



Invitation for Bids

Date:	20 September 2023
Loan No. and Title:	55040-BAN: Dhaka Power System Expansion and Strengthening Project in DESCO Area
Contract No. and Title:	DESCO/DPSESP/Package GD6: Supply of Conductor and Conductor Accessories and Insulator and Insulator Accessories
Deadline for Submission of Bids:	Extended to 28 November 2023 at 12:00 hours (Bangladesh Standard Time)

1. The People's Republic of Bangladesh has applied for financing from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) towards the cost of **Dhaka Power System Expansion and Strengthening Project in DESCO Area**. 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 **Dhaka Electric Supply Company Limited (DESCO)** (the Purchaser) invites sealed bids from eligible Bidders for Supply of Conductor and Conductor Accessories and Insulator and Insulator Accessories. Brief summary is as follows:

Sl. No	Package No.	Item	Quantity	Delivery schedule
01	GD6	Supply of Conductor and Conductor Accessories and Insulator and Insulator Accessories	As per Section 6 (Schedule of Supply)	270 days counting, from 21 days after issuance of CL

3. **Open competitive bidding (international advertisement)** will be conducted in accordance with the ADB's [Single Stage – Two Envelope](#) bidding procedure and is open to all eligible Bidders as described in the Bidding Document.
4. Only eligible Bidders with the following key qualifications should participate in this bidding:

Bidders have been successfully or substantially completed as main supplier within the last seven (7) years of at least two (2) contracts each valued at USD One Million Five Hundred Thousand (\$1,500,000) or equivalent for Supply of Conductor and Conductor Accessories and Insulator and Insulator Accessories, and complexity similar to the scope of supply described in section 6 (Schedule of Supply).

For further details bidders are advised to inspect the bidding document at DESCO's website <http://www.desco.gov.bd>.

- Interested eligible bidders may obtain further from Dhaka Electric Supply Company Limited (DESCO) and inspect the bidding documents at the address given below from 10:00 am to 3:00 pm:

Office Name: Dhaka Electric Supply Company Limited (DESCO)

Address: House-4 (2nd Floor), Road No-1/A, Nikunja-02, Khilkhet Dhaka-1229, Bangladesh

Email: dpseesp@desco.gov.bd

Phone: +88 02 8900712

- A Pre-Bid meeting will be held at Head Office Conference Room, 3rd Floor House# 22/B, Kobi Faruk Sarani, Nikunja 2, Khilkhet, Dhaka-1229, Bangladesh at 11:00 hours on 12 October 2023.
- The Bidding Document, in English Language, may be purchased by the interested Bidders on submission of a written application to the address below and upon payment of non-refundable fee of \$100.00 or equivalent Bangladeshi Tk.11,500.00 only.

The method of payment will be in the form of Demand Draft or Pay Order in favor of Dhaka Electric Supply Company Ltd. (DESCO) for each Bidding Document.

The document will be sent by hand to the Bidder or their representative. The document may be sent surface mail or courier service. Interested Bidders who are requesting international courier service. Interested bidders who are requesting international courier dispatch should pay an additional fee \$100.00 or equivalent Bangladeshi Tk. 11,500.00 only. No liability will be accepted for loss or late delivery.

Bidding Document will be available at Project Director Office from the dates shown in the table below. No Bidding Document will be sold on the day fixed for opening of bids.

- Bids must be delivered to the address below on or before the deadline indicated together with a bid security in the form and amount as described in the bidding document.

The Technical Proposals of the Bids will be opened in the presence of the Bidders' representatives who chose to attend at the address below. The Price Proposals of Bids will be opened in the presence of the Bidders representatives who chose to attend at the time and date and at the address to be advised by the purchaser after approval of ADB of the evaluation of the Technical Proposals by the Purchaser.

- to the address:
House-4 (2nd Floor)
Road No-1/A, Nikunja-02, Khilkhet
Dhaka-1229, Bangladesh

Package No	Description of Goods	Amount of Bid security in US\$	Last Date for Selling of Bid Documents	Deadline for Bid Submission	Date & Time of Opening of bids
GD-6	Supply of Conductor and Conductor Accessories and Insulator and Insulator Accessories	US\$ 49,000 (US Dollar: Forty-Nine Thousand) or equivalent.	27 November 2023	12:00 Hours on 28 November 2023	12:30 Hours on 28 November 2023

9. In the comparison of Bids, ADB's Domestic Preference Scheme will be applied in accordance with the provisions stipulated in the instruction to Bidders.
10. The invitation for bids will be available at the DESCO, ADB and CPTU websites (www.desco.gov.bd; www.adb.org and www.cptu.gov.bd).