1. **The Kyrgyz Republic** has received financing from **Asian Development Bank (ADB)** toward the cost of **Issyk-Kul Wastewater Management 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 Department of Drinking Water Supply and Sewerage Development under the State Agency for Architecture, Construction and Housing and Public Utilities under the Cabinet of Ministers of the Kyrgyz Republic** (the “Employer”) invites sealed bids from eligible Bidders for the **Design, Supply and Installation of Wastewater treatment plant (WWTP) in Karakol with production capacity 12,000 m³ / day** (“Facilities”).

   The contract is expected to be completed within 730 days from the Effective Date.

3. **International Competitive Bidding** 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 Documents.

4. Only eligible Bidders with the following key qualifications should participate in this bidding:

   - **Minimum Average Annual Turnover**: As total certified payments received for contracts in progress or completed, within the three (3) financial years (2018, 2019, 2020) in the amount of USD 12,000,000.00.

   - **Construction Experience**: Participation in at least two (2) contracts that have been successfully completed within the last 10 (ten) years (2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021), counting backward from the date of bid submission, and that is similar to the proposed works, where the value of the Bidder’s participation exceeds USD 9,600,000.00

   The similarity of the Bidder’s participation shall be based on the physical size, nature of works, complexity, methods, technology or other characteristics as described in Section 6 (Employer’s Requirements) of the Bidding Documents.

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**Asian Development Bank**
The qualification criteria are more completely described in the Bidding Document.

5. To obtain further information and inspect the Bidding Documents, Bidders should contact:

   Attention: Ms. A. Abdyldaeva, PMO Procurement Specialist
   Address: 28 Manas Street, Bishkek city, Kyrgyz Republic
   Postal code 720001
   Floor/Room No. Floor 3rd, Room 320
   Telephone No. +99631231 28 76
   E-mail: procurement@iwmp.kg, reception@iwmp.kg

6. In view of the current COVID-19 pandemic, an electronic version of the Bidding Documents is available free of charge upon application by the contact person above.

7. A pre-bid meeting will be also organized and held for interested Bidders as follows:

   Address: Office of ME Vodocanal in Karakol
   City: Karakol, Issyk-Kul oblast, Kyrgyz Republic
   Date: 27 May 2022
   Time: 15:00 hours (local time)

8. Bids in English, one original, and one copy must be sealed and delivered to the address below:

   • to the address:
     3rd floor room # 308
     28 Manas Street, Bishkek city, Kyrgyz Republic
     720001

   • on or before the deadline: **15:00 hours (GMT +6) on 22 June 2022**
   • together with a Bid Security as described in the Bidding Document.

   Late bids will be rejected. Technical Bids will be opened immediately after the bid submission deadline in the presence of Bidder’s representatives who choose to attend.

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