

# MINISTRY OF GENDER EQUALITY AND FAMILY WELFARE

## INVITATION FOR BIDS

*(Authorised under section 16 (1) of Public Procurement Act 2006)*

**Rental of Building with amenities for  
Place of safety(shelter) for children victims of  
violence, abuse and neglect  
MGE/QN/06/2022-2023/ONB**

The Ministry of Gender Equality and Family Welfare intends to rent stand-alone building space of **230 to 300 m<sup>2</sup>** around the island preferably on the ground floor for a duration of three (3) years renewable thereafter on a yearly basis, to accommodate a place of safety(shelter) for children victims of violence, abuse and neglect. The space area should exclude amongst others: -

- (a) Circulation areas i.e. corridors, terraces, lobby/ reception area
- (b) Kitchen/Mess
- (c) Toilet

1. The bidding document is available free of charge on the Public Procurement Portal:  
**[publicprocurement.gov.mu](http://publicprocurement.gov.mu) and [gender.govmu.org](http://gender.govmu.org)**
2. Prospective owners of building are invited to submit their proposals giving full details of their building, that is, plan and site location, evidence of ownership, brief description of co-tenants in the building complex (where applicable), date office space may be made available with required amenities etc.
3. For any clarification interested parties may contact the Secretary Departmental Bid Committee Ministry of Gender Equality and Family Welfare, 7<sup>th</sup> Floor, Newton Tower, Sir William Newton Street, Port Louis or call on 405 3311 between 9.00 hrs and 16.00 hrs on working days.
4. Bids in sealed envelope clearly marked with Procurement Reference Number and the bidder's name on the envelope should be addressed to the Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Gender Equality and Family Welfare and should be deposited in the **Bid Box** situated at the under-mentioned address or sent by Courier Service or Registered Mail so as to reach the Chairperson, Departmental Bid Committee at the under-mentioned address on **16 December 2022 up to 1400hours** (local time) at latest.

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5. Bids will be opened in the Conference Room of the Ministry of Gender Equality and Family Welfare on the **same day at 14 15 hrs** in the presence of bidders /bidders' representatives who choose to attend.
6. The Ministry of Gender Equality and Family Welfare reserves the right to
  - (a) accept or reject any bid; and
  - (b) annul the bidding process and reject all bids at any time prior to award of contract without thereby incurring any liability to the affect bidder(s)

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**16 November 2022**