



Invitation for Bids (IFB)

**Ministry of Public Security and Parliamentary Affairs of
Sri Lanka**

Department of Immigration and Emigration

**Procurement of National e-Passport Public Key Infrastructure solution
including ICAO-PKD integration and Personalization services for the e-
Passports at the Department of Immigration and Emigration of Sri Lanka**

IFB No: DIE/PRO/PKI/2026

1. The Chairman, High Level Procurement Committee (HLPC) on behalf of the **Department of Immigration and Emigration** invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for the **Procurement of National e-Passport Public Key Infrastructure solution including ICAO-PKD integration and Personalization services for the e-Passports at the Department of Immigration and Emigration of Sri Lanka.**
2. Bidding will be conducted through the **International Competitive Bidding (ICB – Single Stage Two Envelope Bidding Procedure)** specified in the National Procurement Guidelines 2024 and are opened to all eligible bidders as defined in the Guidelines. The Bidder shall not have been blacklisted or debarred as of the Bid Submission Deadline.
3. The qualification criteria for the eligible bidders shall include the following. (Additional qualification requirements are given in the Procurement Document):

a) General Experience.

The Bidder shall have at least ten (10) years of experience in the implementation and technical operation of an e-Passport personalization solutions and design, supply, implement, test, deploy, commission and maintaining national e-Passport PKI solution with ICAO-PKD integration prior to the Bid Submission Deadline.

b) Specific Experience in contract of similar nature:

- i. The Bidder shall have successfully completed within last seven (07) years of the bid submission deadline or be currently operating an e-Passport personalization facility. In either case the project should have completed a minimum personalization volume of not less than Three Million e-Passports (3,000,000) under a single contract as a main contractor. The scope of this contract should include end-to-end responsibility of personalization process, including but not limited to supply and maintenance of hardware equipment, design, supply and implementation of software components, technical operations and maintenance.
- ii. The Bidder shall have successfully delivered and maintained at least one (01) national PKI solution for e-Passports including ICAO-PKD integration as the main contractor, within the Ten (10) years prior to the Bid Submission Deadline. The claimed deployment should be currently in operation.

c) Quality and Security Requirements:

Bidder shall be certified with ISO 9001:2015 and ISO 27001.

d) Average Annual Turnover:

The bidder should have a minimum average annual turnover of **10 million USD (10,000,000 USD)** or equivalent as evidenced by audited financial reports for the period of three (3) financial years between 1st January 2023 and 31st March 2026.

e) Financial Resources:

The Bidder must demonstrate access to or availability of financial resources, such as liquid assets, lines of credit, or other financial means, to meet the cash flow requirement of not less than **1.8 million USD (1,800,000 USD)**, net of the Bidder's other commitments for this project.

3. Interested Bidders may obtain further information from **Deputy Controller (Procurement), Department of Immigration and Emigration, 5th Floor, "Suhurupaya", Sri Subhuthipura Road, Battaramulla, Sri Lanka** or through Telephone: +94112101559, Email: dcprocu@immigration.gov.lk and inspect the Procurement Document free of charge during 9.00 a.m. to 3.00 p.m. on working days commencing from September 18, 2026. Procurement Document is published on Ministry of Public Security and Parliamentary Affairs website (www.pubsec.gov.lk) and Department of Immigration and Emigration web site (www.immigration.gov.lk) only for reference purpose.
4. A complete set of Procurement Documents in English may be purchased from **Department of Immigration and Emigration** office (address above para 3) by interested bidders on the submission of a written request on a business letterhead, and upon payment of a non-refundable fee of **LKR 250,000.00** in cash.
5. Bids must be delivered to the address (above para 3) **at or before 3.00 p.m. on November 02, 2026**. Late bids will be rejected. Bids will be opened soon after the bid closing in the presence of the bidders' representatives, who choose to attend **at 3.00 p.m. on November 02, 2026**. All bids must be accompanied by a Bid Security in the form of bank guarantee of not less than **Sri Lankan Thirty-Five million (LKR 35,000,000) or the equivalent amount in a freely convertible currency in Sri Lanka**.
6. A Pre-Bid Meeting will be held at **10.30 a.m. on October 02, 2026** in the **Auditorium of the Department of Immigration and Emigration, 7th Floor, "Suhurupaya", Sri Subhuthipura Road, Battaramulla, Sri Lanka**. All interested Bidders may participate to the Pre-Bid meeting.

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High Level Procurement Committee (HLPC),
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