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GUYANA
CITIZEN SECURITY PROGRAMME
Sector: Social
GENERAL PROCUREMENT NOTICE
Loan No. 1752/SF-GY

The Ministry of Home Affairs (MoHA) is in the process of executing a program to improve citizen security and public order in Guyana, valued at US\$ 22 million, funded in part by a loan from the Inter American Development Bank. This project has five years duration and starts in August 2007.

The objective of the program is to enhance citizen security and coexistence by contributing to the reduction in levels of crime, violence and insecurity in Guyana. The specific program objectives are to: (a) identify, prevent and counteract risk factors and increase and promote protective factors in communities, families and individuals; (b) strengthen the capabilities of the MoHA and the Guyana Police Force to implement crime prevention and crime fighting programs at the national and local levels; and (c) strengthen social cohesion within communities and their violence prevention capacity.

The proposed program will finance activities in three components:

- *Capacity Building of the Ministry of Home Affairs
- *Capacity Building and Modernization of the Guyana Police Force
- *Community Action

It is intended to apply the proceeds of the loan to the purchase of goods, services and works through international competitive bidding and other procurement procedures in accordance with the IDB's procurement guidelines and the loan contract. Works and goods will be procured in accordance with the provisions set forth in the IDB's <I>Policies for the Procurement of Goods and Works financed by the Inter-American Development Bank</I> (GN-2349-7), while the selection and contracting of consulting services will be carried out by the executing agency in accordance with the provisions set forth in the IDB's <I>Policies for Selection and Contracting of Consultants financed by the IDB</I> (GN-2350-7).

Specific procurement notices for prequalification, expressions of interest and invitation to bid would be posted for the following major procurements:

<I>Goods</I>

- Computers, servers, power protection equipment and computer software: 4th Quarter 2007
- Forensic equipment: 4th Quarter 2008
- Office furnishing: 4th Quarter 2007

<I>Building Works</I>

- Construction for Forensic LAB – Guyana Police Force: 4th Quarter 2008
- Construction of Training School – Guyana Police Force: 4th Quarter 2008
- Remodeling/refurbishment of Police Stations: 4th, Quarter 2007

<I>Consulting Services</I>

- Design and supervision of remodeling/refurbishment of Police Stations: 3rd Quarter 2007
- Formulation, implementation and supervision of Strategic Plans for Security Agencies: 4th quarter 2007
- Technical assistance for the implementation of reforms and modernization of the Guyana Police Force: 3rd quarter 2008
- Architectural design and supervision (Forensic Lab, Training School): 3rd Quarter 2008
- Formulation, implementation and supervision of violence preventative strategies: 4th Quarter 2008
- Formulation and supervision of public relations and communication strategies for social cohesion and violence preventative: 4th Quarter 2008
- Implementation of public relations and communication strategies for social cohesion and violence prevention: 1st Quarter 2009

Specific procurement notices will be placed in at least one of the most widely circulated newspapers in Guyana for each procurement activity. In addition, for works in excess of US\$ 1 million, specific procurement notices will be published in <I>UN Development Business</I> (UNDB). Likewise, specific procurement notices for the supply of goods in excess of US\$ 100,000 and consulting services in excess of US\$ 100,000 will be posted on the UNDB web site.

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