

Country: BRAZIL

Project: TOURISM PROGRAM IN NORTHEASTERN BRAZIL, 2nd STAGE – PRODETUR/NE-II

Sector: TOURISM

Abstract: PROCUREMENT OF CONSULTING SERVICES FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF A MANAGEMENT MODEL

Loan Agreement No. 1392/OC-BR

International Competitive Bidding No. 2004/085

This invitation follows the general procurement notice that appeared in *UN Development Business* No. 595 of 20 November 2002.

The Banco do Nordeste do Brasil S/A (BNB) has received a credit from the Inter-American Development Bank (IDB) toward the Tourism Program in Northeastern Brazil, 2nd Stage (PRODETUR/NE II). Its execution requires the implementation of a Management Model, involving the following activities: (i) development and implanting of a Management Information System; (ii) systemization of impacts and results evaluation; and (iii) management supporting.

The BNB intends to prequalify consulting firms, aimed at the execution of activities described above. It is expected that the prequalification documents and the technical and finance proposals will be available on 1 November 2004, at 1100 hours (Brasilia time) at the address below.

Bidding will be conducted through the conditions set by the Brazilian Bidding Law No.8.666/93 from 21 June 1993, republished on 6 July 1994, and procedures specified in the IDB's *Guidelines: Policies and Procedures for the Procurement of Consulting Services* and is open to all bidders from eligible source countries, as defined in the guidelines.

The selection method that will be used is Quality and Cost-based Selection. In the relative weighting of factors, eighty per cent will be assigned to technical merit and 20 per cent to price.

All interested firms may obtain information of the Procurement Documents between 0800 and 1400 hours at the same address. The documents will be delivered upon a R\$ 50.00 fee payable in any branch of the BNB S/A, Account No. 90.349-3, Branch No. 016-7. Procurement Documents are also available on our web site.

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