REPUBLIC OF SERBIA

Ministry of Education, Science and Technological Development

As The Project promoter and responsible for its implementation

And

PIU Research and Development Ltd.

No. 22-26 Nemanjina street

11000 Belgrade

Serbia

As the Employer

***Hereby ANNOUNCES***

**INTERNATIONAL INVITATION FOR TENDER**

**PROCUREMENT OF LABORATORY EQUIPMENT FOR SEPARATION AND MATERIAL CHARACTERISATION**

**IOP/6-2012/G**

**PUBLIC SECTOR RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT**

The Republic of Serbia has received a loan from the The Council of Europe Development Bank toward the cost of the Project: Public Sector Research and Development, and it intends to apply part of the proceeds of this loan to payments under the Contract for Sub-project (Component 1)**:** Research Equipment.

The Government of the Republic of Serbia on 22nd July 2010 passed the Decision to establish a company „PIU Research and Development Ltd.” for managing the project that concerns a series of investments aimed at revitalizing the country’s public Research and Development activity.

The Ministry of Education, Science and Technological Development as The Project promoter and responsible for its implementation and the PIU Research and Development Ltd. No. 22-26 Nemanjina street 11000 Belgrade, Serbia, as the Employer, now invite eligible and qualified bidders for Procurement of laboratory equipment for separation and material characterisation.

The number, identification and names of the lots comprising this tender are:

Lot 1: Chromatography Equipment

Lot 2: Equipment for Material Characterisation

Lot 3: 2-D Electrophoresys

Lot 4: Preparative Chromatografy

Lot 5: System for Mass Desorption

Contracts will be signed with the best bidders in an open procedure, in accordance with the contract conditions determined in the Tender documents and all other documents that will be a consistent part of the Contract. The contract is expected to be implemented from October to November 2012.

The criterion to be used in the tender evaluation criterion is lowest evaluated tender price.

Alternative Bids shall not be considered.

Bids for individual lots will be accepted.

Bids will be evaluated lot by lot.

The bid validity period shall be 90 days.

The right to participate in this international tender belongs to all interested entities that fulfill the mandatory conditions for the participation in the procedure. The bidder is obliged to submit the evidence on the fulfillment of the conditions that are in particular determent in tender documents.

All bids must be accompanied by a Bid Security of the amount of the 5 (five) percent of the bid value.

Validity of the Bid Security is 60 days beyond the bid validity period.

Interested parties may obtain further information from, and inspect the tender documents at:

***PIU Research and Development Ltd., Makenzijeva Street No. 24, 11000 Belgrade, Serbia,***

Web: [www.piu.rs](../AppData/Local/Microsoft/Windows/Temporary%20Internet%20Files/Content.Outlook/Z3QG1MW3/www.piu.rs)

E-mail: tender@piu.rs

Telephone number: +381652009051

Qualifications requirements and the additional details are provided and in particular determent in Tender Documents.

Tender documents can be taken over at the above mentioned address every working day after publishing of this public announcement between 12noon and 4pm, providing authorization for taking over the procurement documents and evidence of payment of 20 EUR (and all additional bank fees) or equivalent in RSD calculated according to the average exchange rate of the National Bank of Serbia on the day of the payment, for the cost of copying and delivery of procurement documents. The payments are non-refundable. The payment shall be paid to the PIU Research and Development Ltd account at Komercijalna Banka ad Beograd No. 205-160097-44, payment purpose indication: „Tender Documents Costs”, payment code 221, reference number IOP/6-2012/G.

Any bidders asking for the delivery of the tender documents will receive it by mail on bidder’s expense (included in tender documents costs), on request, against a faxed copy of the evidence of the remittance, without any liability in case of lost or delay.

If the currency of payment is EUR use the following:

Intermediary Bank/ Correspondent Bank

Swift – BIC: COBADEFF

Name: COMMERZBANK AG

City, Country: FRANKFURT AM MAIN, GERMANY

Account with institution/ Beneficiary’s Bank

Swift – BIC: KOBBRSBG

Name: KOMERCIJALNA BANKA AD BEOGRAD

Street: Svetog Save 14

City, Country: 11000 Belgrade, Republic of Serbia

Beneficiary

IBAN/ Account Number: RS 35205007010039485382

Company name: JUP ISTRAŽIVANJE I RAZVOJ DOO BEOGRAD

Street: NEMANJINA 22-26

City, Country: Beograd – Savski venac, Republic of Serbia

All bids must be delivered in closed envelopes marked with the reference „Procurement of laboratory equipment for separation and material characterisation”, IOP/6-2012/G, number of the lots to which the bid refers, not later than September 28, 2012 at 12noon at the address:

**PIU Research and Development Ltd, Makenzijeva Street No. 24, 11000 Belgrade, Serbia**.

Bids received after the above mentioned cut-off date will be considered untimely. Untimely bids will not be opened and will be returned to the bidder, marked as „Untimely”.

Eligible bids will be opened at 1pm on the same day in the presence of Bidders’ authorized representatives who choose to attend. The attending representatives of bidders must present to the tender Commission, prior to the public opening of the bids received, a written authorization for attending the public opening.