GOVERNMENT OF THE DEMOCRATIC SOCIALIST REPUBLIC OF SRI LANKA



MINISTRY OF HIGHWAYS ROAD DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY ASIAN DEVELOPMENT BANK FUNDED INTEGRATED ROAD INVESTMENT PROGRAM



INVITATION FOR BIDS NATIONAL COMPETITIVE BIDDING

Date:	7 November 2020				
Title:	Integrated Road Investment Program				
Contract Nos. and Title:	 RDA/ADB/iROAD/NCB/RMC/01-A: Rehabilitation, Improvement and Maintenance of Colombo – Kandy Road (A001) (44+300 km to 59+200 km) RDA/ADB/iROAD/NCB/RMC/01-B: Rehabilitation, Improvement and Maintenance of Colombo – Kandy Road (A001) (59+200 km to 72+100 km) RDA/ADB/iROAD/NCB/RMC/01-C: Rehabilitation, Improvement and Maintenance of Colombo – Kandy Road (A001) (72+100 km to 86+000 km) RDA/ADB/iROAD/NCB/RMC/01-D: Rehabilitation, Improvement and Maintenance of Colombo – Kandy Road (A001) (86+000 km to Maintenance				
Deadline for Submission of Bids:	23 December 2020, 11.00 hrs. (local time)				

- 1. The Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka has received financing from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) towards the cost of **Integrated Road Investment Program**. Part of this financing will be used for payments under the contracts named above. Bidding is open to bidders from eligible source countries of the ADB.
- 2. The **Road Development Authority** ("the Employer") invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for the above contract packages. Scope of the works includes;
 - 2-a. The Rehabilitation and Improvement activities (the works) will include but not limited to the following:
 - Site Clearing and Excavation;
 - Road formation improvement;
 - Sub Base construction, Dense Graded Aggregate Base complete with Asphalt Concrete overlay;
 - Drainage construction / improvements;
 - Culvert rehabilitation/extension and construction;
 - Relocation of utilities
 - Provision of Facilities for the Engineer/Employer.

2-b. Performance Based Road Maintenance Works shall mainly consist of maintenance activities necessary for keeping the Roads in compliance with specified Performance or Service Levels.

(All activities shall be carried out complying with the environmental and social framework as specified in the relevant sections)

- 3. Bidders may bid for one or several contract packages. A bidder shall be awarded only one contract even if the bidder submits several successful (lowest evaluated substantially responsive) bids. Further details are provided in section 3 of the bidding document of respective contract package.
- 4. **National Competitive Bidding** will be conducted in accordance with ADB's <u>Single-Stage</u>: <u>One-Envelope</u> Bidding Procedure (1S1E) and is open to all bidders from eligible countries as described in the bidding document.
- 5. Only eligible Bidders with the following key qualifications should participate in this bidding:
 - (i) Pending Litigation shall not represent more than 50% of the bidder's net worth.
 - (ii) The bidders' net worth in the last year shall be positive.
 - (iii) Average Annual Construction Turnover (AACT) within last 7 years, financial resources, similar construction experience within last 7 years and construction experience in key activities as given in the table below.

Contract Package No.	AACT LKR (million)	Financial Resources LKR (million)	Similar Construction Experience of one Contract with a value of LKR (million)	Construction Experience in Key Activities in 12 months
RDA/ADB/iROAD/NCB /RMC/01-A	1,050	270	1,300	50mm Asphalt Concrete Paving– 57,500 m ² Base Course 2,050 Cu.m.
RDA/ADB/iROAD/NCB /RMC/01-B	1,000	250	1,200	50mm Asphalt Concrete Paving– 49,000 m ² Base Course 1,800 Cu.m.
RDA/ADB/iROAD/NCB /RMC/01-C	900	230	1,100	50mm Asphalt Concrete Paving– 49,000 m ² Base Course 850 Cu.m.
RDA/ADB/iROAD/NCB /RMC/01-D	1,000	250	1,200	50mm Asphalt Concrete Paving– 48,750 m ² Base Course 850 Cu.m.

The bidder must also show that it has the personnel for key positions and key equipment as given in detail in the bidding documents.

6. To obtain further information and inspect the bidding documents, eligible bidders should contact:

Project Director
Integrated Road Investment Program
Road Development Authority
12th Floor, Sethsiripaya Stage II
Battaramulla
Sri Lanka.

Telephone: 011 – 2186130, 011 – 2187164

Facsimile: 011 – 2187166 Email: <u>iroad.rda@gmail.com</u>

- 7. To purchase the bidding documents in (English) eligible bidders should;
 - (i) Write to the address above requesting for the bidding documents for the Contract Packages indicating the Contract Numbers.
 - (ii) Pay a non-refundable fee of Sri Lankan Rupees 15,000/- for each package by cash or bank draft in favour of the "Secretary, Ministry of Highways, Ports & Shipping, Inclusive Road Operation and Development Investment Programme Bank of Ceylon Account Number. 0007040421" in respect of the bidding document.
 - (iii) Bidding documents requested by mail will be dispatched by registered speed post / courier on payment of an extra amount of Sri Lanka Rupees 15,000.00 or equivalent for overseas shipping and Sri Lankan Rupees 1,000.00 for local courier. The Road Development Authority will not be held responsible for the postal / courier delay, if any, in the delivery of the documents or non-receipt of the same.

The bidding documents will be issued during normal working days from 9.00 hrs to 15.00 hrs. at the address under para. 6 above, from 10 November 2020 to 22 December 2020.

- 8. Deliver bids:
 - to the address:

Chairman, Standing Cabinet Appointed Procurement Committee (SCAPC), C/o Chief Accountant,
Ministry of Highways,
Procurement Division,
"Maganeguma Mahamedura" – 7th Floor,
No. 216, Denzil Kobbekaduwa Mawatha, Koswatta, Battaramulla, Sri Lanka.

- on or before 23 December 2020 at 11.00 hrs.
- Together with bid security as described in the bidding document

Amounts of bid security are given in the table below.

Package	RMC/01-A	RMC/01-B	RMC/01-C	RMC/01-D
Amount (LKR million)	16	15	14	15

Bids will be opened immediately in the presence of Bidders' representatives who choose to attend.

- 9. A virtual pre-bid meeting is arranged on 3 December 2020 at 11.00 hrs. Log in details shall be made available for the interested bidders in the project web page www.iroad.rda.gov.lk
- 10. The bidder shall bear all costs associated with the preparation and submission of its Bids, and the Employer shall not be responsible or liable for those costs, regardless of the conduct or outcome of the bidding process.

The Chairperson
Standing Cabinet Appointed Procurement Committee,
Ministry of Highways,
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