The RECTOR

WHEREAS

- the University of Rome “Tor Vergata” is interested to commercialize the national and/or international patent applications and/or patents listed in the Annex A;

- that the University intends to solicit public and private entities to submit expressions of interest aimed to start commercial negotiations related to the national and/or international patent applications and/or patents in question, according to the economic conditions to be determined by individual negotiations;

- considering that, among the Companies that will submit an expression of interest for the national and/or international patent applications and/or patents listed in the Annex A, the offer that will be, during negotiations, the most economically advantageous for the University will be taken into account;

with this

PUBLIC CALL FOR COMPETITION

Hereby

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INVITES

public and private entities that meet the requirements of article 1 of this notice to send an expression of interest addressed to the Head Office of the University of Rome "Tor Vergata", located in Rome, Via Orazio Raimondo n. 18, in order to enter into commercial negotiations.

Art. 1

Eligible Subjects

Applicants must be professionals, individuals who exercise a business activity, partnerships, limited liability companies, consortia between companies and other consortium organizations, cooperative societies, public and private research institutions, foundations, public shareholding companies and public authorities, which are established in Italy or elsewhere in the world and exert industrial activities and / or research in the sectors of the above mentioned industrial inventions (Annex A).
Art. 2
Procedure
The expression of interest, drawn up in the manner specified in article 3, must reach the University no later than 12.00 am on the 27th day of each month. In case where the 27th day of the month is a public holiday, the first business day after the public holiday will be considered as a deadline.
After receiving the expressions of interest request, the University will proceed to send the documentation to the “Commission for the use of results of Research and for Technology Transfer” (CVRTT) that will verify the formal validity of the documentation submitted and the requirements of eligibility provided. The CVRTT will draw up a list of expressions of interest and will start for each expression of interest a commercial negotiation.

Art. 3
Rules for submission of expressions of interest
The expression of interest must be submitted in paper format and must be sent by registered mail or by delivery to the following address:

Università degli Studi di Roma “Tor Vergata”
Dir. II – Div. III – Rip. I (Brevetti e licensing)
Via Orazio Raimondo, 18  00173 Roma

The envelope must have written the name of the sender and the following wording:
Avviso pubblico per una manifestazione d’interesse ad avviare una trattativa commerciale inerente la domanda di brevetto con indicazione del titolo di cui all’allegato A (“Public call for expression of interest to start commercial negotiations regarding the patent application entitled.... ; see Annex A”).
The envelope must contain the expression of interest of the public or private entity to participate in the commercial negotiations concerning one or more patents. Alternatively, the expression of interest can be sent by certified mail to the following email address: direzione.amministrativa@pec.uniroma2.it.

Art. 4
Content of the expressions of interest and related documentation
The expression of interest must be signed by the proponent in simple form, with a copy of an identity document in accordance with D.P.R. nr. 445/2000 and subsequent modifications and supplements.
In addition, must include the following elements, which could be subject to verification later by the University:

- For individuals:
  a) personal data;
  b) fiscal code;
  c) declarations stating: that the applicant enjoys his/her civil and political rights; that has not fallen into any obstacles with regard to the current anti-mafia legislation; that has not any
criminal convictions that determine the inability to contract with the public administration in accordance with current rules;
d) a brief report indicating the field of activity and the reasons why you believe you are interested in the use of the patent.

- For partnerships, limited liability companies and public authorities:

a) company name, registered office, fiscal code, VAT number, details of the person having the powers of representation and details of the shareholders with the relative powers in the case of partnerships;
b) a statement of registration in registro unico delle imprese or in register of the competent Chamber of Commerce or other body corresponding for the non-Italian companies, with the following information: registration number, legal form, company name, registered office and aim of the activity, personal data and general status of all the legal representatives; VAT number and fiscal code, number of employees at the date on which the admissions presentation;
c) a statement, under penalty of exclusion, signed in the simplest form, in which the legal representative attests, under his own responsibility, the absence of grounds for exclusion as in Article 80 of Legislative Decree n. 50 of 18.04.2016;
d) a brief description of the economic activity by the organization and its affinity with the exploitation of the patent;
For foreigners it is required that the above statements are documented according to the rules of equivalence.

Art. 5
Additional information
The University of Rome "Tor Vergata", by law, has the right to cancel or withdraw this notice and/or to interrupt the selection procedure and/or the commercial negotiations.
The Subjects that have expressed interest in starting a commercial negotiation inherent in the patent application indicating the title of Annex "A" may be invited to provide further explanations, news and documentation.
The University of Rome "Tor Vergata" will promptly publish on its website any notes or details of general interest in order to participate in the selection.

In reference to the procedure, it is noted that:

- an active owner of the data collection is the University of Rome "Tor Vergata";
- responsible for the data processing is the Rector Prof. Giuseppe Novelli;
- in charge of the procedure is Dr. Loredana Pastore - Dir. II - Div. III - Rip. I (Technology Transfer Office).

Rome, January 23rd 2017
Signed for University of Rome “Tor Vergata”

The Vice Rector
(Prof. Claudio Franchini)