



## Invitation for Bids

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<b>Date:</b>	3 January 2018
<b>Grant No. and Title:</b>	2756-BAN: Khulna Water Supply Project
<b>Contract No. and Title:</b>	KWASA/KWSP/ADB/WM-10.4 Supply of 22,500 Water Meters
<b>Deadline for Submission of Bids:</b>	18 January 2018, 3:00 PM (local time)

1. The People’s Republic of Bangladesh has received financing from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) toward the cost of **Khulna Water Supply Project** and it intends to apply part of the proceeds of this financing to payments under the contract named above. This contract will be jointly financed by ADB and the Government of Bangladesh (GOB). Bidding is open to bidders from eligible source countries of the ADB.

2. The **Khulna Water Supply and Sewerage Authority** (KWASA) invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for the “**Supply of 22,500 Water Meters**”. The delivery period is 150 days after the date of contract signing.

3. **National Competitive Bidding** (NCB) will be conducted in accordance with ADB’s [Single-Stage: Two - Envelope](#) bidding procedure and is open to all Bidders from eligible source countries as described in the Bidding Documents.

4. Only eligible Bidders with the following key qualifications should participate in this bidding:

- Successful completion as main supplier within the last 3 (three) years, of at least 1 (one) contracts each valued at >50,000,000 BDT (greater than Fifty Million BDT) with nature (provision of water meters), and complexity similar to the scope of supply described in Section 6 (Schedule of Supply) of the BD.
- Submission of audited financial statements or, if not required by the law of the Bidder’s country, other financial statements acceptable to the Purchaser, for the last 3 (three) years to demonstrate the current soundness of the Bidder’s financial position. As a minimum, the Bidder’s net worth for the last year calculated as the difference between total assets and total liabilities should be positive.

The complete qualification criteria are described in the bidding document (Section 3).

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

**Attention: Project Director  
Khulna Water Supply Project, KWASA.  
Khulna WASA Bhaban, 7 Roosevelt Jettyghat, Joragate**

**Floor/Room No: 4th Floor**

City: Khulna

ZIP Code: 9000

Country: Bangladesh

Telephone: +88-041-762085, +88-041-762916

Facsimile: +88-041-762909

Electronic mail address: [pdofkwsp@gmail.com](mailto:pdofkwsp@gmail.com), [dmdekwas@gmail.com](mailto:dmdekwas@gmail.com)

6. To inspect or purchase the bidding documents in English, eligible bidders should:
- Visit the office of the Project Director, Khulna Water Supply Project, KWASA at the address above
  - Write to the address above requesting the bidding documents for ADB Loan No. 2756-BAN (SF), Khulna Water Supply Project, Contract No.: KWASA/KWSP/ADB/WM-10.3 “Supply of 22,500 water meters” and pay a non-refundable fee of BDT 10,000. The method of payment will be in Cash.
  - Deadline for purchasing the bidding documents is 17 January 2018, 05:00 PM (Office time).
7. Deliver your bid:
- to the address below:

**Attention: Project Director  
Khulna Water Supply Project  
Khulna Water Supply and Sewerage Authority (KWASA)  
Khulna WASA Bhaban, 7 Roosevelt Jettyghat, Joragate**

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- together with a Bid Security (as described in the Bidding Document)
- **on or before the deadline 18 January 2018 at 3:00 PM (local time)**

Technical bids shall be opened on 18 January 2018 at 3.15 PM in the presence of bidders' representatives who choose to attend at:

The Conference Room of the Khulna WASA  
Khulna WASA Bhaban, 7 Roosevelt Jettyghat, Joragate

**Floor/Room number: 2nd Floor**

City: Khulna

ZIP Code: 9000

Country: Bangladesh

8. The Khulna Water Supply and Sewerage Authority (KWASA) will not be responsible for any costs or expenses incurred by bidders in connection with the preparation or delivery of bids.