



INVITATION FOR PRESENTING A TENDER

DEAR SIR/MADAM,

By virtue of art. 2B, para. 1 of the Regulation on Small Public Procurements, in connection with art. 2, para. 1 (2) of the Regulation on Small Public Procurements, the Bulgarian National Bank (BNB) invites you to submit a tender for the procedure for selecting a contractor for the order **‘Subscription to full or partial access to a specialised product of an international credit rating agency for financial and credit analyses’**.

The order should encompass subscription for **1 (one) year** to full or partial real-time online (Internet based) access to a product covering the following information:

- a data base on the position and the latest changes in the long-term and short-term credit ratings of the entities covered (see I.2. Entities covered, Appendix No. 1),
- latest financial information (balance sheet, changes in shareholders' equity, profit and loss statement, etc.) and financial statements of the entities covered (specialised credit ratings product),
- in-depth credit analyses for the entities covered,

in accordance with the criteria specified in Appendix No.1, which is an integral part hereof of the tender documents.

If you are interested in taking part in this procedure, you are kindly requested to state in writing, until the deadline specified below that you would participate in it and to complete and present the following documents:

1. tender – filled in as per the sample attached hereto, which must be signed and stamped by an authorized representative of the company;

2. excerpt from a trade or court register;
3. draft contract;
4. proposal meeting the requirements specified in Appendix No.1 of the tender documents.

The tenders will be evaluated according to the criterion most economically advantageous tender, in accordance with the methodology for carrying out a composite assessment and grading of the tenders (Appendix No.2).

The tenders should be made in EUR. Tenders containing offers calculated in any other currency shall not be considered.

You should send the documents by mail in a sealed non-transparent envelope to the following address with a deadline **3.30 pm on 29.04.2011**:

Bulgaria, Sofia 1000, 1, Knyaz Alexander I Sq.

Mr. Petko Krastev, BNB General Secretary

Tender for selecting a contractor for the order 'Subscription to full or partial access to a specialised product of an international credit rating agency for financial and credit analyses'.

For additional information on the tender, please contact:

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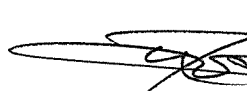
For questions on the tender procedure, please contact:

Ms. Liliya Deneva, legal adviser, tel. 3592 91451438

Appendices:

1. Sample tender;
2. Appendix No.1 'Scope of tender';
3. Appendix No.2 'Methodology for carrying out a composite assessment and grading of the tenders'.

Yours sincerely


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GENERAL SECRETARY

