



# INVITATION FOR BIDS

## (National Competitive Bidding)

Date : 15<sup>th</sup> August 2019

IFB No. LGESP (AF) - MPCLG-15

Loan No. and Title : L3431, Local Government Enhancement Sector Project (Additional Financing)

Contract No. and Title : Package No. NWP-AF-WS-CKD-15. Construction of Water Supply Scheme at Karuwalagaswewa Pradeshiya Sabha

Deadline for Submission of Bids : 12<sup>th</sup> September 2019, 14.30 Hrs. (Local Time)

- The Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka has received a loan from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) towards the cost of Local Government Enhancement Sector Project - Additional Financing (LGESP-AF) and intends to apply part of the loan funds to cover eligible payments under the above-mentioned Contract.
- The Secretary, Ministry of Internal & Home Affairs and Provincial Councils & Local Government, Sri Lanka (Chairman, Ministry Procurement Committee), on behalf of the Chief Secretary, North Western Province invites sealed Bids from eligible Bidders for the work mentioned above.
- National Competitive Bidding will be conducted in accordance with ADB's Single-Stage : One-Envelope Bidding Procedure (NCB/1S1E) and is open to all Bidders from eligible countries as described in the Bidding Document.
- Only eligible Bidders with the following key qualifications should participate in this Bidding :
  - National Bidders shall have CIDA (Formerly ICTAD) Registration Category C2 or above in water supply and sewerage and shall fulfil the qualification given in 4 (c) below.
    - In case of JV between local Bidders only, the Lead Partner should have the required CIDA (Formerly ICTAD) Registration.
  - Foreign Bidders shall fulfil the qualification criteria given in 4 (c) below.
    - In case of JV between local and foreign Bidders, the local Bidder should necessarily have the specified CIDA (Formerly ICTAD) registration even if the foreign Bidder has the required qualification as mentioned in Section 4.
  - Qualification of the Bidders :

Sl. No.	Package Name / Criteria / Period of Execution	Financial Situation - Bidders' Net worth for last year, calculated as the difference between total assets and total liabilities. (Submit audited financial statements for the last 3 years)	Minimum Average Annual Construction Turnover calculated as total certified payments received for contracts in progress or completed within the last 3 years	Financial Resources : Possess financial resources	Construction Experience - Have participated in/ executed at least one contract that has been successfully or substantially completed within last 8 years ending bid closing date.
1.	Construction of Water Supply Scheme at Karuwalagaswewa Pradeshiya Sabha Package No. NWP AF WS CKD 15. Period of Execution : 454 Days	Net worth should be positive	has minimum Average Annual Construction Turnover of <b>LKR 500 Million</b> , within last 3 years	As required in the Bidding Document	The Bidders should have completed at least one project similar to the proposed work, where the value of the Bidder's participation exceeds <b>LKR 280 Million</b> (Excluding VAT)

**Note :** In case of contracts previously implemented by Joint Ventures, where the Bidder constituted a party, the Bidder's participation will be determined in line with the Bidding Document requirement.

- Interested Bidders may inspect Bidding Documents free of charge and obtain further information at the office of :  
Project Director,  
Project Management Unit,  
Local Government Enhancement Sector Project - Additional Financing (LGESP - AF)  
191 A, 2nd Floor, J.R. Jayawardene Centre, Dharmapala Mawatha, Colombo 07.  
Telephone : +94 11 2691202 Facsimile Number : +94 11 2676678 E Mail : pdlgesp@gmail.com
- To purchase the Bidding Documents in English, eligible and interested Bidders should :
  - Write to the address above requesting the Bidding Documents clearly indicating the name of package.
  - Pay a non-refundable Fee of LKR 35,000/- (Thirty Five Thousand) plus VAT in cash to Project Director, Project Management Unit, Local Government Enhancement Sector Project (LGESP-AF) at the address mentioned in Paragraph 5 above.
  - Bidding Documents can be obtained between **09.00 hours and 15:00 hours** on normal working days from **16th August 2019 to 11th September 2019**.
- A pre Bid Meeting is arranged on **29th August 2019** in the Auditorium of the Ministry of Internal & Home Affairs and Provincial Councils & Local Government, in the address provided in Paragraph 8 below at **10.30 Hours**, Interested Bidders may attend the Pre-Bid Meeting at their own expense.
- Interested Bidders are requested to submit the completed Bids :
  - To the Office of the **Secretary - Chairman, Ministry Procurement Committee, Ministry of Internal & Home Affairs and Provincial Councils & Local Government, 330, Union Place, Colombo 02, Sri Lanka.**  
**Attention :**  
**Project Director, Project Management Unit, Local Government Enhancement Sector Project (Additional Financing).**
  - On or before the deadline : **12th September 2019 before 14.30 hours**.
  - together with a Bid Security as prescribed in the Bid Document.
  - Bid Package Number should be marked on the top left corner of the original and duplicate envelopes.
  - Bids will be opened immediately after the deadline in the presence of Bidders' Representatives who choose to attend it at the abovementioned address.
- The Employer will not be responsible for any costs or expenses incurred by Bidders in connection with the preparation or delivery of Bids, including costs and expenses related to site visits.
- Bid Documents and IFB will be published in the Project Website <http://puraneguma.lk/additional-financing/project-tender-notices.php> for viewing only. Bidding Documents purchased from the PMU on payment of the required fee will only be considered for evaluation.

**H.M. Gamini Senevirathna,**  
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