

## Lao People's Democratic Republic Peace Independence Democracy Unity Prosperity

## Invitation for Bids

- The Lao People's Democratic Republic has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the Global Partnership for Education III - Learning and Equity Acceleration Project (GPE III - LEAP), and intends to apply part of the proceeds toward payments under the contract for Supply and Delivery of 447 packs of Kitchen Utensils for School Meal Program (SMP) for the MoES.
- 2. The Lao PDR Education Coordination Unit (ECU) of the Ministry of Education and Sports (MoES) now invites sealed Bids from eligible Bidders for supply of the following Goods:

#	Description of Goods	Quantity	Project Site
1	Kitchen Utensils for 3 Provinces	149 packs	3 Districts, in Phongsaly, Oudomxay and Xayabouly
2	Kitchen Utensilsfor 2 Provinces	166 packs	4 Districts, in 2 provinces Bolikhamxay and Savannakhet
3	Kitchen Utensilsfor 1 Province	132 packs	6 Districts, in 1 province Houaphan

The Goods shall be delivered to 13 District Bureau, in 6 Provinces as Phongsaly, Oudomxay, Xayyabouly, Houaphan, Bolikhamxay and Savannakhet provinces under the Global Partnership for Education III - Learning and Equity Acceleration Project (GPE III - LEAP);

Time of delivery – up to 90 days. The Supplier shall be required to provide Related Services for the supplied Goods, as described in the RFB.

- Bidding will be conducted through the national competitive procurement using a Request For Bids (RFB) procedures
  as specified in the World Bank's <u>Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers</u> July 2016, revised November 2020 edition
  and is open to all eligible bidders as defined in the Procurement Regulations.
- 4. Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from ECU-MoES and inspect the bidding documents during office hours 09:00 to 16:00 hours at the address given below.
- 5. A complete set of bidding documents in English for free by interested eligible bidders upon the submission of a written application to the address below. The document will be picked up from ECU's office or sent via e-mail for free.
- 6. Bids must be delivered to the address below on or before 14:00 pm (Lao Time) of 10 October 2025. Late bids will be rejected. Bids will be publicly opened in the presence of the bidders' designated representatives and anyone who choose to attend at the address below at 14:00 pm (Lao Time) of 10 October 2025.
- All bids must be accompanied by a Bid Securing Declaration, in the form provided in the bidding document.
- The address referred to above is(are): Global Partnership for Education III Learning and Equity Acceleration
  Project Education Sector; GPE III-LEAP, Ministry of Education and Sports
  Room: ECU, Department of Planning, New Building, Ministry of Education and Sports

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