

# INVITATION FOR BIDS



## GOVERNMENT OF SINDH SCHOOL EDUCATION & LITERACY DEPARTMENT NATIONAL COMPETITIVE BIDDING

### INTRODUCTION:

In pursuance of the Government of Sindh's (GoS) notification No. SO(G-1)E&L/SEMO/2015 dated March 12, 2015, the Schools Education & Literacy Department (SELD) of the Government of Sindh invites Bids from reputed, experienced and registered organizations/institutes/NGOs/firms/consortia/ or joint ventures for the management and operation of four (04) district packages of public sector schools under Sindh Basic Education Program (SBEP).

### THE PROJECT:

The Government of Sindh aims to partner with credible Education Management Organizations (EMOs) from the private sector to manage and improve the functioning of public schools by introducing innovations, modernizing the education system, addressing management gaps, maintaining and cooperatively working along with teachers, schools' staff, school management committees, surrounding communities and local tiers of the Schools Education and Literacy Department. In order to improve the standard of education in the Province of Sindh, the Government of Sindh, acting through the SELD, envisages a Public Private Partnership (PPP) with EMOs in Sindh.

### PROJECT STRUCTURE:

The Project shall be structured as a multi-year management contract, which shall include, inter alia, the responsibility of managing and operating selected packages of public sector schools and achieving the key performance indicators set by the Government of Sindh. The ownership, however, of all public sector schools in a package will remain with the Government of Sindh.

### BID DOCUMENT:

From Tuesday, 3<sup>rd</sup> April 2018, interested organizations can download necessary documents including eligibility criteria free of cost from: [www.sindheducation.gov.pk](http://www.sindheducation.gov.pk) | [www.pprasindh.gov.pk](http://www.pprasindh.gov.pk) | [www.pppunitsindh.gov.pk](http://www.pppunitsindh.gov.pk). The hard copy of the Documents may also be obtained free of cost from the office of the PPP (NODE), SELD during office hours.

### IMPORTANT NOTES:

1. In case of Emergency / Holiday announced by the Government on the scheduled date of opening, the bids shall be opened on the next working day.
2. PPP Node - SELD will organize pre-bid meeting(s) to explain the bidding process in detail. The date of the pre-bid meeting(s) shall be announced in 2<sup>nd</sup> week of April 2018 on [www.sindheducation.gov.pk](http://www.sindheducation.gov.pk).
3. All interested bidders are required to be registered with relevant government authorities. Detailed eligibility criteria is given in the bidding documents.
4. All interested firms are advised to carry out a comprehensive on-ground survey of the project area and come up with a practical strategy and project proposal in order to minimize any complication during implementation phase.
5. SELD will not be responsible for any cost or expenses incurred by bidding firms and reserves the right to terminate the procurement process at any time subject to relevant provision of SPP Rules 2010 (as amended from time to time).
6. The bids must be submitted in English language under sealed envelope by hand or through courier not later than the below mentioned bid submission date. The bids will be opened in presence of representatives of bidders at the given bid opening date and time.

### Contact for Queries and Bid Submission:

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DISTRICT PACKAGES	BIDDING SYSTEM	BID SUBMISSION DATE	BID OPENING DATE
Package # 1: District Sukkur Package # 2: District Larkana Package # 3: District Qamber Shahdadkot Package # 4: District Dadu	Single Stage - Two Envelope Procedure Under Rule 46(2) of Sindh Public Procurement (SPP) Rules 2010 (as amended from time to time)	15-MAY-2018 Time: 02 : 00 PM	15-MAY-2018 Time: 03 : 00 PM

