

State Bank of Pakistan

Request for Bid	
Purchaser:	State Bank of Pakistan
Project:	Pakistan Financial Inclusion & Infrastructure Project
Contract Title:	Design and Implementation of Real Time Gross Settlement (RTGS) and Central Securities
	Depository (CSD) System
Country:	Pakistan
Credit No.	5989-PK
RFB No:	PK-SBP - FIIP-341034-GO-RFB
Issued on:	19 th February 2023

The Islamic Republic of Pakistan has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the Pakistan Financial Inclusion & Infrastructure Project and intends to apply part of the proceeds toward payments under the contract for Investments in Technical Systems/Platforms Supporting Improvements in Market Infrastructure.

The State Bank of Pakistan now invites sealed Bids from eligible Bidders to <u>Design and Implement a Real Time</u> Gross Settlement (RTGS) and Central Securities Depository (CSD) System.

Bidding will be conducted through international competitive procurement using Request for Bids (RFB) as specified in the <u>World Bank's Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers July 2016 [4th Edition, Nov. 2020]</u> (Procurement Regulations) and is open to all eligible Bidders as defined in the Procurement Regulations.

Interested eligible Bidders may obtain further information from the address below and inspect the bidding document during office hours from 0900 to 1700 hours, Pakistan Standard Time (PKT), at the address provided below. The bidding document in English may be obtained by interested eligible Bidders from the address below or downloaded from the SBP website <u>www.sbp.org.pk</u>.

Bids must be delivered to the address below on or before **1600 hours** Pakistan Standard Time (PKT) on **27th April 2023**. Electronic Bidding will not be permitted. Late Bids will be rejected. Bids will be publicly opened in the presence of the Bidders' designated representatives and anyone who chooses to attend at the address below at **1630 hours** (**PKT**) on **27th April 2023**.

All Bids must be accompanied by a "Bid Security" as per details given in the Bidding Document.

Attention is drawn to the Procurement Regulations requiring the Borrower to disclose information on the successful bidder's beneficial ownership as part of the Contract Award Notice, using the Beneficial Ownership Disclosure Form as included in the bidding document.

The address referred to above is:

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