



United Nations Stabilization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo
Congo, The Democratic Republic of the

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI)

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Title of the EOI:

Provision of Wood furniture (Chairs, table, cabinet ...)

Date of this EOI: 06 January 2017**Closing Date for Receipt of EOI:** 20 January 2017**EOI Number:** EOIMONUSCO13381**Address EOI response by fax or e-mail for the Attention of:** Perry Mccarthy, Oic Procurement Section**Fax Number:** + 39 083 124 5167/+243 81890 5167**E-mail Address:** monusco-procurement@un.org**UNSPSC Code:** 11121600

DESCRIPTION OF REQUIREMENTS

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

1. The United Nations Organization Stabilization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo (MONUSCO), seeks Expression of Interest (EOI) from duly registered companies for the provision of Provision of Wood furniture in Monusco, DR Congo).
2. MONUSCO will undertake a competitive bidding exercise shortly and accordingly intends to issue an Invitation to Bid (ITB) to those companies who would express their interest and provide initial relevant information demonstrating their ability to fulfill MONUSCO requirements. In addition, the interested companies will be requested to complete UN Vendor registration for level 1 on the vendor database accessible on ungm.org (new vendor only). A detail Scope of Work (SOW) will be provided to companies short listed for receipt of the (ITB) documents.
3. The EOI should specify brief relevant information about the company including the company's profile, capacity/capability and experience. Vendors will be shortlisted based on their ability to provide the relevant documents showing that they are authorized to undertake business in DRC. Interested vendors must provide the following documents with their response.
 - Copy of the registration certificate/license (s) of the company.
4. Please note that this request for EOI is not an invitation for submission of bid.
5. MONUSCO reserves the right in selecting the invitees for the competitive bidding based on substantial

and proven records of performance in the subject field of activities and submission of an EOI would not automatically warrant receipt of the (ITB) documents MONUSCO reserves the right to reject EOI's received after the deadline indicated below.

6. The Expression of interest may be submitted by email to monusco@un.org or else by facsimile (see below), hand delivery or courier, clearly marked with the inscription "EOI" - Provision of Wood furniture Monusco, DR Congo and addressed as follows to be received not later than 20 January 2017, 15:hours Goma time (GMT+2)

OiC Procurement Section
MONUSCO
Avenue de la Corniche no.70;
Quartier le Volcan, Goma, DRC
monusco-procurement@un.org cc: mamina@un.org

DEMANDE DE MANIFESTATION D'INTERET

SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS / INFORMATION (IF ANY)

1. La Mission de l'Organisation des Nations Unies pour la Stabilisation en République Démocratique du Congo (MONUSCO) sollicite des manifestations d'intérêts de la part des entreprises dûment enregistrées et autorisées pour la Fourniture de Meubles en bois à la Monusco, en Republique Democratique du Congo.
2. MONUSCO entreprendra un exercice d'appel d'offres et établira un document de sollicitation aux sociétés qui auront exprimé leur intérêt et auront fourni des informations pertinentes initiales démontrant leur capacité à satisfaire les exigences de la MONUSCO. En outre, on demandera aux sociétés intéressées de remplir le formulaire d'enregistrement des fournisseurs (seulement pour les nouveaux fournisseurs) dans le site ungm.org. Les spécifications détaillées seront fournies aux sociétés préselectionnées pour la réception des documents de sollicitation.
3. Les sociétés intéressées qui souhaitent recevoir le dossier d'appel d'offres (ITB), sont invitées à soumettre par écrit une manifestation d'intérêt précisant la capacité, l'expérience, le profil de l'entreprise dans le domaine, les prestations similaires entreprises et devront fournir une copie de la licence d'exploitation.
4. Veuillez noter que cette demande n'est pas un appel d'offre.
5. MONUSCO se réserve le droit de sélectionner les entreprises qui prendront part à l'appel d'offres (ITB) sur la base d'évaluations d'informations fournies. La seule soumission de la demande de manifestation d'intérêt ne garantit pas automatiquement la bonne réception des documents de sollicitation. MONUSCO se réserve le droit de rejeter les manifestations reçues après le délai ci-dessous.
6. Les manifestations d'intérêt peuvent être soumises par courrier à la monusco-procurement@un.org ou bien par fax (voir ci-dessous), en mains propres ou par service courrier en marquant clairement l'inscription "EOI" - Fourniture de Meubles en bois à la Monusco, en Republique Democratique du Congo au plus tard le 20 Janvier 2017, 15 : 00 heures (heures de Goma GMT+2)

NOTE

Information on tendering for the UN Procurement System is **available free of charge** at the following address: <https://www.ungm.org/Public/Notice>

Only the United Nations Global Marketplace (UNGM) has been authorised to collect a nominal fee from

vendors that wish to receive automatically Procurement Notices or Expressions Of Interest. Vendors interested in this Tender Alert Service are invited to subscribe on <http://www.ungm.org>

Vendors interested in participating in the planned solicitation process should complete the Vendor Response Form of this EOI and send it via fax or email to United Nations Stabilization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo (MONUSCO) before the closing date set forth above.

EOI INSTRUCTIONS

1) Registering as a Vendor with the United Nations

Vendors interested in fulfilling the requirement described above must be registered at the UN Global Marketplace (www.ungm.org) with the UN Secretariat in order to be eligible to participate in any solicitation. Information on the registration process can be found at <http://www.un.org/Depts/ptd>.

Prerequisites for Eligibility

In order to be eligible for UN registration, you must declare that:

- A. Your company (as well as any parent, subsidiary or affiliate companies) is not listed in, or associated with a company or individual listed in:
 - I. the Compendium of United Nations Security Council Sanctions Lists (http://www.un.org/sc/committees/list_compend.shtml), or
 - II. the IIC Oil for Food List website or, if listed on either, this has been disclosed to the United Nations Procurement Division in writing.
- B. Your company (as well as any parent, subsidiary or affiliate companies) is not currently removed or suspended by the United Nations or any other UN organisation (including the World Bank);
- C. Your company (as well as any parent, subsidiary or affiliate companies) is not under formal investigation, nor have been sanctioned within the preceding three (3) years, by any national authority of a United Nations Member State for engaging or having engaged in proscribed practices, including but not limited to: corruption, fraud, coercion, collusion, obstruction, or any other unethical practice;
- D. Your company has not declared bankruptcy, are not involved in bankruptcy or receivership proceedings, and there is no judgment or pending legal action against your company that could impair your company's operations in the foreseeable future;
- E. Your company does not employ, or anticipate employing, any person(s) who is, or has been a UN staff member within the last year, if said UN staff member has or had prior professional dealings with the Vendor in his/her capacity as UN staff member within the last three years of service with the UN (in accordance with UN post-employment restrictions published in ST/SGB/2006/15).
- F. Your company undertakes not to engage in proscribed practices (including but not limited to: corruption, fraud, coercion, collusion, obstruction, or any other unethical practice), with the UN or any other party, and to conduct business in a manner that averts any financial, operational, reputational or other undue risk to the UN.

For Registered Vendors: Vendors already registered at the UN Global Marketplace with the UN Secretariat must ensure that the information and documentation (e.g. financial statements, address, contact name, etc.) provided in connection with their registration are up to date in UNGM. Please verify and ensure that your company is registered under its full legal name.

For Vendors Interested in Registration: Vendors not yet registered should apply for registration on the United Nations Global Marketplace (<http://www.ungm.org>); information on the registration process can be found at <http://www.un.org/Depts/ptd>. Vendors must complete the registration process prior to the closing date of the REOI. Vendors who have not completed the UNGM registration process with the UN Secretariat before the closing date of the REOI are not considered eligible to participate in solicitations of the UN Secretariat. We strongly recommend all companies to register at least at Level 1 under the UN Secretariat prior to participating in any solicitations.

IMPORTANT NOTICE: Any false, incomplete or defective vendor registration may result in the rejection of the application or cancellation of an already existing registration.

2) EOI Process

Vendors interested in participating in the planned solicitation process should forward their expression of interest (EOI) to United Nations Stabilization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo (MONUSCO) by the closing date set forth in this EOI. *Due to the high volume of communications MONUSCO is not in a position to issue confirmation of receipt of EOIs.*

Please note that no further details of the planned solicitation can be made available to the vendors prior to issuance of the solicitation documents.

This EOI is issued subject to the conditions contained in the EOI introductory page on the UNPD Website indicated above.

