

SUPPLY CONTRACT NOTICE SPECIAL VEHICLE WITH LARGE CAPACITY PUMP

Republic of Moldova

1. Reference

ROMD00074

2. Procedure

Open procedure

3. Program title

Program " (Interreg VI–A) NEXT Romania-Republic of Moldova" 2021-2027 for providing support from the European Regional Development Fund and the Neighbourhood, Development and International Cooperation Instrument - Global Europe under the European territorial cooperation objective (Interreg) in Romania and the Republic of Moldova.

4. Financing

ERDF and IVCDCI, National Co-financing

5. Contracting authority

Regional Search and Rescue Directorate No. 2 of the General Inspectorate for Emergency Situations of the Ministry of Internal Affairs of the Republic of Moldova, 1 Moscovei Street, Balti, MD-3100, website: www.dse.md

CONTRACT SPECIFICATION

6. Nature of the contract

Unit price

7. Contract description

The purchase of the special vehicle with a high-capacity pump will reduce the response time in case of floods, effective intervention in hard-to-reach areas, limiting material damage and risks to the population, ensuring the continuity of essential services in case of disaster.

The vehicle is intended for use by the Regional Search and Rescue Directorate No. 2 to increase the response and intervention capacity in emergency cases generated by extreme weather phenomena, especially floods, by equipping emergency services with modern and high-performance equipment.

8. Number and titles of lots

A single batch

CONDITIONS OF PARTICIPATION

10. Legal basis, eligibility and rules of origin

The legal basis for this procedure is EU Regulation No 2021/947 on the Neighbourhood, Development and International Cooperation Instrument – Global Europe (NDICI) 2 . See Annex A2 to the Practical Guide.

11. Number of offers

A natural or legal person may not submit more than one tender, regardless of the form of participation (as a natural legal person or as a leader or member of a consortium submitting a tender). If a natural or legal person submits more than one tender, all tenders in which that person participated will be excluded.

12. Grounds for exclusion

As part of the offer, tenderers must submit a **declaration signed on their own responsibility**, regarding the exclusion criteria and the selection criteria (**form G3**) included in the offer form, to the effect that they are not in any of the exclusion situations provided for in point 18 of Annex II to the Financing Agreement between the European Commission and the partner country and point 18 of Annex I to Regulation 2509/2024.

The tenderer included in the lists of restrictive measures of the European Union (www.sanctionsmap.eu) at the time of the award decision cannot be awarded the contract.

13. Subcontracting

Subcontracting is not permitted.

PROVISIONAL CALENDAR

14. Provisional start date of the contract

10.02.2026

15. Task implementation period

10.02.2026 - 01.07.2026

SELECTION AND AWARD CRITERIA

16. Selection criteria

Capacity providing entities

An economic operator (i.e. candidate or tenderer) may, where appropriate and for a given contract, rely on the capacities of other entities, regardless of the legal nature of the links it has with them. Where the economic operator relies on other entities, it must, in this case, prove to the contracting authority that it will have the resources necessary for the performance of the contract, by presenting an undertaking from those entities to make those resources available to it. Such entities, for example

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² Regulation (EU) 2021/947 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 9 June 2021 establishing a Neighborhood, Development and International Cooperation Instrument - Global Europe, amending and repealing Decision No 466/2014/EU and repealing Regulation (EU) 2017/1601 Council Regulation (EC, Euratom) No 480/2009; OJ L 209, 14.6.2021, p. 1-78.

the parent company of the economic operator, must comply with the same eligibility rules and in particular nationality rules as the economic operator relying on them and must comply with the selection criteria for which the economic operator relies on them. **In addition, the data for this third entity for the relevant selection criterion should be included in a separate document**. Proof of capacity will also have to be provided at the request of the contracting authority.

As regards technical and professional criteria, an economic operator may only rely on the capacities of other entities where the latter will perform the tasks for which those capacities are required.

As regards the economic and financial criteria, the entities on whose capacity the economic operator relies become jointly and severally liable for the performance of the contract.

The following selection criteria will be applied to tenderers. In the case of tenders submitted by a consortium, these selection criteria apply to the consortium as a whole, unless otherwise specified. The selection criteria will not apply to natural persons and single-member companies when they are subcontractors.

1) The economic and financial capacity of the tenderer (based on point 3 of the tender form). If the tenderer is a public institution, equivalent information should be provided. The reference period to be taken into account will be the last three financial years for which the accounts have been closed.

The selection criteria for each bidder are as follows:

- a) The bidder's average annual turnover in the last 3 years must be equal to or exceed the maximum annualized budget of the contract;
- b) The current ratio (current assets/current liabilities) in the last year for which the accounts were closed must be at least 1. In the case of a consortium, this criterion must be met by each member.
- <u>2) Technical and professional capacity of the bidder (</u> based on points 4, 5 and 6 of the tender form).

The reference period to be taken into account will be the last 3 (three) years prior to the submission deadline.

The selection criteria for each bidder are as follows:

- a) the declaration regarding similar experience from the last 3 years, original confirmed by the electronic signature of the offeror.
- b) holds a professional certificate corresponding to this contract, such as the certificate of professional certification of employees in the field of car construction or the performance of car repairs and maintenance, the activity license or operating authorization in the field in which the contract is of the nature or which is tangential to the nature of the contract;
- a) the bidder has had at least one similar contract for the delivery of technical transport units, in the last 3 years, and with a total budget of at least 80% of the value of the future contract.

This means that the contract to which the tenderer refers could have been started at any time during the period indicated, but does not necessarily have to be completed during this period nor implemented throughout the entire period. Tenderers may refer either to projects completed during the reference period (although they started earlier) or to projects that have not yet been completed. In the first case, the project will be considered in its entirety if adequate evidence of performance is provided (declarations or certificates from the contracting authority, final acceptance). In the case of projects still in progress, only the part satisfactorily completed during the reference period will be taken into account, this part will have to be supported by documentary evidence (similar to completed projects) detailing its value.

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Ethnicities providing capabilities

An economic operator may, where appropriate and for a given contract, rely on the capacities of other entities, regardless of the legal nature of the links it has with them. Some examples of situations in which the contracting authority cannot be considered adequate are where the tender is largely based on the capacities of other entities or where it is based on key criteria. Where the tender is based on other entities, it must prove to the contracting authority that it will have at its disposal the resources necessary for the performance of the contract, for example by providing an undertaking from those entities to make these resources available. Such entities, for example the economic operator's parent company, must comply with the same eligibility rules, in particular nationality, as the economic operator. In addition, the data for this third entity for the relevant selection criterion should be included in the tender in a separate document. Proof of capacity will also have to be provided at the request of the contracting authority.

As regards technical and professional criteria, a tenderer may only rely on the capacities of other entities if the latter will perform the tasks for which these capacities are required.

As regards the economic and financial criteria, the entities on whose quality the tenderer relies become jointly and severally liable for the performance of the contract.

Previous experience that would have led to breach of contract and termination by a contracting authority shall not be used as a reference. This also applies to previous experience of experts required under a fee-based service contract.

17. Award criteria

lowest price, provided that the goods delivered comply with the technical specifications.

AUCTION

18. Deadline for submission of bids

The deadline for submitting bids will be combined with the public opening session, as per Automated information system "State Register of Public Procurement" (SIA RSAP), on December 23, 2025, 1:00 p.m., Republic of Moldova time.

19. Tender format and details to be provided

Bids must be submitted using the standard tender form.

The tender must be accompanied by a declaration on its own responsibility regarding the exclusion and selection criteria, using the model available at the following internet address:

 $\frac{https://wikis.ec.europa.eu/display/ExactExternalWiki/Annexes\#Annexes}{AnnexesA(Chap.2):General}$

Any additional documentation (brochure, letter, etc.) sent with a bid will not be considered.

20. How to submit bids

Tenders must be submitted in English exclusively to the contracting authority, using the means specified in point 10 of the instructions to tenderers.

Bids submitted by any other means will not be considered.

By submitting a bid, bidders agree to receive notification of the outcome of the procedure by electronic means.

21. Modification or withdrawal of offers

Bidders may modify or withdraw their bids by written notice prior to the bid submission deadline. No bid may be modified after this deadline.

Any such notice of modification or withdrawal shall be prepared and transmitted to tenderers in accordance with point 15 of the instructions.

22. Operational language

All written communications for this tender and contract procedure must be in English.

23. Additional information

The financial data to be provided by the candidate in the standard application form must be expressed in EUR. Where applicable, where a candidate refers to amounts originally expressed in a different currency, the conversion to EUR shall be carried out in accordance with the InforEuro exchange rate which can be found at the following address: http://ec.europa.eu/budget/graphs/inforeuro.html.

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