

Horizon Vision Solutions RFP

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1 INTRODUCTION

1.1 Objective of the RFP

Horizon Vision Solutions seeks proposals for an advanced computer vision platform to enhance automated image and video analysis for applications such as facial recognition, object detection, and real-time surveillance. The objective is to develop a scalable, secure, and high-performance system that integrates with existing IT infrastructure and supports real-time processing for enterprise use cases.

1.2 Characteristics of the Bidder

1.2.1 Status

Bidders must be legally registered entities with at least six years of operation in the IT or computer vision sector.

1.2.2 Accreditations

Bidders must possess certifications such as ISO 27001 for information security and relevant AI or computer vision certifications (e.g., NVIDIA Deep Learning AI Certification or equivalent).

1.2.3 Previous Experience

Bidders must demonstrate successful delivery of at least three computer vision projects, with detailed case studies and references.

1.2.4 Logistic Capacity

Bidders must have robust infrastructure, including high-performance computing resources (e.g., GPU clusters) and 24/7 support capabilities, to ensure system reliability and scalability.

1.2.5 Staffing

Bidders must provide a dedicated team of at least 12 full-time staff, including computer vision engineers, data scientists, and cybersecurity experts.

1.3 Work to be Performed

1.3.1 Key Requirements

- Develop a computer vision platform using frameworks like TensorFlow, PyTorch, or OpenCV for real-time image and video processing.
- Implement modules for facial recognition, object detection, and motion tracking with at least 95% accuracy.
- Ensure compliance with GDPR, CCPA, and biometric data regulations.

- Integrate the platform with cloud-based and on-premises IT systems for seamless deployment.

1.3.2 Reporting Requirements

Bidders must provide monthly progress reports and quarterly performance reviews, detailing algorithm accuracy, system performance, and issue resolution.

1.3.3 Finance and Accounting Requirements

Bidders must submit a detailed cost breakdown, including development, hardware, and maintenance costs, compliant with IFRS standards.

1.3.4 Performance Monitoring

The platform must achieve 99.9% uptime and include monitoring tools to track processing speed, accuracy, and system health.

1.3.5 Further Capacities

Bidders should propose innovative features, such as edge-based processing for low-latency applications or AI-driven anomaly detection in video feeds.

2 INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS

2.1 Language of the Proposal and other Documents

All proposals and communications must be in English.

2.2 Intention to Bid

Bidders must submit a letter of intent by August 5, 2025, via email to procurement@horizonvisionsolution.com.

2.3 Cost of Proposal

Bidders bear all costs associated with proposal preparation.

2.4 Contents of the Proposal

Proposals must include a technical proposal, financial proposal, and bidder qualifications.

2.5 Joint Proposal

Joint ventures are permitted, with one entity as the primary contractor.

2.6 Communications during the RFP Period

All communications must be directed to the procurement office via email.

2.7 Proposal Structure

2.7.1 Proposal Submission Form

A signed form confirming compliance with RFP terms.

2.7.2 Information of Firm/Organization Submitting Proposal

Include legal status, accreditations, and references.

2.7.3 Technical Proposal

Detail the proposed solution, architecture, and methodologies.

2.7.4 Financial Proposal

Provide a detailed cost estimate and payment schedule.

2.8 Format and Signing of Proposals

Proposals must be submitted in PDF format, signed by an authorized representative.

2.9 Period of Validity of Proposals

Proposals must remain valid for 90 days from the submission deadline.

2.10 Closing Date for Submission of Proposals

Proposals are due by August 20, 2025, 5:00 PM CET.

2.11 Modification and Withdrawal of Proposals

Modifications or withdrawals are permitted until the submission deadline.

2.12 Receipt of Proposals from Non-invitees

Non-invited proposals will not be considered.

2.13 Amendments of the RFP

Any amendments will be communicated to all bidders by August 10, 2025.

3 OPENING AND EVALUATION OF PROPOSALS

3.1 Opening of Proposals

Proposals will be opened on August 21, 2025, in the presence of a procurement committee.

3.2 Clarification of Proposals

Bidders may be requested to clarify their proposals within five days of notification.

3.3 Preliminary Examination of Proposals

Proposals will be checked for completeness and compliance with RFP requirements.

3.4 Technical Evaluation of Proposals

Proposals will be evaluated based on technical feasibility, innovation, and bidder experience (70% weight).

3.5 Financial Proposal Evaluation

Financial proposals will be evaluated for cost-effectiveness (30% weight).

3.6 Bidders Presentations

Shortlisted bidders may be invited to present their proposals on August 30, 2025.

4 AWARD OF CONTRACT

4.1 Award Criteria, Award of Contract

The contract will be awarded to the bidder offering the best value for money.

4.1.1 Right to Modify Scope or Requirements during the Proposal Process

Horizon Vision Solutions reserves the right to modify requirements during the process.

4.1.2 Right to Extend/Revise Scope or Requirements at Time of Award

Scope revisions may occur at the time of award.

4.1.3 Right to Enter into Contract Price Negotiations

Price negotiations may be conducted with the selected bidder.

4.2 Signing of the Contract

The contract must be signed within 10 days of award notification.

4.3 United Nations Procurement Harmonization and Cooperation

Bidders must comply with UN procurement principles, if applicable.

5 GENERAL AND CONTRACTUAL CONDITIONS

5.1 Conditions of Contract

The contract will follow Horizon Vision Solutions standard terms.

5.2 Responsibility

The contractor is responsible for all deliverables and performance.

5.3 Source of Instructions

Instructions will be provided by the project manager.

5.4 Warranties

The contractor warrants that the system will meet all specified requirements.

5.5 Legal Status

The contractor must be a legally registered entity.

5.6 Relation Between the Parties

The contractor is an independent entity, not an employee of Horizon Vision Solutions.

5.7 Waiver of Breach

No waiver of breach shall be deemed a waiver of subsequent breaches.

5.8 Liability

The contractor is liable for any damages caused by negligence.

5.9 Assignment

The contract may not be assigned without written consent.

5.10 Officials not to Benefit

No officials of Horizon Vision Solutions may benefit from the contract.

5.11 Indemnification

The contractor shall indemnify Horizon Vision Solutions against third-party claims.

5.12 Contractors Responsibility for Employees

The contractor is responsible for its employees conduct.

5.13 Subcontracting

Subcontracting requires prior approval from Horizon Vision Solutions.

5.14 Place of Performance

The work may be performed remotely, with periodic on-site meetings.

5.15 Language

All deliverables must be in English.

5.16 Confidentiality

The contractor must maintain confidentiality of all project data.

5.17 Title Rights

Horizon Vision Solutions retains ownership of all intellectual property.

5.18 Termination and Cancellation

The contract may be terminated for non-performance or breach.

5.19 Force Majeure

Neither party is liable for delays due to unforeseen events.

5.20 Surviving Provisions

Certain provisions, such as confidentiality, survive contract termination.

5.21 Use of UNAIDS and WHO Name and Emblem

Use of these names or emblems is prohibited without permission.

5.22 Successors and Assignees

The contract binds successors and approved assignees.

5.23 Payment

Payments will be made per the agreed schedule upon milestone completion.

5.24 Title to Equipment

Equipment purchased for the project remains the property of Horizon Vision Solutions.

5.25 Insurance and Liabilities to Third Parties

The contractor must maintain adequate insurance coverage.

5.26 Settlement of Disputes

Disputes will be resolved through arbitration.

5.27 Observance of the Law

The contractor must comply with all applicable laws.

5.28 Authority to Modify

Only authorized representatives may modify the contract.

5.29 Privileges and Immunities

No privileges or immunities are granted to the contractor.

5.30 No Terrorism or Corruption

The contractor must certify no involvement in terrorism or corruption.

5.31 Personnel

5.31.1 Approval of Contractor Personnel

All personnel must be approved by Horizon Vision Solutions.

5.31.2 Project Managers

A dedicated project manager must be assigned.

5.31.3 Foreign Nationals

Foreign nationals must comply with local labor laws.

5.31.4 Compliance with UNAIDS Policies

Personnel must adhere to UNAIDS ethical policies, if applicable.

5.31.5 Ethical Behaviour

All personnel must maintain high ethical standards.

5.31.6 Engagement of Third Parties and Use of In-house Resources

Third-party engagement requires prior approval.