



Invitation for Bids

Date:	4 March 2022
Loan No. and Title:	53335-IND: Assam Road Network Improvement Project
Contract No. and Title:	A/RI/1: Improvement, upgradation and 5-year performance-based maintenance works of Road A03: Chapaguri–Amteka–Bhutan Border (Length: 40.776 km)
Deadline for Submission of Bids:	18 April 2022 at 14:00 hours (Indian Standard Time)

1. The Government of India has applied a loan from Asian Development Bank (ADB) toward the cost of **Assam Road Network Improvement Project**. Part of the loan will be used for payments under the contract named above. Bidding is open to Bidders from eligible source countries of the ADB.

2. The **Public Works (Roads) Department, Government of Assam** (“the Employer”) invites bids from eligible Bidders for the construction and completion of the following works given in the table below:

Package No.	Contract Title	Estimated cost of work (INR million)	Completion Time (Months)	Bid Security (INR)
A/RI/1	Improvement, upgradation and 5-year performance-based maintenance works of Road A03: Chapaguri–Amteka–Bhutan Border (Length: 40.776 km)	2,327.6	Execution = 36, Post construction performance-based maintenance = 60	46,600,000.00 using the instruments specified in ITB 19.3

3. **Open Competitive Bidding (OCB)** 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 nationality of ADB eligible country and the following key qualifications should participate in this bidding:

Package No.	Road	Minimum Average Annual Turnover	Contracts of similar size and nature
A/RI/1	A03	INR1,550 million	Participation in at least one (1) contract with a value of INR1,860 million or two (2) contracts with a value of at least INR1,400 million in each contract within five (5) years .

More details of qualification requirements are mentioned in the Bidding Documents.

5. To obtain further information, Bidders should contact:

Office of the Chief Engineer (EAP)
Public Works Roads Department (PWRD), Government of Assam
Fatasil Ambari, Guwahati-781025, India
email: as-ce.arnip@assam.gov.in

6. To purchase each Bidding Documents in English, eligible Bidders should:

- download the Bidding Documents. The Bidding Documents would be available online on the e-tendering System <https://assamtenders.gov.in> from **4 March 2022 at 17:00 hours (IST)**
- pay a nonrefundable fee of INR10,000.00 or equivalent in the form of Demand Draft from a commercial bank in India or from a reputed bank outside India and drawn in favour of the Assam State Road Board A/C No. 10566991479.

7. Deliver your bid through electronic submission:

- online in the e-procurement portal of employer <https://assamtenders.gov.in>
- **on or before the deadline 18 April 2022 at 14:00 hours (IST)**
- together with a Bid Security as described in the Bidding Document

Technical Bids will be opened online on **18 April 2022 at 14:15 hours (IST)** after the deadline for bid submission in the presence of Bidders' representatives who choose to attend.