Advance Contracting Notice

Date: 6 February 2019

Country/Borrower: Kingdom of Cambodia

Title of Proposed Project: 51182-CAM: National Solar Park Project

Name and Address of Executing Agency:

Electricité du Cambodge
#2, St. Preah Yukunthor
Wat Phnom District, Khan Daun Penh
Phnom Penh

Brief Description of the Project:

The project will support the expanded deployment of solar photovoltaic (PV) power plants in Cambodia, and address the country’s need to: (i) expand low-cost power generation; (ii) diversify the power generation mix with an increase in the percentage of clean energy, in line with its stated greenhouse gas emissions reductions targets; and (iii) expand the use of competitive tenders and other global best practices in the sector. The project will support the national electricity utility, Electricité du Cambodge (EDC), to construct approximately 100-megawatt capacity solar power park (comprising civil works including access roads, fencing, and drainage systems) and a transmission interconnection system to the nearest grid substation. Through a transaction advisory services agreement between the Asian Development Bank’s Office of Public-Private Partnership and EDC, the project also aims to assist EDC to design and conduct a competitive tender for procuring the first private sector-led solar power plant within the park.

Brief Description of Goods and Related Services, Works or Consulting Services to be Procured through Advance Action¹:

The project will procure the following:

(i) Turnkey contract for solar park civil works, substation, transmission line, and GS6 substation upgrade; and
(ii) Project implementation consultant.

The works and consulting services contracts will be procured in accordance with ADB Procurement Policy (2017, as amended from time to time) and Procurement Regulations for ADB Borrowers (2017, as amended from time to time).

¹ Advance procurement actions do not commit the Asian Development Bank to finance the project.