1. Bangladesh has received financing from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) toward the cost of **Irrigation Management Improvement Project**. Part of this financing will be used for payments under the contract named above. Bidding is open to Bidders from eligible source countries of ADB.

2. The **Office of the Project Director, Irrigation Management Improvement Project, Bangladesh Water Development Board** (BWDB, “the Employer”) invites sealed bids from experienced and eligible bidders, based on post-qualification criteria, for the construction and completion of the Works. The Works comprise of the following:

   a) Construction of one no 10/14mva, 33/11kv indoor type substation on turnkey contract for design, supply, installation, testing & commissioning.
   
   b) Upgrading of electrical distribution system on turnkey contract for construction of 165.432km HT and 6.164km LT & 34.632 km conversion overhead electrical lines with supply of necessary construction materials with distribution transformer for 850 nos. LLP schemes.

   Completion period is 24 months after signing of the contract.

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

4. Only experienced and eligible bidders with the following key qualifications should participate in this bidding:

   - Minimum average annual construction turnover of BDT 4400.00 Lakh calculated as total certified payments received for contracts in progress or completed, within the last 05 (five) years.
   - Participation in at least 01 (one) contract that has been successfully or substantially completed within the last ten (10) years and that is similar to substation construction works, where the value of the Bidder’s participation exceeds BDT 3500.00 lakh.
5. To obtain further information and inspect the bidding documents, Bidder should contact:

Md. Rafiqul Alam  
Project Director,  
Irrigation Management Improvement Project (IMIP) for Muhuri Irrigation Project (MIP),  
Project Management Unit (PMU), IMIP, BWDB.  
HASAN Court (3rd floor), 23/1 Motijheel Commercial Area.  
Dhaka 1000, Bangladesh.  
Telephone: +02-955 6124, Fax: 02-9592201  
Mobile: 8801715778347,  
Email: pd.imip.bwdb@gmail.com

6. A complete set of bidding documents in English may be purchased by interested eligible bidders upon requesting the Manager, Janata Bank, Dilkusha Corporate Branch, Dhaka up to 16.00 hours (official hours) on 23 May 2018 and upon payment of a non-refundable fee of BDT 10,000 (in words taka ten thousand only) or equivalent USD 125.00 (United State Dollar One Hundred Twenty-Five Only). The method of payment will be in the form of Demand Draft/Pay Order issued by a scheduled bank in Bangladesh or a cashier’s or certified check issued by a reputed bank in an eligible foreign country favoring Deputy Director, Dhaka RAC, BWDB, Motijheel, Dhaka. Since the bidding document is voluminous one, all the interested eligible bidders (both overseas and local) are advised to take hand to hand delivery of the bidding documents from the office with the address above by themselves or through their authorized representatives. Bidders may also request for delivery of the Bidding Document through courier by sending a written application to the address indicated above. The application must be supported by payment of USD 300. The method of payment will be in the form of Demand Draft/Pay Order issued by a scheduled bank in Bangladesh or a cashier’s or certified check issued by a reputed bank in an eligible foreign country favoring Deputy Director, Dhaka RAC, BWDB, Motijheel, Dhaka. The Employer accepts no liability for loss or late delivery.

7. A pre-bid meeting shall be held at 11.00 hours BST on 26 April 2018 at BWDB office at the address indicated in para 5 above.

8. Deliver your bid:

• To the address:

   Bids Project Management unit (PMU),  
   Irrigation Management Improvement Project (IMIP), MIP,  
   23/1 Hasan Court (3rd floor), Motijheel C/A, Dhaka.

• **On or before 23 May 2018; 12.00 hours BST.**

   Together with a Bid Security in the amount as described in the bidding document.

Late Bids will not be accepted.

Bids will be opened on 23 May 2018, 12.30 hours BST at the address above in the presence of bidders’ representatives who choose to attend.