TERMS OF REFERENCE (TOR)
Procurement of One (1) 38 ft Passenger Speedboat
Announcement Number: (IUL)113-PD/1/2026/131

1. Introduction

Maldives Ports Limited (MPL) invites qualified boat builders, suppliers and authorised dealers to submit proposals for the supply of one (1) 38 ft passenger speedboat.

The speedboat is required for daily passenger transport operations and shall comply with this Terms of Reference.

The proposed Speed Boat shall comply with the technical, documentation, inspection, certification and warranty requirements specified in this Terms of Reference.

2. Scope of Work

The successful bidder shall supply, test, certify and deliver one (1) 38 ft passenger speedboat to Malé Commercial Harbour in accordance with this Terms of Reference.

The scope shall include:

- Supply of one (1) passenger speedboat meeting the general technical specification in Section 11.
- Provision of all navigational and safety equipment specified in this Terms of Reference.
- Submission of specification sheets and General Arrangement (GA) plans showing the vessel profile, cabin layout and seating configuration with the bid.
- Physical pre-delivery inspection and sea trials by MPL technical representatives before final acceptance.
- Provision of relevant certificates before delivery inspection and all seaworthiness and registration certifications issued by the Ministry of Transport and Civil Aviation before final handover.
- Compliance with the requirements specified in the General Technical Specification.

3. Ethics, Fraud and Corruption

3.1 Ethical Standards

Bidders, suppliers, subcontractors, consultants, agents, and all associated personnel shall maintain the highest standards of integrity and ethical conduct throughout the procurement and contract execution process.

For the purposes of this tender, the following terms shall apply:

- Corrupt Practice – The offering, giving, receiving, or soliciting of anything of value for the purpose of improperly influencing the actions or decisions of another party.
- Fraudulent Practice – Any deliberate misrepresentation, omission, or deceptive act intended to secure an improper benefit or to avoid an obligation.
- Collusive Practice – Any arrangement or understanding between two or more parties intended to obtain an improper or unfair advantage.
- Coercive Practice – Harming, impairing, or threatening to harm or impair any party to improperly influence their actions or decisions.

3.2 Right of Rejection

MPL may reject any proposal if it determines that the bidder or any associated party has engaged in corrupt, fraudulent, collusive, or coercive practices during the procurement process.

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4. Eligibility Requirements

To be eligible, bidders shall:

- Be legally registered in their country of incorporation.
- Provide a valid business registration certificate, documentary evidence of authorisation to conduct business, and a recent MIRA tax clearance certificate.
- Demonstrate that the proposed Speed Boat complies with the technical specifications and requirements set out in this Terms of Reference.

MPL may disqualify any bidder found to have an actual, potential, or perceived conflict of interest that could compromise the fairness of the procurement process.

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5. Required Bid Documents

Bidders shall submit the following documents as part of their proposal:

1. Bid Submission Form
2. Conflict of Interest Declaration
3. Itemised Financial Proposal / Quotation in Maldivian Rufiyaa (MVR), inclusive of all applicable taxes and delivery costs.
4. Company Profile
5. Completed Technical Compliance Sheet.
6. Technical Documentation
    - Technical proposal and specification data sheets detailing the make, model and country of origin of engines and equipment.
    - General Arrangement (GA) plans showing the vessel profile, cabin layout and seating configuration.
    - Relevant technical certificates available at bid submission.
7. Inspection & Certification
    - Pre-Delivery Inspection: Technical representatives will conduct a physical pre-delivery inspection and sea trials prior to final acceptance.
    - Certifications: Supplier must provide all seaworthiness and registration certifications issued by the Ministry of Transport and Civil Aviation prior to final hand-over.
8. Delivery Schedule.
9. Warranty details confirming a minimum One (1) year comprehensive warranty.
10. Company Registration & MIRA Tax Clearance: Valid business registration certificate and recent tax clearance certificate.(if applicable)

11. Compliance Declaration confirming that the Speed Boat offered complies with all technical requirements specified in this Terms of Reference.

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6. Clarifications

Bidders may submit requests for clarification no later than: (10 November 2026, 14:00hrs GMT+5)

Clarifications shall be submitted to: **Email: tender@port.mv**

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7. Amendments to Tender Documents

MPL reserves the right to amend the Tender Document at any time before the submission deadline through the issuance of addenda.

Any addendum issued shall form an integral part of the Tender Documents and will be communicated to all prospective bidders by email.

Where necessary, MPL may extend the submission deadline to allow bidders sufficient time to consider any amendments.

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8. Cost of Bidding

All costs associated with the preparation and submission of proposals shall be borne solely by the bidder. MPL shall not be liable for any expenses incurred by bidders, regardless of the outcome of the procurement process.

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9. Payment Terms

Bidders shall clearly specify their proposed payment terms in their Financial Proposal, including:

- Any supplier credit period offered.
- Any advance payment requested, including the percentage of the contract value.
- Whether the proposed payment arrangement includes progress or milestone payments.
- Any other commercial payment conditions applicable to the proposal.

The proposed payment terms shall form part of the commercial evaluation. Preference will be given to proposals offering:

- Extended supplier credit periods.
- Lower or no advance payment requirements.
- Payment arrangements that do not require progress or milestone payments.

The accepted payment terms shall form part of the Contract Agreement.

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10. Evaluation Methodology

The evaluation process shall be conducted in two stages:

Stage 1 - Technical Evaluation (Pass/Fail)

All proposals shall be evaluated against the mandatory technical, documentation, inspection, certification and safety requirements specified in this Terms of Reference.

Only proposals that fully comply with all mandatory technical requirements shall proceed to the Commercial Evaluation stage.

Any proposal that fails to satisfy any mandatory technical requirement shall be considered non-responsive and shall not be evaluated further.

Stage 2 – Commercial Evaluation

Commercial evaluation will be conducted only for technically compliant proposals.

The evaluation will consider:

- Evaluated bid price
- Experience
- Financial terms
- Delivery period

The proposal achieving the highest overall score will be recommended for award, subject to MPL approval.

11. General Technical Specification - Speed Boat (38 ft)

01	**Purpose**	Carrying Passengers
02	**General**	
2.1	Hull & Superstructure	Fiber Glass – Mono Hull
03	**Main Dimensions**	
3.1	Length OA	38 – 40 ft
3.2	Beam OA	9 – 12 ft
3.3	Draft	Less than 1 m
04	**Deck Layout**	
4.1	Capacity	Minimum 35 Persons (including crew)
4.2	Toilet	Yes
4.3	Cabin	Enclosed with windows at the side and aft
4.4	Seating Arrangement	Flight Seat / Sofa Seat
4.5	Storage	For Equipment
4.6	Safety Railing	Stainless steel handrails
05	**Performance**	
5.1	Speed	30 – 40 Knots (minimum)
06	**Propulsion System**	
6.1	Main Engines	Outboard Engines (Yamaha – Preferred, Suzuki, Honda, Mercury)
08	**Capacity**	
8.1	Fuel Capacity	1,000 L (minimum)
8.2	Water Capacity	150 L (minimum)
09	**Navigational Equipment**	
9.1	1) Radar: 1 x Radar (48N Range) 2) VHF Radio: 1 x VHF Radio (with DSC) 3) GPS: 1 x Echo-Sounder 4) Search Light: 1 x Search Light 5) Miscellaneous: Wind Screen/Wiper, Magnetic Compass, EPIRB, Electric Torch, First Aid Kit, Lifejackets, Fire Extinguishers, Bilge Pumps & Bilge Alarm System **Note: In addition, the vessel must have all Safety & Navigational Equipment as per Ministry of Transport and Civil Aviation regulations.**	
10	**Warranty**	Minimum 1 Year
11	**Recommendations**	
	• All Specification Sheets must be presented with relevant Technical Drawings, including GA Plans with Profiles, with the bid documents. • Delivery Inspection must be carried out. • Prior to Delivery Inspection, all relevant Certification must be provided by the supplier.	

12. Evaluation Criteria

Evaluation Criteria	Procurement allotted points
Technical Compliance	PASS/FAIL
Price	60
Experience	10
Financial Terms	10
Delivery	20
Total Points	100

12.1 Technical Compliance

Only proposals that comply with all mandatory technical requirements specified in this Terms of Reference shall be considered technically responsive and proceed to the commercial evaluation.

12.2 Price (60 Points)

Marks for price shall be awarded using the following formula:
Price Score = (Lowest Evaluated Bid Price ÷ Bid Price) × 60
Where:

- Lowest Evaluated Bid Price means the lowest priced responsive proposal.
- Bid Price means the total price quoted by the respective bidder.

12.3 Experience (10 Points)

Full marks will be awarded where five (5) documents are submitted proving the supply of Speed Boats or similar items within the past five (5) years.

12.4 Financial Terms (10 Points)

Marks shall be awarded in accordance with the approved criteria as follows:
10 marks for credit or split payment from the time of delivery; 5 marks where advance payment is taken; and 0 marks where progress payment is taken.

12.5 Delivery Period (20 Points)

- Marks for the proposed delivery period shall be awarded using the following formula:
- Delivery Score = (Lowest Delivery Period ÷ Bidder's Delivery Period) × 20

BID DATASHEET

The following information and requirements related to the Procurement of One (1) 38 ft Passenger Speedboat shall complement, supplement, or amend the provisions contained in the Instructions to Bidders. In the event of any conflict between the Instructions to Bidders, this Data Sheet, and any annexes or references attached hereto, the provisions contained in this Data Sheet shall prevail and govern.

DS No.	**Data**	**Specific Instructions / Requirements**
DS 1.	Subject.:	Request for Proposal (RFP) for the Procurement of One (1) 38 ft Passenger Speedboat
DS 2.	Title of Tender:	Procurement of One (1) 38 ft Passenger Speedboat
DS 3.	Country / Region Location:	Male' / Maldives
DS 4.	Period of Bid Validity commencing on the submission date	☒ 90 days
DS 5.	Acceptable Currency of Bid	☒ Maldivian Rufiyaa (MVR)
DS 6.	Deadline for submitting requests for clarifications/ questions	Date and Time: **10 November 2026, 14:00hrs GMT+5)** Submit in writing or by email to tender@port.mv
DS 7.	Contact Details for submitting clarifications/questions	tender@port.mv
DS 8.	Manner of Disseminating Supplemental Information to the RFP and responses/clarifications to queries	☒ Direct communication to prospective Proposers by email
DS 9.	No. of copies of Bids that must be submitted	**Original: One (1)**
DS 10.	Proposal Submission Address	Electronic Submission via email to, tender@port.mv
DS 11.	Deadline of Submission	Date and Time: **12 November 2026, (14:00hrs GMT+5)**
DS 12.	Allowable Manner of Submitting Proposals	☒ Electronic Submission via email to, tender@port.mv
DS 13.	Date, time and venue for opening of Proposals	Date and Time: **12 November 2026, (14:00hrs GMT+5)** Electronic Submission via email to, tender@port.mv

DS No.	**Data**	**Specific Instructions / Requirements**
DS 14.	Required Documents that must be Submitted to Establish Qualification of Bidders (In "Certified True Copy" form only)	☒ Bid Submission Form ☒ Conflict of Interest Declaration ☒ Itemised Financial Proposal in MVR, including applicable taxes and delivery costs ☒ Company Profile ☒ Valid Company Registration Certificate and recent MIRA Tax Clearance Certificate ☒ Completed Technical Compliance Sheet ☒ Technical proposal and data sheets showing make, model and country of origin of engines and equipment ☒ GA plans showing vessel profile, cabin layout and seating configuration ☒ Relevant technical certificates available at bid submission ☒ Physical pre-delivery inspection and sea trial details ☒ Confirmation of seaworthiness and registration certification before final handover ☒ Delivery Schedule ☒ Evidence of supplying similar vessels in the last five years (reference letters or contract copies) ☒ Minimum one year comprehensive warranty details ☒ Manufacturer's Authorization Letter (where the bidder is not the OEM)if applicable ☒ GST Registration Certificate (if applicable) ☒ Compliance Declaration

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BID SUBMISSION FORM

Tender Title:	----------
Price (MVR, inclusive of applicable taxes and delivery):	----------
Amount in Words:	----------
Bid Validity (Days):	----------
Company Name/Name:	----------
Date:	----------
Contact No:	----------
Company Registration No:	----------

Company Seal / Signature

Note:

- ***Without this Bid Submission form your proposal will not be accepted.***
- *Please fill in all the contents in this form.*
- *Please submit a copy of the Company Registration Certificate.*
- *Please submit the declaration of conflict-of-interest form*

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CONFLICT OF INTEREST DECLARATION

To: Maldives Ports Limited (MPL)
Subject: Conflict of Interest Declaration
Date: [12 November 2026, 14:00hrs GMT+5)
Tender Title: Procurement of One (1) 38 ft Passenger Speedboat
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The bidder shall complete and submit this declaration with its bid.
I, the undersigned, being the authorized signatory of **[Insert Company Name]**, hereby declare as follows:

1. Conflict of Interest Disclosure

Does the company, or any of its directors, employees, agents, associates, or representatives, have any actual, potential, or perceived conflict of interest with MPL personnel, other bidders, or any third party involved in this tender?

☐ Yes ☐ No

If "Yes", provide full details below.

Details of Conflict of Interest, if applicable:

[Insert details of any relationship, interest, or circumstance that may create bias, interference, or an unfair advantage in the tender process.]

All financial, non-financial, actual, potential, or perceived conflicts of interest involving any MPL employee, Board Director, bidder, vendor, or related party must be fully disclosed.

Please provide the relevant disclosure details in the table below:

Employee/Director Name	NID No./ Passport Number	Designation & Department	Relationship

2. Commitment to Fairness and Ethical Conduct

1. We undertake to immediately notify Maldives Ports Limited if we become aware of any actual, potential, or perceived conflict of interest.
2. We declare that neither we nor our employees, associates, agents, shareholders, partners, consultants, relatives, or related parties have engaged in any corrupt, fraudulent, coercive, or collusive practice in connection with this bid.
3. We acknowledge MPL's right to inspect all records relating to the preparation of our bid and any resulting contract, whether or not the contract is awarded to us.
4. We confirm that no payments, gifts, inducements, or benefits have been offered, made, or promised by us or our related parties to any person involved in the procurement process on behalf of MPL, the Client, or the Employer.

DECLARATION

We confirm that this declaration is made in good faith and with full understanding of its implications under the applicable laws of the Maldives.

Authorized Signatory

Signed on behalf of: [Bidder Name]
Name: _____
Position: _____
Address: _____
Date: _____

Authorized Representative

Signature: _____
Company Seal, if applicable: _____