



## Invitation for Bids

<b>Date:</b>	4 June 2021
<b>Loan/Grant No. and Title:</b>	Grant 0659; Loan 3817-LAO: Sustainable Rural Infrastructure and Watershed Management Sector Project
<b>Contract Nos. and Title:</b>	OP3-CW05: Nam Poua Bridge Construction, Viengxay District, Houaphan Province
<b>Deadline for Submission of Bids:</b>	9 July 2021; 9:00 hours (Local Time)

1. The Lao People's Democratic Republic has received financing from the Asian Development Bank toward the cost of the **Sustainable Rural Infrastructure and Watershed Management Sector Project** and intends to apply part of the proceeds toward payments under the contract named above. Bidding is open to Bidders from eligible source countries of ADB.
2. The **Provincial Agriculture and Forestry Office** ("the Employer") of the Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry invites sealed bids from eligible Bidders for the **Nam Poua Bridge, Viengxay District, Houaphan Province** ("the Works").
3. **Open Competitive Bidding (National Advertisement)** will be conducted in accordance with ADB's [Single-Stage: One-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 the bidding:
  - Minimum average annual construction turnover of \$160,000 within the last three (3) years.
  - Participation as a contractor, Joint Venture partner, or Subcontractor, in at least two (2) contracts that has been successfully or substantially completed within the last five (5) years and that is similar to the proposed works, where the value of the Bidder's participation exceeds \$125,000.
  - A minimum construction experience in reinforced concrete in structures within river regimes (minimum 20m<sup>3</sup>/day)

The qualification criteria are more completely described in the Bidding Documents.

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

Chaipheth Heuangthavone, Provincial Project Coordinator  
Provincial Agriculture and Forestry Office, Xam Neua District, Houaphan  
Province, Lao PDR  
Tel.: +85620 23855555, Fax: 064 312388

Electronic mail address: [chaiphet55555@gmail.com](mailto:chaiphet55555@gmail.com)

6. To purchase the Bidding Documents in Lao, eligible Bidders should:

- write to address above requesting the bidding documents for Modernization of the Nam Seng Irrigation Scheme Headworks, Main, Secondary and Tertiary Canals, Nan District, Luang Prabang Province CW05 Nam Poua Bridge Construction, Viengxay District, Houaphan Province
- pay a nonrefundable fee of LAK 700,000 or USD 70 by cash or cheque payable to Ms. Phoneseng MANIVANH, Finance Officer.

7. Deliver your bid:

- to the address above
- **on or before 9:00 hours local time on 9 July 2021**
- Together with a Bid Securing Declaration as described in the Bidding Document.

Bids will be opened immediately after the deadline for bid submission in the presence of Bidders' representatives who choose to attend.