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**Project:** Implementation of the National Identification System (NIDS) for Economic Growth

**Title:** Core Services Rack and Storage Area Network for the NIDS.

**Borrower/Bid No:** NIDS/TS2017/eGovMDA9/Q2-1

## SPECIFIC PROCUREMENT NOTICE – Core Services Rack & Storage Area Network

**Institution:** Inter-American Development Bank (IDB)  
**Country:** Jamaica  
**Project:** Implementation of the National Identification System (NIDS) for Economic Growth  
**Sector:** Government/Information & Communication Technology  
**Abstract:** The loan will be used to finance goods, works, consulting and non-consulting services related to the operationalization and adoption of the National Identification System  
**Loan No.:** 4437/OC-JA  
**Contract/Bid No.:** NIDS/TS2017/eGovMDA9/Q2-1  
**Deadline:** **Monday August 27, 2018**

This international bidding notice was announced under the General Procurement notice advertised for this project published in Development Business Online, edition No. IDB534-05/18 of 03-05-2018.

The Office of the Prime Minister (OPM) acting on behalf of the Government of Jamaica has received financing in the amount equivalent to US \$68,000,000.00 from the Inter-American Development Bank (IDB), and it intends to apply part of the proceeds to payments for goods, works, related services and consulting services to be procured under the project Implementation of the National Identification System (NIDS) for Economic Growth. Bidding will be governed by the Inter-American Development Bank's eligibility rules and procedures.

The OPM now invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for Core Services Rack and Storage Area Network for the NIDS.

Bidding will be conducted through International Competitive Bidding procedures as specified in the Inter-American Development Bank's [Policies for Procurement of Works and Goods financed by the Inter-American Development Bank](#) (GN-2349-9), and is open to all eligible bidders as defined in the policies.

Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information and inspect the bidding documents via the GOJ's e-GP Procurement system at <https://www.gojep.gov.jm>.

**Bids are to be submitted electronically via the GOJ's e-GP Procurement system at <https://www.gojep.gov.jm> by 2:00 pm local time on August 27, 2018.** Alternatively, a bid may be submitted to [egovprocurement@nids.gov.jm](mailto:egovprocurement@nids.gov.jm) before the submission deadline.

It is recommended that bidders submit their bids well in advance of the deadline. This will give sufficient time to resolve technical or network issues which may prevent your bid being transmitted.

Tender opening will be done electronically on the same day at **2:15:00pm local time**. An online bid opening report will be sent to all Bidders that submitted a proposal. A bid security will not be required.

**The OPM reserves the right to terminate the procurement process and reject all submissions at any time prior to the award of contract, without thereby incurring any liability to any of the bidders.**