

AMENDMENT NO. 3

Employer: National Recovery Program Bureau (NRPB) **Project:** Emergency Debris Management Project

Contract title: *Tire shredding services*

Country: *Sint Maarten*

Loan No. / Credit No. / Grant No.: TF-B9747

RFB No: SX-NRPB-390501-NC-RFB

Date: Thursday, April 18th, 2024

Dear Bidders,

Please take note of the following AMENDMENT ("Amendment") WHEREAS

Letter of Invitation, point #5 is amended as follows:

This tender follows an electronic procurement procedure further elaborated in ITB 21 of this document. Encrypted/Password Protected Bids must be sent to procurement@nrpbsxm.org on or before Wednesday, April 24, 2024 @ 10:00 AM (AST).

Encryption Key/and or password must be sent to pool@bakertillycuracao.com Wednesday, April 24, 2024, between 10:01 AM (AST) and 11:00 AM (AST). Late Bids will be rejected. Bids will be opened by Video Conference in the presence of the Bidders' designated representatives on Wednesday, April 24, 2024 at 11:00 AM (AST). Confirmation of receipt and video conferencing information will be shared upon receipt of timely Bids. Documents that must be signed by an authorized representative should include language that digital copies of these documents will be treated as if they are originals. Original documents may be requested as part of the evaluation process and will be verified by the Employer before the signing of the contract.

DocuSign may be used for the submission of legal documents (such as the Letter of Bid Securing Declaration, Authorizations, etc.) and for Contract Signing.

Section II- Bid Data Sheet (BDS) clause ITB 22.1, is amended as follows: Substitute clause with:

"The Bidder shall submit the Bid in two distinct folders, namely the Technical Part and the Financial Part. Each folder should utilize an encrypted or password-protected format. The securely encrypted or password-protected Bid must be transmitted via email to procurement@nrpbsxm.org, ensuring its delivery to the specified recipient by the date and time stipulated in the BDS.

If alternative Bids are permitted in accordance with ITB 14, the alternative Bids shall also be transmitted via email to procurement@nrpbsxm.org, ensuring its delivery to the specified recipient by the date and time stipulated in the BDS. The Technical Part of the alternative Bid placed in a folder encrypted or password-protected format, clearly labelled "ALTERNATIVE BID – TECHNICAL PART" and the Financial Part shall be placed in a separate folder encrypted or password-protected format labelled "ALTERNATIVE BID – FINANCIAL PART".

To access the Bid(s) at the openings, encryption keys or passwords must be communicated in two stages via email to pool@bakertillycuracao.com. In the first stage, the key or password for the Technical Part folder(s) should be provided on the day of the Bid submission. The





second stage involves sharing the keys or passwords for the Financial Part folders when they are due to be opened according to ITB 32.5. These emails should be clearly labeled as 'ORIGINAL,' distinctly identifying the encryption keys or passwords.

Additionally, BIDs should include all requisite documents forming the Bid, as detailed in ITB 12.2.

Encryption Key/and or password for the Technical Part must be sent to pool@bakertillycuracao.com on **Wednesday**, **April 24**, **2024 between 10:01 AM (AST) and 11:00 AM (AST).** Late Bids will be rejected.

Section II- Bid Data Sheet (BDS) clause ITB 23.1 is amended as follows:

For Bid submission purposes only, the Employer's address is:

Attention: Mr. Santiago Ibarquen

Address: National Recovery Program Bureau #57 Walter J.A. Nisbeth Road, Philipsburg

Country: Sint Maarten

Telephone: +1(721) 542-8886/7

Electronic mail address: procurement@nrpbsxm.org

The deadline for Bid submission is: Date: **Wednesday, April 24,** 2024

Time: 10:00 AM (AST)

Bidders shall submit their Bids electronically.

• Section II- Bid Data Sheet (BDS) clause ITB 26.1 is amended as follows:

The Bid opening shall take place virtually through teleconference. Link will be shared with bidders upon submission of their bids.

City: Philipsburg

Country: Sint Maarten

Date: Wednesday, April 24, 2024

Time: 11:00 AM (AST)

Thank you and kind regards, NRPB Procurement