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#### SOUTHERN PROVINCIAL COUNCIL

## BIDDING DOCUMENT [INTERNATIONAL COMPETITIVE BIDDING LIMITED TO SRI LANKA AND INDIA]

ESTABLISHMENT OF MODERN COMPUTER LABS AND SMART BOARDS WITH CUSTOMIZED CURRICULUM SOFTWARE IN 200 SCHOOLS IN GALLE DISTRICT.

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# SECTION I INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS (ITB)

#### Section I.

#### **Instructions to Bidders (ITB)**

ITB shall be read in conjunction with the Section II, Bidding Data Sheet (BDS), which shall take precedence over ITB.

#### General

#### 1. Scope of Bid

- 1.1 the Purchaser indicated in the Bidding Data Sheet (**BDS**), issues these Bidding Documents for the supply of Goods and Related Services incidental thereto as specified in Section V, Schedule of Requirements. The name and identification number of this procurement are specified in **the BDS**. The name, identification, and number of lots (individual contracts), if any, are **provided in the BDS**.
- 1.2 Throughout these Bidding Documents:
  - (a) The term "in writing" means communicated in written form by mail (other than electronic mail) or hand delivered with proof of receipt;
  - (b) If the context so requires, "singular" means "plural" and vice versa; and
  - (c) "Day" means calendar day.

## 2. Source of Funds

2.1 Payments under this contract will be financed by the source specified in the BDS.

### 3. Ethics, Fraud and Corruption

- 3.1 The attention of the bidders is drawn to the following guidelines of the Procurement Guidelines published by National Procurement Agency:
  - Parties associated with Procurement Act ions, namely, suppliers/ contractors and officials shall ensure that they maintain strict confidentiality throughout the process;
  - Officials shall refrain from receiving any personal gain from any Procurement Act ion. No gifts or inducement shall be accepted. Suppliers/contractors are liable to be disqualified from the bidding process if found offering any gift or inducement which may have an effect of influencing a decision or impairing the objectivity of an official.
- 3.2 The Purchaser requires the bidders, suppliers, contractors, and consultants to observe the highest standard of ethics during the procurement and execution of such contracts. In pursuit of this policy:

- (a) "Corrupt practice" means the offering, giving, receiving, or soliciting, directly or indirectly, of anything of value to influence the action of a public official in the procurement process or in contract execution;
- (b) "Fraudulent practice" means a misrepresentation or omission of facts in order to influence a procurement process or the execution of a contract;
- (c) "Collusive practice" means a scheme or arrangement between two or more bidders, with or without the knowledge of the Purchaser to establish bid prices at artificial, non-competitive levels; and
- (d) "Coercive practice" means harming or threatening to harm, directly or indirectly, persons or their property to influence their participation in the procurement process or affect the execution of a contract.
- 3.3 If the Purchaser found any unethical practices as stipulated under ITB Clause 3.2, the Purchaser will reject a bid, if it is found that a Bidder directly or through an agent, engaged in corrupt, fraudulent, collusive or coercive practices in competing for the Contract in question.

#### 4. Eligible Bidders

- 4.1 All bidders shall possess legal rights to supply the Goods under this contract.
- 4.2 A Bidder shall not have a conflict of interest. All bidders found to have conflict of interest shall be disqualified. Bidders may be considered to have a conflict of interest with one or more parties in this bidding process, if they:
  - (a) are or have been associated in the past, with a firm or any of its affiliates which have been engaged by the Purchaser to provide consulting services for the preparation of the design, specifications, and other documents to be used for the procurement of the goods to be purchased under these Bidding Documents; or
  - (b) Submit more than one bid in this bidding process. However, this does not limit the participation of subcontractors in more than one bid.
- 4.3 A Bidder that is under a declaration of ineligibility by the Department of Public Finance, at the date of submission of bids or at the date of contract award, shall be disqualified. The list of debarred firms is available at the website of Department of Public Finance, www.tresury.gov.lk
- 4.4 Foreign Bidder may submit a bid only if so stated in the in the BDS.

### 5. Eligible Goods and related Services

5.1 All goods supplied under this contract shall be complied with applicable standards stipulated by the Sri Lanka Standards Institute (SLSI). In the absence of such standards, the Goods supplied shall be complied with other internationally accepted standards.

#### **Contents of Bidding Documents**

## 6. Sections of Bidding Document

6.1 The Bidding Documents consist of 2 Volumes, which include all the sections indicated below, and should be read in conjunction with any addendum issued in accordance with ITB Clause 8.

#### Volume 1

- Section I. Instructions to Bidders (ITB)
- Section VI. Conditions of Contract (CC)
- Section VIII. Contract Forms

#### Volume 2

- Section II. Bidding Data Sheet (BDS)
- Section III. Evaluation and Qualification Criteria
- Section IV. Bidding Forms
- Section V. Schedule Of Requirements
- Section VII. Contract Data
- Invitation To Bid
- 6.2 The Bidder is expected to examine all instructions, forms, terms, and specifications in the Bidding Documents. Failure to furnish all information or documentation required by the Bidding Documents may result in the rejection of the bid.

## 7. Clarification of Bidding Documents

7.1 A prospective Bidder requiring any clarification of the Bidding Documents including the restrictiveness of specifications shall contact the Purchaser in writing at the Purchaser's address specified in the BDS. The Purchaser will respond in writing to any request for clarification, provided that such request is received no later than ten (10) days prior to the deadline for submission of bids. The Purchaser shall forward copies of its response to all those who have purchased the Bidding Documents, including a description of the inquiry but without identifying its source. Should the Purchaser deem it necessary to amend the Bidding Documents as a result of a clarification, it shall do so following the procedure ITB Clause 8.

## 8. Amendment of Bidding Documents

- 8.1 At any time prior to the deadline for submission of bids, the Purchaser may amend the Bidding Documents by issuing addendum.
- 8.2 Any addendum issued shall be part of the Bidding Documents and shall be communicated in writing to all who have purchased the Bidding Documents.

8.3 To give prospective Bidders reasonable time in which to take an addendum into account in preparing their bids, the Purchaser may, at its discretion, extend the deadline for the submission of bids, pursuant to ITB Sub-Clause 23.2

#### **Preparation of Bids**

#### 09. Cost of Bidding

9.1 the Bidder shall bear all costs associated with the preparation and submission of its bid, and the Purchaser shall not be responsible or liable for those costs, regardless of the conduct or outcome of the bidding process.

### 10. Language of Bid

10.1 The Bid, as well as all correspondence and documents relating to the Bid (including supporting documents and printed literature) exchanged by the Bidder and the Purchaser, shall be written in English language.

## 11. Documents Comprising The Bid

11.1 The Bid shall comprise the following:

- (a) Bid Submission Form and the applicable Price Schedules, in accordance with ITB Clauses 12, 14, and 15;
- (b) Bid Security or Bid-Securing Declaration, in accordance with ITB Clause 20;
- (c) Documentary evidence in accordance with ITB Clauses 18 and 29, that the Goods and Related Services conform to the Bidding Documents;
- (d) Documentary evidence in accordance with ITB Clause 18 establishing the Bidder's qualifications to perform the contract if its bid is accepted; and
- (e) Any other document required in the BDS.

#### 12. Bid Submission Form and Price Schedule

12.1 The Bidder shall submit the Bid Submission Form using the form furnished in Section IV, Bidding Forms. This form must be completed without any alterations to its format, and no substitutes shall be accepted. All blank spaces shall be filled in with the information requested.

#### 13. Alternative Bids

13.1 Alternative bids shall not be considered.

## 14. Bid Prices and Discounts

- 14.1 The Bidder shall indicate on the Price Schedule the unit prices and total bid prices of the goods it proposes to supply under the Contract.
- 14.2 Any discount offered against any single item in the price schedule shall be included in the unit price of the item. However, a Bidder wishes to offer discount as a lot the bidder may do so by indicating such amounts appropriately.

- 14.3 If so indicated in ITB Sub-Clause 1.1, bids are being invited for individual contracts (lots) or for any combination of contracts (packages). Unless otherwise indicated in the BDS, prices quoted shall correspond to 100 % of the items specified for each lot and to 100% of the quantities specified for each item of a lot. Bidders wishing to offer any price reduction (discount) for the award of more than one Contract shall specify the applicable price reduction separately.
- 14.4 (i) Prices indicated on the Price Schedule shall include all duties and sales and other taxes already paid or payable by the Supplier:
  - (a) On components and raw material used in the manufacture or assembly of goods quoted; or
  - (b) On the previously imported goods of foreign origin
  - (ii) However, VAT shall not be included in the price but shall be indicated separately;
  - (iii) The price for inland transportation, insurance and other related services to deliver the goods to their final destination:
  - (iv) The price of other incidental services
- 14.5 The Prices quoted by the Bidder shall be fixed during the Bidder's performance of the Contract and not subject to variation on any account. A bid submitted with an adjustable price quotation will be treated as non-responsive and rejected, pursuant to ITB Clause 31.
- 14.6 All lots, if any, and items must be listed and priced separately in the Price Schedules. If a Price Schedule shows items listed but not priced, their prices shall be assumed to be included in the prices of other items.
- 15. Currencies of Bid
- 15.1 Unless otherwise stated in Bidding Data Sheet, the Bidder shall quote in Sri Lankan Rupees and payment shall be payable only in Sri Lanka Rupees.
- 16. Documents
  Establishing the
  Eligibility of the
  Bidders
- 16.1 To establish their eligibility in accordance with ITB Clause 4, Bidders shall complete the Bid Submission Form, included in Section IV, Bidding Forms.
- 17. Documents
  Establishing the
  Conformity of
  the Goods and
  Related
  Services
- 17.1 To establish the conformity of the Goods and Related Services to the Bidding Documents, the Bidder shall furnish as part of its Bid the documentary evidence that the Goods conform to the technical specifications and standards specified in Section V, Schedule of Requirements.
- 17.2 The documentary evidence may be in the form of literature, drawings or data, and shall consist of a detailed item by item

description (given in Section V, Technical Specifications) of the essential technical and performance characteristics of the Goods and Related Services, demonstrating substantial responsiveness of the Goods and Related Services to the technical specification, and if applicable, a statement of deviations and exceptions to the provisions of the Schedule of Requirements.

17.3 The Bidder shall also furnish a list giving full particulars, including quantities, available sources and current prices of spare parts, special tools, etc., necessary for the proper and continuing functioning of the Goods during the period if specified in the BDS following commencement of the use of the goods by the Purchaser.

# 18. Documents Establishing the Qualifications of the Bidder

- 18.1 The documentary evidence of the Bidder's qualifications to perform the contract if its bid is accepted shall establish to the Purchaser's satisfaction:
  - (a) A Bidder that does not manufacture or produce the Goods it offers to supply shall submit the Manufacturer's Authorization using the form included in Section IV, Bidding Forms to demonstrate that it has been duly authorized by the manufacturer or producer of the Goods to supply these Goods;
  - (b) that, if required in the BDS, in case of a Bidder not doing business within Sri Lanka, the Bidder is or will be (if awarded the contract) represented by an Agent in Sri Lanka equipped and able to carry out the Supplier's maintenance, repair and spare parts stocking obligations prescribed in the Conditions of Contract and/or Technical Specifications; and
  - (c) That the Bidder meets each of the qualification criterion specified in Section III, Evaluation and Qualification Criteria.

## 19. Period of Validity of Bids

- 19.1 Bids shall remain valid until the date specified in the BDS. A bid valid for a shorter date shall be rejected by the Purchaser as non responsive.
- 19.2 In exceptional circumstances, prior to the expiration of the bid validity date, the Purchaser may request bidders to extend the period of validity of their bids. The request and the responses shall be made in writing. If a Bid Security is requested in accordance with ITB Clause 20, it shall also be extended for a corresponding period. A Bidder may refuse the request without forfeiting its Bid Security. A Bidder granting the request shall not be required or permitted to modify its bid.

#### **20. Bid Security**

20.1 the Bidder shall furnish as part of its bid, a Bid Security or a Bid-Securing Declaration, as specified in the BDS.

- 20.2 The Bid Security shall be in the amount specified in the BDS and denominated in Sri Lanka Rupees, and shall:
  - (a) At the bidder's option, be in the form of either a bank draft, a letter of credit, or a bank guarantee from a banking institution;
  - (b) Be issued by an institution acceptable to Purchaser. The acceptable institutes are published in the Department of Public Finance, www.treasury.gov.lk.
  - (c) Be substantially in accordance with the form included in Section IV, Bidding Forms;
  - (d) Be payable promptly upon written demand by the Purchaser in case the conditions listed in ITB Clause 20.5 are invoked;
  - e) Be submitted in its original form; copies will not be accepted;
  - (f) Remain valid for the period specified in the BDS.
- 20.3 Any bid not accompanied by a substantially responsive Bid Security or Bid Securing Declaration in accordance with ITB Sub-Clause 20.1 and 20.2, may be rejected by the Purchaser as non-responsive.
- 20.4 The Bid Security of unsuccessful Bidders shall be returned as promptly as possible upon the successful Bidder's furnishing of the Performance Security pursuant to ITB Clause 43.
- 20.5 The Bid Security may be forfeited or the Bid Securing Declaration executed:
  - (a) If a Bidder withdraws its bid during the period of bid validity specified by the Bidder on the Bid Submission Form, except as provided in ITB Sub- Clause 19.2; or
  - (b) If a Bidder does not agreeing to correction of arithmetical errors in pursuant to ITB Sub-Clause 30.3
  - (c) If the successful Bidder fails to:
    - (i) sign the Contract in accordance with ITB Clause 42;
    - (ii) Furnish a Performance Security in accordance with ITB Clause 43.

## 21. Format and Signing of Bid

21.1 The Bidder shall prepare one original of the documents comprising the bid as described in ITB Clause 11 and clearly mark it as "ORIGINAL." In addition, the Bidder shall submit a copy of the bid and clearly mark it as "COPY." In the event of any discrepancy between the original and the copy, the original shall prevail.

- 21.2 The original and the Copy of the bid shall be typed or written in indelible ink and shall be signed by a person duly authorized to sign on behalf of the Bidder.
- 21.3 Any interlineations, erasures, or overwriting shall be valid only if they are signed or initialled by the person signing the Bid.

#### **Submission and Opening of Bids**

#### 22. Submission, Sealing and Marking of Bids

- 22.1 Bidders may always submit their bids by mail or by hand.
  - (a) Bidders submitting bids by mail or by hand, shall enclose the original and the copy of the Bid in separate sealed envelopes, duly marking the envelopes as "ORIGINAL" and "COPY." These envelopes containing the original and the copy shall then be enclosed in one single envelope.
- 22.2 The inner and outer envelopes shall:
  - (a) Bear the name and address of the Bidder:
  - (b) Be addressed to the Purchaser in accordance with ITB Sub-Clause 23.1;
  - (c) Bear the specific identification of this bidding process as indicated in the BDS; and
  - (d) Bear a warning not to open before the time and date for bid opening, in accordance with ITB Sub-Clause 261.

If all envelopes are not sealed and marked as required, the Purchaser will assume no responsibility for the misplacement or premature opening of the bid.

## 23. Deadline for Submission of Bids

- 23.1 Bids must be received by the Purchaser at the address and no later than the date and time specified in the BDS.
- 23.2 The Purchaser may, at its discretion, extend the deadline for the submission of bids by amending the Bidding Documents in accordance with ITB Clause 8, in which case all rights and obligations of the Purchaser and Bidders previously subject to the deadline shall thereafter be subject to the deadline as extended.

#### 24. Late Bids

24.1 the Purchaser shall not consider any bid that arrives after the deadline for submission of bids, in accordance with ITB Clause 23. Any bid received by the Purchaser after the deadline for submission of bids shall be declared late, rejected, and returned unopened to the Bidder.

## 25. Withdrawal, and Modification of

25.1 A Bidder may withdraw, or modify its Bid after it has been submitted by sending a written notice in accordance with ITB Clause 22, duly signed by an authorized representative, and shall

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include a copy of the authorization in accordance with ITB Sub-Clause 21.2, (except that no copies of the withdrawal notice are required). The corresponding substitution or modification of the bid must accompany the respective written notice. All notices must be:

- (a) Submitted in accordance with ITB Clauses 21 and 22 (except that withdrawal notices do not require copies), and in addition, the respective envelopes shall be clearly marked "WITHDRAWAL," or "MODIFICATION;" and
- (b) Received by the Purchaser prior to the deadline prescribed for submission of bids, in accordance with ITB Clause 23.
- 25.2 Bids requested to be withdrawn in accordance with ITB Sub-Clause 25.1 shall be returned to the Bidders only upon notification of contract award to the successful bidder in accordance with sub clause 41.1.
- 25.3 No bid may be withdrawn, substituted, or modified in the interval between the deadline for submission of bids and the expiration of the period of bid validity specified by the Bidder on the Bid Submission Form or any extension thereof.

### **26. Bid Opening** 26.1 The Purchaser shall conduct the bid opening in public at the address, date and time specified in the BDS.

- 26.2 First, envelopes marked "WITHDRAWAL" shall be opened and read out and the envelope with the corresponding bid may be opened at the discretion of the Purchaser. No bid withdrawal shall be permitted unless the corresponding withdrawal notice contains a valid authorization to request the withdrawal and is read out at bid opening. Envelopes marked "MODIFICATION" shall be opened and read out with the corresponding Bid. No Bid modification shall be permitted unless the corresponding modification notice contains a valid authorization to request the modification and is read out at Bid opening. Only envelopes that are opened and read out at Bid opening shall be considered further.
- All other envelopes shall be opened one at a time, reading out: the name of the Bidder and whether there is a modification; the Bid Prices, including any discounts and alternative offers; the presence of a Bid Security or Bid- Securing Declaration, if required; and any other details as the Purchaser may consider appropriate. Only discounts and alternative offers read out at Bid opening shall be considered for evaluation. No Bid shall be rejected at Bid opening except for late bids, in accordance with ITB Sub Section I Instructions to Bidders13Clause 24.1.
- 26.4 The Purchaser shall prepare a record of the Bid opening that shall include, as a minimum: the name of the Bidder and whether there is a withdrawal, or modification; the Bid Price, per lot if applicable, including any discounts, and the presence or absence of a Bid Security or Bid-Securing Declaration. The bids that were

opened shall be resealed in separate envelopes, promptly after the bid opening. The Bidders' representatives who are present shall be requested to sign the attendance sheet. A copy of the record shall be distributed to all Bidders who submitted bids in time.

#### **Evaluation and Comparison of Bids**

#### 27. Confidentiality

- 27.1 Information relating to the examination, evaluation, comparison, and post-qualification (if applicable) of bids, and recommendation of contract award, shall not be disclosed to bidders or any other persons not officially concerned with such process until publication of the Contract Award.
- 27.2 Any effort by a Bidder to influence the Purchaser in the examination, evaluation, comparison, and post-qualification of the bids or contract award decisions may result in the rejection of its Bid.
- 27.3 Notwithstanding ITB Sub-Clause 27.2, if any Bidder wishes to contact the Purchaser on any matter related to the bidding process, from the time of bid opening to the time of Contract Award, it should do so in writing.

### 28. Clarification of Bids

28.1 to assist in the examination, evaluation, comparison and post-qualification of the bids, the Purchaser may, at its discretion, request any Bidder for a clarification of its Bid. Any clarification submitted by a Bidder in respect to its Bid and that is not in response to a request by the Purchaser shall not be considered for purpose of evaluation. The Purchaser's request for clarification and the response shall be in writing. No change in the prices or substance of the Bid shall be sought, offered, or permitted, except to confirm the correction of arithmetic errors discovered by the Purchaser in the Evaluation of the bids, in accordance with ITB Clause 30.

## 29. Responsiveness of Bids

- 29.1 The Purchaser's determination of a bid's responsiveness is to be based on the contents of the bid itself.
- 29.2 A substantially responsive Bid is one that conforms to all the terms, conditions, and specifications of the Bidding Documents without material deviation, reservation, or omission. A material deviation, reservation, or omission is one that:
  - (a) Affects in any substantial way the scope, quality, or performance of the Goods and Related Services specified in the Contract; or
  - (b) Limits in any substantial way, inconsistent with the Bidding Documents, the Purchaser's rights or the Bidder's obligations under the Contract; or(c) if rectified would unfairly affect the competitive position of other bidders presenting substantially responsive bids.

29.3 If a bid is not substantially responsive to the Bidding Documents, it shall be rejected by the Purchaser and may not subsequently be made responsive by the Bidder by correction of the material deviation, reservation, or omission.

#### 30. Non-conformities, Errors, and Omission

- 30.1 provided that a Bid is substantially responsive, the Purchaser may waive any non-conformities or omissions in the Bid that do not constitute a material deviation.
- 30.2 Provided that a bid is substantially responsive, the Purchaser may request that the Bidder submit the necessary information or documentation, within a reasonable period of time, to rectify nonmaterial nonconformities or omissions in the bid related to documentation requirements. Such omission shall not be related to any aspect of the price of the Bid. Failure of the Bidder to comply with the request may result in the rejection of its Bid.
- 30.3 Provided that the Bid is substantially responsive, the Purchaser shall correct arithmetical errors on the following basis:
  - (a) if there is a discrepancy between the unit price and the line item total that is obtained by multiplying the unit price by the quantity, the unit price shall prevail and the line item total shall be corrected, unless in the opinion of the Purchaser there is an obvious misplacement of the decimal point in the unit price, in which case the line item total as quoted shall govern and the unit price shall be corrected;
  - (b) If there is an error in a total corresponding to the addition or subtraction of subtotals, the subtotals shall prevail and the total shall be corrected; and
  - (c) If there is a discrepancy between words and figures, the amount in words shall prevail, unless the amount expressed in words is related to an arithmetic error, in which case the amount in figures shall prevail subject to (a) and (b) above.
- 30.4 If the Bidder that submitted the lowest evaluated Bid does not accept the correction of errors, its Bid shall be disqualified and its Bid Security shall be forfeited or its Bid- Securing Declaration shall be executed.

#### 31. Preliminary Examination of Bids

- 31.1 The Purchaser shall examine the bids to confirm that all documents and technical documentation requested in ITB Clause 11 have been provided, and to determine the completeness of each document submitted. 31.2 The Purchaser shall confirm that the following documents and information have been provided in the Bid. If any of these documents or information is missing, the Bid shall be rejected.
  - (a) Bid Submission Form, in accordance with ITB Sub-Clause 12.1;
  - (b) Price Schedules, in accordance with ITB Sub-Clause 12;

### (c) Bid Security or Bid Securing Declaration, in accordance with ITB Clause 20.

#### 32. Examination of Terms and Conditions; Technical Evaluation

32.1 The Purchaser shall examine the Bid to confirm that all terms and conditions specified in the CC and the Contract Data have been accepted by the Bidder without any material deviation or reservation.

- 32.2 The Purchaser shall evaluate the technical aspects of the Bid submitted in accordance with ITB Clause 17, to confirm that all requirements specified in Section V, Schedule of Requirements of the Bidding Documents have been met without any material deviation or reservation.
- 32.3 If, after the examination of the terms and conditions and the technical evaluation, the Purchaser determines that the Bid is not substantially responsive in accordance with ITB Clause 29, the Purchaser shall reject the Bid.

## 33. Conversion to Single Currency

33.1 If the bidders are allowed to quote in foreign currencies in accordance with sub clause 15.1, for evaluation and comparison purposes, the Purchaser shall convert all bid prices expressed in foreign currencies in to Sri Lankan Rupees using the selling rates prevailed 28 days prior to closing of bids as published by the Central Bank of Sri Lanka. If this date falls on a public holiday the earliest working day prior to the date shall be applicable.

## 34. Domestic Preference

34.1 Domestic preference shall be a factor in bid evaluation only if stated in the BDS. If domestic preference shall be a bid evaluation factor, the methodology for calculating the margin of preference and the criteria for its application shall be as specified in Section III, Evaluation and Qualification Criteria.

## 35. Evaluation of Bids

- 35.1 The Purchaser shall evaluate each bid that has been determined, up to this stage of the evaluation, to be substantially responsive.
- 35.2 To evaluate a Bid, the Purchaser shall only use all the factors, methodologies and criteria defined in this ITB Clause 35.
- 35.3 To evaluate a Bid, the Purchaser shall consider the following:
  - (a) The Bid Price as quoted in accordance with clause 14;
  - (b) Price adjustment for correction of arithmetic errors in accordance with ITB Sub-Clause 30.3;
  - (c) Price adjustment due to discounts offered in accordance with ITB Sub-Clause 14.2; and 14.3
  - (d) Adjustments due to the application of the evaluation criteria specified in the BDS from amongst those set out in Section III, Evaluation and Qualification Criteria;
  - (e) Adjustments due to the application of a domestic preference, in accordance with ITB Clause 34 if applicable.
- 35.4 The Purchaser's evaluation of a bid may require the consideration of other factors, in addition to the factors stated in ITB Sub-Clause 35.3, if specified in BDS. These factors may be related to

the characteristics, performance, and terms and conditions of purchase of the Goods and Related Services. The effect of the factors selected, if any, shall be expressed in monetary terms to facilitate comparison of bids.

- 35.5 If so specified in the BDS, these Bidding Documents shall allow Bidders to quote for one or more lots, and shall allow the Purchaser to award one or multiple lots to more than one Bidder. The methodology of evaluation to determine the lowest-evaluated lot combinations, is specified in Section III, Evaluation and Qualification Criteria.
- **36.** Comparison of Bids
- 36.1 The Purchaser shall compare all substantially responsive bids to determine the lowest-evaluated bid, in accordance with ITB Clause 35.
- 37. Post qualification of the Bidder
- 37.1 The Purchaser shall determine to its satisfaction whether the Bidder that is selected as having submitted the lowest evaluated and substantially responsive bid is qualified to perform the Contract satisfactorily.
- 37.2 The determination shall be based upon an examination of the documentary evidence of the Bidder's qualifications submitted by the Bidder, pursuant to ITB Clause 18.
- 37.3 An affirmative determination shall be a prerequisite for award of the Contract to the Bidder. A negative determination shall result in disqualification of the bid, in which event the Purchaser shall proceed to the next lowest evaluated bid to make a similar determination of that Bidder to perform satisfactorily.
- 38. Purchaser's
  Right to Accept
  Any Bid, and to
  Reject Any or
  All Bids
- 38.1 The Purchaser reserves the right to accept or reject any bid, and to annul the bidding process and reject all bids at any time prior to contract award, without thereby incurring any liability to Bidders

#### **Award of Contract**

- 39. Award Criteria
- 39.1 the Purchaser shall award the Contract to the Bidder whose offer has been determined to be the lowest evaluated bid and is substantially responsive to the Bidding Documents, provided further that the Bidder is determined to be qualified to perform the Contract satisfactorily.
- 40. Purchaser's
  Right to vary
  Quantities at
  Time of Award
- 40.1 At the time the Contract is awarded, the Purchaser reserves the right to increase or decrease the quantity of Goods and Related Services originally specified in Section V, Schedule of Requirements, provided this does not exceed twenty five percent (25%) or one unit whichever is higher and without any change in the unit prices or other terms and conditions of the bid and the Bidding Documents.

- **41**. **Appeal Procedure** 41.1. The purchaser having informed all unsuccessful bidders the intention to award the contract to the successful bidder, as per the recommendation of the relevant authority, shall inform them in writing to make their representation against the decision.
  - The purchaser's formal notification of contract award begins the 41.2 Stand Still period. The stand still period shall last 10 working days after the origination of such transmission date, unless otherwise extended due to appeal process. The contract shall not be awarded either before or during the standstill period.

#### 41. Notification of Award

- 42.1 Prior to the expiration of the period of bid validity, the purchaser shall notify the successful Bidder, in writing, that its Bid has been accepted.
- 42.2 Until a formal Contract is prepared and executed, the notification of award shall constitute a binding Contract.
- 42.3 Upon the successful Bidder's furnishing of the signed Contract Form and performance security pursuant to ITB Clause 43, the Purchaser will promptly notify each unsuccessful Bidder and will discharge its bid security, pursuant to ITB Clause 20.4.

#### 42. Signing of **Contract**

- 43.1 Within Seven (7) days after notification, the Purchaser shall complete the Agreement, and inform the successful Bidder to sign
- 43.2 Within Seven (7) days of receipt of such information, the successful Bidder shall sign the Agreement.

#### 43. Performance Security

- 44.1 Within fourteen (14) days of the receipt of notification of award from the Purchaser, the successful Bidder, if required, shall furnish the Performance Security in accordance with the CC, using for that purpose the Performance Security Form included in Section VIII Contract forms. The Employer shall promptly notify the name of the winning Bidder to each unsuccessful Bidder and discharge the Bid Securities of the unsuccessful bidders pursuant to ITB Sub-Clause 20.4.
- 44.2 Failure of the successful Bidder to submit the abovementioned Performance Security or sign the Contract shall constitute sufficient grounds for the annulment of the award and forfeiture of the Bid Security or execution of the Bid Securing Declaration. In that event the Purchaser may award the Contract to the next lowest evaluated Bidder, whose offer is substantially responsive and is determined by the Purchaser to be qualified to perform the Contract satisfactorily.

#### 44. Correction to BID **Documents**

45.1 Erroneous figures must be struck off by a single line and the correct figure must be written clearly and initialled. All alterations and erasures must be authenticated; otherwise, the bids are liable to be treated as invalid and rejected. Ink should not be used for corrections.

# SECTION II BIDDING DATA SHEETS (BDS)

#### **Section II**

#### **Bid Data Sheet**

The following specific data for the goods to be procured shall complement, supplement, or amend the provisions in the Instructions to Bidders (ITB). Whenever there is a dispute, the provisions herein shall prevail over those in ITB.

## Section II. Bidding Data Sheet (BDS)

The following specific data for the goods to be procured shall complement, supplement, or amend the provisions in the Instructions to Bidders (ITB). Whenever there is a conflict, the provisions herein shall prevail over those in ITB.

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ITB Clause	A. General
Reference	
ITB 1.1	The Purchaser is: The Chief Secretariat Project Procurement Committee of the Southern Province.
ITB 1.1	The name and identification number of the Contract are: Establishment of Modern
	Computer Labs and Smart Boards with Customized Curriculum Software in 200
	Schools in Galle District.
	Contract Number: SPC/PROC/ GOODS/2022/NCB/01
ITB 2.1	The source of funding is: Funds are provided by Government of the Republic India.

ITB 4.1	
,	Qualification requirements to qualify for contract award are:
	<ul> <li>a) The bidder shall possess the legal right and shall not have been blacklisted.</li> </ul>
	b) Bids should be submitted either by a manufacturer or by supplier, bidders should have an established service provider in Sri Lanka.
	c) Being a registered limited liability company in Sri Lanka or India.
	d) Minimum Average Annual Turnover in respect of sales during last Five
	years between 01.04.2018 to 31.03.2023 is LKR 300 Million. (For
	Indian suppliers are 65 Million amount of Indian rupees) Bidder should
	provide audited finance statement and documentary evidence for the
	above five years to prove the financial capability.
	e) Bidder should have minimum 3 years' experience of selling &
	servicing of goods specified in the Schedule of Requirement (SOR).
	f) Bidder should have experience in implementing at least one almost
	similar nature project within last five years, with a total value of at least
	LKR 100 Million ( for Indian Suppliers, should have experience in
	implementing at least one almost similar nature project with in last five
	years, with a total value of INR 23 Million).
	g) The Bidder should have a capacity for providing an uninterrupted
	technical service and Backup solutions for the entire warranty period to the respective schools as per the delivery schedule, within 48 hours.
	(Bidder should provide an undertaking in this regard)
	h) The Bidder should have the manufacture authorization for supplying of
	goods specified in the schedule of requirements (SOR)
ITB 4.4	
	Indian bidders are eligible for submission of bids.  B. Contents of Bidding Documents
TOD # 1	
ITB 7.1	For Clarification of biding document and further information purposes only, the Purchaser's address is:
	Attention : Chief Secretary
	Address : Chief Secretariat, S.H. Dahanayaka Mawatha, Galle.
	Pre bid meeting :
	Date : 1st . September.2023
	Time : <b>14.30 hrs.</b> Venue : Auditorium, Chief Secretariat, S.H. Dahanayaka Mawatha, Galle.
	Telephone : 091-4944002,091-2226409
	Fax number : 091-2246299,091-2226409
	Email address : chiefsec1@sltnet.lk
	C. Preparation of Bids
ITB 10.1	The Bid, as well as all correspondence and documents relating to the bid (including
	supporting documents and printed literature) exchanged by the Bidder and the Purchaser, shall be written in English language.
<u> </u>	

#### ITB 11.1 The Bid shall be Comprising the following Documents a. Power of Attorney for the signatory to the bid whenever necessary. b. Duly singed Form of Bid, Form of Price Schedules, Form of Technical specifications. c. Documents in poof of previous experience in implementing almost similar nature projects. d. Copy of the Company registration certificate. e. Annual Audited Financial Statements for last Five years. (01.04.2018 to 31.03.2023) together with the company profile. f. Valid Bid security together with the bid as specified in the ITB 20.1 of the bid data sheet. g. Copy of VAT registration certificate for Sri Lankan bidders. h. Manufacturer's Authorization Certificate. i. A letter issued by the Manufacturer to prove the states of supplier for supplying of spare parts and after sales services in Sri Lanka for the goods offered. If an Indian bidder, bidder has to provide an undertaking for supplying of spare parts and aftersales service in Sri Lanka for the goods offered. j. The bidders are required to provide the specifications of the offered goods in a similar sheet, which was given in the technical specifications. Technical Brochures and Catalogues to support the offered technical specifications should be provided in respect of all products gouted. ITB 14.3 Establishment of Modern Computer Labs and Smart Boards with Customized Curriculum Software in 200 Schools in Galle District. Total Package No Description Quantity 65-inch 4k Smart board (LEDLIGHTING) 01 without OPS and with Moving stand +UPS 200 Tablet Computer Screen Size (8 inches or 02 2200 higher) 10-Port USB Charging Station 03 200 04 WI-FI access point for 30 USER 200 Bidders are allowed to bid for any selected package/s or all packages mentioned above. Bids shall be evaluated on package basis and partial bids of a packages are not entertained and rejected. **ITB 14.4** VAT component shall not be included in the rates. The amount written in the form of bid shall be without VAT. However, VAT component shall be shown separately. ITB 15.1 The bidder is allowed to quote for smart boards, Tablet Computers, Charging Stations and Access Points in USD or LKR.

		All other cost such as Duties, local charges, Inland transportation and other related services to be quoted in LKR.								
ITB 18.1 (b)		After sales service is: "Required" (Details are given in the schedule of requirement Section $V-NO(3)$								
ITB 19.1	Bid	validity	period: The Bid shall be valid unti	il 09 <sup>th</sup> Dece	ember 2023					
ITB 20.1	Cas Lan Pro reje secu Ban How seps	The bid shall be accompanied by a Bid Security (On demand guarantee) in the form of Cash deposit or Bank Guarantee from recognized commercial bank registered in Sri Lanka/India issued in favour of <i>The Chief Secretary, Chief Secretariat, Southern Province</i> . Any bid not accompanied by a substantially responsive bid security, shall be rejected by the purchaser as non- responsive. If the bidder is foreign bidder, bid security issued by the foreign bank to be confirmed by the Local Commercial Bank operating in Sri Lanka.  However, if the bidder quote for any selected packages, bid securities to be submitted separately for the respective value of the bid security. If the bidder quote for all packages, can submit one bid security for the total contract.								
ITB 20.2 *****			oid security is Three Million (3 Mix Hundred and Forty Six (9646) in		(for an Indian	bidders Nine				
		Packa ge No	Item Description	Quantity	Required bid security if in LKR	Required Bid Security if in USD				
		01	65-inch 4k Smart board (LEDLIGHTING) without OPS and with Moving stand +UPS	200	1,200,000.00	3860				
		02	Tablet Computer Screen Size (8 inches or higher)	2200	1,600,000.00	5144				
		03	10-Port USB Charging Station	200	100,000.00	321				
		04	WI-FI access point for 30 USER	200	100,000.00	321				
		idity of th	the bid security 120 days from the date 4).	of opening	of the bid (Valid	Up to 8 <sup>th</sup>				
	•	D.	Submission and Openi	ing of B	ids					
ITB 22.1	doc kep the' the Doc	Bidders should submit the duly sealed bids together with the contents of bidding documents under the volume I & II by registered post or deposited in the Tender Box kept for this purpose as per the address given in ITB 23.1The bidders should enclose the" Original "and the "Copy" of the Bid on the prescribe bidding forms given under the Section IV of Bidding Documents, together with the contents of the Bidding Documents under Volume I and II of Bidding Documents in separate sealed envelopes, duly marking the envelopes as "ORIGINAL" and "COPY".								
ITB 22.2 I		_	es containing the original and the ond the words "Establishment of			_				

	Boards with Customized Curriculum Software in 200 Schools in Galle District /Bid No.SPC/PROC/ GOODS/2022/NCB/01 "Shall be written on the top left hand corner of the sealed cover of the envelope containing the bids.
ITB 22.3	If all envelopes are not sealed and marketed as required, the purchaser will assume no responsibility for the misplacement or premature opening of the bid.
ITB 23.1	For bid submission purposes, the Purchaser's address is:
	Attention: Chairman, Chief Secretariat Project Procurement Committee
	Address: Supply Division, Chief Secretariat, S.H.Dahanayaka Mawatha, Galle
	The deadline for the submission of bids is:
	Date: 12 <sup>th</sup> September 2023 Time: 2.00 p.m.
ITB 24.1	The purchaser shall not consider any bid that arrives after the deadline for submission of bids, in accordance with ITB clause 23. Any bid received by the purchaser after the deadline for submission for bids shall be declared late, rejected, and returned unopened to the bidder.
ITB 26.1	The purchaser shall conduct the bid opening in public at:
	Address: Chief Secretary's Room, Chief Secretariat, S.H.Dahanayaka Mawatha, Galle.
	Date: 12 <sup>th</sup> September 2023 Immediately after closing of bid.
	Time: 2.00 p.m.
	E. Evaluation and Comparison of Bids
ITB 33	If the bidder quote in foreign currency, The Purchaser shall convert all bid prices expressed in foreign currencies in to Sri Lankan Rupees using the selling rates prevailed 28 days prior to closing of bids as published by the Central Bank of Sri Lanka. If this date falls on a public holiday the earliest working day prior to the date shall be applicable
ITB 34.1	Domestic preference "shall not be" a bid evaluation factor.
ITB 35.4 ******	Accepted bids shall be evaluated by the Technical Evaluation Committee appointed for this purpose.
	The following factors and methodology will be used for evaluation
	The Purchaser will evaluate and compare the bids determined to be substantially responsive i.e. which:  (a) Bid Submission Form dully signed (b) Price schedule (c) Bid Security (d) Manufacturers Authorization certificate. (e) Past performances, financial capacity & experience in the field (f) Compliance with the specifications without any material deviation. (g) Are properly filled and signed; and (h) Compliance to the terms and conditions (i) Delivery period Bidder should supply the order within 150 days from the date of notification of contract award. /placing of Purchase Order. (j) Warranty period – Comprehensive Warranty shall cover the whole system for 3 Years (All charges, material, labour and other incidentals have to be borne by

	the supplier during the warranty)  (k) After sales service & Post Warranty and Maintenance cost during the defect liability period.  (l) Completeness of the bid  (m) Compliance to the eligibility criteria  The award will be based on the lowest evaluated bidder whose bid has been determined to be substantially responsive and offered the bid in compliance with the given specification.
ITB 35.5	Bidders are allowed to bid for any selected package/s or all packages mentioned above. Bids shall be evaluated on package basis and partial bids of a packages are not entertained and rejected.
ITB 38.1	The Chief Secretariat Project Procurement Committee of Southern Province reserves the right to accept or reject any or all Bids without giving any reason. Any such action shall be at its, sole discretion, which shall be final and conclusive of the <b>Chief Secretariat Project Procurement Committee</b> of <b>Southern Province</b> without thereby incurring any liability to bidder.
	F. Award of Contract
ITB 39.1	The purchaser shall award the Contract to the bidder whose offer has been determined to be the lowest evaluated bid and is substantially responsive to the bidding documents provided further that the bidder is determined to be qualified to perform the Contract satisfactorily.
	G. Appeal Procedure.
ITB41.	An unsuccessful bidder who is aggrieved by the recommendation of the chief Secretariat project procurement committee may appeal in writing, to the Procurement Appeal Board against such recommendation within the 10 days of stand still period.
	Each appeal shall accompany a cash deposit value LKR 50000.00.
	In case the appeal is upheld, the deposited sum will be returned to the depositor within one month of the decision of the Appeal Board.
	If appeal is rejected, the deposited sum will not be returned.
	Appeal shall be send to the Chairman, Procurement Appeal Board, Governor's Secretariat, upper Dickson Road, Galle.
	All deposits shall be made at Governor's Secretariat, upper Dickson Road, Galle and receipt obtained. However, deposits will not be accepted without a written representation against the recommendation of the intended contract award. The appeal will be considered only upon proof of such deposits.

# SECTION III EVALUATION AND QUALIFICATION CRITERIA

#### **Section III.**

#### **Evaluation and Qualification Criteria**

This Section complements the Instructions to Bidders. It contains the criteria that the Purchaser use to evaluate a bid and determine whether a Bidder has the required qualifications. No other criteria shall be used.

[The Purchaser shall select the criteria deemed appropriate for the procurement process, insert the appropriate wording using the samples below or other acceptable wording, and delete the text in italics]

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5. Post qualification Requirements (ITB 37.2)

#### **Evaluation Criteria (ITB 35.3 (d))**

The Purchaser's evaluation of a bid may take into account, in addition to the Bid Price quoted in accordance with ITB Clause 14, one or more of the following factors as specified in ITB Sub-Clause 35.3(d) and in BDS referring to ITB 35.3(d), using the following criteria and methodologies.

#### (a) Delivery schedule

The Goods specified in the List of Goods are required to be delivered within the acceptable time range (after the earliest and before the final date, both dates inclusive) specified in Section VI. Delivery schedule. No credit will be given to deliveries before the earliest date, and bids offering delivery after the final date shall be treated as non-responsive.

- (b) Payment schedule.
  - i. Bidders shall state their bid price for the payment schedule outlined in the Contract Data. Bids shall be evaluated on the basis of this base price.
- (c) Cost of major replacement components, mandatory spare parts, and service.
  - The list of items and quantities of major assemblies, components, and selected spare parts required during the defects liability period of operation as specified in the ITB Sub-Clause 17.3 will be considered for the evaluation.
- (d) Specific additional criteria

Other specific additional criteria will be considered in the evaluation, and the evaluation method shall be detailed in ITB Sub-Clause 35.4

#### 2. Evaluation Criteria (ITB 35.4)

Bids will be evaluated in terms of methodology as described in the bid data sheet ITB 35.4

#### 3. Multiple Contracts (ITB 35.5)

Bidders are allowed to bid for any selected package/s or all packages mentioned above. Bids shall be evaluated on package basis and partial bids of a packages are not entertained and rejected.

The methodology of evaluation to determine the lowest-evaluated lot combinations, is specified in Section III, Evaluation and Qualification Criteria.

#### 4. Post qualification Requirements (ITB 37.2)

After determining the lowest-evaluated bid in accordance with ITB Sub-Clause 36.1, the Purchaser shall carry out the post qualification of the Bidder in accordance with ITB Clause 37, using only the requirements specified. Requirements not included in the text below shall not be used in the evaluation of the Bidder's qualifications.

#### (a) Financial Capability

The Bidder shall furnish documentary evidence that it meets the following financial requirement(s):

- Audited Financial Statements for the financial years from 01.04.2018 to 31.03.2023
- Documentary evidence to prove working capital for sum of LKR 50 Million. However if the bidder is Indian supplier, the working capital should be 11.1 Million amount of Indian Rupees .(also credit facilities approved by recognize bank will be considered)

#### (b) Experience and Technical Capacity

The Bidder shall furnish documentary evidence to demonstrate that it meets the following experience requirement(s):

- List of technical staff available in the Company

#### 5. Domestic Preference (ITB 34.1)

Domestic preferences will not be considered for the evaluation.

### **SECTION IV**

#### **BIDDING FORMS**

- 1. BID SUBMISSION FORMS
- 2. PRICE SCHEDULE (GOODS & RELATED SERVICES)
- 3. BID SECURITY (GURANTEE)
- 4. MANUFACTURE'S AUTHORIZATION

#### 1. Bid Submission Form

[The Bidder shall fill in this Form in accordance with the instructions indicated No alterations to its format shall be permitted and no substitutions shall be accepted.]

Date: [insert date (as day, month and year) of Bid submission]
No. [insert number of bidding process)

To: Chairman, Chief Secretariat Project Procurement Committee, Southern Province

We, the undersigned, declare that:

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- We have examined and have no reservations to the Bidding Documents, including Addenda No.: [insert the number and issuing date of each Addenda];
- (b) We offer to supply in conformity with the Bidding Documents and in accordance with the Delivery Schedules specified in the Schedule of Requirements the following Goods and Related Services:

Establishment of Modern Computer Labs and Smart Boards with Customized Curriculum Software in 200 Schools in Galle District

The total price of our Bid without VAT, including any discounts offered is:

Component	Values in figure (LKR)	Values in Words (LKR)
Supply of Goods (As stated in the 2.1 Price schedule)		
Cost of Installation and Commissioning (As stated in the 2.2 Price schedule)		
Total		

- Our bid shall be valid for the period of time specified in ITB Sub-Clause 18.1, from the date fixed for the bid submission deadline in accordance with ITB Sub-Clause 23.1, and it shall remain binding upon us and may be accepted at any time before the expiration of that period;
- (d) If our bid is accepted, we commit to obtain a performance security in accordance with ITB Clause 43 and CC Clause 17 for the due performance of the Contract;
- We have no conflict of interest in accordance with ITB Sub-Clause 4.3;
- Our firm, its affiliates or subsidiaries—including any subcontractors or suppliers for any part of the contract—has not been declared blacklisted by the Department of Public Finance;

We understand that this bid, together with your written acceptance thereof included in your notification of award, shall constitute a binding contract between us, until a formal contract is prepared and executed.

(l) We understand that you are not bound to accept the lowest evaluated bid or any other bid that you may receive.

Signed: [insert signature of person whose name and capacity are shown]
In the capacity of [insert legal capacity of person signing the Bid Submission Form]

- 1	<i>U</i> 1	on signing the Bid Subm d on behalf of: [insert c	nission Form] omplete name of Bidder]
Dated on	day of	,	[insert date of signing]

#### 2.Price Schedule

[The Bidder shall fill in these Price Schedule in accordance with the instructions indicated. The list of line items in column 1 of the **Price Schedules** shall coincide with the List of Goods and Related Services specified by the Purchaser in the Schedule of Requirements.]

## 2.1 PRICE SCHEDULE – GOODS INCLUDING INSTALLATION AND COMMISSIONING CHARGES 2.1. A – If the bidder submits the bid in LKR,

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Package No.	Description of Goods or related services	Qty and unit	Unit Price (inclusive of duties, Inland transportation, insurance and other related services to deliver to the final destination (Excluding VAT)	Total Price Excluding VAT (Col 3 X 4)	VAT	Discount if any,	Total Price Including VAT (Col. 5+ 6-7)
		Nos					
01	65-inch 4k Smart board (LEDLIGHTING) without OPS and with Moving stand +UPS						
02	Tablet Computer Screen Size (8 inches or higher)	2200					
03	10-Port USB Charging Station	200					
04	WI-FI access point for 30 USER	200					
	Total						

Name of the Bidder: Signature of Bidder Company Seal: :

#### 2.1. B - If the bidder submits the bid in foreign currency.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Package No.	Description of Goods or related services	Qty. and unit.		price pecify the ncy)	(Please s <sub>j</sub> Curr	line item pecify the ency) Col. 3x5)	Cost per line item in LKR	(inclusive of duties, Inland transportation, insurance and other related services to deliver to the final destination Sri	VAT	Total Price of the Line Item in LKR including Vat
		Nos.	Currency	Amount	Currency	Amount	Official Exchange Rate)	Lankan Rupees (LKR) Excluding VAT		(Col.8+9+10)
01	65-inch 4k Smart board (LEDLIGHTING) without OPS and with Moving stand +UPS	200								
02	Tablet Computer Screen Size (8 inches or higher)	2200								
03	10-Port USB Charging Station	200								
04	WI-FI access point for 30 USER	200								
	Total									

Note: If the bidder submits the bid in Foreign Currency (Col.05), bidder shall submit the classification of unit price using separate sheet including CIF value, Duties, inland transportation and other expenditure separately.

Name of the Bidder: Signature of Bidder Company Seal: :

#### **2.2.** Price Schedule – Cost of Installation and Commissioning

Bidder is required to indicate relevant cost of installations and commissioning. The prices have to be recorded in the schedule given below.

Package No	Description of goods	Quantity	Amount in figure (LKR)	Amount in words (LKR)
	65-inch 4k Smart board (LEDLIGHTING) without OPS and with Moving stand +UPS			
1 ( Y )	Tablet Computer Screen Size (8 inches or higher)	2200		
03	10-Port USB Charging Station	200		
11/1	Specification of WI-FI access point for 30 USER	200		
	Total price			

#### 3. Bid Guarantee

the purchaser is required to fill the information marked as "\*" and delete this note prior to [Note: selling of the bidding document] [this Bank Guarantee form shall be filled in accordance with the instructions indicated in brackets] ----- [insert issuing agency's name, and address of issuing branch or office] \*Beneficiary: Chief Secretary, Southern Provincial Council Date: ----- [insert (by issuing agency) date] **BID GUARANTEE No.:** ----- [insert (by issuing agency) number] We have been informed that ----- [insert (by issuing agency) name of the Bidder; if a joint venture, list complete legal names of partners! (hereinafter called "the Bidder") has submitted to you its bid dated ----- [insert (by issuing agency) date] (hereinafter called "the Bid") for the supply of [insert name of Supplier] under Invitation for Bids No. ----- [insert IFB number] ("the IFB"). Furthermore, we understand that, according to your conditions, Bids must be supported by a Bid Guarantee. At the request of the Bidder, we ----- [insert name of issuing agency] hereby irrevocably undertake to pay you any sum or sums not exceeding in total an amount of ----- [insert amount in figures] ----- [insert amount in words]) upon receipt by us of your first demand in writing accompanied by a written statement stating that the Bidder is in breach of its obligation(s) under the bid conditions, because the Bidder: (a) Has withdrawn its Bid during the period of bid validity specified; or (b) Does not accept the correction of errors in accordance with the Instructions to Bidders (hereinafter "the ITB"); or I having been notified of the acceptance of its Bid by the Purchaser during the period of bid validity, (i) fails or refuses to execute the Contract Form, if required, or (ii) fails or refuses to furnish the Performance Security, in accordance with the ITB. This Guarantee shall expire: (a) if the Bidder is the successful bidder, upon our receipt of copies of the Contract signed by the Bidder and of the Performance Security issued to you by the Bidder; or (b) if the Bidder is not the successful bidder, upon the earlier of (i) our receipt of a copy of your notification to the Bidder that the Bidder was unsuccessful, otherwise it will remain in force up to ------ (insert date) Consequently, any demand for payment under this Guarantee must be received by us at the office on

[Signature of authorized representative(s)]

or before that date.\_\_\_\_

#### 4. Manufacturer's Authorization

[The Bidder shall require the Manufacturer to fill in this Form in accordance with the instructions indicated. This letter of authorization should be on the letterhead of the Manufacturer and should be signed by a person with the proper authority to sign documents that are binding on the Manufacturer. The Bidder shall include it in its bid, if so indicated in the BDS.]

Date: [insert date (as day, month and year) of Bid Submission]
No.: [insert number of bidding process]

To: [insert complete name of Purchaser]

#### **WHEREAS**

We [insert complete name of Manufacturer], who are official manufacturers of [insert type of goods manufactured], having factories at [insert full address of Manufacturer's factories], do hereby authorize [insert complete name of Bidder] to submit a bid the purpose of which is to provide the following Goods, manufactured by us [insert name and or brief description of the Goods], and to subsequently negotiate and sign the Contract.

We hereby extend our full guarantee and warranty in accordance with Clause 27 of the Conditions of Contract, with respect to the Goods offered by the above firm.

## **SECTION V**

# SCHEDULE OF REQUIREMENTS

- 1. LIST OF GOODS AND DELEVERY SCHEDULE
- 2. TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

### **Schedule of Requirements**

### 1. List of Goods and Delivery Schedule

(The Purchaser shall fill in this table, with the exception of the column "Bidder's offered Delivery date "to be filled by the Bidder)

Package Number	Description of goods	Quantity	Final Destination as Specified in BDS	Latest Delivery Date	Bidder Offered Delivery Date	Remarks
01	65-inch 4k Smart board (LEDLIGHTING) without OPS and with Moving stand +UPS	200	List of Schools and locations are attached Annexure 01	Within 150 days of signing the agreement		
02	Tablet Computer Screen Size (8 inches) OR , Higher.	2200	do	do		
03	10-Port USB Charging Station	200	do	do		
04	Specification of WI-FI access point for 30 USER	200	do	do		

# **1.1Technical Specification of LED Smart Interactive Panel**

In column 3, either say "Yes" or "No"; if "No" please state the specification of the offer. (Use the following exact format when submitting compliance)

No	Description	Minimum requirement		Bidders offer (Yes/No	Remarks (Please Specify if No)	
1	Brand	(Specify)				1,0)
2	Model	(Specify)				
3	Country of Origin & Country of Manufacture / Assembly	(Specify)				
4	Manufactured Year	2022 or Later				
5	LED Panel Size	65" or Higher	•			
	Light source	LED backligh	ıt			
6	Display Design			ard needs to be smooth ety Precautions)		
7	Aspect Ratio	16:9				
8	Screen Protection	Tempered Gla	ass Protec	ction		
9	Display Resolution	3840X2160 (4	4K) or H	igher		
10	Display Color	At least 10 Bi	ts of 1 B	illion Colors		
11	Brightness	350 cd/m <sup>2</sup> or I	Higher			
12	Contrast Ratio	4000:1 or Hig	her			
13	Viewing Angle	178 degree or	r Higher			
14	Touch Parameter	3 mm or Bette				
15	Touch Technology	Infrared				
16	Touch Surface	Anti-Glare Glass				
17	Touch Surface Material	Tempered Glass				
18	Touch Mode	20 Point infra	red Mult	i Touch		
19	Response Time	< 10 ms				
20	Connectivity	HDMI	1 × HD IN (HD	MI OUT (4K), 3 × HDMI MI2.0)		
		VGA	(Specify	y)	=	
		Audio In	1 × 3.5	mm stereo phone jack		
		Audio output	1 × Auc	dio out		
		LAN	$1 \times LA$	N (RJ45)		
		USB		B 2.0 (including 2 USB ports) 3 × USB 3.0		
		Bluetooth	Version	n 5.0 or, A2DP required		
		Built-in speaker	(Specify			
21	Power Consumption	< 400 W	I			
22	Power Supply	AC:100V-260	OV 50/60	Hz		
23	LED Panel (MTBF) Life(type)/(min)	MTBF 50,000	Oh or (Sp	pecify) or Higher		
24	Built in Android System CPU	Connections		Inputs: 2 x USB 3.0, 2 x USB2, 1 x USB-C, 1 x Mic 3.5mm(or Specify)		

			Outputs: 1 x HDMI, 1 x Audio 3.5mm(or Specify)	
24		Networking	Integrated 10/100/1000M(or Specify)	
25		WiFi Built-in, dual band	802.11 a/b/g/n/ac/ax (required)	
26		Operating System	Android 12.0 or Higher	
27		ROM	64 GB Or Higher	
28		RAM	4 GB Or Higher	
29		CPU Chipset	(Specify)	
30	Wireless Screen Mirroring	Wireless screen mirroring	Required	
31		PIN code connection	Supports both static and	
		mode	dynamic pin codes	
32		Self-Hotspot screen mirroring	Required	
33		Native AirPlay protocol for screen mirroring	Required	
34		Native Chromecast protocol for screen mirroring	Required	
35		Mirroring of panel display to client devices	Required	
36		Multi-Panels Synchronization	Required	
37	Built in Android Function	Android Version with	Google Play Store	
38	Whiteboard Software / Interactive Teaching Application	used on the smart inter should natively suppor	will be the main teaching tool ractive display. The software of collaboration with student ting up of a classroom.	
39	Functions	Source		
		Menu/Up/Down		
		Volume +/Volume -		
		Power		
40	Other Software	(Specify)		
41	Accessories		pc - 1pc m-1pc cion cover to be include to being damaged due to	
42	Audio	Front facing sound bui	lt in to the Device	
43	Mobile Stand	Should be provided represented frame with the minimum.	puted powder coated steel arm 04 wheels.	
44	Weight	(Specify)		
45	Standards & Certifications	Energy Star or any oth the Authorized body V	ner equal certificate issued by Valid ISO 9001:2000	

46	Installation	Should be done installation all instrument without any additional cost. (with required power wiring)	
47	Training	A short Training will need to be provided to the relevant officials, Teachers and the Technical team regarding operational matters, maintenance, trouble shooting and ect.	
48	Manufacture Experience	Manufacturer should have minimum of ten years' experience in manufacturing of the same brand.  (Proof document should be attached)	
49	Bidders Experience	The bidder should have successfully sold same similar product for last 3 years (Bidder should provide documentary evidence to support the above)	
50	Manufacturer Authorization Certificate	Manufacturer Authorization Certificate should be provided (Originals should be provided on request)	
51	Warranty	Comprehensive on-site manufacturer authorized warranty for 36 months (Labor & Parts) Excluding Consumes. Bidder or its parent company or its subsidiary should have Island wide owned branch network Documentary evidence to be provided of the following under bidders' name. (a) Address, Contact Details & Date of Commencement of each branch/regional office (Should have completed minimum of 5 years from the Date of Commencement of each branch/regional office)	
52	Warranty Information	A sticker with –Supplier Name –Contact Numbers Date of Commissioning of Hardware –Warranty Period on all Smart Interactive Panel	
53	Brochure	Supplier should provide brochure of make/model quoted as per above specification	

The Bidder shall fill the bidder's offer column, Bidder's failure to provide information requested in the bidder's offer column may be a reason for the rejection of the bid.

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### 1.2. Technical Specification of Smart Interactive Panel UPS

In column 3, either say "Yes" or "No"; if "No" please state the specification of the offer. (Use the following exact format when submitting compliance)

	Features	Required Minimum specification	Bidder's Compliance	
			Yes/ No	If "No", Bidder's
				Response
01	Brand	Specify		
02	Model	Specify		
03	Country of Origin	Specify		
04	Country of Manufacture / assembly	Specify		
05	Manufactured Year	2022 or Later		
06	UPS Technology	(Line Interactive/Offline)		
07	Power Factor	0.7 or Higher		
08	Transfer Time	<5ms		
09	Short Circuit Protection	Required		
10	Surge Protection	Required		
11	Overload Protection	Required		
12	Capacity	1.2KVA or Higher		
13	Input Voltage	145 – 290 VAC		
14	Input Frequency	50/60Hz with auto sensing		
15	Output Voltage	230 V AC ±10% or Better		
16	Battery Type	Sealed Type, Maintenance free lead acid battery		
17	Warranty	03 Years Comprehensive onsite		
18	Authorization	Manufacture authorization letter should be provided		

19	Manual & CD	Manual and drivers CD for UPS	
20	Manufacture Experience	Manufacturer should have minimum of ten years' experience in manufacturing of the same brand. (Proof document should be attached)	
21	Bidders Experience	The bidder should have successfully sold same similar product for last 3 years (Bidder should provide documentary evidence to support the above	
22	Manufacturer Authorization Certificate	Manufacturer Authorization Certificate should be provided (Originals should be provided on request)	
23	Warranty	Comprehensive on-site manufacturer authorized warranty for 36 months (Labor & Parts) Excluding Consumes. Bidder or its parent company or its subsidiary should have Island wide owned branch network Documentary evidence to be provided of the following under bidders' name. (a) Address, Contact Details & Date of Commencement of each branch/regional office (Should have completed minimum of 5 years from the Date of Commencement of each Branch/regional Office)	
24	Warranty Information	A sticker with –Suppler name –Contact Numbers Date of Commissioning of Hardware –Warranty Period On all UPS	
25	Brochure	Supplier should provide brochure of make/model quoted as per above specification	

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## 2. Technical Specification of Tablet Computer

In column 3, either say "Yes" or "No"; if "No" please state the specification of the offer. (Use the following exact format when submitting compliance)

Features	Required Specification	Bidders offer (Yes/No)	Remarks (Please Specify if No)
Make & Model	(Specify)		·
Country of	(Specify)		
manufacture			
Country of origin	(Specify)		
Manufactured Year	2022 or Later		
Form Factor	(Specify)		
Chipset	(Specify)		
Processor	OCTA-Core 2.0GHz or Higher		
Network Support	2G/3G/4G LTE		
Wi-Fi	Wi-Fi 802.11 ac Dual band		
Bluetooth	Version 5.0 or Higher, A2DP		
Storage Memory	Card slot: Micro SD support up to 128GB,		
	Internal: 64GB or Higher		
Random Access Memory (RAM)	3GB or higher		
Display	8 inches" HD (1280 x 800) or Higher Resolution (FHD,WUXGA)TFT, touchscreen or above capacitive multi touch or better 16 million colors 350 pixels per inch or better		
Display Technology	(Specify)		
Camera Resolution (Primary /	Fron 5.0MP or Higher		
Secondary)	Rear 8.0MP or Higher		
Video Codecs	(Specify)		
Audio Codecs	MP3, MP4 MIDI, WAV		
Speakers	Yes		
Input/output Ports	(Specify)		
Operating System	Android Version 12.0 or Better		
Location Tracking	(Specify)		
Service			
Battery	Built-in Li-Po 6000mAh or Better		
Sensors	(Specify)		
Charger	Type G 220V Charger with Cable		
Accessories	Backcover with Desktop holder		
	OTG Adapter		
	Headphone		
Softwar e	(Specify)		

Manufacture	Manufacturer should have minimum of ten years'	
Experience	experience in manufacturing of the same brand.	
	(Proof document should be attached)	
Bidders Experience	The bidder should have successfully sold same	
	similar product for last 3 years (Bidder should	
	provide documentary evidence to support the	
	above)	
Manufacturer	Manufacturer Authorization Certificate should be	
Authorization	provided (Originals should be provided on	
Certificate	request)	
Warranty	Comprehensive on-site manufacturer authorized	
	warranty for 36 months (Labor & Parts)	
	Excluding Consumes. Bidder or its parent	
	company or its subsidiary should have Island	
	wide owned branch network Documentary	
	evidence to be provided of the following under	
	bidders' name. (a) Address, Contact Details &	
	Date of Commencement of each branch/regional	
	office (Should have completed minimum of 5	
	years from the Date of Commencement of each	
	branch/regional office)	
Warranty Information	A sticker with	
	-Supplier name	
	-Contact Numbers	
	-Date of Commissioning of Hardware	
	Warranty Period on all Tablet Computers	
Brochure	Supplier should provide original brochure of	
	make/model quoted as per above specification	

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# 3.Technical Specifications of 10-Port USB Charging Station with Adjustable Storage, (120W) USB Charge

In column 3, either say "Yes" or "No"; if "No" please state the specification of the offer. (Use the following exact format when submitting compliance)

Description	Minimum Requirement	Bidders offer (Yes/No	Remarks (Please Specify if No)
Brand	Specify		
Model and Year	Specify		
Country of Origin	Specify		
Manufactured Year	2022 or Later		
Manufactured Type	Specify		
Product Type	Specify		
Device Compatibility	Phone; Tablet; Amazon Kindle		
Nominal Input Voltage(s) Supported	120V AC, 230V AC		
Input Connection Type	Specify		
Plug Type	Type G		
Input Plug Type	Type G		
Output Capacity	120 W or Higher		
Overload Protection	Yes		
External Power Supply Cord Length (m.)	Specify		
External Power Supply Plug(s)	Type G		
Power Consumption	34W (Operating) 0.27W (Standby		
Number of Charging Ports	10		
Total Charging Amps	Specify		
Total Charging Watts	Specify		
Charging Method	USB		
Charging Port Type	(10) USB A (FEMALE)		
Charging Ports / Amps	(10) 2.4A		
Charging Method Detail	5V/Max 2.4A (>10W)		
Docking Compartment Dimensions	Specify		
Charging Station Form Factor	Desktop Cabinet		
EMI/RFI Line Noise Protection	Yes		
Locking	Yes		
Lock Type	Key, Combination Cable Lock		
Built in Circuit Breaker	Yes		
Overcurrent Protection	Yes		
Overvoltage Protection	Yes		
Flow Through Ventilation	Yes		
Material of Construction	Specify		
Unit Dimensions (hwd / in.)	Specify		
Unit Weight (kg)	Specify		
Driver Required	Specify		
Quick Charge Compliant	Specify		
IP68 Rated	Specify		

External Power Supply Certifications	CE; FCC; UL; TUV; CCC; PSE; GS; RoHS	
Product Compliance	Specify	
Manufacture Experience	Manufacturer should have minimum of ten years' experience in manufacturing of the same brand. (Proof document should be attached)	
Bidders Experience	The bidder should have successfully sold same similar product for last 3 years (Bidder should provide documentary evidence to support the above	
Manufacturer Authorization Certificate	Manufacturer Authorization Certificate should be provided (Originals should be provided on request)	
Product Warranty Period	Comprehensive on-site manufacturer authorized warranty for 36 months (Labor & Parts) Excluding Consumes.  Bidder or its parent company or its subsidiary should have Island wide owned branch network Documentary evidence to be provided of the following under bidders' name. Address, Contact Details & Date of Commencement of each branch/regional office (Should have completed minimum of 5 years from the Date of Commencement of each branch/regional office)	
Warranty Information	A sticker with -Supplier Name -Contact Numbers -Date of Commissioning of Hardware —Warranty Period on all USB Charging Stations	
Brochure	Supplier should provide brochure of make/model quoted as per above specification	

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### 4.Technical Specification of WI-FI access point for 30 USER

In column 3, either say "Yes" or "No"; if "No" please state the specification of the offer. (Use the following exact format when submitting compliance)

Features	Required Specification	Bidders offer (yes/No)	Remarks (Please Specify if No)
Make & Model	(Specify)		
Country of manufacture	(Specify)		
Country of origin	(Specify)		
Manufactured Year	2022 or Later		
Dimensions	(Specify)		
Networking Interface	10/100/1000 Ethernet Ports		
Power Method	802.3at PoE+ Supported		
Antennas 2.4 GHz 5 GHz	Dual-Band Antenna, Single-Polarity 1 dBi 2 Db		
Wi-Fi Standards	802.11 a/b/g/n/r/k/v/ac		
Mounting	Wall/Ceiling (Kits Included)		
Mounting			
Certifications	CE, FCC, IC At least one Certifications		
VLAN	802.11ac		
Guest Traffic Isolation	Supported		
Concurrent Clients	30+ Clients (10MbpS -20 Mbps) Pre Clients		
Wireless Security	WEP, WPA-PSK, WPA-Enterprise (WPA/WPA2, TKIP/AES)		
Manufacture Experience	Manufacturer should have minimum of ten years' experience in manufacturing of the same brand. (Proof document should be attached)		
Bidders Experience	The bidder should have successfully sold same similar product for last 3 years (Bidder should provide documentary evidence to support the above)		
Manufacturer	Manufacturer Authorization Certificate		
Authorization Certificate	should be provided		
Warranty	Comprehensive on-site manufacturer authorized warranty for 36 months (Labor & Parts) Excluding Consumes. Bidder or its parent company or its subsidiary should have Island wide owned branch network Documentary evidence to be provided of the following under bidders' name.  (a) Address, Contact Details & Date of		

	Commencement of each branch/regional office (Should have completed minimum of 5 years from the Date of Commencement of each branch/regional office)	
Warranty Information	A sticker with –Supplier Name –Contact Numbers –Date of Commissioning of Hardware –Warranty Period	

# SECTION VI CONDITION OF CONTRACT (CC)

# Section VI. Conditions of Contract

- **1. Definitions**1.1 The following words and expressions shall have the meanings hereby assigned to them:
  - (j) "Contract" means the Contract Agreement entered into between the Purchaser and the Supplier, together with the Contract Documents referred to therein, including all attachments, appendices, and all documents incorporated by reference therein.
    - (b) "Contract Documents" means the documents listed in the Contract Agreement, including any amendments thereto.
    - I "Contract Price" means the price payable to the Supplier as specified in the Contract Agreement, subject to such additions and adjustments thereto or deductions there from, as may be made pursuant to the Contract.
    - (d) "Day" means calendar day.
    - I "Completion" means the fulfilment of the supply of Goods to the destination specified and completion of the Related Services by the Supplier in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth in the Contract.
  - (k) "CC" means the Conditions of Contract.
  - (1) "Goods" means all of the commodities, raw material, machinery and equipment, and/or other materials that the Supplier is required to supply to the Purchaser under the Contract.
  - (m) "Purchaser" means the entity purchasing the Goods and Related Services, as specified in the Contract Data.
  - (n) "Related Services" means the services incidental to the supply of the goods, such as insurance, installation, training and initial maintenance and other such obligations of the Supplier under the Contract...
  - (o) "Subcontractor" means any natural person, private or government entity, or a combination of the above, to whom any part of the Goods to be supplied or execution of any part of the Related Services is subcontracted by the Supplier.
  - (p) "Supplier" means the natural person, private or government entity, or a combination of the above, whose bid to perform the Contract has been accepted by the Purchaser and is named as such in the Contract Agreement.
    - (l) "The Project Site," where applicable, means the place named in the Contract Data.
- **2.** Contract 2.1 Subject to the order of precedence set forth in the Contract Agreement,

#### **Documents**

all documents forming the Contract (and all parts thereof) are intended to be correlative, complementary, and mutually explanatory. The Contract Agreement shall be read as a whole.

# 3. Fraud and Corruption

3.1 The Government of Sri Lanka requires the Purchaser as well as bidders, suppliers, contractors, and consultants to observe the highest Standard of ethics during the procurement and execution of such contracts. In pursuit of this policy:

- "Corrupt practice" means offering, giving, receiving, or soliciting, directly or indirectly, of anything of value to influence the action of a public official in the procurement process or in contract execution;
- (ii) "Fraudulent practice" means a misrepresentation or omission of facts in order to influence a procurement process or the execution of a contract;
- (iii) "Collusive practice" means a scheme or arrangement between two or more bidders, with or without the knowledge of the Purchaser to establish bid prices at artificial, non-competitive levels; and
- iv) "Coercive practice" means harming or threatening to harm, directly or indirectly, persons or their property to influence their participation in the procurement process or affect the execution of a contract.

### 4. Interpretation

4.1 If the context so requires it, singular means plural and vice versa.

#### (q) Entire Agreement

The Contract constitutes the entire agreement between the Purchaser and the Supplier and supersedes all communications, negotiations and agreements (whether written or oral) of the parties with respect thereto made prior to the date of Contract.

#### (r) Amendment

No amendment or other variation of the Contract shall be valid unless it is in writing, is dated, expressly refers to the Contract, and is signed by a duly authorized representative of each party thereto.

#### (s) Severability

If any provision or condition of the Contract is prohibited or rendered invalid or unenforceable, such prohibition, invalidity or unenforceability shall not affect the validity or enforceability of any other provisions and conditions of the Contract.

#### 5. Language

5.1 The Contract as well as all correspondence and documents relating to the Contract exchanged by the Supplier and the Purchaser, shall be written in English language. Supporting documents and printed literature that

are part of the Contract may be in another language provided they are accompanied by an accurate translation of the relevant passages in the language specified, in which case, for purposes of interpretation of the Contract, this translation shall govern.

5.2 The Supplier shall bear all costs of translation to the governing language and all risks of the accuracy of such translation, for documents provided by the Supplier.

### 6. Joint Venture, Consortium or Association

6.1 If the Supplier is a joint venture, consortium, or association, all of the parties shall be jointly and severally liable to the Purchaser for the fulfilment of the provisions of the Contract and shall designate one party to act as a leader with authority to bind the joint venture, consortium, or association. The composition or the constitution of the joint venture, consortium, or association shall not be altered without the prior consent of the Purchaser.

#### 7. Eligibility

7.1 All goods supplied under this contract shall be complied with applicable Standards stipulated by the Sri Lanka Standards Institute. In the absence of such standards, the Goods supplied shall be complied to other internationally accepted standards, such as British Standards.

#### 8. Notices

- 8.1 Any notice given by one party to the other pursuant to the Contract shall be in writing to the address specified in the Contract Data. The term "in writing" means communicated in written form with proof of receipt.
- 8.2 A notice shall be effective when delivered or on the notice's effective date, whichever is later.

# 9. Governing Law

9.1 The Contract shall be governed by and interpreted in accordance with the laws of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka.

# 10. Settlement of Disputes

- 10.1 The Purchaser and the Supplier shall make every effort to resolve amicably by direct informal negotiation any disagreement or dispute arising between them under or in connection with the Contract.
- 10.2 If, after twenty-eight (28) days, the parties have failed to resolve their dispute or difference by such mutual consultation, then either the Purchaser or the Supplier may give notice to the other party of its intention to commence arbitration, as hereinafter provided, as to the matter in dispute, and no arbitration in respect of this matter may be commenced unless such notice is given. Any dispute or difference in respect of which a notice of intention to commence arbitration has been given in accordance with this Clause shall be finally settled by arbitration. Arbitration may be commenced prior to or after delivery of the Goods under the Contract. Arbitration proceedings shall be conducted in accordance with the Arbitration Act No:11 of 1995.
- 10.3 Notwithstanding any reference to arbitration herein,
- (t) The parties shall continue to perform their respective obligations under the Contract unless they otherwise agree; and
  - (b) The Purchaser shall pay the Supplier any monies due the Supplier.

# 11. Scope of Supply

11.1 The Goods and Related Services to be supplied shall be as specified in the Schedule of Requirements.

# 12. Delivery and Documents

12.1 Subject to CC Sub-Clause 32.1, the Delivery of the Goods and Completion of the Related Services shall be in accordance with the Delivery and Completion Schedule specified in the Schedule of Requirements. Where applicable the details of shipping and other documents to be furnished by the Supplier are specified in the Contract Data.

# 13. Supplier's Responsibilities

13.1 The Supplier shall supply all the Goods and Related Service included in the Scope of Supply in accordance with CC Clause 11, and the Delivery and Completion Schedule, as per CC Clause 12.

#### 14. Contract Price

14.1 Prices charged by the Supplier for the Goods supplied and the Related Services performed under the Contract shall not vary from the Prices quoted by the Supplier in its bid.

# 15. Terms of Payment

15.1 The Contract Price, shall be paid as specified in the Contract Data.

- 15.2 The Supplier's request for payment shall be made to the Purchaser in writing, accompanied by invoices describing, as appropriate, the Goods delivered and Related Services performed, and by the documents submitted pursuant to CC Clause 12 and upon fulfilment of all other obligations stipulated in the Contract.
- 15.3 Payments shall be made promptly by the Purchaser, but in no case later than twenty eight (28) days after submission of an invoice or request for payment by the Supplier, and after the Purchaser has accepted it.

# 16. Taxes and Duties

16.1 Unless otherwise specify in the contract data The Supplier shall be entirely responsible for all taxes, duties, license fees, etc., incurred until delivery of the contracted Goods to the Purchaser.

# 17. Performance Security

- 17.1 If required as specified in the Contract Data, the Supplier shall within fourteen (14) days of the notification of contract award, provide a performance security of Ten percent (10%) of the Contract Price for the performance of the Contract.
- 17.2 The proceeds of the Performance Security shall be payable to the Purchaser as compensation for any loss resulting from the Supplier's failure to complete its obligations under the Contract.
- 17.3 As specified in the Contract Data, the Performance Security, if required, shall be in Sri Lanka Rupees and shall be in the forma stipulated by the Purchaser in the Contract Data, or in another format acceptable to the Purchaser.

17.4 The Performance Security shall be discharged by the Purchaser and returned to the Supplier not later than twenty-eight (28) days following the date of Completion of the Supplier's performance obligations under the Contract, including any warranty obligations.

#### 18. Copyright

18.1 The copyright in all drawings, documents, and other materials Containing data and information furnished to the Purchaser by the Supplier herein shall remain vested in the Supplier, or, if they are furnished to the Purchaser directly or through the Supplier by any third party, including suppliers of materials, the copyright in such materials shall remain vested in such third party.

# 19. Confidential Information

- 19.1 The Purchaser and the Supplier shall keep confidential and shall not, without the written consent of the other party hereto, divulge to any third party any documents, data, or other information furnished directly or indirectly by the other party hereto in connection with the Contract, whether such information has been furnished prior to, during or following completion or termination of the Contract. Notwithstanding the above, the Supplier may furnish to its Subcontractor such documents, data, and other information it receives from the Purchaser to the extent required for the Subcontractor to perform its work under the Contract, in which event the Supplier shall obtain from such Subcontractor an undertaking of confidentiality similar to that imposed on the Supplier under CC Clause 19.
- 19.2 The Purchaser shall not use such documents, data, and other information received from the Supplier for any purposes unrelated to the contract. Similarly, the Supplier shall not use such documents, data, and other information received from the Purchaser for any purpose other than the performance of the Contract.
- 19.3 The above provisions of CC Clause 19 shall not in any way modify any undertaking of confidentiality given by either of the parties hereto prior to the date of the Contract in respect of the Supply or any part thereof.
- 19.4 The provisions of CC Clause 19 shall survive completion or termination, for whatever reason, of the Contract.

#### **20.** Subcontracting

- 20.1 The Supplier shall notify the Purchaser in writing of all subcontracts awarded under the Contract if not already s specified in the bid. Such notification, in the original bid or later shall not relieve the Supplier from any of its obligations, duties, responsibilities, or liability under the Contract.
- 20.2 Subcontracts shall comply with the provisions of CC Clauses 3 and 7.

# 21. Specifications and Standards

- 21.1 Technical Specifications and Drawings
  - (a) The Goods and Related Services supplied under this Contract shall conform to the technical specifications and standards mentioned in Section V, Schedule of Requirements and, when no applicable standard is mentioned, the standard shall be equivalent or superior to the official standards whose application is appropriate to the Goods' country of origin.

- (b) The Supplier shall be entitled to disclaim responsibility for any design, data, drawing, specification or other document, or any modification thereof provided or designed by or on behalf of the Purchaser, by giving a notice of such disclaimer to the Purchaser.
- (c) Wherever references are made in the Contract to codes and standards in accordance with which it shall be executed, the edition or the revised version of such codes and standards shall be those specified in the Schedule of Requirements. During Contract execution, any changes in any such codes and standards shall be applied only after approval by the Purchaser and shall be treated in accordance with CC Clause 32.

# 22. Packing and Documents

22.1 The Supplier shall pack the Goods as is required to prevent their damage or deterioration during transit to their final destination, as indicated in the Contract.

#### 23. Insurance

23.1 Unless otherwise specified in the Contract Data, the Goods supplied Under the Contract shall be fully insured against loss or damage incidental to manufacture or acquisition, transportation, storage, and delivery.

#### **24. Transportation** 24.1

24.1 Unless otherwise specified in the Contract Data, responsibility for arranging transportation of the Goods shall be a responsibility of the supplier.

# 25. Inspections and Tests

- 25.1 The Supplier shall at its own expense and at no cost to the Purchaser carry out all such tests and/or inspections of the Goods and Related Services as are specified in the Contract Data.
- 25.2 The inspections and tests may be conducted on the premises of the Supplier or it subcontractor, at point of delivery, and/or at the Goods' final destination, or in another place as specified in the Contract Data. Subject to CC Sub-Clause 25.3, if conducted on the premises of the Supplier or its Subcontractor, all reasonable facilities and assistance, including access to drawings and production data, shall be furnished to the inspectors at no charge to the Purchaser.
- 25.3 The Purchaser or its designated representative shall be entitled to attend the tests and/or inspections referred to in CC Sub-Clause 25.2, provided that the Purchaser bear all of its own costs and expenses incurred in connection with such attendance including, but not limited to, all traveling and board and lodging expenses.
- 25.4 Whenever the Supplier is ready to carry out any such test and inspection, it shall give a reasonable advance notice, including the place and time, to the Purchaser. The Supplier shall obtain from any relevant third party or manufacturer any necessary permission or consent to enable the Purchaser or its designated representative to attend the test and/or inspection.
- 25.5 The Purchaser may require the Supplier to carry out any test and/or inspection not required by the Contract but deemed necessary to verify that the characteristics and performance of the Goods comply with the technical specifications codes and standards under the Contract,

provided that the Supplier's reasonable costs and expenses incurred in the carrying out of such test and/or inspection shall be added to the Contract Price. Further, if such test and/or inspection impedes the progress of manufacturing and/or the Supplier's performance of its other obligations under the Contract, due allowance will be made in respect of the Delivery Dates and Completion Dates and the other obligations so affected.

- 25.6 The Supplier shall provide the Purchaser with a report of the results of any such test and/or inspection.
- 25.7 The Purchaser may reject any Goods or any part thereof that fail to pass any test and/or inspection or do not conform to the specifications. The Supplier shall either rectify or replace such rejected Goods or parts thereof or make alterations necessary to meet the specifications at no cost to the Purchaser, and shall repeat the test and/or inspection, at no cost to the Purchaser, upon giving a notice pursuant to CC Sub-Clause 25.4.
- 25.8 The Supplier agrees that neither the execution of a test and/or inspection of the Goods or any part thereof, nor the attendance by the Purchaser or its representative, nor the issue of any report pursuant to CC Sub-Clause 25.6, shall release the Supplier from any warranties or other obligations under the Contract.

#### 26. Liquidated

26.1 Except as provided under CC Clause 31, if the Supplier fails to deliver any or all of the Goods by the Date(s) of delivery or perform the Related Services within the period specified in the contract, the Purchaser may without prejudice to all its other remedies under the Contract, deduct from the Contract Price, as liquidated damages, a sum equivalent to the percentage specified in the Contract Data of the delivered price of the delayed Goods or unperformed Services for each week or part thereof of delay until actual delivery or performance, up to a maximum deduction of the percentage specified in those Contract Data. Once the maximum is reached, the Purchaser may terminate the Contract pursuant to CC Clause 34.

#### 27. Warranty

- 27.1 The Supplier warrants that all the Goods are new, unused, and of the most recent or current models, and that they incorporate all recent improvements in design and materials, unless provided otherwise in the Contract.
- 27.2 Subject to CC Sub-Clause 21.1(b), the Supplier further warrants that the Goods shall be free from defects arising from any act or omission of the Supplier or arising from design, materials, and workmanship, under normal use in the conditions prevailing in the country of final destination.
- 27.3 Unless otherwise specified in the Contract Data, the warranty shall remain valid for twelve (12) months after the Goods, or any portion thereof as the case may be, have been delivered to and accepted at the final destination indicated in the Contract Data.
- 27.4 The Purchaser shall give notice to the Supplier stating the nature of any such defects together with all available evidence thereof, promptly

following the discovery thereof. The Purchaser shall afford all reasonable opportunity for the Supplier to inspect such defects.

- 27.5 Upon receipt of such notice, the Supplier shall, within the period specified in the Contract Data, expeditiously repair or replace the defective Goods or parts thereof, at no cost to the Purchaser.
- 27.6 If having been notified, the Supplier fails to remedy the defect within the period specified in the Contract Data, the Purchaser may proceed to take within a reasonable period such remedial action as may be necessary, at the Supplier's risk and expense and without prejudice to any other rights which the Purchaser may have against the Supplier under the Contract.

# 28. Patent Indemnity

- 28.1 The Supplier shall, subject to the Purchaser's compliance with CC Sub-Clause 28.2, indemnify and hold harmless the Purchaser and its employees and officers from and against any and all suits, actions or administrative proceedings, claims, demands, losses, damages, costs, and expenses of any nature, including attorney's fees and expenses, which the Purchaser may suffer as a result of any infringement or alleged infringement of any patent, utility model, registered design, trademark, copyright, or other intellectual property right registered or otherwise existing at the date of the Contract by reason of:
  - (b) The installation of the Goods by the Supplier or the use of the Goods in the country where the Site is located; and
  - (b) The sale in any country of the products produced by the Goods.

Such indemnity shall not cover any use of the Goods or any part thereof other than for the purpose indicated by or to be reasonably inferred from the Contract, neither any infringement resulting from the use of the Goods or any part thereof, or any products produced thereby in association or combination with any other equipment, plant, or materials not supplied by the Supplier, pursuant to the Contract.

- 28.2 If any proceedings are brought or any claim is made against the Purchaser arising out of the matters referred to in CC Sub-Clause 28.1, the Purchaser shall promptly give the Supplier a notice thereof, and the Supplier may at its own expense and in the Purchaser's name conduct such proceedings or claim and any negotiations for the settlement of any such proceedings or claim.
- 28.3 If the Supplier fails to notify the Purchaser within twenty eight (28) days after receipt of such notice that it intends to conduct any such proceedings or claim, then the Purchaser shall be free to conduct the same on its own behalf.
- 28.4 The Purchaser shall, at the Supplier's request, afford all available assistance to the Supplier in conducting such proceedings or claim, and shall be reimbursed by the Supplier for all reasonable expenses incurred in so doing.
- 28.5 The Purchaser shall indemnify and hold harmless the Supplier and its employees, officers, and Subcontractors from and against any and all suits, actions or administrative proceedings, claims, demands, losses, damages, costs, and expenses of any nature, including attorney's fees

and expenses, which the Supplier may suffer as a result of any infringement or alleged infringement of any patent, utility model, registered design, trademark, copyright, or other intellectual property right registered or otherwise existing at the date of the Contract arising out of or in connection with any design, data, drawing, specification, or other documents or materials provided or designed by or on behalf of the Purchaser.

# 29. Limitation of Liability

29.1 Except in cases of criminal negligence or wilful misconduct,

- (a) The Supplier shall not be liable to the Purchaser, whether in contract, tort, or otherwise, for any indirect or consequential loss or damage, loss of use, loss of production, or loss of profits or interest costs, provided that this exclusion shall not apply to any obligation of the Supplier to pay liquidated damages to the Purchaser and
- (b) the aggregate liability of the Supplier to the Purchaser, whether under the Contract, in tort or otherwise, shall not exceed the total Contract Price, provided that this limitation shall not apply to the cost of repairing or replacing defective equipment, or to any obligation of the supplier to indemnify the purchaser with respect to patent infringement

### 30. Change in Laws and Regulations

30.1 Unless otherwise specified in the Contract, if after the date of 28 days prior to date of Bid submission, any law, regulation, ordinance, order or bylaw having the force of law is enacted, promulgated, abrogated, or changed in Sri Lanka that subsequently affects the Delivery Date and/or the Contract Price, then such Delivery Date and/or Contract Price shall be correspondingly increased or decreased, to the extent that the Supplier has thereby been affected in the performance of any of its obligations under the Contract. Notwithstanding the foregoing, such additional or reduced cost shall not be separately paid or credited if the same has already been accounted for in the price adjustment provisions where applicable, in accordance with CC Clause 14.

#### 31. Force Majeure

- 31.1 The Supplier shall not be liable for forfeiture of its Performance Security, liquidated damages, or termination for default if and to the extent that its delay in performance or other failure to perform its obligations under the Contract is the result of an event of Force Majeure.
- 31.2 For purposes of this Clause, "Force Majeure" means an event or situation beyond the control of the Supplier that is not foreseeable, is unavoidable, and its origin is not due to negligence or lack of care on the part of the Supplier. Such events may include, but not be limited to, acts of the Purchaser in its sovereign capacity, wars or revolutions, fires, floods, epidemics, quarantine restrictions, and freight embargoes.
- 31.3 If a Force Majeure situation arises, the Supplier shall promptly notify the Purchaser in writing of such condition and the cause thereof. Unless otherwise directed by the Purchaser in writing, the Supplier shall continue to perform its obligations under the Contract as far as is reasonably practical, and shall seek all reasonable alternative means for performance not prevented by the Force Majeure event.

# 32. Change Orders and Contract Amendments

- 32.1 The Purchaser may at any time order the Supplier through notice in accordance CC Clause 8, to make changes within the general scope of the Contract in any one or more of the following:
  - (c) Drawings, designs, or specifications, where Goods to be furnished under the Contract are to be specifically manufactured for the Purchaser;
  - (d) The method of shipment or packing;
  - (e) IThe place of delivery; and
  - (f) The Related Services to be provided by the Supplier.
- 32.2 If any such change causes an increase or decrease in the cost of, or the time required for, the Supplier's performance of any provisions under the Contract, an equitable adjustment shall be made in the Contract Price or in the Delivery/Completion Schedule, or both, and the Contract shall accordingly be amended. Any claims by the Supplier for adjustment under this Clause must be asserted within twenty-eight (28) days from the date of the Supplier's receipt of the Purchaser's change order.
- Prices to be charged by the Supplier for any Related Services that might be needed but which were not included in the Contract shall be agreed upon in advance by the parties and shall not exceed the prevailing rates charged to other parties by the Supplier for similar services.
- 32.4 Subject to the above, no variation in or modification of the terms of the Contract shall be made except by written amendment signed by the parties.

# 33. Extensions of Time

- 33.1 If at any time during performance of the Contract, the Supplier or its subcontractors should encounter conditions impeding timely delivery of the Goods or completion of Related Services pursuant to CC Clause 12, the Supplier shall promptly notify the Purchaser in writing of the delay, its likely duration, and its cause. As soon as practicable after receipt of the Supplier's notice, the Purchaser shall evaluate the situation and may at its discretion extend the Supplier's time for performance, in which case the extension shall be ratified by the parties by amendment of the Contract.
- 33.2 Except in case of Force Majeure, as provided under CC Clause 31, a delay by the Supplier in the performance of its Delivery and Completion obligations shall render the Supplier liable to the imposition of liquidated damages pursuant to CC Clause 26, unless an extension of time is agreed upon, pursuant to CC Sub-Clause 33.1.

#### **34. Termination** 34.1 Termination for Default

- (g) The Purchaser, without prejudice to any other remedy for breach of Contract, by written notice of default sent to the Supplier, may terminate the Contract in whole or in part:
- (h) if the Supplier fails to deliver any or all of the Goods within the period specified in the Contract, or within any extension thereof granted by the Purchaser pursuant to CC Clause33;

- (i) if the Supplier fails to perform any other obligation under the Contract; or
- (j) if the Supplier, in the judgment of the Purchaser has engaged in fraud and corruption, as defined in CC Clause 3, in competing for or in executing the Contract.
- (k) In the event the Purchaser terminates the Contract in whole or in part, pursuant to CC Clause 34.1(a), the Purchaser may procure, upon such terms and in such manner as it deems appropriate, Goods or Related Services similar to those undelivered or not performed, and the Supplier shall be liable to the Purchaser for any additional costs for such similar Goods or Related Services. However, the Supplier shall continue performance of the Contract to the extent not terminated.

### 34.2 Termination for Insolvency.

(1) The Purchaser may at any time terminate the Contract by giving notice to the Supplier if the Supplier becomes bankrupt or otherwise insolvent. In such event, termination will be without compensation to the Supplier, provided that such termination will not prejudice or affect any right of action or remedy that has accrued or will accrue thereafter to the Purchaser

#### 34.3 Termination for Convenience.

- (m) The Purchaser, by notice sent to the Supplier, may terminate the Contract, in whole or in part, at any time for its convenience. The notice of termination shall specify that termination is for the Purchaser's convenience, the extent to which performance of the Supplier under the Contract is terminated, and the date upon which such termination becomes effective.
- (n) The Goods that are complete and ready for shipment within twentyeight (28) days after the Supplier's receipt of notice of termination shall be accepted by the Purchaser at the Contract terms and prices. For the remaining Goods, the Purchaser may elect:
- (o) To have any portion completed and delivered at the Contract terms and prices; and/or
- (p) To cancel the remainder and pay to the Supplier an agreed amount for partially completed Goods and Related Services and for materials and parts previously procured by the Supplier.

# **35. Assignment**35.1 Neither the Purchaser nor the Supplier shall assign, in whole or in part, their obligations under this Contract, except with prior written consent of the other party.

# SECTION VII CONTRACT DATA

### **Section VII. Contract Data**

The following Contract Data shall supplement and / or amend the Conditions of Contract (CC). Whenever there is a conflict, the provisions herein shall prevail over those in the CC.

CC 1.1(i)	The Purchaser is: Chief Secretary Southern Provincial Council			
CC 1.1 (m)	The Project Site/Final Destination is: Pls see the list of schools and locations (Annexure 01)			
CC 8.1	For <u>notices</u> , the Purchaser's address shall be:			
	Attention: Chief Secretary			
	Address: Chief Secretariat, S.H.I	Dahanayaka Mawatha,Galle.		
	Telephone: 091-9494002/ 091-2	246904		
	Fax number: 091-2246299/091-2	2226409		
	Electronic mail address: chiefsed	Electronic mail address: <a href="mailto:chiefsec1@sltnet.lk">chiefsec1@sltnet.lk</a>		
CC11.1	.The time of completion of the whole job with in the period of 150 days upon accepting the letter of award.			
CC 12.1	The documents to be submitted by the supplier on Establishment of Modern Computer Labs and Smart Boards with Customized Curriculum Software in 200 Schools in Galle District,  1. The Certificate of Warranty 2. Printed Catalogues in English 3. User Manuals 4. Original Invoice and delivery notes.			
CC 15.1 *****	The payment to be made to the Supplier under this Contract shall be as Follows.  • Payments to the Contractor/Supplier  The terms of payment			
	<b>Nature of the Payment</b>	Percentage		
	Advance Payment	If the contractor requires opening of Letters of credit in favour of the PE, 30% of the value of LC may be paid on the submission of advance security issued by the Commercial Bank registered in Sri Lanka		
	1 <sup>St</sup> Part Payment	50% of Contract Value after supplying the Goods		
	2 <sup>nd</sup> Part Payment	20% of Contract Value after Commissioning		
CC16.1		romptly pay all customs and import duties as well as law of the country to the contractor.		
CC 17.1	notification of contract award, issued by a commercial Bank	The supplier shall, within fourteen (14) days of the provide a performance security by a Bank guarantee registered by Sri Lanka or India. The value of the Ten Present (10%) of the contract price.		

CC 27.3	If the supplier is foreign bidder, performance security issued by the foreign bank to be confirmed by the Local Commercial Bank operating in Sri Lanka.  The Performance Security shall be valid for 180 days from the date of sign the contract.  Warranty-The period of comprehensive warranty has been mentioned in the list of			
	specifications item wise.  Items	Warranty		
	65-inch 4k Smart board (LEDLIGHTING) without OPS and with Moving stand +UPS	Comprehensive on-site manufacturer authorized warranty for 36 months		
	Tablet Computer Screen Size (8 inches or higher)	(Labor & Parts) Excluding Consumes. Providing an uninterrupted technical service and Backup solutions to the respective schools as per given the delivery		
	10-Port USB Charging Station	schedule, within 48 hours.		
	WI-FI access point for 30 USER			

# SECTION VIII CONTRACT FORMS

- 1. CONTRACT AGREEMENT
- 2. PERFORMANCE SECURITY

#### 1. Contract Agreement

THIS CONTRACT AGREEMENT is made the [insert: number] day of [insert: month], [insert: year].

#### **BETWEEN**

- (1) [ insert complete name of Purchaser ], a [ insert description of type of legal entity, for example, an agency of the Ministry of ................ or corporation and having its principal place of business at [ insert address of Purchaser ] (hereinafter called "the Purchaser"), and
- (2) [insert name of Supplier], a corporation incorporated under the laws of [insert: country of Supplier] and having its principal place of business at [insert: address of Supplier] (hereinafter called "the Supplier").

WHEREAS the Purchaser invited bids for certain Goods and ancillary services, viz., Establishment of Modern Computer Labs and Smart Boards with Customized Curriculum Software in 200 Schools in Galle District and has accepted a Bid by the Supplier for the supply of those Goods and Services in the sum of [insert Contract Price in words and figures, expressed in the Contract currency (ies) ] (hereinafter called "the Contract Price").

#### NOW THIS AGREEMENT WITNESSETH AS FOLLOWS:

- 1. In this Agreement words and expressions shall have the same meanings as are respectively assigned to them in the Conditions of Contract referred to.
- 2. The following documents shall constitute the Contract between the Purchaser and the Supplier, and each shall be read and construed as an integral part of the Contract:
  - a) This Contract Agreement
  - b) Contract Data
  - c) Conditions of Contract
  - d) Technical Requirements (including Schedule of Requirements and Technical Specifications)
  - e) The Supplier's Bid and original Price Schedules
  - f) The Purchaser's Notification of Award
  - g) [Add here any other document(s)]
- 3. This Contract shall prevail over all other Contract documents. In the event of any discrepancy or inconsistency within the Contract documents, then the documents shall prevail in the order listed above.

- 4. In consideration of the payments to be made by the Purchaser to the Supplier as hereinafter mentioned, the Supplier hereby covenants with the Purchaser to provide the Goods and Services and to remedy defects therein in conformity in all respects with the provisions of the Contract.
- 5. The Purchaser hereby covenants to pay the Supplier in consideration of the provision of the Goods and Services and the remedying of defects therein, the Contract Price or such other sum as may become payable under the provisions of the Contract at the times and in the manner prescribed by the Contract.

**IN WITNESS** whereof the parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be executed in accordance with the laws of Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka on the day, month and year indicated above.

For and on behalf of the Purchaser

Signed: [insert signature] in the capacity of [ insert title or other appropriate designation ] in the presence of [insert identification of official witness]

For and on behalf of the Supplier

Signed: [insert signature of authorized representative(s) of the Supplier] in the capacity of [ insert title or other appropriate designation ] in the presence of [ insert identification of official witness]

### 2. Performance Security

[The issuing agency, as requested by the successful Bidder, shall fill in this form in accordance with the instructions indicated]
[Issuing Agency's Name, and Address of Issuing Branch or Office]
Beneficiary: [Name and Address of Employer]
Date:
PERFORMANCE GUARANTEE No.:
We have been informed that [name of Supplier] (hereinafter called "the Supplier") has entered into Contract No [Reference number of the contract] dated with you, for the Supply of [name of contract and brief description] (hereinafter called "the Contract").
Furthermore, we understand that, according to the conditions of the Contract, a performance guarantee is required.
At the request of the Supplier, we [name of Agency] hereby irrevocably undertake to pay you any sum or sums not exceeding in total an amount of [amount in figures] () [amount in words], such sum being payable in the types and proportions of currencies in which the Contract Price is payable, upon receipt by us of your first demand in writing accompanied by a written statement stating that the Contractor is in breach of its obligation(s) under the Contract, without your needing to prove or to show grounds for your demand or the sum specified therein.
This guarantee shall expire, no later than the Day of, 20 [Insert date, 28 days beyond the scheduled completion date including the warranty period] and any demand for payment under it must be received by us at this office on or before that date.
[Signatures]



### Government of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka Southern Provincial Council

### **Invitation for Bids (IFB)**

### Establishment of Modern Computer Labs and Smart Boards with Customized Curriculum Software in 200 Schools in Galle District (Funded by Government of the Republic India.)

#### Contract Reference - SPC/PROC/ GOODS/2022/NCB/01

The Chairman Chief Secretariat Project Procurement Committee (CSPPC) on behalf of the Southern Provincial Council now invites sealed bids from eligible and qualified bidders for Establishment of Modern Computer Labs and Smart Boards with Customized Curriculum Software in 200 Schools in Galle District as per delivery schedule.

- 1. Qualifications requirements include:
  - a. Being a registered limited liability company in Sri Lanka or India.
  - b. Bids should be submitted either by a manufacturer or by supplier, bidders should have an established service provider in Sri Lanka.
  - c. Minimum Average Annual Turnover in respect of sales during last Five years between 01.04.2018 to 31.03.2023 is LKR 300 Million. (For Indian suppliers are 67 Million amount of Indian rupees). Bidder should provide audited finance statement and documentary evidence for the above five years to prove the financial capability.
  - d. Bidder should have minimum 3 years' experience of selling & servicing of goods specified in the Schedule of Requirement (SOR) in Sri Lanka or India.
  - e. Bidder not have been blacklisted.
  - f. Bidder should have experience implementing at least one almost similar nature project within last five years, with a total value of at least LKR 100 Million (for Indian Suppliers, should have experience in implementing at least one almost similar nature project with in last five years, with a total value of INR 23 Million).
  - g. The Bidder should have a capacity for providing an uninterrupted technical service and Backup solutions for the entire warranty period to the respective schools as per the delivery schedule, within 48 hours.
- <sup>2.</sup> A complete set of Bidding Documents in English language can be purchased by interested bidders on the submission of a written application to the address below and upon payment of a

non-refundable fee of LKR 40,000 per bid document from 9.00 am to 3.00 pm until 11<sup>th</sup> September 2023.

Bidder shall attach a bid security for each package by a cash deposit or Bank Guarantee from recognized Commercial bank registered in Sri Lanka/India or by the foreign bank confirmed by the Local Commercial Bank operating in Sri Lanka, issued in favor of The Chief Secretary, Chief Secretariat, Southern Province and valid up to 8<sup>th</sup> January 2024 as specified in Bid Data Sheet.

Package	Item Description	Quantity	Required bid	Required bid
No			security if in	security if in
			LKR	USD
01	65-inch 4k Smart board (LEDLIGHTING) without OPS and with Moving stand +UPS	200	1,200,000.00	3860
02	Tablet Computer Screen Size (8 inches) OR , Higher RAM 4GB UP	2200	1,600,000.00	5144
03	10-Port USB Charging Station	200	100,000.00	321
04	WI-FI access point for 30 USER	200	100,000.00	321

- The bids shall be enclosed the **original** and the **copy** in separate seal envelop duly marking the envelops as original and copy shall then be enclosed in one single envelop and must be delivered to the address below on or before 2.00 pm on 12<sup>th</sup> September 2023. Late bids will be rejected. Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders or their representatives just after the closing of bids. All bids must be accompanied by a bid security of amount described in the bid data sheet. The tittle of the bids should be clearly stated on the top left corner of the bid submission envelop as specified in the IFB.
- <sup>5.</sup> Pre-bid conference will be held on 1<sup>st</sup> September 2023 at a location as specified in the bid data sheet and all bidders are urged to participate the pre-bid conference.
- <sup>6.</sup> The address referred to above are The Chairman, Chief Secretariat Project Procurement Committee, Chief Secretariat, S.H.Dahanayaka Mawatha, Galle.
- Interested eligible bidders may obtain bid documents and further information from the Supply Division, Chief Secretariat, Southern Province and inspect the bidding documents on or before 11<sup>th</sup> September 2023 from 9.00 am to 3.00 pm on working days at the address given below.

Chief Secretariat.

Southern Province,

S.H.Dahanayaka Mawatha,

Galle.

Tel: 091-4944002 /091-2246904. Email: chiefsec1@sltnet.lk

The Chairman,

Chief Secretariat Project Procurement Committee,

Chief Secretariat,

Southern Province,

S.H.Dahanayaka Mawatha, Galle. 02 August 2023