Pursuant to Article 69 and Article 70, paragraph 1, item 2) and Article 72, paragraph 1, item 1) of the Public Procurement Act, (*Official Gazette of the Republic of Serbia* nos. 39/02, 43/03, 55/04 and 101/05), approval from the Public Procurement Office no. 404-02-2283/08 of 07.04.2008, Decision on initiating public procurement procedure no. 1-07-404-4/08 of 25.03.2008, the

## REPUBLIC TELECOMMUNICATION AGENCY 11000 Belgrade, Višnjićeva 8

hereby announces

## PUBLIC INVITATION TO TENDER

for procurement of goods – measuring equipment, split into lots from I to IV (public procurement no. 1-07-404-4/08)

- 1. The subject of the public procurement is procurement of goods measuring equipment, split into lots as follows:
- Lot I special vehicle for coverage measurement, with the accompanying equipment,
  - Lot II portable EM field strength meters with antennas,
  - Lot III signal analysis measuring equipment,
  - Lot IV navigation equipment,

so that each Lot may be contracted separately, pursuant to the specification and characteristics stipulated in the Tender Documentation.

2. Any national or foreign legal or natural entity fulfilling the requirements set out in Article 45 of the Public Procurement Act (Official Gazette of the Republic of Serbia nos. 39/02, 43/03, 55/04 and 101/05) which submits the evidence of compliance with the requirements set out in Article 46 of the Public Procurement Act, as well as other evidence required by the Tender Documentation, may participate in the public tender procedure.

The evidence of fulfilment of requirements shall be submitted in form of original documents, or certified photocopies thereof where the original shall be submitted for inspection at Client's request. The evidence of fulfilment of requirements may not be older than six months as of the day the Public Invitation to Tender is published.

In case the head office of the Bidder is located in a foreign country, the documents which are evidence of fulfilment of requirements shall be certified by the relevant authority in the country of the Bidder's head office (administrative or juridical authority and/or Chamber of Commerce) and/or the Embassy of the relevant country in Serbia, and shall be translated and certified by a sworn-in-court translator.

The Bidder is required to inform the Client of any change in the data from the documents which are evidence of fulfilment of requirements, in writing, no later than five days after the change has occurred, and support it by documentary evidence as stipulated.

3. The Bidder may submit a Bid for one or more Lots depending on fulfillment of requirements stipulated in the Tender Documentation for each Lot.

The Bidder shall specify in the Bid whether the Bid applies to the whole procurement or only to specific Lots.

In case the Bidder submits a Bid for several or all Lots, it shall be submitted in such way that it can be evaluated for each Lot separately.

The Bid shall be prepared in manner fully compliant with the Tender Documentation and shall fulfill all requirements for participating in the Public Tender Procedure, pursuant to the published Public Invitation to Tender.

A Variant Bid may not be submitted for Lots II and IV.

A Variant Bid may be submitted for Lots I and III.

4. Interested Bidders may examine the Tender Documentation and take over a copy thereof within 20 days after this Public Invitation to Tender has been published in the *Official Gazette of the Republic of Serbia*, at the Client's premises: Republic Telecommunication Agency, Belgrade, Višnjićeva 8, ground floor, office no. 2, every working day, from 10.00 to 14.00 hours.

When taking over the Tender Documentation, the Bidder shall submit the evidence of payment in the amount of RSD 3,000.00 against the costs of taking over the Tender Documentation. The payment shall be made to the account number: 840-963627-41, reference number 1-07-404-4/08, purpose of payment: Tender Documentation for JN MO – Lot \_\_\_\_.

When taking over the Tender Documentation, the representative of the Bidder shall present the authorization for taking over the Tender Documentation issued by the potential Bidder and certified and signed by an authorized person.

The representative of the Bidder who is taking over the Tender Documentation shall submit a statement on the official e-mail address of the potential Bidder and on the address of the Bidder's head office. The statement shall be certified and signed by a Bidder's authorized person.

In the event of any inconsistency between the English and Serbian texts of the Tender Documentation, the Serbian text shall prevail.

5. The bids shall be delivered by registered mail or personally to the following address:

Republička agencija za telekomunikacije
11000 Beograd
Višnjićeva broj 8
- Pisarnica "Ponuda za javnu nabavku dobara - br. 1-07-404-4/08"
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The Bidder shall submit the Bid in a sealed envelope, so that it may be verified at the bid opening that the envelope remained unopened.

The correct address and contact telephone of the Bidder need to be indicated on the back of the envelope.

6. Interested Bidders may submit their Bids, fully compliant with this Tender Documentation, no later than 12.00 hours local time, on the thirtieth day following the publishing of the Public Invitation to Tender in the *Official Gazette of the Republic of Serbia*.

In case the last day for submitting the Bids is a Saturday, Sunday or a public holiday, the deadline shall be 12.00 hours local time, on the first following working day.

A timely Bid shall be the Bid which arrives to the indicated address of the Client by the aforementioned hour and date.

Bids delivered after expiry of the hour and date specified in this Public Invitation to Tender shall be considered late and, after the opening of the bids has been completed, they will be returned to the Bidders unopened, with the note that they were submitted late.

7. Bids delivered on time will be opened publicly at the following address: Republic Telecommunication Agency, Belgrade, Višnjićeva 8, at 12.30 hrs, on the day indicated in the Tender Documentation, i.e. on the last day for submitting the Bids.

Authorized representatives of Bidders may be present at the bid opening. They shall present their authorizations to the Public Procurement Commission to substantiate their capacity of representatives.

- 8. The criteria for evaluation of the Bids in the open tender procedure shall be as follows:
- for Lots I, II and III, the economically most advantageous bid, pursuant to the Tender Documentation,
  - for Lot IV the lowest price offered, pursuant to the Tender Documentation.
  - 9. The bids shall be valid as follows:
    - for Lot I: 150 days following the day of bid opening,
    - for II and III: 90 days following the day of bid opening,
    - for Lot IV: 30 days following the day of bid opening.
- 10. The decision on assigning the contract for the public procurement shall be made no later than 15 days after the opening of the bids and the Bidders shall be informed thereof in writing.
- 11. For additional information concerning this Public Invitation to Tender please contact Mr. Branko Čizmić, tel. +381 (11) 202-69-03, working days, from 10.00 to 14.00 hrs.