



Invitation for Bids (IFB)  
*Ministry of Finance and Planning*  
*Department of Census and Statistics*

***Procurement of a Delivery Agency for  
the Transportation of Packages of  
Census Documents (Island Wide)***

1. The Chairperson Department Procurement Committee on behalf of the Department of Census and Statistics now invites sealed bids from eligible and qualified bidders for the Procurement of a Delivery Agency for the Transportation of Packages of Census Documents (Island Wide) to the department.
  - a) Contract No. : DCS/CEN 2011/2010/70
  - b) Name of the contract and description: Procurement of a Delivery Agency for the Transportation of Packages of Census Documents (Island Wide)
  - c) Amount of bid Security (LKR) : 70,000.00
  - d) Pre-bid meeting : 10.00 a.m. on 08 September 2011
2. Bidding will be conducted through National Competitive Bidding procedure. (NCB)
3. Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from Director (Administration), Department of Census and Statistics (Tel. 0112-682179) and inspect the Bidding Document at the Census Procurement Unit, Department of Census and Statistics, 15, Maitland Crescent, Colombo 07, from 9.00 a.m. to 3.00 p.m. from 26<sup>th</sup> August 2011 to 15<sup>th</sup> September 2011 on working days.
4. A complete set of Bidding Documents in Sinhala language may be purchased by interested bidders on the submission of a written application to the address below and upon payment of a non refundable fee of Rs 1000.00 to the Accounts Division of Department of Census and Statistics from 9.00 a.m. to 3.00 p.m. from 26<sup>th</sup> August 2011 to 15<sup>th</sup> September 2011 on working days. The method of payment will be cash only.
5. Bids must be delivered to the Director General, Department of Census and Statistics, Census Procurement Unit, 15, Maitland Crescent, Colombo 07, on or before at 10.30 a.m. on 16<sup>th</sup> September 2011. Late bids will be rejected. Bids will be opened at 10.30 a.m. on 16<sup>th</sup> September 2011 in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend in person. All bids must be accompanied by a "*Bid-Security*".

Chairperson,  
Department Procurement Committee,  
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