



Malawi Millennium Development Trust (MMD)

SPECIFIC PROCUREMENT NOTICE (SPN)

1. The Government of the Republic of Malawi (the “Government”) has secured grant funding from the Millennium Challenge Corporation (“MCC”), called a Compact (the “Compact”), and intends to apply a part of the proceeds of that funding to payments for contracts for goods, works and services. The Government has formed a Compact Development Team (“CDT”) led by the CEO of the Malawi Millennium Development Trust (“MMD”), for the purpose of developing and implementing the Compact. To support both of these activities, MCC and the Government entered into the following agreements:
 - A Compact Development Funding Grant Agreement dated May 22, 2020, as amended or otherwise modified from time to time (the “CDF Agreement”) pursuant to which MCC agreed to provide a grant of up to US\$11,650,000 under the authority of Section 609(g) of the Millennium Challenge Act of 2003, as amended (the “Act”), to facilitate the development of a Compact between the United States of America, acting through MCC, and the Government to help accelerate economic growth and poverty reduction in Malawi, and
 - A Compact dated September 28, 2022, as amended or otherwise modified from time to time under which MCC agreed to provide a grant of US\$350,000,000 to the Government to support the execution of a number of preparatory activities leading to Entry Into Force of the Compact and thereafter, to fund the implementation of the various activities under the Compact.
2. Subject to the terms and conditions of the Compact, the Agreement, related agreements and the availability of funds, the Government intends to use a portion of the funds for Procurement of Goods and Non-Consulting Services Contracts, forms of which are attached to the respective Request for Quotations (“RFQ”).
3. MCC requires that all beneficiaries of MCC Funding, including the MCA Entity and any applicants, Offerors, Suppliers, Contractors, Subcontractors, Consultants, and Sub-Consultants under any MCC-funded contracts, observe the highest standards of ethics during the procurement and execution of such contracts. *MCC’s Policy on Preventing, Detecting and Remediating Fraud and Corruption in MCC Operations* (“MCC’s AFC Policy”) is applicable to all procurements and contracts involving MCC Funding and can be found on the MCC website at: <https://www.mcc.gov/resources/doc/policy-fraud-and-corruption>.
4. MMD now invites Quotations from legally constituted companies for Procurement of Goods and Non-Consulting Services as follows:
 - (1) MMD 1026 - Supply, Delivery, and Installation of MCA-Malawi II Server Room Racks
 - (2) MMD 1009 - Supply of Uninterruptible Power Supply (UPS) and Accessories
 - (3) MMD 1007 - Supply and Installation of Air-Conditioning Units, and
 - (4) MMD 1018/1 - Provision of Internet Services- Main Link

More details on these are provided in the respective RFQ.

5. The RFQ are open to all eligible entities (Suppliers) who wish to respond.
6. Suppliers can submit separate offers for one (1) or all four (4) but one (1) Supplier will be selected for each procurement under the **Shopping Method**, an evaluation procedure that is described in sections of the RFQ in accordance with the “Accountable Entity Procurement and Policy Guidelines” provided on the MCC website (www.mcc.gov/ppg). The selection process, as described, will include a review and verification of experience and past performance, including a reference check, prior to the contract award.
7. The complete RFQ can be downloaded from the Malawi Millennium Development Trust (MMD) using the following respective links:

(1) MMD 1026- Supply, Delivery and Installation of MCA-Malawi II Server Room Racks

<https://www.dropbox.com/scl/fo/dxbdor30luy9o0kln5toq/h?rlkey=2slz6xd9ivg7p3mrhi09u2354&dl=0>

(2) MMD 1009- Supply of Uninterruptible Power Supply (UPS) and Accessories

<https://www.dropbox.com/scl/fo/sn44dpain6mgvbp8g98i/h?rlkey=ju4odems710rpnah44s1ocizi&dl=0>

(3) MMD 1007- Supply and Installation of Air-Conditioning Units

<https://www.dropbox.com/scl/fo/f1b7riwsdbxc7fj7uhoye/h?rlkey=agzraonuh1r2pcvfe91fzs6hb&dl=0>

(4) MMD 1018/1- Provision of Internet Services- Main Link

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In case of any technical problems, please contact PAMalawi@charleskendall.com and copy thenford.mchenga@mmd.gov.mw for assistance.

8. The deadline for submission of quotations is **3.00 PM Local Time, on 8th December, 2023**. The **Quotation with the Price and Completion Schedule** should be submitted electronically by 8th December, 2023 at 3.00pm local time by email with a title of the company name to the following address:

Attn : Procurement Agent : MCA Malawi II

Email : PAMalawi@charleskendall.com.

9. Please note that **only electronic submissions shall be accepted** in the manner specified above in the RFQ document. Late submissions will not be accepted under any circumstances.

10. Contact Information:

Attn:	Procurement Agent Charles Kendall & Partners
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