

REQUEST FOR QUOTATION - SERVICES (RFQS)

Project Title: Sustainable Solid-Waste Management Project

Source of Funding: Asian Development Bank (ADB)

Contract Ref: SCEEP/FA2- Financial Audit (FY2024-2026)

Sir/Madam:

1. The Ministry of Ecology, Environmental Protection and Climate Change of the Republic of Uzbekistan represented by the Governmental Establishment (GE) "Sustainable Solid Waste Management Project Management Unit" hereby requests you to submit price quotation/(s) for the performance of the services described in the Scope of Services attached as Appendix A in these documents. If you, however, have been associated with the preparation of this Scope of Services that is the subject of this request, you shall be disqualified.

To assist you in the preparation of your price quotation we enclose, in addition to the Scope of Services, the Form of Quotation and form of Contract are also attached.

2. If you/your firm, however, falls under any of the following conditions, your proposal shall not be considered:

- (a) you/your firm are/is not a citizen/national of an ADB member country, or
- (b) you/your firm have/has been associated with the firm that prepared the terms of reference or engaged in the preparation of the Project for which the contract that is subject of this request for quotations was identified, or
- (c) you/your firm are/is owned by the Client, or
- (d) you/your firm are/is currently sanctioned or temporarily suspended by the Asian Development Bank for a violation of its Anticorruption Policy (1998, as amended to date) or
- (e) the contracting of services from your country or any payment to persons or entities in your country is prohibited in compliance with a decision of the United Nations Security Council under Chapter VII of the Charter of the United Nations.

3. To be qualified, you must have experience as a Service Provider of the services covered by this Request for Quotation. As evidence, you must attach the documents of your experience as Service Provider in at least three (3) contracts in the last three (3) years (according to the International Financial Reporting Standards - "IFRS") of a size and nature similar to the requirements of this contract.

In addition, the Bidder shall meet the following specific criteria:

- The Bidder must have demonstrable experience in successfully implementing service contracts funded by international financial institutions (IFIs), such as the Asian Development Bank (ADB), Islamic Development Bank (IsDB), European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD), World Bank (WB), or similar multilateral or bilateral development organizations.
- The Bidder must have been legally registered and continuously operating as a service provider in the relevant field since at least 2015, demonstrating not less than ten (10) years of operational experience as of the date of submission of the quotation.
- The Bidder must submit valid documentary evidence to support the above, such as signed contracts, registration certificates, project completion certificates, and/or reference letters from IFI clients.

4. Your quotation/(s) should be submitted in accordance with the following instructions, procedures, and the terms and conditions of the Contract.

Preparation of Quotations

(a) Your price quotation/(s) shall be for all the items as described in the Scope of Services, and submitted only in the attached Form of Quotation. The currency of quoted prices and payment shall be US dollars.

(b) You shall submit only one set of quotations for the above items. Your quotation must be typed or written in indelible ink and shall be signed by you or your authorized representative. Without a signature in your Form of Quotation, your quotation will not be considered further.

(c) You shall submit one original of the Form of Quotation, and clearly marked "Original". In addition, you shall also submit one copy marked as "COPY". In case of any discrepancy between the Original and Copy, the Original shall prevail.

(d) Your quotation(s) should be valid for a period of 30 days from the deadline for submission of the quotation/(s) as indicated below. If you withdraw your quotation during the validity period and/or refuse to accept the award of a contract when and if awarded, then you will be excluded from the list of Service Providers for the project for two years.

Submission and Opening

(e) Your Form of Quotation should be submitted by April, 23, 2025 (until 15.00 pm Tashkent time) with the required documents that should be signed, sealed in an envelope and addressed to and delivered to the following address:

Client's Address : 7a, Bunyodkor avenue, Chilonzor district

City: Tashkent city

ZIP Code: 100043

Country: Republic of Uzbekistan

E-mail: sswm@sanitation.uz

Telephone : +998 99 855 55 40, +998 97 758 74 34

(f) Quotations shall be opened in public, in the presence of participating Service Providers' representatives who choose to attend, on April, 23 2025 at 15.30 pm Tashkent time and at the following address 7a, Bunyodkor avenue, Chilonzor district, Tashkent city, Republic of Uzbekistan.