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International
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Expertise

IPA closely adheres to the specific rules and guidelines set out by its principals. Our staff is well versed in the procurement regimes and the project management methods of various bi- and multilateral donors, from the World Bank to regional development banks, from the European Commission to Dutch Aid and from UN organisations to NGO's.

The Mission

The mission of IPA (*International Procurement Agency*) is to provide superior supply, procurement and advisory services to principals in all parts of the developing world on a strictly independent basis.

Client solutions

IPA distinguishes three service areas in which we offer customized solutions to our clients:

- Supply Services
- Procurement Services
- Consulting Services

 IPA is a member of European Procurement Agents S.A., a Brussels registered, pan-European procurement service company. EuroPA is market leader in the provision of independent procurement services to the European Commission.



The certification of our procedures according to ISO 9002 standards reflects our unequivocal commitment to quality.

Dear Readers,

We are very pleased to present you the second edition of our newsletter *NEWS@IPA*. This newsletter will be sent to a selective number of clients and business relations, keeping you informed about the developments of our organisation.

I hope you will enjoy reading this issue of *NEWS@IPA*.

With kind regards,
Bob Vlietstra, Director

Supply of building materials to Ternate, Indonesia

On behalf of one of our UN principals we have supplied building materials (plywood, corrugated iron sheets, cement, nails, bolts and nuts) for the construction of emergency accommodation (1400 houses) for displaced persons in Maluku, Indonesia. The delivery of the materials took place in 4 consignments; each shipment individually dispatched by a chartered vessel. The building materials have been supplied to a secure warehouse in Ternate, Indonesia. IPA B.V. has placed this warehouse at the disposal of the project during the duration and completion of the project. The emergency houses will be built by the beneficiaries themselves in close co-operation with the UN supported project.

Emergency response to civil unrest in Liberia

During, and shortly after the civil unrest in Liberia, IPA has supplied Food stuffs, Compact food, Milk powder, Health kits, Plastic sheeting, Jerrycans, Generators, Soap & Hygiene kits to several principals in Liberia. For this rapid response IPA used 2 Aircrafts, hence the urgently required goods were at the disposal of the projects within 1 week.



General Panel of Procurement Agents DFID

The Department for International Development (DFID) is the UK Government department responsible for promoting sustainable development and reducing poverty. IPA has prolonged (original contract 1999) its Framework Agreement and is awarded a position in the panel of pre-selected Procurement Agents of DFID under the "so-called" Enabling Agreement. The main business will be the provision of a high standard of procurement and associated services to DFID and its partner governments in developing countries throughout the world. Because of this appointment within this procurement panel, IPA was selected to implement various politically sensitive projects in Sierra Leone, Rwanda, Pakistan and others. For detailed project references please contact us at the understated email address.

Other recently supplied equipment

- Generator sets • Workshop equipment • Vehicle spare parts • Mercedes Benz Trucks
- Pipes & Fittings • Office Supplies • Computer Equipment • Software • Tents • Blankets
- Plastic Sheeting • Plywood • Sewing Kits

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