

Invitation for Bids—Rebidding

Date:	31 March 2021
Loan and Grant Nos. and Title:	3432/0496-KGZ: CAREC Corridors 1 and 3 Connector Road Project
Contract No. and Title:	CAREC/C1&3/ICB/CW1: Epkin-Diykan (Bashkuugandy) Road Section (69.7 km)
Deadline for Submission of Bids:	12 May 2021, 15:00 hours (local time)

1. The Kyrgyz Republic has received financing from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) towards the cost of CAREC Corridors 1 and 3 Connector Road 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 Ministry of Transport, Architecture, Construction and Communication of the Kyrgyz Republic** (“the Employer”) invites sealed bids from eligible Bidders for the construction and completion of the **Epkin-Dyikan (Bashkuugandy) Road Section (69.7 km)** (“the Works”). Details and specifications are provided in the Bidding Documents.
3. **International Competitive Bidding (ICB)** will be conducted in accordance with ADB’s [Single-Stage: Two-Envelope](#) bidding procedure and is open to all Bidders from eligible countries as described in the Bidding Document.
4. Only eligible bidders with the following key qualifications should participate in this rebidding:
 - Participation in **at least two (2) road construction contracts** that have been successfully or substantially completed **in the last 8 years** and that are similar to the proposed work where the Bidder's participation value exceeds **\$35,000,000**. The similarity of the Bidder's work shall be based on physical size, nature of work, complexity, methods, technology, or other characteristics as described in Section 6 (Employer Requirements).
 - Must have construction experience in at least the following major areas:
 - Production and paving of at least 24 906 m³/year of asphalt concrete (AC) in any one year **within the last 8 years**
 - Production and laying of at least 16 604,4 m³/year of stone mastic asphalt (SMA) in any one year **within the last 8 years** under one or several contracts
 - Construction of two or four lane asphalt paved roads to international standards such as AASHTO, GOST and SNiP under one or more contracts **within the last 8 years**
 - At a minimum, Bidder's equity for the most recent year, calculated as the difference between total assets and total liabilities, must be positive.

- The Bidder must have a minimum average annual construction turnover of **at least \$35.0 million**, calculated as the sum of certified payments received under contracts in progress or completed, **within the last 3 years**.
- Must demonstrate financial resources for:
 - Current contractual obligations
 - Financial resources for this contract as calculated in bidding documents.
- Must have available and sufficient [own or leased] construction equipment and facilities of type, size/capacity, and quantity adequate and sufficient to perform and complete the Work during the specified contract period - including crushing and screening plant, concrete mixing plant, and bituminous sprayer. In addition, asphalt plants for the production of high-quality SMA, asphalt pavers, rollers on pneumatic wheels, vibratory rollers, front loaders, tandem rollers, concrete mixers, truck cranes, dump trucks, a drilling rig, bulldozers, and excavators.
- Must have technical and supervisory personnel with the required years of general construction experience in similar works
- Must have no pending litigation

***Note:** Approval of the Environmental Impact Assessment reports shall be subject to incorporation of measures to protect the relics of major archaeological sites. This is necessary to prevent damage from any impact and vibration during construction and future operation phases. The contractor shall appoint his own team, a suitable archaeologist to conduct pre-construction surveys and to supervise the work. This is expected to lead to modified excavation and compaction methods in sensitive areas.*

5. To obtain further information and inspect the bidding documents, Bidders should contact:

Ministry of transport, architecture, construction and communication of the Kyrgyz Republic
 Kyrgyz Republic, 720017,
 Bishkek,
 720017, Bishkek, Isanov str., 42,
 6th floor, office 601 Phone: +996 312 900-970
 Fax: +996 312 314-378
 E-mail: procurement.ipig@piumotc.kg, procurement.ipig@gmail.com

6. To purchase the bidding documents in English, eligible Bidders should

- send an application to the below address indicating the bidding documents for the “CAREC Corridors 1 and 3 Connector Road Project, Epkin-Dyikan (Bashkuugandy) Road Section (69.7 km)” (Works);
- pay a non-refundable amount of 250 US dollars by bank transfer to the specified state bank account in the name of the recipient “CAREC Corridors 1 and 3 Connector Road Project, Epkin-Dyikan (Bashkuugandy) Road Section (69.7 km)” with the following details:

Bank name: Branch "DKIB-Glavniy" CJSC Demir Kyrgyz International Bank, Bishkek

Bank address: 245, Chui Ave, Bishkek, Kyrgyzstan
Account number: 1180000092422416 (KGS)
1180000092422517 (USD)

BIK: 118005
SWIFT code: DEMIKG22

Correspondent bank:

Bank name: KOOKMIN BANK (Seoul, South Korea)
Bank address: Kookmin Bank H.Q, Sewoo Building, 115 Yeouigongwon-ro
Yeongdeungpo-gu, Seoul (Zip : 07241)
SWIFT BIC: CZNBKRSE
Correspondent account of DemirBank: 8D2-8-USD-01-8

Intermediary banks:

1) JPMORGAN CHASE BANK	2) CITIBANK
SWIFT BIC: CHASUS33	SWIFT BIC: CITIUS33
Account #: 001 1 544111	Account #: 36049172

2) Bank name: TRANSKAPITALBANK (Moscow, Russia)
Bank address: 27/35, Vorontsovskaya Street, Moscow, 109147, Russia
SWIFT BIC: TJSCRUMM
Correspondent account of DemirBank: 30111840100000000107

Intermediary bank:

CITIBANK, New York, NY, USA
SWIFT BIC: CITIUS33, Account #: 36313578

- specify in the purpose of payment: For purchase of bidding documents for the project “CAREC Corridors 1 and 3 Connector Road”.
- If necessary and requested, the Employer will promptly send the documents by courier service to a domestic or international destination, but under no circumstances will the Employer be liable for loss or late delivery. An amount covering the cost of courier delivery services must be added to the above cost of the bidding documents.
 - for delivery within the Kyrgyz Republic - USD15
 - for international delivery - USD250

8. Deliver your bid

- to the address in paragraph 5
- on or before the deadline of **12 May 2021, 15:00 hours (local time)**
- together with a Bid Security as described in the bidding document

The technical bids will be opened immediately after the deadline for bid submission in the presence of Bidders’ representatives who choose to attend at the address below. All bids received after the submission deadline will be rejected.

Ministry of Transport, Architecture, Construction and Communication of the Kyrgyz Republic
42 Isanov Street
Conference Hall, 4th floor
Bishkek, 720017
Kyrgyz Republic

9. The Employer shall bear no responsibility for the costs incurred by Bidders in connection with the delivery or preparation of bids.