#### REPUBLIC OF SERBIA

## Ministry of Education, Science and Technological Development as Employer

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### AN INVITATION TO SUBMIT BID IN INTERNATIONAL OPEN PROCEDURE

# Procurement of furniture and equipment for the first group of schools within "School Modernisation Programme" no. OP/D/05/15

Financial Agreement between the Republic of Serbia and the European Investment Bank, number FI  $\rm n^{\circ}$  25.610, that approved a loan of EUR 50 million towards the modernization of education in Serbia was published in the Official Gazette of Republic of Serbia - International Agreements No. 8-10 and 12-15.

Promoter of the project is the Ministry of Education, Science and Technological Development.

Public procurement is conducted in open international procedure in accordance with EIB Guide to procurement.

The Subject of procurement is procurement of furniture and equipment for the first group of schools within "School Modernisation Programme".

Public procurement is divided into lots:

- LOT 1 supply, delivery to site and installation of School and Office Furniture;
- LOT 2 supply, delivery to site and installation of Gym Equipment;
- LOT 3 supply, delivery to site and installation of Kitchen Furniture and Equipment;
- LOT 4 supply, delivery to site, installation, and testing of Audio, Video and IT Equipment;
- LOT 5 supply, delivery to site, installation, and commissioning of Equipment for dental office;
- LOT 6 supply and delivery to site of Teaching materials and teaching aids.

This procurement includes supply, delivery to site, installation, testing and commissioning of the equipment according to the technical specifications, including all potential minor construction work necessary to complete installation, and testing of delivered equipment.

Bidder may submit bid for one or for more lots. The bid has to include at least one whole lot.

Each lot will form a separate contract.

A Bid with variants is not allowed nor is a Bid with discount price.

The Tender Documents are available in the Serbian and English languages. If there is discrepancy between Serbian and English, Serbian shall prevail. Bids are submitted in Serbian and English. The Bidders that have their headquarters outside the country of the Contracting Authority may submit their Bids only in English.

Tender Documents, in electronic form can be obtained from the address mentioned below.

At the request of the bidder, the tender documentation will be promptly dispatched electronically via e-mail.

All bids must be accompanied by Tender guarantee for each lot in the amount of 2% of the bid's value. Tender guarantee must be unconditional, irrevocable, and payable on the first call, without right to objection and must last at least 30 days longer than Bid validity period.

The right to participate in this international open procedure belongs to all interested entities that fulfill the mandatory conditions for the participation in the procedure which are specified in tender documentation.

Bid validity period shall be at least 90 days from the bid opening date.

The Bid evaluation criterion is the lowest offered price.

The bidder shall submit the bid in two separate sealed envelopes "ORIGINAL" and "COPY" of the Bid.

Bids shall be submitted via post or in person every day from 08:00 a.m. to 15:00 p.m.

Address for submission and opening of the bids and inspection of the tender documents: "JUP Istraživanje i razvoj" doo Beograd Veljka Dugoševića 54, Belgrade Republic of Serbia

The deadline for submission of the bids is February 17<sup>th</sup> 2016 by 12 pm local time.

The Bid received after the deadline for the submission of bids shall be considered untimely. Untimely bid shall be returned to the bidder unopened with an indication stating that the bid was not submitted timely.

The public opening of the Bids will be held on February 17<sup>th</sup> 2016 at 13 pm, at the premises of "JUP Istraživanje i razvoj" doo Beograd, Veljka Dugoševića 54, Belgrade, Republic of Serbia.

Additional information regarding public procurement can be obtained every day from 08 am to 15 pm on e-mail: <a href="mailto:modernizacijaskola@piu.rs">modernizacijaskola@piu.rs</a>, with reference procurement no. OP/D/05/15-Procurement of furniture and equipment for the first group of schools within "School Modernisation Programme".