CONTRACT AWARD NOTICE

Republic of Moldova Road Sector Program

Contract: Construction Supervision of the Civil Works on R1 Chisinau-Ungheni-Sculeni Road (Package 1).

(a) The names of all consultants who submitted technical proposals:

- SAFEGE Consulting Engineers (Belgium);
- IRD Engineering Srl (Italy);
- SPEA Ingegneria Europea S.P.A. (Italy);
- Louis Berger SAS (France).

Two shortlisted companies, namely MMM Group Limited (Canada) and Mott MacDonald Ltd. (United Kingdom), did not submit proposals for either Packages 1&2. Mott MacDonald Ltd. (United Kingdom) provided no prior explanations for not doing so. MMM Group Limited (Canada), by the letter dated 29.10.2013, explained the decision to withdraw from the opportunity due to unexpected and unavoidable circumstances.

(b) Technical points assigned to each consultant:

- SAFEGE Consulting Engineers (Belgium) 74,6;
- IRD Engineering Srl (Italy) **87,0**;
- SPEA Ingegneria Europea S.P.A. (Italy) **88,3**;
- Louis Berger SAS (France) **86,5**.

(c) The prices proposed by the consultants in the Financial Proposal:

- IRD Engineering Srl (Italy) –2,500,300.00 EUR;
- SPEA Ingegneria Europea S.P.A. (Italy) 1,694,100.00 EUR;
- Louis Berger SAS (France) 1,749,840.00 EUR.

(d) Final point ranking of the consultants, after the combined evaluation:

- SPEA Ingegnaria Europea S.P.A. (Italy) 90,6;
- Louis Berger SAS (France) 88,5;
- IRD Engineering (Italy) 83,1.

(e) The name of the awarded consultant, duration and the summary related to the scope of the contract:

SPEA Ingegneria Europea S.P.A. (Italy)

Address: Via Gerolamo Vida 11, 20127, Milan, Italy *Phone:* +39 (0) 22 80 07.1; *Fax:* +39 (0) 22 80 07.201;

Duration of the contract: 40 months (including 12 months for the defect notification period).

The consultant will be required to undertake the role of the "Engineer" as defined in the FIDIC MDB Harmonized Edition of the Conditions of Contract for Construction, March 2006. The Services to be provided by the Consultant shall include but not be limited to: (a) establishment of systems of managerial control for civil works contracts, (b) the Engineer's administration of Contracts, (c) control over estimated works quantities and contract outcome costs, in monitoring the progress of the Works and technical records; (d) control and acceptance of contractor's interim and final payment certificates; (e) the acceptance and/or approval of Contractors' key staff, insurances, guarantees, licenses, programs, method statements, traffic management plans, safety measures, suppliers and materials for incorporation in the works, the quality assurance and control plans, laboratory provisions and execution of the testing program, subcontractors, plant, equipment and environmental protection; (f) direct supervision of the works and monitoring of progress; (g) the preparation of progress, technical and contractual reports, (h) execution of the control tests of all materials intended for incorporation into permanent works and the all executed works.