Specific Procurement Notice

Request for Bids

Goods

**Country:** ***Republic of Tajikistan***

**Name of Project:** ***Fourth Phase of the Central Asia Regional Links Program (CARs-4)***

**Contract Title:** ***Procurement, supply and installation of equipment for Customs Service Data Centre.***

**Loan No./Credit No./ Grant No.:** ***D699-TJ***

**RFB Reference No.:** ***TJ-CS-376992-GO-RFB***

1. The *Republic of Tajikistan has received* financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the *CARS-4 project*, and intends to apply part of the proceeds toward payments under the contract for ***Procurement, supply and installation of equipment for Customs Service Data Centre*.**

2. The ***Customs Service under the Government of the Republic of Tajikistan***now invites sealed Bids from eligible Bidders for ***Procurement, supply and installation of equipment for Customs Service Data Centre***.

3. Bidding will be conducted through international competitive procurement using a Request for Bids (RFB) as specified in the World Bank’s “[Procurement](http://www.worldbank.org/html/opr/procure/guidelin.html) Regulations for IPF Borrowers” edited on November 2020, and is open to all eligible Bidders as defined in the Procurement Regulations.

4. Interested eligible Bidders may obtain further information from *address indicated in Item 5* and inspect the bidding document during office hours ***from 09:00 to 17:00 Dushanbe time***.

5. The bidding document in ***English***may be obtained by interested eligible Bidders upon the

submission of a written application to the address below:

*Customs Service under the Government of the Republic of Tajikistan*

*Fourth Phase of the Central Asia Regional Links Program (CARs-4)*

*Hofizi Sherozi street 16/1, 1st floor, room #5&6*

*734025, Dushanbe, Tajikistan*

*Electronic mail address*: [*cars-4\_project@gumruk.tj*](mailto:cars-4_project@gumruk.tj)

The document will be sent by ***e-mail in PDF format to all interested bidders and also posted on the website***.

6. Bids must be delivered to the address below on or before ***December 28, 2023, 15:00 Dushanbe time****.* Electronic Bidding ***will not*** be permitted. Late Bids will be rejected. The Bid envelopes marked “Original BID” will be publicly opened in the presence of the Bidders’ designated representatives and anyone who chooses to attend, at the address below.

7. All Bids must be accompanied by a ***Bid Security***of ***10,000.00 US Dollars***.

8. Attention is drawn to the Procurement Regulations requiring the Borrower to disclose information on the successful bidder’s beneficial ownership, as part of the Contract Award Notice, using the Beneficial Ownership Disclosure Form as included in the bidding document.

9. The address(es) referred to above is (are):

***State Investment Committee and***

***State property management of the Republic of Tajikistan***

***27 Shotemur street,*** 1 ***(first) floor, tender box No 4***

***734025***, ***Dushanbe,*** ***Tajikistan***