

Inter-American Development Bank

Thresholds for processes with International Competitive Bidding, National Competitive Bidding and Price Comparison (in thousands USD)

Country	International Competitive Bidding		National Competitive Bidding ¹		Price Comparison		International Short List
	Works	Goods & Services ²	Works	Goods & Services ²	Works	Goods & Services ²	Consulting Firms
	≥	≥	<	<	≤	≤	≥
Argentina	25,000	1,500	25,000	1,500	350	100	1,000
Bahamas	3,000	150	3,000	150	150	50	200
Barbados	3,000	150	3,000	150	150	50	200
Belize	1,000	100	1,000	100	100	25	200
Bolivia	3,000	200	3,000	200	250	50	200
Brazil	25,000	5,000	25,000	5,000	500	100	1,000
Chile	5,000	350	5,000	350	350	100	500
Colombia	10,000	1,000	10,000	1,000	350	50	500
Costa Rica	3,000	250	3,000	250	250	50	200
Dominican Republic	3,000	250	3,000	250	250	50	200
Ecuador	3,000	250	3,000	250	250	50	200
El Salvador	5,000	250	5,000	250	350	50	200
Guatemala	1,500	150	1,500	150	150	25	200
Guyana	1,000	100	1,000	100	100	25	100
Haiti	1,000	100	1,000	100	100	25	100
Honduras	1,500	150	1,500	150	150	25	200
Jamaica	1,500	150	1,500	150	150	25	200
Mexico	15,000	3,000	15,000	3,000	500	100	500
Nicaragua	1,500	150	1,500	150	150	25	200
Panama	3,000	250	3,000	250	250	50	200
Paraguay	5,000	500	5,000	500	250	50	200
Peru	3,000	250	3,000	250	250	50	350
Suriname	1,000	100	1,000	100	100	25	100
Trinidad & Tobago	3,000	250	3,000	250	250	50	200
Uruguay	5,000	500	5,000	500	250	50	200
Venezuela	5,000	250	5,000	250	350	50	350

¹ Common goods and simple civil works, the value of which is below the threshold for ICB, may be procured using Price Comparison.

² In general, includes services related to works and services other than consulting services.