

Turkey receives 5 bids for lottery pre-qualification

Ankara (Reuters) – Turkey's Privatisation Administration (OIB) said on Monday it received five bids in the pre-qualification stage of a tender for the privatisation of national lottery company Milli Piyango.

The Turkish government's privatisation process has taken a hit as investors largely stay on the sidelines due to the global financial crisis.

The following are the firms bidding for Milli Piyango in the pre-qualification stage:

- 1 – Dogan Holding-Lottomatica consortium
- 2 – Intralot
- 3 – OPAP S.A.- DAF Research and Development consortium
- 4 – Austrian Lotteries
- 5 – Sans Oyunlari Yatirim Holding A.S., owned by Turkcell , Turkey's biggest mobile-phone operator.