

CALL FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI)

Important: The purpose of this call for EOI is to identify appropriate suppliers who can potentially fulfil the requirements. The present call for EOI does not constitute an invitation to tender. Only suppliers deemed qualified by ITC will receive the invitation to tender.

Reference: RFPG-185/HMA

Date of this Call for Expression of Interest (EOI): 19/03/2012

Closing Date for Receipt of EOI at ITC/PS: 19/04/2012

Terms of Reference (summary):

The Common Procurement Activities Group of the United Nations Office at Geneva and Member Organizations namely: WHO; GLOBAL FUND, ITC, ILO, UNICEF, IOM, WIPO, WTO and WMO located in Geneva, Switzerland, seek Expressions of Interest (EOI) for a Request for Proposals (RFP) for the provision of Mobile Phones Services.

The Agencies listed above will be establishing an initial contract for 2 years with possibility for three years extension (1+1+1) up to a five years period starting December 2012.

Please note that the benefits of the contract resulting from this RFP will be made available to the other 6 United Nations entities, members of the Common Procurement Activities Group (CPAG).

- International Telecommunication Union (ITU)
- United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR)
- International Bureau of Education (IBE-UNESCO)
- World Meteorological Organization (WMO)
- Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS (UNAIDS)
- Gavi Alliance

The participating entities wish to implement a Corporate Mobile Network (CMN) allowing « cost-free » calls between the existing fixed line phones at the premises of the participating International Organisations and mobile phones. The users require voice and data services in a large number of countries worldwide.

The future supplier will be required to implement a limited number of user profiles which will restrict usage e.g. CMN only, national calls, roaming, data etc

The intent of the participating entities is to reduce mobile phone expenditure and will be interested in obtaining proposals from suppliers for the implementation of solutions which will achieve this goal while maintaining a high level of service quality and reliability worldwide.

Details of the 2011 calls volume of the participating agencies will be provided in the Terms of reference (TOR) of the tender documentation.

Please submit your response to **tenders@unog.ch** or by facsimile, to **+41 22 917 0013**. Responses must be received no later than 12:00 hours Central European Time, **19-04-2012**. All responses will be kept strictly confidential.

Please note that this is not a Request for Quote. At this stage, vendors are only requested to express their interest to participate in the bidding process which will be launch in a subsequent phase.

Information to include in your EOI are detailed below. Upon review of the information, the UNOG will review your expression of interest.

1. United Nations Global Market
Please confirm the UNGM registration number.
2. United Nations Office at Geneva
Please confirm the UNOG Vendor registration number.
3. Complete address and Contact details
Please provide your complete address and contact details, including contact name, telephone, telefax and email.
4. Please indicate the reference number of this EOI in your response.

The United Nations Office at Geneva reserves the right to change or cancel this requirement at any time in the EOI and/or solicitation process. Please note that only those firms considered qualified by the United Nations Office at Geneva for this project will be invited to participate.