GENERAL PROCUREMENT NOTICE

**Project name**: Emergency Assistance to China Public Health Infrastructure Project

**Country**: The People’s Republic of China

**Business sector**: Public Health

**Project ID**: 000367

**Funding Source**: Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank (AIIB)

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The Ministry of Finance of the P.R. China will receive financing in the amount of US$ 355 million equivalent from the **Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank (AIIB)** toward the cost of the Emergency Assistance to China Public Health Infrastructure Project, and it intends to apply part of the proceeds to payments for goods, works, related services and consulting services to be procured under this project. This project will be jointly financed by the Beijing Municipal Government under Part 2.

The project will support the improvement of emergency public health infrastructure in two municipalities: Chongqing and Beijing.

Project Components:
The Project consists of two parts:

**Part 1: Strengthening of public health emergency response capacity in Chongqing:**
- Component 1.1: systematic upgrading of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDCs) at all administrative levels and the treatment capacity of hospitals in dealing with epidemic emergencies.
- Component 1.2: providing emergency equipment and supplies to help contain the outbreak of COVID-19 in Chongqing.

**Part 2: Strengthening of public health emergency response capacity in Beijing:**
- Component 2.1: capacity enhancement of the municipal-level CDC and the treatment capacity of municipal hospitals in dealing with epidemic emergencies
- Component 2.2: providing emergency equipment and supplies to help contain the outbreak of COVID-19 in Beijing
Procurement of contracts financed by AIIB will be conducted through the procedures as specified in the AIIB’s Interim Operational Directive on Procurement Instructions for Recipients (June 2, 2016). These provide for the use of Country Procurement Systems and, particularly, the use of Request for Quotations and Direct Contracting in emergency situations. Project procurement is open to all eligible suppliers and manufacturers in the world as defined in the Instructions.
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