SPECIFIC PROCUREMENT NOTICE

Romania

Romania Secondary Education Project

Loan No.: 8481-RO

Contract Title: Goods for Improving Training Conditions of Teachers' Houses Reference No. (as per Procurement Plan): G 1.2/10

The Government of Romania has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the Romania Secondary Education Project, and intends to apply part of the proceeds toward payments under the contracts for Goods for Improving Training Conditions of Teachers' Houses.

The Ministry of National Education and Research – Unit for the Management of Externally Financed Projects now invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for: Lot 1. Computers and peripherals, Lot 2. Audio and video equipment, Lot 3. Furniture, Lot 4. Projection equipment, Lot 5. Software, Lot 6. IT accessories.

Bidding will be conducted through the International Competitive Bidding procedures as specified in the World Bank's <u>Guidelines: Procurement of Goods, Works and Non-Consulting Services under IBRD Loans and IDA Credits & Grants by World Bank Borrowers, January 2011, Revised July 2014 ("Procurement Guidelines"), and is open to all eligible bidders as defined in the Procurement Guidelines. In addition, please refer to paragraphs 1.6 and 1.7 setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest. The evaluation will be done on a lot by lot basis.</u>

Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from Ministry of National Education and Research – Unit for the Management of Externally Financed Projects, *officer in charge - Costel Bîrsan, email costel.birsan@pmu.ro* and inspect the bidding documents during office hours (09:00 AM to 04:00 PM), Bucharest local time, Monday to Friday, except holidays.

A complete set of Bidding Documents in *English language* may be obtained by interested Bidders on the sumission of a written application to the address below. The documents will be released on the basis of a written confirmation that all postage costs will be covered by the interested bidder.

Bids must be delivered to the address below on or before **September 20th**, **2016** at 10:30 AM Bucharest local time. Electronic bidding will not be permitted. Late bids will be rejected. Bids will be publicly opened in the presence of the bidders' designated representatives and anyone who choose to attend at the address below on **September 20th**, **2016** at 10:30 AM Bucharest local time.

All bids must be accompanied by a Bid Security in the form described in the bidding documents, of not less than:

Lot 1. Computers and peripherals - 31,500.00 Euro,

Lot 2. Audio and video equipment - 1,175.00 Euro,

Lot 3. Furniture - 2,800.00 Euro,

Lot 4. Projection equipment - 4,400.00 Euro,

Lot 5. Software - 900.00 Euro,

Lot 6. IT accessories - 800.00 Euro.

The address referred to above is:

Ministry of National Education and Scientific Research – Unit for the Management of

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