



Based on the donations earmarked for the project of Capacity Building of CWD Disposal in Arys, Kazakhstan donated by the United States Department of State – Federal Assistance Award Cooperative Agreement # 21CA3039, through ITF Enhancing Human Security (ITF), ITF would like to announce the following:

INVITATION FOR SUBMISSION OF OFFERS FOR PLANNING OF LAYOUT AND CONSTRUCTION CHARACTERISTICS OF AMMUNITION WAREHOUSES IN KAZAKHSTAN

I. Publication reference:

ITF-01/25-PSSM-KZ-USA

2. Procedure:

Call for proposals for specialized engineering and design companies.

3. Contracting Authority:

ITF Enhancing Human Security (ITF)

4. Description of the works:

The objective of this procurement is to engage a qualified company/organization to develop technical documentation and planning for the layout and construction characteristics of ammunition warehouses for the Ministry of Defense of the Republic of Kazakhstan. The scope of work includes:

- Assessment of proposed locations and existing conditions (provided by Kazakh MOD).
- Preparation of design and planning documents in line with International Ammunition Technical Guidelines (IATGs) and other best practices.
- Recommendations on construction standards, safety distances, blast protection, and environmental considerations.
- Delivery of drawings, plans, and technical specifications suitable for use in future tendering for construction.

All detailed information will be given on request via the contact person listed below.

5. Eligibility and rules of origin

Participation is open on equal terms to national and international companies registered for engineering, architectural, and/or construction design works, and which possess licenses and relevant permissions for the Republic of Kazakhstan. Consortiums are permitted if they can demonstrate proven experience in ammunition storage facility design or direct cooperation with specialized institutions.

The company/organization submitting the offer shall have successfully completed, as Prime or Sub-Contractor, at least 1 project of comparable nature/amount/complexity within the last 5 years. Documentary evidence (reference confirmation – signed and stamped) is required.

The company/organization is obliged to register and obtain a **UEI – Unique Entity ID** at: https://www.gsa.gov/... before applying.

Company's principals/officials must be verified through **SAM.gov** (https://sam.gov/content/home). The offeror is responsible to check SAM.gov.

6. Offer validity

Offer shall be valid for a minimum of 90 (ninety) days after the deadline for submission.

7. Performance guarantees

The successful company will be asked to provide a performance guarantee of 10 % of the amount of the contract at the signing of the contract. Performance guarantee shall be valid from the date of the signing of the contract and until 30 days after the handover of the constructed lightning catchers. If the selected company fails to provide such a guarantee within this period, the contract will be void and a new contract may be drawn up and sent to the company which has submitted the second best admissible offer.

8. Information meeting and/or site visit to inspect the project objects

A site visit to inspect the proposed locations is possible and will be organized upon request in coordination with the Kazakh MOD.

9. Contact person

The contact person for the delivery of the offer is Zhomart Akaev at zhomart.akaev@itf.si

All interested parties should write to the email for delivery of the full application documentation - Dossier.

10. Deadline for submission of offers

The offers shall be delivered by email, to ITF Enhancing Human Security – <u>zhomart.akaev@itf.si</u>, by Friday, 7 November 2025 at 12:00 hrs (CET). Any offer received after this deadline will not be considered.

II. Deadline for completion of works

Deadline for completion of works is subject to negotiation based on received offers.