.m) on January 28, 2019** at the office of ICTA at the above address. The bidders are advised to attend this meeting.
6. Bids must be delivered to Director-Procurement, C/o Chairman, Information and Communication Technology Agency of Sri Lanka (ICTA), 160/24, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Kirimandala Mawatha, Colombo 05 at or before **1500 hrs (3.00 p.m) on February 11, 2019**. Late Bids and Bids sent electronically will not be accepted and will be rejected.
7. All Bids must be accompanied by Bid Securities in the form of a Bank Guarantee using the format given with the Bidding Documents in the amount of Sri Lankan Rupees One Hundred Thousand (LKR 100,000.00)
8. Bids shall be valid for a period of 90 days from the date of deadline for submission of the bids.
9. Bids will be opened immediately after the deadline for submission of bids, in the presence of bidders and/or their authorized representatives who choose to attend in person at the address stated above (in Para 6).

10. ICTA will not be responsible for any costs or any expenses incurred by the Bidders in connection with the preparation or delivery of Bids.

Chairman  
Department Procurement Committee  
Information and Communication Technology Agency of Sri Lanka (ICTA),  
160/24, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Kirimandala Mawatha, Colombo 05

January 18, 2019