

## INVITATION FOR BIDS

### REPUBLIC OF ARMENIA

**The Modernization of architectural and construction curricula through the creation of educational, scientific and experimental laboratory equipped with high technologies**

Loan No./Credit No./ Grant No.: **ARD-LAB**

**Contract Title: PROCUREMENT OF LABORATORY EQUIPMENT AND APPLIANCES**

**Reference No.: ARD-LAB-01/2016**

1. The **National University of Architecture and Construction of Armenia foundation (NUACA)** has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the Modernization of architectural and construction curricula through the creation of educational, scientific and experimental laboratory equipped with high technologies, and intends to apply part of the proceeds toward payments under the contract for purchase of laboratory equipment and appliances.
2. The **National University of Architecture and Construction of Armenia foundation (NUACA)** now invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for purchase of laboratory equipment and appliances by Lots, included totally quantity 68 pcs, that must be delivered until 150 days after the conclusion of a contract to the Architectural and Construction Laboratory of NUACA, Street Teryan 105, Yerevan, 3750009, RA. In order to qualify for the Contract a Bidder must have experience in similar supply and adequate resources, as detailed in the Bidding Document. **Bidders may bid for one lot, two lots, three lots, four lots, five lots, combination of lots, or all six lots. Bids will be evaluated on a per lot basis. Individual discounts or combined discounts submitted with the bid(s) will be considered in bid evaluation.**

The number and identification of lots (contracts) comprising this ICB are:

***LOT1-AGGREGATE TESTING LABORATORY EQUIPMENT,  
LOT2-CEMENT-MORTAR TESTING LABORATORY EQUIPMENT,  
LOT3-CONCRETE TESTING LABORATORY EQUIPMENT,  
LOT4-SOIL TESTING LABORATORY EQUIPMENT,  
LOT5-LASER MACHINE,  
LOT6- FUME CUPBOARD***

3. Bidding will be conducted through the International Competitive Bidding procedures as specified in the World Bank's [Guidelines: Procurement of Goods, Works and Non-Consulting Services under IBRD Loans and IDA Credits & Grants by World Bank Borrowers](#) issued in January 2011, revised on April, 2015 ("Procurement Guidelines"), and is open to all eligible bidders as defined in the Procurement Guidelines. In addition, please refer to paragraphs 1.6 and 1.7 setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest.

4. Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from **National University of Architecture and Construction of Armenia foundation (NUACA)**, **Mr. Varazdat Hovhannisyan**, Telephone: +37410-583773, Facsimile number: +37410-587284 Electronic mail address: [info@nuaca.am](mailto:info@nuaca.am) and inspect the bidding documents during office hours 10:00 to 17:00 at the address given below Teryan st.105, 3750009, Yerevan, RA.
5. A complete set of bidding documents in English may be purchased by interested eligible bidders upon the submission of a written application to the address below and upon payment of a nonrefundable fee of AMD 50000. The method of payment will be by direct deposit to ARARATBANK Account Number 15100-01964940100. The document will be sent by courier service. Bidding Documents and all consequent Amendments and clarifications (if any) will be posted on the free accessed websites ([www.gnumner.am](http://www.gnumner.am) and [www.nuaca.am](http://www.nuaca.am)) and the **National University of Architecture and Construction of Armenia foundation (NUACA)** takes no responsibility for missing or incorrect or/and incomplete downloading of those by the prospective bidders.
6. Bids must be delivered to the address below Second floor, room number 2220 Teryan st.105, 3750009, Yerevan, RA on or before 15:00; 09 June 2016 (local time). Electronic bidding will not be permitted. Late bids will be rejected. Bids will be publicly opened in the presence of the bidders' designated representatives and anyone who choose to attend at the address below Second floor, room number 2220 Teryan st.105, 3750009, Yerevan, RA on 15:00; 09 June 2016 (local time).
7. All bids must be accompanied by a Bid Security of not less than the below listed amounts or an equivalent amount in a freely convertible currency for each lot:  
**LOT1- US\$ 600,**  
**LOT2- US\$ 450,**  
**LOT3- US\$ 4500,**  
**LOT4- US\$ 5000,**  
**LOT5- US\$ 350,**  
**LOT6- US\$ 250.**

A bidder who chooses to submit bid for more than one lot should submit separate bid security for each lot.

8. The address referred to above is:  
**National University of Architecture and Construction of Armenia foundation (NUACA)**  
Fund Second floor, room number 2220  
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