



Request for Bids Small Works

Country: *Sint Maarten*

Name of Project: *Fostering Resilient Learning Project*

Contract Title: *Demolition of the Sister Marie Laurence School, the Charles Leopold Bell School and the St. Maarten Library*

Loan No./Credit No./ Grant No.: *TF-B8048*

RFB Reference No.: *SX-NRPB-487513-CW-RFB*

1. The *Government of Sint Maarten* has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the *Fostering Resilient Learning Project* and intends to apply part of the proceeds toward payments under the contracts for *Demolition of the Sister Marie Laurence School, the Charles Leopold Bell School and the St. Maarten Library*.
2. The *National Recovery Program Bureau (NRPB)* now invites sealed Bids from eligible Bidders for *SX-NRPB-487513-CW-RFB - Demolition of the Sister Marie Laurence School, the Charles Leopold Bell School and the St. Maarten Library*. The work consists of the demolition of two schools and one library located at different locations on *St. Maarten* over a period of four months.
3. Bidders may bid for one or several contracts, as further defined in the bidding document. Bidders wishing to offer discounts in case they are awarded more than one contract will be allowed to do so, provided those discounts are included in the Letter of Bid.
4. Bidding will be conducted through national competitive procurement using a Request for Bids (RFB) as specified in the World Bank's "Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers" November 2020 ("Procurement Regulations", which can be found at the following website: www.worldbank.org), and is open to all Bidders as defined in the Procurement Regulations.
5. Interested eligible Bidders may register to view and download bid documents in English via the link below:
<https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=NiEIEbnYxUKO4LrO0sKj-yh7LIb-pypCvDnjKUoIbTtUMFpaMkhQMDY2WFRLM1hNMkcyUkdJNUJCSi4u>
6. This procurement follows an electronic submission procedure further elaborated in Bid Data Sheet ITB 21.1. Encrypted/Password protected Bids must be sent to tenders@nrpbsxm.org on or before **Thursday, May 15th, 2025 @ 10:00 AM (AST)**.

Encryption Key/and or password must be sent to pool@bakertillycuracao.com on **Thursday, May 15th, 2025 between 10:01 AM (AST) and 11:00 AM (AST)**. Late Bids shall be rejected. Bids will be opened by Video Conference in the presence of the Bidders' designated representatives on **Thursday, May 15th, 2025** 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 of the Bidders 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.

7. All Bids must be accompanied by a *Bid-Securing Declaration*.