



## EL SALVADOR

### International Airport of El Salvador (AIES)

### “Rehabilitation and Modernization Project 2013”

#### REHABILITATION AND MODERNIZATION PROJECT

The International Airport of El Salvador is going through a Rehabilitation and Modernization Project to improve its facilities during 2013. The project value is \$62,755,847.

The International Airport of El Salvador is administrated by the Comision Ejecutiva Portuaria Autonoma (CEPA) (Autonomous Executive Port Commission), the government agency responsible to administrate the Ports, International Airport, and Railway in El Salvador. CEPA is an autonomous institution with its own legal status, under the Ministry of Public Works. Website: [www.cepta.gob.sv](http://www.cepta.gob.sv)

The CEPA goal is to improve the airport infrastructure to enhance the country’s competitiveness, connectivity, and foster tourism and trade.

The Rehabilitation and Modernization Project includes:

- A new radar and aeronautic communication system
- Security equipment
- Consultant services
- Repave of runway and airport surrounding roads
- Aero bridges
- Air conditioning, etc.

Project is financed by CEPA’s own funds, and securitization.

CEPA has hired the services of the United Nations Office for Project Services –UNOPS ( [www.unops.org](http://www.unops.org) ) to implement the project. A total of 41 international bidding processes are expected to be announced for the different projects during the period of February – April 2013.

The 41 bid processes include projects on:

- **Consultant Services: (\$800,000):** Studies for the Aeronautic Optimization Operations, Tariffs, and Passenger Flow Segregation.
- **Projects for Passengers Facilitation (\$1,950,000):** remodeling and equipment for immigration, inspection, waiting rooms, and customs areas.
- **Projects for Passengers Facilitation (\$7,000,000):** remodeling and equipment for Food Court, Commercial premises, signing, and flight information.
- **Infrastructure Modernization (\$23,290,500):** replacement of the operating equipment such as aero bridges, radar and aeronautical communication systems, modernization of cargo terminal, air conditioners, etc.
- **Maintenance Plan (\$27,387,547):** maintenance and repair of operational infrastructure such as runway, taxiways, perimeter streets, emergency plants.

It is recommended that all U.S. companies interested in these business opportunities register at the UN Global Marketplace website [www.ungm.com](http://www.ungm.com). Click on “Sign up free” or “Registration”.

In addition, all U.S. companies participating in any project at the International Airport of El Salvador are encouraged to contact the U.S. Commercial Service in San Salvador by sending an email to: [office.sansalvador@trade.gov](mailto:office.sansalvador@trade.gov).

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