

TENDER NOTICE

Contract title: Sostegno a un'istruzione inclusiva di qualità e miglioramento della protezione a bambine e bambini vulnerabili Libanesi e rifugiati nel Nord del Libano - Support to quality and inclusive education and improvement of protection for vulnerable girls and boys Lebanese and refugees in North Lebanon

Location – (Tripoli - North Lebanon, Jurd-el Kaytee - Akkar)

Cooperazione Internazionale herein referred to as "COOPI" has received a grant from the Italian Agency for Development and Cooperation (AICS) for the implementation of the humanitarian Action entitled "Iniziativa di Emergenza per sostenere l'accesso equo alle opportunità educative per i bambini e ragazzi in età scolare vittime della crisi siriana AID - 12228 12511" and intends to apply a portion of that grant to payments under this contract. No party other than (COOPI) shall derive any rights from the grant or have any claim to its proceeds. Under no circumstances or for no reason whatsoever will AICS entertain any request for indemnity or payment directly submitted by COOPI's contractors."

1. Publication reference

T0012023

2. Program

INIZIATIVA DI EMERGENZA PER L'ISTRUZIONE E LA PROTEZIONE DEI BAMBINI IN ETÀ SCOLARE IN LIBANO - AID12228 - 12511 - Emergency initiative for education and protection for school age children in Lebanon

AID-12228-12511

3. Contracting authority

Cooperazione Internazionale - COOPI

4. Description of the contract

The object of this contract is to provide renovation and rehabilitation works in 5 public schools identified in collaboration with MEHE (Ministry of Education and High Education) and 3 Social Development centers identified together with MoSA (Ministry of Social Affairs) located in Tripoli, north Governorate and Jurd-el-Khaytee - Akkar. These works will integrate the target items already finalized in the contract with respect to MEHE and MoSA specifications

5. Exclusion Clauses

The contracting authority will exclude from participation in the tender procedure candidates or tenderers falling into any of the following cases:

- a) They are bankrupt or being wound up, are having their affairs administered by the courts, have entered into an arrangement with creditors, have suspended business activities, are the subject of proceedings concerning those matters,

- b) They have been convicted of an offence concerning their professional conduct by a judgement that has the force of res judicata;
- c) They have been guilty of grave professional misconduct proven by any means that the contracting authority can justify;
- d) They have not fulfilled obligations relating to the payment of social security contributions or the payment of taxes in accordance with the legal provisions of the country in which they are established or with those of the country of the contracting authority or those of the country where the contract is to be performed;
- e) contract is to be performed;
- f) They have been the subject of a judgement that has the force of res judicata for fraud, corruption, involvement in a criminal organisation or any other illegal activity;
- g) Following another procurement procedure or grant award procedure, they have been declared to be in serious breach of contract for failure to comply with their contractual obligations. Candidates or tenderers must certify by any relevant means that they are not in one of the situations listed above.

6. Period of execution

1 June, 2023 – 1 October, 2023

7. Selection and award criteria

The tender commission will not necessarily choose on the basis of lowest price alone but will award the contract on the basis of value for money, price, quality, compliance with international norms, delay for delivery. The experience of the tenderer in the performance of similar contracts will be as well a criterion for selection.

8. How to obtain the tender dossier

The tender dossier is available upon request via email at pm.cfw.lebanon@coopi.org and log.lebanon@coopi.org. Tenders must be submitted using the standard tender form included in the tender dossier, whose format and instructions must be strictly observed. Tenderers with questions regarding this tender should send them in writing to COOPI's engineer at pm.cfw.lebanon@coopi.org and log.lebanon@coopi.org in cc.

Any attempt to contact the Contracting Authority through different means than via emails will lead to a disqualification of the contractor.

9. Deadline for submission of tenders

Friday May 12th, 2023 at 12.00 am (GMT+3) at COOPI Tripoli office

Tripoli, Behsas, Basatine region, Al Zafer bldg, block A, 3rd floor

Any tender received after this deadline will not be considered

10. Site Visits

Site visit is **mandatory** to all the companies that are planning to apply for this Tender. The visit will be organized by COOPI on the 3rd of May 2023 in Tripoli and on the 4th of May 2023 in Akkar.