



## Section I

### Invitation for Bids (IFB)

Date: 21<sup>st</sup> February, 2012

IFB No: Press/ **01** /44-2012

State Bank of Pakistan, Banking Services Corporation (Bank) invites sealed bids from tax registered eligible Bidders for **“Providing Services of Technical staff for SBP BSC Printing Press”** as per specifications provided in Section III.

2. Bidding will be conducted under National Competitive Bidding pursuant to ‘Single stage – two envelope procedure’ as per Rule 36(b) of Public Procurement Rules 2004. The bids shall comprise a single package containing two separate envelopes containing separately financial proposal and the technical proposal. Each envelope shall be marked as “FINANCIAL PROPOSAL” and TECHNICAL PROPOSAL” in bold and legible letters to avoid confusion. The bidding is open to all eligible Bidders as defined in the PPR-2004 that meet the following minimum qualification criteria:

Bidders must have wide exposure and proven track record of successfully providing similar services of technical staff to well reputed companies or Government / Semi Government organization for a period not less than 4 years. Bidders must be registered with Income Tax Department. The attributes of offers will be evaluated as per normal industry practices.

3. Bidders will submit bids for all the categories of work. Evaluation of bid and contract award will be done accordingly.
4. The Bidders are requested to give their best and final prices as no negotiations are expected. The rates quoted must remain valid for a period of ninety (90) days.
5. Late bids will be rejected. Bids submitted without signed Bid Form by authorized nominee of the bidder will also be rejected. Bid with material deviation exception, objection, conditionality, or reservation; except where permitted, shall also be rejected.
6. Interested eligible Bidders may obtain the bidding documents on submission of a written application upon payment of a non-refundable fee of Pak Rs.500/- only through pay order /bank draft **drawn in favor of State Bank of Pakistan, Banking Services Corporation (Bank)** from the address given below from 9:00am to 1:30pm after publication of IFB till one day prior to closing thereof.
7. Bids must be delivered to the address below on or before **15 March, 2012 at 15:00 hours** Bids will be opened in the presence of bidders’ representatives who choose to attend at 15:30 hours the same day at Meeting Room, General Services Department, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor Subsidiary House, I.I Chundrigar Road, State Bank of Pakistan, Karachi –Pakistan
8. This IFB is also uploaded at SBP & PPRA websites.

Sd/-

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