Invitation for Bids

1. The People’s Republic of Bangladesh has received financing from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) toward the cost of Third Urban Governance and Infrastructure Improvement (Sector) Project (UGIIP-III) - Additional Financing. Part of this financing will be used for payments under the contract named above. Bidding is open to Bidders from eligible source countries of the ADB.

2. The Local Government Engineering Department (LGED, “the Purchaser”) invites sealed bids from eligible Bidders for the Procurement of 7 (Seven) Nos. Excavator (“the Goods”). A brief description of the type of goods and related services including completion period are as below:

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<th>Package No</th>
<th>Brief Description of goods and accessories</th>
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<td>UGIIP-III-2/AF/LGED/ICB/G-23/2017</td>
<td>Procurement of 7 (Seven) Nos. Excavator</td>
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<td>As mentioned in delivery and completion schedule of the Bidding Document.</td>
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3. International Competitive Bidding (ICB) 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 eligible Bidders with the following key qualifications should participate in this bidding:

- Successful completion as main supplier within the last three (3) years, of at least two (2) contracts each valued at USD 0.5 million or above with nature, and complexity similar to the scope of supply described in the Bidding Document.
- The Bidder shall demonstrate that the goods offered have been (i) in production for at least last three (3) years, (ii) sold a minimum of 15 units of similar type and specification over the last three (3) years, (iii) in operation for a minimum of three (3) years.
The qualification criteria are more completely described in the Bidding Document.

5. To obtain further information and inspect the Bidding Document, bidders should contact:

    Project Director
    Third Urban Governance and Infrastructure Improvement (Sector) Project
    Local Government Engineering Department (LGED)
    Level-12, LGED Bhaban, Agargaon, Sher-e-Bangla Nagar
    Dhaka-1207, Bangladesh
    Telephone + (88)-02-8181208/9143993
    Facsimile: + (88)-02-8156451
    E-mail: pd.ugiip3@gmail.com, pd.ugiip3@lged.gov.bd

6. The Bidding Document, in the English language, may be purchased directly or through authorized representative of interested Bidders upon submission of a written application to the address above and upon payment of a non-refundable fee BDT 6,000.00 or US$ 75.00. The method of payment will be either in pay order/ Treasury Chalan/Bank Draft or demand draft in favour of the “Project Director, Third Urban Governance and Infrastructure Improvement (Sector) Project (UGIIP-III), Local Government Engineering Department, Dhaka, Bangladesh.” The Bidding Document may also be sent by air mail for overseas delivery and surface mail or courier for an additional fee of BDT 100.00 (Local delivery) or US$ 100.00 (Overseas delivery). No liability will be accepted for loss or late delivery.

7. Bids must be delivered to the address above on or before **16 May 2019, 14:00 hours** accompanied by a Bid Security, as described in the Bidding Document. Bids will be opened immediately after the deadline for bid submission in the presence of bidders’ representatives who choose to attend.

8. A Pre-Bid Meeting will be held on 17 April 2019 at 11:00 hours in the office of the Project Director.

9. The Purchaser will not be responsible for any cost or expense incurred by Bidders in connection with the preparation or delivery of bids.

10. When comparing Bids, ADB’s Domestic Preference Scheme will be applied in accordance with the provisions stipulated in the Bidding Document.