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REQUEST FOR QUOTATION (RFQ)

NAME & ADDRESS OF FIRM:	DATE: May 28, 2020
	REFERENCE: RfQ20/02052

Dear Sir / Madam:

We kindly request you to submit your quotation for **provision of Mass Spectral Libraries for the forensic institutions of the Republic of Moldova**, as detailed in Annex 1 of this RFQ. When preparing your quotation, please be guided by the form attached hereto as Annex 2.

Quotations may be submitted on or before <u>June 11, 2020, 12.00 p.m. (Moldova local time)</u> via the etendering system to the address below:

https://etendering.partneragencies.org Username: event.guest Password: why2change BU Code: MDA10 and Event ID 0000006075

Once uploaded, Bidders that have accepted the invitation in the system will be notified via email that changes have occurred. It is responsibility of the Bidder to view the respective changes and clarifications in the system.

Quotations shall be submitted in English or Romanian duly signed and stamped and shall be marked with the note "RfQ20/02052 - Provision of Mass Spectral Libraries for the forensic institutions of the Republic of Moldova".

It shall remain your responsibility to ensure that your quotation will reach the address above on or before the deadline. Quotations that are received by UNDP after the deadline indicated above, for whatever reason, shall not be considered for evaluation.

Please take note of the following requirements and conditions pertaining to the supply of the abovementioned services:

Delivery Terms [INCOTERMS 2010]	⊠DAP
Customs clearance, if needed, shall be done by:	⊠ Supplier/Offeror

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Exact Address of Delivery Location (identify all, if multiple)	105, A. Sciusev Str., Chisinau, Republic of Moldova			
Latest Expected Delivery Date and Time <i>(if delivery time exceeds</i> this, quote may be rejected by UNDP)	⊠ up to 30 calendar days from the issuance of the contract/PO			
Delivery Schedule	🗵 Required			
	⊠United States Dollars Reference date for determining UN Operational Exchange Rate: June 11, 2020			
Preferred Currency of Quotation	https://treasury.un.org/operationalrates/OperationalRates.php			
Value Added Tax on Price Quotation	Must be exclusive of VAT and other applicable indirect taxes			
After-sales services required	Software installation, customer and technical support for a period of 1 (one) year			
Deadline for the Submission of Quotation	June 11, 2020, 12:00 p.m. (Moldova local time)			
All documentations, including catalogs, instructions and operating manuals, shall be in this language	🛛 English 🛛 🖾 Other languages: Romanian or Russian			
Documents to be submitted	 Duly Accomplished Form as provided in Annex 2, and in accordance with the list of requirements in Annex 1; Company profile (short info up to 3 pages); Copy of Company's Registration Certificate (including the annex), existing licenses, patents and other relevant documents Manufacturer's Authorization of the Company as a Sales Agent if Supplier is not the manufacturer; Detailed technical description of the offered software; Name, address and contact details of the center offering technical support for Moldova; Written Self-Declaration of not being included in the UN Security Council 1267/1989 list, UN Procurement Division List or other UN Ineligibility List. 			
Period of Validity of Quotes starting the Submission Deadline Date	□ 60 days vee 90 days □ 120 days In exceptional circumstances, UNDP may request the Vendor to extend the validity of the Quotation beyond what has been initially indicated in this RFQ. The Proposal shall then confirm the extension in writing, without any modification whatsoever on the Quotation.			
Partial Quotes	⊠ Not permitted			

Liquidated Damages	0.5% of contract for every day of delay, up to a maximum duration of 15 calendar days. Thereafter, the contract may be terminated.			
Evaluation Criteria	 Technical responsiveness/Full compliance to requirements, described in Annex 1, and lowest price¹; Minimum 2 (two) years of experience in supply of ICT hardware and/or software; Full acceptance of the PO/Contract General Terms and Conditions; Maximum delivery period not to exceed 30 calendar days upon signature of contract/PO issue; Software installation, customer and technical support for a period of 1 (one) year 			
UNDP will award to:	One and only one supplier			
Type of Contract to be Signed	Contract / Purchase Order (PO) for international suppliers			
Special conditions of Contract	☑ Cancellation of Contract/PO if the delivery/completion is delayed by 15 calendar days			
Conditions for Release of Payment	 Passing Inspection (checking compliance according to the technical specifications); Complete Installation; Written Acceptance of Goods and services based on full compliance with RFQ requirements 			
Annexes to this RFQ	 Annex 1 - Specifications of the Goods Required Annex 2 - Form for Submission of Quotation Annex 3 - General Terms and Conditions Non-acceptance of the terms of the General Terms and Conditions (GTC) shall be grounds for disqualification from this procurement process. 			
Contact Person for Inquiries (Written inquiries only)	Anna Soltan, Project Associate <u>anna.soltan@undp.org</u> Any delay in UNDP's response shall be not used as a reason for extending the deadline for submission, unless UNDP determines that such an extension is necessary and communicates a new deadline to the Proposers.			

Services provided shall be reviewed based on completeness and compliance of the quotation with the minimum specifications described above and any other annexes providing details of UNDP requirements.

The quotation that complies with all of the specifications, requirements and offers the lowest price, as well as all other evaluation criteria indicated, shall be selected. Any offer that does not meet the requirements shall be rejected.

Any discrepancy between the unit price and the total price (obtained by multiplying the unit price and quantity) shall be re-computed by UNDP. The unit price shall prevail, and the total price shall be corrected. If the supplier does not accept the final price based on UNDP's re-computation and correction of errors, its quotation will be rejected.

¹ UNDP reserves the right not to award the contract to the lowest priced offer, if the second lowest price among the responsive offer is found to be significantly more superior, and the price is higher than the lowest priced compliant offer by not more than 10%, and the budget can sufficiently cover the price difference. The term "more superior" as used in this provision shall refer to offers that have exceeded the pre-determined requirements established in the specifications.

After UNDP has identified the lowest price offer, UNDP reserves the right to award the contract based only on the prices of the services in the event that the transportation cost (freight and insurance) is found to be higher than UNDP's own estimated cost if sourced from its own freight forwarder and insurance provider.

At any time during the validity of the quotation, no price variation due to escalation, inflation, fluctuation in exchange rates, or any other market factors shall be accepted by UNDP after it has received the quotation. At the time of award of Contract or Purchase Order, UNDP reserves the right to vary (increase or decrease) the quantity of services and/or goods, by up to a maximum twenty- five per cent (25%) of the total offer, without any change in the unit price or other terms and conditions.

Any Purchase Order that will be issued as a result of this RFQ shall be subject to the General Terms and Conditions attached hereto. The mere act of submission of a quotation implies that the vendor accepts without question the General Terms and Conditions of UNDP herein attached as Annex 3.

UNDP is not bound to accept any quotation, nor award a contract/Purchase Order, nor be responsible for any costs associated with a Supplier's preparation and submission of a quotation, regardless of the outcome or the manner of conducting the selection process.

Please be advised that UNDP's vendor protest procedure is intended to afford an opportunity to appeal for persons or firms not awarded a purchase order or contract in a competitive procurement process. In the event that you believe you have not been fairly treated, you can find detailed information about vendor protest procedures in the following link: <u>http://www.undp.org/procurement/protest.shtml</u>.

UNDP encourages every prospective Vendor to avoid and prevent conflicts of interest, by disclosing to UNDP if you, or any of your affiliates or personnel, were involved in the preparation of the requirements, design, specifications, cost estimates, and other information used in this RFQ.

UNDP implements a zero tolerance on fraud and other proscribed practices, and is committed to identifying and addressing all such acts and practices against UNDP, as well as third parties involved in UNDP activities. UNDP expects its suppliers to adhere to the UN Supplier Code of Conduct found in this link: http://www.un.org/depts/ptd/pdf/conduct english.pdf.

Thank you and we look forward to receiving your quotation.

Sincerely yours,

Corina Oprea, Head of Operations

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Annex 1

Technical Specifications

Item	Description/Minimum specifications	Qty
1	New license: Wiley Registry of Mass Spectral Data 12th Edition + NIST 20 (2020) Mass Spectral Library	1
2	New license: NIST 20 (2020) Mass Spectral Library	1
3	Upgrade: NIST 20 (2020) Mass Spectral Library	

FORM FOR SUBMITTING SUPPLIER'S QUOTATION

(This Form must be submitted only using the Supplier's Official Letterhead/Stationery)

We, the undersigned, hereby accept in full the UNDP General Terms and Conditions, and hereby offer to supply the items listed below in conformity with the specification and requirements of UNDP as per RFQ Reference No. RfQ20/02052:

TABLE 1:	Offer to Supply	Goods Compliant with	Technical Specifications and	Requirements

ltem No.	Description/Specification of Goods	Quantity	Unit Price	Total Price per Item
1.	New license: Wiley Registry of Mass Spectral Data 12th Edition + NIST 20 (2020) Mass Spectral Library	1		
2.	New license: NIST 20 (2020) Mass Spectral Library	1		
3.	Upgrade: NIST 20 (2020) Mass Spectral Library	1		
	Total Prices of Goods			
	Add: Cost of Transportation			
	Add: Cost of Installation			
	Add: Other Charges (pls. specify)			
	Total Final and All-Inclusive Price Quotation			

TABLE 2: Offer to Comply with Other Conditions and Related Requirements

	Your Responses				
Other Information pertaining to our Quotation are as follows:	Yes, we will comply	No, we cannot comply	If you cannot comply, pls. indicate counter proposal		
Delivery Lead Time: up to 30 calendar days upon contract/PO issuance					
After-Sales Requirements					
 a) Software installation, customer and technical support for the required period – 1 (one) year 					
Validity of Quotation: 90 calendar days					
All Provisions of the UNDP General Terms and Conditions					

All other information that we have not provided automatically implies our full compliance with the requirements, terms and conditions of the RFQ.

[Name and Signature of the Supplier's Authorized Person] [Designation] [Date]