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Properties & Procurement Dept.,
14th Floor, Bank of Ceylon,
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Colombo 1,

Dear Sir/s.

INVITATION FOR BIDS

Supply, Delivery, Installation, Commissioning and Maintenance of Additional Advance Threat Protection (ATP) Licenses to be deployed on 450 Virtual Machine (VM) Servers
BID NO. BOC/PROC/P/2026/363

1. Sealed Bids are hereby invited for Supply, Delivery, Installation, Commissioning and Maintenance of Additional Advance Threat Protection (ATP) Licenses to be deployed on 450 Virtual Machine (VM) Servers.

2. Bidders shall comply with the following minimum Pre-qualification criteria to be eligible for this bid.

   i. General:

   a) The Bidder or any party of the Bidder shall not be on the list of Defaulting Contractors of the Government of Sri Lanka or of the Bank of Ceylon.

   b) The Bidder shall be an Authorized Direct Sales Partner and an Authorized Service Provider for the offered brand. Software Manufacturer's confirmation is mandatory.

   ii. Financial Capabilities:

   a) The Bidder shall have an Average Annual minimum turnover of LKR 150 million for the minimum three (03) financial years (2024/25, 2023/2024 and 2022/2023 or 2024,2023 and 2022).

   iii. Performances and Experiences of the Bidder and the Proposed Solution:

   a) The proposed solution shall include a minimum of two (02) verifiable customer references in Sri Lanka confirming successful deployment and stable operation on over 225 active endpoints (50% of the proposed requirement). At least one (01) of these references must be from the banking sector in Sri Lanka.

   b) The Bidder / Distributor / Principal shall have at least two implementation engineers who have been involved in similar deployments from the bid closing date and continuously carrying out support and maintenance activities.

   c) The proposed solution is required to be included in the MITRE Engenuity ATT&CK® Evaluations for Enterprise 2025 and must successfully meet a minimum of 50% of the test scenario criteria.

d) The proposed solution must have been recognized as a Leader for the Endpoint Protection Platforms in the Gartner Magic Quadrant - 2026 or Forrester Wave at any point within the past three years.

3. A complete set of bidding documents in English language may be purchased by interested bidders on the submission of a written application to the address, The Chief Manager, Properties and Procurement, 14th Floor, Bank of Ceylon, "BOC Square", No.01, Bank of Ceylon Mawatha, Colombo-01 upon payment of a non-refundable fee of LKR 18,500.00 including taxes. Mode of payment is cash. Bidders may make the cash payment at the office of the undersigned.

4. Important Dates:

i.	last Date /Time for issuing Bidding Documents	: 1500 hrs on 26.11.2026
ii.	Time duration for issuing of Bid Documents	: From 0900 hrs. to 1400 hrs
iii.	Pre-Bid meeting	: 1100 hrs on 13.11.2026
iv.	Closing date & time of Bid	: 1000 hrs on 27.11.2026
v.	Opening date & time of Bid	: Immediately after closing of bids

5. Perfected Bid documents should be accompanied by a Bank Guarantee/Bid Security for Rs. 900,000.00 issued by a licensed commercial bank in Sri Lanka (other than Bank of Ceylon) valid until 26.03.2027. Cash Deposit is also acceptable in lieu of Bid Guarantees. Cheques drawn by the bidder shall not be accepted.

6. Bidders, must in all respects, observe and conform to the 'Conditions of Bid' set out in Section VI.

7. The following documents annexed to this Invitation for Bid are required to be read, signed and returned by the Bidder along with this Invitation for Bid.

Section I	-	Instructions to Bidders (ITB)
Section II	-	Bidding Data Sheet (BDS)
Section III	-	Evaluation and Qualification Criteria
Section IV	-	Bidding Forms
Section V	-	Schedule of Requirements
Section VI	-	Conditions of Contract (CC)
Section VII	-	Contract Data
Section VIII	-	Contract Forms

8. Letter of Authorization to sign/ commit the bidder should be annexed.

9. The Bank of Ceylon reserves the right of rejecting any or all Bids and the right of accepting any portion of the Bid without adducing any reason.

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