

**PRE-SOLICITATION NOTICE: Solicitation number S-IZ100-13-R-0016 for the construction of a new camp for Iraqi Police Dignitary Protection Unit (DPU) located inside the International Zone, Baghdad, Iraq.**

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**PURPOSE**

This is a U.S. Embassy Baghdad Pre-Solicitation Notice only. Contractors are requested to read the below requirements. No responses are requested by this notice. The U.S. Embassy Baghdad issues this notice with the intent of giving an opportunity to all interested parties to appropriately prepare for the anticipated Request for Proposal (RFP).

**This is not a request for proposal; this is for pre-solicitation / informational purposes only. No award will be made on the basis of responses received to this notice.**

**BACKGROUND**

The U.S. Embassy – Baghdad has a requirement for the construction of a new camp for Iraqi Police Dignitary Protection Unit (DPU) located inside the International Zone, Baghdad, Iraq. Anticipated service performance is within a period of estimated 90 days.

**PROPOSED CONTRACT ACTION**

The Contractor shall provide services as described herein at the U.S. Embassy – Baghdad.

Accordingly, the U.S. Embassy Baghdad plans the issuance of the following solicitation (RFP):

1. RFP reference number: S-IZ100-13-R-0016
2. RFP Title: Construction of a new Diplomatic Protection Unit (DPU) Camp located inside the International Zone, Baghdad, Iraq.
3. RFP issuance date: in May, 2013
4. RFP issuance method: Electronic RFP distribution through the U.S. Embassy web site at [http://iraq.usembassy.gov/gso\\_procurement.html](http://iraq.usembassy.gov/gso_procurement.html) - no paper copies will be mailed. All responsible sources holding appropriate permits may submit a proposal in response to the RFP, to be considered by the U.S. Embassy – Baghdad.
5. RFP response date: to be determined.
6. Award date: To be determined.
7. Award type: a firm fixed price completion type contract. The quantities that will be stated in the solicitation are based on the Government's requirements.
8. Award procedures: In accordance with FAR 14.2 and FAR 14.3
9. Duration of contract period: a period of estimated 90 days to complete the service requirement.
10. Place of performance: Diplomatic Protection Unit in the International Zone Baghdad, Republic of Iraq.

11. Special contract requirements:

- a) The Contractor shall possess all permits, licenses, and any other appointments required for the prosecution of work under this contract.

The U.S. Embassy Baghdad plans to hold a pre-proposal conference for Contractors.

Interested parties are reminded that information furnished hereunder may be subject to disclosure under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA). Therefore, all items that are confidential to business, or contain trade secrets, proprietary, or personnel information must be clearly marked. Marking of items will not necessarily preclude disclosure when the U.S. Embassy Baghdad determines disclosure is warranted by FOIA. However, if such items are not marked, all information contained within the submitted documents will be deemed releasable.