



Embassy of the United States of America

San Salvador, El Salvador, C.A.

June 10, 2013

Dear Prospective Offeror/Quoter:

The American Embassy San Salvador, has a requirement for a contractor to provide 100 Anti-Riot Gear. You are invited to submit a quotation. The Request for Quotations (RFQ) consists of the following sections:

1. Standard Form SF-18
2. Basic information and specifications.

The Embassy plans to award a purchase order. You are encouraged to make your quotation competitive. You are also cautioned against any collusion with other potential offerors with regard to price quotations to be submitted. The RFQ does not commit the American Embassy to make any award. The Embassy may cancel this RFQ or any part of it.

Please read the RFQ carefully, and if you are interested, submit your quotation. Return the completed SF-18 to the address shown in Block 5a of the SF-18 by June 21, 2013, at 10:00 a.m. (MST). Oral quotations will not be accepted.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Fritz Berggren".

Fritz Berggren
Contracting Officer

Enclosure:

As Stated.

REQUEST FOR QUOTATIONS <i>(THIS IS NOT AN ORDER)</i>		THIS RFQ [] IS [x] IS NOT A SMALL BUSINESS- SMALL PURCHASE SET-ASIDE (52.219-4)			PAGE 1	OF 1	PAGES 4
1. REQUEST NO. S-ES600-13-Q-0035	2. DATE ISSUED 06/10/2013	3. REQUISITION/PURCHASE REQUEST NO. PR2553881	4. CERT. FOR NAT. DEF. UNDER BDSA REG. 2 AND/OR DMS REG. 1		RATING		
5A. ISSUED BY General Services Office, American Embassy, (North Gate) Blvd. y Urb. Santa Elena, Antiguo Cuscatlán, El Salvador				6. DELIVER BY (Date) 30 DAYS			
5B. FOR INFORMATION CALL: (Name and telephone no.) (No collect calls)				7. DELIVERY			
NAME Mayra Melara		TELEPHONE NUMBER		FOB DESTINATION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OTHER (See Schedule)			
		AREA CODE	NUMBER 2501-2806				
8. TO:				9. DESTINATION			
a. NAME		b. COMPANY		a. NAME OF CONSIGNEE Embajada Americana			
c. STREET ADDRESS				b. STREET ADDRESS Blvd. y Urb. Santa Elena, Antiguo Cuscatlan,			
d. CITY		e. STATE		f. ZIP CODE		c. CITY El Salvador	
				d. STATE	e. ZIP CODE		
10. PLEASE FURNISH QUOTATIONS TO THE ISSUING OFFICE IN BLOCK 5A ON OR BEFORE CLOSE OF BUSINESS (Date) June 21, 2013 at 10:00 a.m. (MST)		IMPORTANT: This is a request for information, and quotations furnished are not offers. If you are unable to quote, please so indicate on this form and return it to the address in Block 5A. This request does not commit the Government to pay any costs incurred in the preparation of the submission of this quotation or to contract for supplies or services. Supplies are of domestic origin unless otherwise indicated by quoter. Any representations and/or certifications attached to this Request for Quotations must be completed by the quoter					
11. SCHEDULE (Include applicable Federal, State and local taxes)							
ITEM NO. (a)	SUPPLIES/SERVICES (b)	QUANTITY (c)	UNIT (d)	UNIT PRICE (e)	AMOUNT (f)		
1	Provide a quotation for Anti Riot Gear, per attached specifications. Quotations to be delivered at the Embassy North Gate, final Calle Conchagua., or by email to: <u>MelaraME@state.gov</u> Closing date: On or before June 21, 2013 at 10:00 a.m.(MST). No late proposals will be accepted. IVA exemption card: EU-648	90 Medium 10 Large	EA EA	US\$ US\$			
12 DISCOUNT FOR PROMPT PAYMENT		a. 10 CALENDAR DAYS %	b. 20 CALENDAR DAYS %	c. 30 CALENDAR DAYS %	d. CALENDAR DAYS		
					NUMBER	%	
NOTE: Additional provisions and representations [] are [x] are not attached.							
13 NAME AND ADDRESS OF QUOTER			14 SIGNATURE OF PERSON AUTHORIZED TO SIGN QUOTATION		15 DATE OF QUOTATION		
a. NAME OF QUOTER							
b. STREET ADDRESS			16. SIGNER				
c. COUNTY			a. NAME (Type or print)			b. TELEPHONE	
d. CITY	e. STATE	f. ZIP CODE	c. TITLE (Type or print)			AREA CODE	
						NUMBER	

STANDARD FORM 18

ANTI RIOT GEAR MODULAR HARD SHELL CROWD CONTROL SYSTEM

Protection suit design to provide substantial protection from blunt force trauma without sacrificing the fit or comfort, the suit must be lightweight and ranks highest in easy to put on or take off in a moment's notice. The front and back hard shell panels have a design allowing for all shapes and sizes to fit comfortably without sacrificing much needed mobility. The forearm guard offers a much more comfortable elbow portion of the pad, which allows more flexibility. The knee/shin guard has a non-slip surface, which keeps you planted in position. The suit must have these parts:

<p>Upper Body and Shoulder Protection:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hard shell front and back panel feature that allows optimum movement, fit, and comfort • Hard shell front and back panels • Modular front and back panels steel riveted together with nylon connector straps which attach by Velcro • Shock absorbing foam with a Polyester mesh covers the chest, back, shoulder, and upper arm • Shock absorbing foam that covers both top of shoulder and upper arm • Mesh lines inside of the upper body and shoulder portion which offers comfort and breathability for long term wear • Adjustable straps fasten with durable nylon elastic and Velcro 	
<p>Forearm Protector:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Two piece hard shell that provides flex needed by forearm and elbow • Shock absorbing foam • Polyester mesh lines the inside which offers comfort and breathability • Adjustable straps fasten with durable nylon elastic and Velcro 	
<p>Thigh and Groin Protector:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hard outer shell on thigh and hip sections • Shock absorbing foam and nylon covers for entire outside • Polyester mesh lines the inside which offers comfort and breathability • Tailbone pad • Groin section shell with foam padding and mesh cover • Adjustable straps fasten with durable nylon elastic and Velcro 	
<p>Knee and Shin Guards:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hard knee caps with non-slip grip • Hard shell shin plates with dull black finish to avoid reflection • Foam padded nylon inner support • Inner support riveted to the shin plates for ultimate durability • Multiple adjustable nylon elastic and Velcro straps give a secure fit • Removable adjustable foot guards 	
<p>Gear Bag:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kit must include a bag designed specifically to store/carry the suit components, color: black 	

Color: **BLACK**

Quantity: **100 ea.**

Sizes: **90 Medium, 10 Large.**

Each piece of the suit fastens and adjusts quickly with durable nylon straps, Velcro, and quickly connects with clips that allow each individual a custom fit.

ACRONYM ON FRONT: Contractor may offer customized suit with the acronym "DGCP" and also the option without letters.

For prospective local vendors, the delivery address will be:

American Embassy
Final Calle Conchagua
Porton Norte
Santa Elena, Antiguo Cuscatlan
La Libertad, El Salvador.

For prospective US vendors, the delivery address will be:

JIT Warehouse
11380 NW 34TH ST
Doral, FL 33178

Delivery date: 30 days or less.

Payment: Net-30 days after receiving the merchandise at our Warehouses (for local vendors) or JIT in Miami (for US vendors).

Quotations are to be delivered at the Embassy North Gate, final Calle Conchagua., or by email to: MelaraME@state.gov

Closing date: On or before June 21, 2013 at 10:00 a.m. No late proposals will be accepted.

EVALUATION CRITERIA

Award will be made to the lowest priced, acceptable, responsible quoter. The Government reserves the right to reject quotations that are unreasonably low or high in price.

The Government will determine acceptability by assessing the offeror's compliance with the terms of the RFQ. The Government will determine responsibility by analyzing whether the apparent successful quoter complies with the requirements of FAR 9.1, including:

- ability to comply with the required performance period, taking into consideration all existing commercial and governmental business commitments;
- satisfactory record of integrity and business ethics;
- necessary organization, experience, and skills or the ability to obtain them;
- necessary equipment and facilities or the ability to obtain them; and
- otherwise qualified and eligible to receive an award under applicable laws and regulations.

FAR 52.252-2 Clauses Incorporated By Reference (FEB 1998)

This purchase order incorporates the following clauses by reference, with the same force and effect as if they were given in full text. Upon request, the Contracting Officer will make their full text available. Also, the full text of a clause may be accessed electronically at this address: <http://www.acqnet.gov/far>

DOSAR clauses may be accessed at:
<http://www.statebuy.state.gov/dosar/dosartoc.htm>

