

## **Invitation for Bids (IFB)**

Date: December 19, 2017

IFB No. GSD (PROC-I)/4193 /SLA/NW Devices/2017

- 1. The State Bank of Pakistan (SBP) intends to acquire Maintenance and Technical Support Services for its in use Cisco Network Devices across the country. Sealed bids are invited from all eligible bidders that meet the following eligibility criteria:
  - a) Bidder must be OEM or OEM's Authorized Agent/Partner having valid authorized Agent / Partnership certificate for last 03 (three) consecutive years;
  - b) Bidder must be authorized by their OEM specifically for this procurement;
  - c) Bidder must have experience of at least 03 (three) similar assignments of providing Maintenance and Technical Support during last 03 (three) years;
  - d) Bidder must have 03 (three) OEM Certified Resources;
  - e) Bidder must have point of presence in Karachi, Lahore and Islamabad/Rawalpindi;
  - f) Bidder must have Annual Sales volume/Gross Turnover of the individual bidding firm should be at least Rs.50 (fifty) million in any of last 03 (three) years;
  - g) Bidder must be registered with Income Tax & Sales Tax Department and must appear on Active Taxpayer List of FBR.
- 2. Bidding documents containing detailed terms and conditions, etc. are available for the interested bidders from the address given below on submission of a written application upon payment of a nonrefundable fee of **Rs.1,000/-** (Rupees one thousand only) through Bank Draft/Pay Order drawn in favor of SBP BSC (Bank).
- 3. The bids, prepared in accordance with the instructions in the bidding documents, must reach at office of the undersigned on or before **Thursday**, **January 11**, **2018**, **11:00** am. Bids will be opened same day at **11:30** am, at Conference Room, General Services Department 4th Floor BSC House, State Bank of Pakistan, I.I Chandigarh Road, Karachi –Pakistan. This advertisement is also available on PPRA and SBP websites at http://www.ppra.org.pk and http://www.sbp.org.pk.

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