Public Notice

We hereby put a project up for the following proposal competition October 25th, 2024

Government Pension Investment Fund (GPIF)
Accounting Manager, Kikkawa Masahiro

1. Details of the procurement

- (1) Project name: Project to Provide Information on Investment Strategy
- (2) Specification of the procured project: As specified in the "Instructions for Proposal Competition" and "Specification" distributed separately
- (3) Contract period: From April 1st, 2025 through March 31st, 2030
 In case the execution of the contract is delayed, the contract period will be from the date of the execution to March 31, 2030.
- (4) The place of performance: the place designated by GPIF

2. Requirements to participate in the proposal competition

- (1) Those who do not fall under the items described in Article 70 or Article 71 of the Cabinet Order on Budgets, the Settlements of Accounts and Accounting.
- (2) (i) Have Grade A, B, C or D on "offer of services, etc." in terms of the qualification for participating in tenders by Single qualification for every ministry and agency(Kanto and Koshinetsu Region), or (ii) candidates should possess sufficient expertise and know-how on the procured project and have past experience of analyzing and providing information on investment strategy to institutional investors in Japan or abroad for no less than two years.
- (3) Other requirements for the participation in the proposal are based on the "Instructions for Proposal Competition" and "Specification."

3. Details of the Proposals

(1) Place of submission and contact information for inquiries

1-23-1 Toranomon, Minato-ku, Tokyo 105-6377, Japan Procurement Division, Accounting Department, GPIF

Tel: +81-3-3502-2485

(2) Issuance of the "Instructions for Proposal Competition"

The "Instructions for Proposal Competition" is provided to those who wish to participate in the proposal competition, from the date of this Public Notice until 17:00 of November 22th, 2024 (Japan standard time).

When requesting delivery of the "Instructions for Proposal Competition" by email, the applicant shall clearly indicate the name of the company that wishes to participate in the proposal competition, the name, department and contact information (address, phone number and email address, hereafter the same) of the person in charge, and the fact that the applicant wishes to receive the "Instructions for Proposal Competition" of the procurement subject mentioned above, and send the information to the following address.

Name of the delivery address: Staff in charge of procurement in Procurement Division, Accounting Department, GPIF

Mail: chotatsu_r475@gpif.go.jp

The data will be sent by email in an encrypted ZIP file. If the data cannot be received or decrypted, contact us. Separate measures will be taken.

(3) Date, time and place of the briefing

14:00 on November 1st, 2024

The briefing session shall be provided only to those who wish to participate in the procurement for whom the "Instructions for Proposal Competition" document has been issued. The session shall be conducted via the web conferencing system. If a person wishes to attend the session, he/she shall send an email to the address specified in (2) above by 15:00 on the previous business day, stating the name, corporate name, department name, and contact information of the person who wishes to attend the session, as well as the fact that he/she wishes to attend the session regarding the project name mentioned above. If there are multiple attendees, the names, department names, and contact information of all attendees shall be clearly indicated. Information on how to access the web conferencing system shall be provided in return.

(4) Proposal submission due date

17:00 on November 25th, 2024 (Japan standard time)

4. Other

(1) Language and currency used in the contract procedures

The language used in the procedures will be Japanese or English, and the currency will be Japanese yen or U.S. dollar.

(2) Contract guarantee

Totally exempted

(3) Preparation of contract

Necessary

(4) Invalidation of the proposal

Proposals submitted by those who do not fulfill the requirements to participate in the proposal competition shown herein, proposals submitted by those who do not fulfill the obligation of the participants, and proposals violating other terms will be invalidated.

(5) Selection of candidate parties for the contract

The proposals submitted from the participants will be evaluated and one of the candidates with the highest evaluation will be selected as the candidate party for negotiating the contract.

(6) Note in sending and receiving emails

Please use an email address with a domain name of the company of the participant because GPIF does not receive an email address provided by a free email service.