



State Bank of Pakistan (SBP BSC)

## Invitation for Bids (IFB)

IFB No. GSD (PROC-I)/012984/Supply/VCS & Firewalls/2021

Date: 16 February 2021

1. The State Bank of Pakistan (SBP) intends to extend its in use Cisco based video conferencing setup and firewalls. Sealed bids are invited from all eligible bidders that meet the following eligibility criteria:
  - a. Bidder must be OEM or OEM's Authorized Partner having valid 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 each of Cisco Video Conferencing Systems & Cisco Next Generation Firewalls during last 03 (three) Years;
  - d. Bidder must have technical strength of at least 03 (three) Cisco Professional Level Security Certified Resources;
  - e. Bidder must have support/branch office in Karachi, Lahore and Islamabad/Rawalpindi;
  - f. Bidder must have Annual Sales volume/Gross Turnover of at least Rs150 million in any of the last 03 (three) years;
  - g. Bidder must be registered with Income Tax and Sales Tax Department and must appear on the Active Tax Payers List of FBR.
2. Bidding documents containing detailed terms and conditions, etc. are available free of cost for the interested bidders from the address given below on submission of a written application.
3. The bids, prepared in accordance with the instructions in the bidding documents, must reach at office of the undersigned on or before **Wednesday, 10 March 2021, 11:00 am**. Bids will be opened same day at **11:30 am**, at Meeting Room, General Services Department 4th Floor BSC House, State Bank of Pakistan Banking Services Corporation, I.I Chundrigar 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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