Invitation for Bids (IFB)

The Port Authority of Jamaica now invites sealed bids from eligible and qualified bidders for the design, development, supply and commissioning of a Port Community System for Jamaica utilizing the International Competitive Tender Procurement Methodology. The design, development, delivery /commissioning period is estimated at two (2) years. This project is aimed at encouraging and promoting more efficient and effective trading practices within the Port Community; members include Jamaica Customs, Shipping Association of Jamaica and other key stakeholders.

Bidding will be conducted through the International Competitive Bidding (ICB) procedures specified in the Government of Jamaica, Handbook of Public Sector Procurement Procedures http://www.mof.gov.jm and is open to all bidders from all countries. Local tenderers must be in possession of a valid Tax Compliance Certificate (TCC) and should be currently registered with the NCC at the time of tender under the category: Goods and Services – Computer & Related Services, and Information & Technology Services. Overseas tenderers will be required to obtain a valid Tax Compliance Certificate (TCC) and National Contracts Commission Registration certificate **if selected for contract award.**

Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from the Port Authority. A complete set of the Bidding Documents in **English** may be purchased at the address below upon payment of a non refundable fee of J$8,500 or US$100. The method of payment will be wire transfer, cash or manager's cheque. The bid documents may be collected, sent via registered mail or electronically.

Monday, 2012 April 30 to Thursday, 2012 June 29
Between the hours of 9:00a.m. – 4:00p.m.

Questions relating to the Bid process/document should be sent to the address below. Bids must be deposited in the Tender Box at the address below by *11.30 a.m.* on Friday, 2012 August 03. Late bids will be rejected. Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend in person at the address below at 11:40a.m. 2012 August 03:

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VICE PRESIDENT
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THE PORT AUTHORITY OF JAMAICA
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