

Invitation For Bids (IFB)
(Authorised under Section 17 of the Public Procurement Act 2006)
Procurement Ref. No: PROC/OAB/IT/NGFW/2023/01

1. The Financial Services Commission, Mauritius (FSC) is inviting bids from local bidders through the Government e-Procurement System for the procurement of a Next Generation Firewall (NGFW) solution.
2. The bidding document can be downloaded from the Government e-Procurement System at <https://eproc.publicprocurement.govmu.org> bearing the reference number FSC/IFB/2023/568.
3. A pre-bid meeting will be held on Thursday, 26 October 2023 at 14:00hrs (Mauritius Team) at FSC House, Ebene. Interested bidders are required to confirm their attendance at the pre-bid meeting by email on procurement@fscmauritius.org by latest Wednesday, 25 October 2023 at 16:00hrs (Mauritius Time).
4. Bids must be submitted online on the Government e-Procurement System by Friday, 10 November 2023 until 14:31hrs (Mauritius Time).
5. Bidders who have submitted their bids online by the closing date and time, shall decrypt and re-encrypt their bids as from Thursday, 09 October 2023 at 15:16hrs (Mauritius Time) until 14:30hrs (Mauritius Time) on the following day.
6. Bids will be opened online by the FSC in the presence of the bidder's representative(s) who choose to attend, at the hereunder address, on Friday, 10 November 2023 at 14:31hrs (Mauritius Time).
7. The FSC reserves the right to accept or reject any bid and to annul the bidding process at any time prior to the award of the contract, without thereby incurring any liability to any bidder.

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