< Request for Proposal >

- Technical Training course for Asi@Connect LMICs and LDCs -

1. Publication reference:

Asi@Connect Project ACA 2016/372-562

2. Program title:

Network Technical training for 12 LMICs and LDCs of Asi@Connect

3. Maximum Budget:

Not Disclosed

4. Terms of Contract:

March to August 2024 (6 months)

5. Contracting authority:

TEIN*CC (Seoul, Republic of Korea)

6. Contract description:

- The successful tenderer will deliver 12 courses, one for each country listed below.
- The courses will involve cyber security, routing, SDN, and others.
- The trainers will be dispatched to each country for up to 5 days to conduct the training sessions. The following countries are included: Bangladesh, Bhutan, Cambodia, Laos, Nepal, India, Indonesia, Mongolia, Pakistan, Philippines, Sri Lanka, and Vietnam.
- Participating countries will take care of the administrative support, such as venue, equipment, catering, trainee registration, connectivity, and other related tasks.

7. Eligibility

Please refer to Attachment 1 below for further information

8. Evaluation Criteria

- Contracts will be awarded to the tenderer who is the most technically competitive, with technical aspects accounting for 80% and price accounting for 20% of the total evaluation. However, in order to be considered for further evaluation, each applicant must first pass an eligibility test. If an applicant is found to be ineligible based on Section 7, they will not proceed to the next stage of evaluation.
- Among the eligible applicants, their proposals will be evaluated to determine their feasibility and validity. The contract will then be awarded to the tenderer who is the most technically competitive, based on the evaluation criteria.

9. Additional Information

The proposal should be able to cover 12 entire countries.

10. Documents required for responding to this RFP

No standard forms or formats exist and are issued. However, at least, the following information must be included through this tender.

- Proposal and detailed price information for the courses
- List of available courses by the tenderer
- CVs' of trainers and any similar training records performed

11. Submission of tenders

Tenders must be submitted in English via email addressed to pmt@teincc.org. They should be submitted by 7 February, 23:59 (UTC+09:00).

12. Communications

Please send all queries or comments to pmt@teincc.org

Attachment 1. List of Countries eligible to participate in the tender process.

1. Participation in this tender is normally open on equal terms to the following nationals or legal persons:

- Legal persons from Asi@Connect partners countries.

Number	Country	Number	Country
1	Afghanistan	13	Mongolia
2	Australia	14	Myanmar
3	Bangladesh	15	Nepal
4	Bhutan	16	New Zealand
5	Cambodia	17	Pakistan
6	China	18	Philippines
7	Hong Kong	19	Singapore
8	India	20	South Korea
9	Indonesia	21	Sri Lanka
10	Japan	22	Thailand
11	Laos	23	Vietnam
12	Malaysia	24	Chinese Taipei

- Legal persons from several non-EU OECD/DAC member countries, namely Canada, Switzerland and the United States.
- 2. Please check TEIN*CC if your entity's eligibility is still unclear and address it to pmt@teincc.org.

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