

Invitation for Bids (IFB)

Date: July 09, 2014. IFB No: GSD/Printing Press/ **4349** /2014

1. State Bank of Pakistan, Banking Services Corporation (Bank) invites sealed bids from tax registered eligible Bidders for *"Supply of Printing Material for Printing Press of State Bank of Pakistan Banking Services Corporation"* 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 and is open to all eligible Bidders as defined in the PPR-2004 that meet the following minimum qualification criteria:

Bidders must be a manufacturer or a direct authorized agent of the manufacturer of required Printing Material in Pakistan with a minimum of two (02) years of experience in manufacturing **or** supplies; as applicable. Manufacturer/Supplier should have a documented track of completing at least five (5) similar assignments, during last two (02) years. Bidder must be registered with Income Tax and Sales Tax Department.

The offered products should be of stipulated specifications provided with Bidding Documents. The attributes of offers will be evaluated as per normal industry practices.

3. Bidders will submit bids for one or more or all of the items thereof. Evaluation of bid and contract award will be done accordingly.

4. The Bidders are requested to give their best and final prices only one rate for one item basis as no negotiations or multiple choices are accepted. The rates quoted must remain valid for a period of ninety (90) days.

5. All bids must be accompanied by a bid security of Rs. 100,000/-. Bidders are required to compulsorily declare brand, origin etc. of quoted item/s. 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 further information from and purchase the bidding documents on submission of a written application upon payment of a non-refundable fee of Pak Rs 300 only through pay order /bank draft 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 **July 24, 2014 at 10:00 a.m.** Bids will be opened in the presence of bidders' representatives who choose to attend at 10:30 a.m. same day at Meeting Room, General Services Department, 4th Floor Subsidiary House, I.I Chundrigar Road, State Bank of Pakistan, Karachi –Pakistan

8. This IFB is also uploaded at SBP & PPRA websites.

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