

## BID NOTICE UNDER OPEN DOMESTIC BIDDING

## **26<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2025**

## INVITATION TO BID FOR UPGRADE OF MICROSOFT LICENSES UNDER FRAMEWORK ARRANGEMENT: UNOC/NCONS/25-26/00001

1. Uganda National Oil Company Limited (UNOC) has allocated funds to be used for Upgrade of the Microsoft Licenses under Framework arrangement as indicated in the table below;

Subject of Procurement	Bid Securing Declaration	Pre-bid meeting date & time	Bid closing date & time
Upgrade of Microsoft Licenses under Framework arrangement	Required	3 <sup>rd</sup> September 2025 (10:00am)	16 <sup>th</sup> September 2025 <b>(10:00am)</b>

- 2. The Entity invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for Provision of Microsoft Licenses under Framework arrangement.
- 3. Bidding will be conducted in accordance with the *Open Domestic Bidding* method contained in the Public Procurement and Disposal of Public Assets Act Cap 205 and is open to all bidders.
- 4. Interested bidders may obtain further information and inspect the Bidding document at the address given below at 8(a) from **8:00am** to **05:00pm**.
- 5. The Bidding document in English may be purchased by interested bidders on submission of a written application and upon payment of a non-refundable fee of **Uganda Shillings: One hundred thousand (UGX: 100,000/=)** to the **Uganda National Oil Company Limited Account in** *Stanbic Bank Uganda Limited, Corporate Branch, Crested Towers on A/C No. 9030011896005.* Bidders should send an application letter

- and payment confirmation/receipt to: <u>pl.unoc@unoc.com</u> to obtain the Bidding document which shall be issued using email.
- 6. Bids must be delivered to the address below in 8(a) at or before 10:00am on 16<sup>th</sup> September 2025. All bids must be accompanied by a Bid Securing Declaration as indicated in (1) above using the form provided in the bidding forms. The Bid Securing Declaration must be valid until 11<sup>th</sup> March 2026. Late bids shall be rejected. Bids shall be virtually opened in the presence of bidders' representatives who choose to attend the online/virtual public bid opening session via Microsoft Teams Platform at 10:40am on 16<sup>th</sup> September 2025. Bidders will be required to share email addresses of their representatives to attend the online/virtual public bid opening session prior to submission of Bids.
- 7. An online/virtual pre-bid meeting shall be held at **10:00am** on **3<sup>rd</sup> September 2025** using the Microsoft Teams Platform. All interested eligible bidders are advised to include their email addresses in the Application letter (in 5 above) which UNOC will use to contact and invite them for the virtual/online pre-bid meeting.
- 8. (a) Bids shall be submitted to the address indicated below:

The Head, Supply Chain

Uganda National Oil Company Limited

Plot 15 Yusuf Lule Road

P. O. Box 36316, Kampala.

Email: pl.unoc@unoc.com

Telephone: 256 (0) 312-444 600

- (b) Address of bid opening: Online public bid opening via Microsoft Teams Platform.
- 9. The planned procurement schedule (subject to changes) is as follows:

Activity	Date
a. Issue of Bidding document	26 <sup>th</sup> August 2025
b. Pre-bid meeting date & time	3rd September 2025 at <b>10:00am Note:</b> UNOC uses Microsoft Teams meeting platform, hence bidders shall be required to send email and contact details of their representatives not later than one day to the pre-bid meeting date; pl.unoc@unoc.com
c. Bid closing date & time	16 <sup>th</sup> September 2025 at <b>10:00am</b>
d. Bid opening date & time	16 <sup>th</sup> September 2025 at <b>10:40am Note:</b> UNOC uses Microsoft Teams meeting platform, hence bidders shall be required to send email and contact details of their representatives not later than one day to the bid closing date; <a href="mailto:plunoc@unoc.com">plunoc@unoc.com</a>
e. Evaluation process	Between 17 <sup>th</sup> & 30 <sup>th</sup> September 2025

f.	Display and communication of best evaluated bidder notice	Between 6 <sup>th</sup> & 20 <sup>th</sup> October 2025
g.	Contract signature	(After expiry of at least 10 working days from display of the best evaluated bidder notice and Attorney General's approval)

## **CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER**