

Invitation for Bids

Date:	22 June 2018
Loan No. and Title:	3477-MYA: Irrigated Agriculture Inclusive Development Project (IAIDP)
Contract No. and Title:	IAIDP/Package 01: Rehabilitation of the Chaung Magyi Irrigation System
Deadline for Submission of Bids:	7 August 2018 / 10:00 AM (Myanmar Standard Time)

1. The Republic of the Union of Myanmar has received financing from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) toward the cost of the **Irrigated Agriculture Inclusive Development Project (IAIDP)**. Part of this financing will be used for payments under the contract indicated above. Bidding is open to Bidders from eligible source countries of the ADB.

2. The **Irrigation and Water Utilization Management Department (IWUMD)**, “the Employer”) invites sealed bids from eligible Bidders for the **Rehabilitation of the Chaung Magyi Irrigation System** (“the Works”). The Works mainly include site investigations; remodeling of two main canals, distributary canals and minor canals; lining of canals; raising & strengthening of canal embankments; construction of drop and check-drop structures, head regulators, check structures, cross drainage culverts, reinforced concrete bridges, pipe outlets, measuring weirs, division boxes, and operative outposts; replacement of flumes; rehabilitation of bridges; and dismantling/disposal of selected existing structures - as detailed and specified in the Bidding Document.

3. **International Competitive Bidding (ICB)** will be conducted in accordance with ADB's [Single-Stage: Two-Envelope](#) procedure and is open to all Bidders from eligible countries as described in the Bidding Document.

4. The Bidder must satisfy the evaluation and qualification criteria in Section 3 of the Bidding Document, including the following key requirements:

- Participation in at least two (2) contracts that have been successfully or substantially completed within the last **five (5)** years and that are similar to the proposed works, where the value of the Bidder’s participation exceeds **US\$ 4 M (four million)**.
- 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.¹

For the complete eligibility and qualification requirements, Bidders should refer to the Bidding Document.

¹ If the contracts are not in US\$ and in different currency, the rates of exchange rate used for converting the contracts prices into US\$ shall be selling rates on those contracts dates published by the Central Bank of Myanmar.

5. For further information and to obtain a soft copy of the Bidding Document free of charge, Bidders should submit their requests to the following Official/Contact person:

U Tint Lwin, Director of Procurement

Irrigation & Water Utilization Management Department (IWUMD)

Ministry fo Agriculture, Livestock and Irrigation (MOALI)

Building No. 43, (IWUMD), Naypyitaw, Myanmar

Telephone: 096-67-410019

Facsimile number: 095-67-410102, 410509

E-mail address: tlwin4.irr@gmail.com

6. A Pre-Bid Meeting will take place on the date, time and place as follows:

Date: 17 July 2018

Time: 10:00 AM (Myanmar local time)

Place: Deputy Director-General (Lower Myanmar) Conference Room
Building No. 15, IWUMD Compound, MOALI, Naypyitaw

7. Site visits will be allowed during the period 9 to 13 July 2018 (when IWUMD staff may be present at the site), but any other time may be accepted. If a Bidder plans to visit the Site, an access permit shall be secured from the Employer. To secure a permit, the Bidder should send a request to the Official / Contact person and address indicated above together with the following:

- Copy of passport of the designated Bidder's representative,
- Description of the position of the designated Bidder's representative, and
- Advice on planned date and time of site visit

The Bidder should send the request for an access permit together with the abovementioned documents, at least one (1) week before the requested site visit. Maximum of three (3) representatives from each Bidder will be allowed to visit the site.

8. The soft copy of the Bidding Documents in English language will be provided free of charge to any interested Bidders and to those attending the Pre-Bid Meeting (see Paragraph 6 above). For this purpose, eligible Bidders should:

- Submit a letter to the Official / Contact person and address indicated above requesting the Bidding Document for: **IAIDP/Package01: Rehabilitation of the Chaung Magyi Irrigation System**
- For those attending the Pre-Bid Meeting, the bidder or its authorized representative should have his/her memory stick or USB for the soft copy of the Bidding Document.
- No liability will be accepted for any potential bidder's non-receipt or loss of the document.

9. Bids should be delivered / submitted as follows:

- to the address given above in Paragraph 5
- **on or before the deadline of 7 August 2018, 10:00 AM (Myanmar local time)**
- together with a Bid Security as described in the Bidding Document.

Bids will be opened immediately after the bid submission deadline (at the address given in Paragraph 5) in the presence of Bidders' representatives who choose to attend.

Late bids shall be rejected.

10. When comparing Bids, ADB's Domestic Preference Scheme will not be applied in accordance with the provisions stipulated in the Bidding Document.