

GENERAL PROCUREMENT NOTICE
(GPN Ref. No.: ESDP-SB2020)

The below governments have received a grant from the Government of Japan which is financed and implemented within the framework of the supplementary budget FY2020, under the Economic and Social Development Programme.

In this sentence, Japan International Cooperation System (JICS) is the nominated procurement agent for the Recipient Governments and will be conducting the procurement of eligible products and services through request for quotations to Japanese companies.

As a procurement agent on behalf of the Recipient Governments, JICS announces procurement exercises as follows:

1. Eligible Products and /or Services to be procured

(1) Products

- Medical equipment
- Related equipment and/or materials for operation and maintenance of medical equipment
- Any equipment and/or materials required in the medical site(s) in the recipient countries

(2) Services

- Services necessary for the procurement and transportation of the above-mentioned products to be procured
- Training services and other necessary services for operation and maintenance of medical equipment (if required)
- Consulting services (if required)

2. Subject Area / Country

The recipient countries will be updated upon commencement of each grant. Please refer to Attachment.

The procurement will commence for each programme and for each country as soon as the detailed conditions for the procurement of products and / or services to be procured are determined by the recipient country and JICS.

3. Eligibility

Companies must meet all of the following criteria:

(1) Japanese nationals

- Companies shall be Japanese nationals (Japanese physical persons or juridical persons controlled by Japanese physical persons)
- Companies shall be Japanese companies incorporated and registered under Japan Law with their head-quarters in Japan.
- The majority of companies' capital with voting rights shall be owned by Japanese nationals and majority of board members are Japanese physical persons
- Companies shall not fall under any of the items of Article 26, paragraph 1 of the Foreign Exchange and Foreign Trade Act (Gaikokukawase-oyobi-Gaikokuboeki-Ho, Law No.228 of

1949, Japan).

- (2) Companies must have over 5 years of business experiences, and more than 5 track records of delivering medical equipment on an ODA or commercial basis.
- (3) Companies' current account balance shall not be deficit for 3 consecutive years and companies shall not be insolvent.
- (4) Companies shall not be under the measures of the Government of Japan and the Japan International Cooperation Agency.

*Additional eligibilities may be required for each procurement.

4. Registration

It is a prerequisite for all companies wishing to participate in the opportunities to register their interest by sending the following documents to JICS by e-mail at **esdp_sb2020@jics.or.jp**.

- Registration form ([click here to download](#)): to be submitted in PDF format, password-protected
- Copies of your company's audited accounts (balance sheets and income statements) for the last 3 consecutive years

The e-mail should be marked in the subject as follows: ESDP-SB2020/Registration/(Company Name).

It is the companies' responsibilities to contact JICS by telephone or e-mail to confirm that JICS is in receipt of their registration documents.

Once companies are registered, their registration becomes valid for all the countries to be listed in Attachment. It is not necessary to submit the registration documents for each country individually.

Request for quotations will be issued only to the eligible companies whose registration documents have been submitted to JICS by 5:00 p.m. on the business day prior to the issuing date of each request for quotations.

5. Contact

For further information please contact:

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Subject Area / Country

The information will be updated after confirming the conclusion of Exchange of Notes (E/N) between the Government of Japan and the Government of each recipient country.

(1) Asia

Date of E/N	Name of Country	Status*
June 5, 2020	Republic of the Union of Myanmar	In progress
June 5, 2020	Lao People's Democratic Republic	Completed
June 5, 2020	Kingdom of Cambodia	Completed
June 7, 2020	Republic of Maldives	Completed
June 16, 2020	The Democratic Republic of Timor-Leste	Completed
June 17, 2020	Mongolia	Completed
June 23, 2020	Kingdom of Bhutan	Completed
June 25, 2020	Federal Democratic Republic of Nepal	Completed
August 31, 2020	India	In preparation
September 7, 2020	Socialist Republic of Viet Nam	In progress
January 22, 2021	Malaysia	Completed

(2) Oceania

Date of E/N	Name of Country	Status*
June 11, 2020	Independent State of Samoa	Completed
June 11, 2020	Republic of the Marshall Islands	Completed
June 12, 2020	Federated States of Micronesia	Completed
June 15, 2020	Republic of Palau	Completed
June 17, 2020	Solomon Islands	Completed
June 17, 2020	Cook Islands	Completed
June 18, 2020	Niue	Completed
June 18, 2020	Tuvalu	Completed
June 22, 2020	Republic of Vanuatu	Completed
June 23, 2020	Republic of Nauru	Completed
June 25, 2020	Independent State of Papua New Guinea	Completed
June 29, 2020	Republic of Fiji	Completed
July 6, 2020	Kingdom of Tonga	Completed
July 23, 2020	Republic of Kiribati	Completed

(3) Francophone Africa

Date of E/N	Name of Country	Status*
July 2, 2020	Republic of Cameroon	Completed
July 6, 2020	Republic of Cote d'Ivoire	Completed
July 7, 2020	Republic of Guinea	Completed
July 7, 2020	Republic of Benin	Completed
July 13, 2020	Republic of Djibouti	Completed
July 15, 2020	Islamic Republic of Mauritania	Completed
July 16, 2020	Gabonese Republic	Completed
July 28, 2020	Republic of Senegal	In progress
August 6, 2020	Democratic Republic of the Congo	Completed
August 6, 2020	Republic of Madagascar	Completed
August 27, 2020	Republic of Niger	Completed
September 4, 2020	Union of Comoros	Completed
October 9, 2020	Burkina Faso	Completed
November 11, 2020	Republic of Congo	In progress
February 24, 2021	Republic of Mali	In progress

(4) Middle East and North Africa

Date of E/N	Name of Country	Status*
July 10, 2020	Kingdom of Morocco	Completed
July 27, 2020	Jordan	Completed
October 21, 2020	Arab Republic of Egypt	Completed

(5) Latin America and the Caribbean

Date of E/N	Name of Country	Status*
June 12, 2020	Republic of Honduras	Completed
June 16, 2020	Jamaica	Completed
June 19, 2020	Republic of Haiti	Completed
June 22, 2020	Republic of Panama	Completed
June 25, 2020	Dominican Republic	Completed
July 3, 2020	The Plurinational State of Bolivia	Completed
July 21, 2020	Republic of Peru	Completed
July 23, 2020	Republic of El Salvador	Completed
August 3, 2020	Republic of Colombia	Completed
August 4, 2020	Republic of Guatemala	Completed
August 5, 2020	Republic of Paraguay	Completed
August 7, 2020	Republic of Ecuador	Completed
September 8, 2020	Republic of Chile	Completed
September 16, 2020	Republic of Cuba	Completed
December 9, 2020	Argentine Republic	Completed

*Status

In preparation: in preparation for request for quotations

In progress: the first request for quotations has been issued, followed by other requests for quotations

Completed: all requests for quotations have been issued

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