



Invitation for Bids

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Date:	27 May 2019
Loan No. and Title:	3000-NEP (SF): Kathmandu Valley Wastewater Management Project
Contract No. and Title:	KUKL-WW/ SN-03: Sewer Rehabilitation in Core City Area of Lalitpur Metropolitan City
Deadline for Submission of Bids:	Extended to 7 July 2019; 12:00 hours (Nepal Standard Time)

1. The Government of Nepal has received financing from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) towards the cost of **Kathmandu Valley Wastewater Management Project (KVVMP)**. 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 **Project Implementation Directorate (PID), KUKL** (“the Employer”) invites sealed bids from eligible Bidders for the **Construction and Completion of Sewer Network at Lalitpur Core Area including World Heritage Site** (“the Works”), which consists of major works as mentioned hereunder:
 - Supplying, laying, fitting, and fixing of Double Wall Corrugated Plastic Pipes and Reinforced Cement Concrete (RCC) Pipes;
 - Construction of Sewer System of about 2.80 kilometers length (1.7km Double wall Corrugated Plastic Pipes and 1.1 RCC Pipes);
 - Manholes;
 - RCC and masonry work; and
 - Reinstatement of existing utilities (electricity, water supply and telecommunication).
3. **International Competitive Bidding** will be conducted in accordance with ADB’s Single-Stage: Two-Envelope procedure and is open to all Bidders from eligible source countries as described in the Bidding Document.
4. Only eligible Bidders with the following key qualifications may participate in this bidding:
 - Minimum average annual construction turnover of US\$ 7.00 million or equivalent calculated as total certified payments received for contracts in progress or completed within the last five (5) years.
 - Participation as a construction contractor in at least one (1) contract within the last seven (7) years that has been successfully or substantially completed and that is similar to the proposed works, where the value of the Bidder’s participation is not less than US\$ 3.7 million or equivalent; and

- Participation as a contractor, Joint Venture Partner or Subcontractor, in supplying, laying and fixing of RCC Pipe with Socket and Spigot joint or High-Density Polythene Pipe for Sewers greater than 1000 mm diameter for minimum two (2) kilometer length (cumulative) within the last seven (7) years.

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

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

Project Director

Project Implementation Directorate (PID)
 Kathmandu UpatyakaKhanepani Limited (KUKL)
 Kathmandu Valley Wastewater Management Project (KVVMP)
 Anamnagar, Kathmandu, Nepal
 Postal/Zip code: 44600
 Tel No: +977-1-5705986; +977-1-5705398
 Website: www.kuklpid.org.np
 Email: pidmail@kuklpid.org.np
 Fax No: +977-1-5705057

6. Bidding Documents can be purchased until before 12:00 hours (NST) on 7 July 2019 from the Employer at the address indicated above with submission of a written application and payment of a non-refundable fee of NPR 20,000.00 or US \$ 200.00. The fee may be deposited in the bank account mentioned below or can be obtained by courier after submission of written application along with a copy of company/firm registration certificate, PAN/VAT Registration Certificate (for national Bidders only) addressed to The Project Director at the address indicated above. The application must be supported by bank voucher of NPR.40,000.00 (non-refundable) for delivery within the country or US \$ 400.00 for delivery outside the country deposited in the bank account mentioned below:

Name of Bank: NIC - Asia New Road, Kathmandu, Nepal
 Account Name: Kathmandu Upatyaka Khanepani Limited
 Account No.: 3041091950524005
 Swift Code: NICENPKA

Please note that payments must be routed through any one of the following Correspondent Banks:

Name of Bank	JP Morgan Bank New York, USA	CITI Bank New York, USA	American Express New York, USA
Account No	400911701	36143644	00740944
Swift Code	CHASUS33	CITIUS33	AEIBUS33

The Employer shall not be responsible for loss or late delivery of the documents.

7. An electronic copy of the Bidding Documents will be provided on CD to the purchasers of the Bidding Documents. In the event of any discrepancy in the hard copy and in the electronic copy of the Bidding Documents, the hard copy shall prevail. Bidders shall use the purchased hard copy of the Bidding Documents furnished to them, for purposes of bid submission.

8. A pre-bid meeting shall be held at 14:00 hours after site visit which starts at 11:00 hours (NST) on 10 June 2019 at PID Office, Anamnagar, Kathmandu.
9. Deliver your bid:
 - to the above address of the Employer
 - **at or before 12:00 hours (NST) on 7 July 2019**
 - Together with a Bid Security as indicated in the Bidding Document.

Late Bids shall not be accepted.

10. Technical bids will be opened immediately in the presence of Bidders' representatives who choose to attend, whereas the Financial Bids shall remain sealed and unopened and shall be placed locked. The Financial Bids of only Technically Responsive and Qualified Bidders shall be opened after Technical Bid Evaluation, whereas, the Financial Bids of those Bidders whose Technical Bids are not responsive and qualified shall be returned unopened after the contract is awarded.
11. In case the last day of final bid submission and opening falls on a government holiday, the date for Bid submission and opening shall be the following working day.
12. The Employer will not be responsible for any cost or expense incurred by Bidders in connection with the preparation or delivery of bids.
13. When comparing bids, ADB's Domestic Preference Scheme will be applied in accordance with the provisions stipulated in the Bidding Document.