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INVITATION TO TENDER

In accordance with the Rules on the acquisition, disposal and management of service animals by the Police, no. 024-162/2015/6 (21-04) as of 7 April 2016 (hereinafter referred to as the Rules), the Police publish an invitation to tender for the purchase of horses for operational work.

1. Subject of the tender: two (2) horses for policing purposes (we will buy more horses as long as we have enough financial resources, which of course depends on the offer)

for the needs of the Ministry of the Interior of the Republic of Slovenia, the Police, (hereinafter referred to as the purchase of a horse) according to the invitation to tender.

The contracting authority is not obliged to purchase the entire quantity of horses.

A bidder may offer one or more horses.

Horses must fulfil the following conditions:

- age: from 4 to 9 years;
- sex: male - gelding;
- type: half-blood or warmblood riding horse;
- height: withers height at least 168 cm (measured with a stick);
- training level: basic riding.

A pedigree is not a condition for its purchase.

The contracting authority shall test the horse according to the Rules.

2. Testing of horses, negotiation and conclusion of the contract of purchase for testing:

The testing of horses shall be carried out at the mounted police station, Stožice 28, 1000 Ljubljana, and/or at the station of police dog and horse handlers, Dajnkova 4, 2000 Maribor. The bidders shall be informed later of the date and time of the testing.

Upon the first testing, the provider of the horse must submit for review the original identification document, the original pedigree (if the horse has one), evidence that the horse tested negative for EIA and other applicable original documentation according to veterinary regulations.

The veterinary examination shall be carried out according to the rules of the profession. The cost of the veterinary examination shall be borne by the Police. If it is established during the examination that the horse is not suitable for work in the Police, it shall not be further tested.

The commission shall conduct verbal negotiations on price with the bidders whose horses successfully pass the first test; the negotiations shall be held with each bidder separately in order of the receipt of bids at the site of the test, which is duly recorded.

Upon the completion of the negotiations, a contract shall be concluded with the bidder based on the resolution of the commission for the purchase of a horse/horses for testing, and the horse/horses will be accepted for up to a 28-day testing period, carried out by a unit of mounted police. In the testing period, the horse may be tested by all members of the mounted police.