

PROCUREMENT PLAN

Basic Data

Project Name:	Dhaka Water Supply Sector Development Program
Country: BAN	Executing Agency: DWASA
Loan Amount: \$150 M	Loan (Grant) Number: 2382
Date of First Procurement Plan: Nov 2007	Date of this Procurement Plan: 11 March 2011

A. Process Thresholds, Review and 18-Month Procurement Plan

1. Project Procurement Thresholds

1. Except as the Asian Development Bank (ADB) may otherwise agree, the following process thresholds shall apply to procurement of goods and works.

Procurement of Goods and Works

Method	Threshold
International Competitive Bidding (ICB) for Works	\$1,000,000 and above
International Competitive Bidding for Goods	\$500,000 and above
National Competitive Bidding (NCB) for Works	Below \$1,000,000
National Competitive Bidding for Goods	Below \$500,000
Shopping	Below \$100,000
Community Participation in Procurement	Below \$10,000

Note: NCB packages valued at more than \$100,000 each will be subject to prior review by the Asian Development Bank. The feasibility of community contracting will be examined on a case-to-case basis for slum and/or bulk water supply and other community-level works not exceeding \$10,000. Shopping works and shopping goods will be used for procuring readily available off-the-shelf goods or standard specification commodities or small value, or simple civil works valued at less than \$100,000.

2. ADB Prior or Post Review

2. Except as ADB may otherwise agree, the following prior or post review requirements apply to the various procurement and consultant recruitment methods used for the project.

Procurement Method	Prior or Post	Comments
ICB Works	Prior	
ICB Goods	Prior	
NCB Works	Post	
NCB Goods	Post	
Shopping	Post	

3. Goods and Works Contracts Estimated to Cost More Than \$1 Million

3. The following table lists goods and works contracts for which procurement activity is either ongoing or expected to commence within the next 18 months.

General Description	Contract Value	Procurement Method	Prequalification of Bidders (y/n)	Advertisement Date (quarter/year)	Comments
ICB 03.3 Domestic Meters	2.872 M	ICB	N	2Q/2011	To be awarded 4Q 2011
ICB 03.4 Domestic Meters	2.610 M	ICB	N	2Q/2011	To be awarded 4Q 2011
ICB 03.6 Domestic	2.424 M	ICB	N	2Q/2011	To be awarded 4Q 2011

General Description	Contract Value	Procurement Method	Prequalification of Bidders (y/n)	Advertisement Date (quarter/year)	Comments
Meters					
ICB 04.3 Regular Valves	2.381 M	ICB	N	2Q/2011	To be awarded 4Q 2011
ICB 04.4 Special Valves	1.510 M	ICB	N	2Q/2011	To be awarded 4Q 2011
ICB 04.5 Regular Valves	2.558 M	ICB	N	2Q/2011	To be awarded 4Q 2011

4. Goods and Works Contracts Estimated to Cost Less than \$1 Million and Consulting Services Contracts Less than \$100,000

4. The following table groups smaller-value goods, works contracts for which procurement activity is either ongoing or expected to commence within the next 18 months.

General Description	Value of Contracts (cumulative)	Number of Contracts	Procurement / Recruitment Method	Comments
ICB 03.5 Bulk Meters	0.181 M	1	ICB	To be awarded 1Q 2012
ICB 05.2 Loggers	0.162 M	1	ICB	To be awarded 1Q 2012
Rehab of Overhead tanks	0.560 M	1	NCB	To be awarded 1Q 2012
Laboratory rehab	0.200 M	1	NCB	To be awarded 1Q 2012

B. National Competitive Bidding

1. General

7. The procedures to be followed for national competitive bidding shall be those set forth for the National Open Tendering Method in the Government's *Public Procurement Rules, 2008* (as updated and issued pursuant to the Bangladesh *Public Procurement Act, 2006*) with the clarifications and modifications described in the following paragraphs required for compliance with the provisions of the Procurement Guidelines.

2. Advertising

8. Bidding of NCB contracts estimated at \$500,000 or more for goods and related services or \$1,000,000 or more for civil works shall be advertised on ADB's website via the posting of the Procurement Plan.

3. Anti-Corruption

9. Definitions of corrupt, fraudulent, collusive and coercive practices shall reflect the latest ADB Board-approved Anti-Corruption Policy definitions of these terms and related additional provisions (such as conflict of interest, etc.).

4. Location of Bid Submission

10. Submission of bids to 'primary' and 'secondary' locations, or 'multiple droppings' of bids, shall not be required or allowed. Advertisements and bidding documents shall specify only one location for delivery of bids.

5. Rejection of All Bids and Rebidding

11. Bids shall not be rejected and new bids solicited without ADB's prior concurrence.

6. Member Country Restrictions

12. Bidders must be nationals of member countries of ADB, and offered goods must be produced in member countries of ADB.

7. Lottery

13. A lottery system shall not be used to determine a successful bidder, including for the purpose of resolving deadlocks.

8. Qualification Requirements

14. A successful bidder must be determined by an assessment process that shall include the application of qualification requirements to all bids.

9. Rejection of Bids

15. A bid shall not be rejected on the grounds that its bid price is not within a percentage range above or below the contract estimate.