



Invitation for Bids – Rebidding

Date:	24 February 2017
Loan No. and Title:	3096-PAK: Power Distribution Enhancement Investment Program - Tranche 4
Contract No. and Title:	ADB-QESCO-4(S)-2017-Rebid(NCB) Procurement of ACSR Lynx Conductor, Earth wire, AAC Hawthorn conductor, Copper Conductor, Power & Control Cable (Lot-I) and Grid Station Hardware (Lot-II)
Deadline for Submission of Bids:	4 April 2017; 11:00 am (local time)

1. The Islamic Republic of Pakistan (the Borrower) has received a loan from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) toward the cost of **Power Distribution Enhancement Investment Program - Tranche 4** and it intends to apply part of the proceeds of this loan to payments under the contract named below. Bidding is open to bidders from eligible source countries of the ADB.

2. The **Quetta Electric Supply Company, QESCO** (“the Purchaser”) now invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for the **Procurement of ACSR Lynx Conductor, Earth wire, AAC Hawthorn conductor, Copper Conductor, Power & Control Cable (Lot-I) and Grid Station Hardware (Lot-II)** (the “Goods”).

3. **National Competitive Bidding (NCB)** will be conducted in accordance with ADB’s [Single-Stage: One-Envelope](#) bidding procedure and is open to all Bidders from eligible source countries of the ADB.

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

- a) The bidder must have demonstrated at least two (02) numbers of contracts successfully completed as main supplier within the last five (05) years. The value of each contract shall at least equal to 80% of the value of contract for which the bid is submitted and equipment shall have the same or higher rating capacity. In case of JV, at least one partner should fulfill the said contractual experience pertaining to the individual’s obligation(s) in respect of manufacturing as per JV Agreement between the parties (JV Agreement shall be provided with the bid).
- b) The bidder must have at least five (5) years manufacturing or supplying experience of similar equipment with the same or higher rating and capacity. The equipment manufactured or supplied by the bidder, with the same or higher rating and capacity, must have three (03) years of successful continuous operational experience for at least 80% of the quantities to be procured under this tender, as on bid opening date. In case of JV, at least any one partner should fulfill the above mentioned experience pertaining

to the individual obligation(s) in respect of manufacturing or supplying as per JV agreement between the parties (Draft JV agreement shall be provided with the bid).

- c) The bidder or all partners combined in case of JV has to have an average Annual Turnover in the last 3 years equal to or more than PKR142.0 million for Lot I and PKR12.0 million for Lot II.
- d) The bidder should have sound financial status. In order to determine the same the bidder shall provide its up to date financial statements i.e. audited balance sheet, income statement, and cash flow statements for the last 3 years (three years). The difference between cash in hand and short term liabilities should be adequate enough for smooth execution of this order (if placed on it) and the bidder's net worth for the last 3 years calculated as a difference between total assets and total liabilities should be positive. In this context the bidder is required to fill in the relevant forms given in Section-IV of this tender document and submit the same with the bid.

5. Interested eligible Bidders may obtain further information from the office of the Chief Engineer (Development), Quetta Electric Supply Company, Project Management Unit, QESCO Headquarter Zarghoon Road Quetta Cantt and inspect the Bidding Document at the address given below from 08:00 am to 04:00 pm from Monday to Friday.

6. The Bidding Document, in English language may be purchased by interested Bidders from 25 February 2017 upon submission of a written application to the address below and upon payment of nonrefundable fee of Rs. 5,000 or US\$ 60. The method of payment will be bank draft from any scheduled Bank of Pakistan in favor of Quetta Electric Supply Company (QESCO). The document may be collected in person or may be sent by courier service for an additional fee of Rs. 2,000 for domestic delivery or US\$ 60 for overseas delivery. No liability will be accepted for loss or late delivery.

7. Bids must be delivered to the address below on or before 11:00 am on 4 April 2017. All Bids must be accompanied by a Bid Security as specified in the Bidding Document.

Late bids shall be rejected. Bids will be opened in the presence of Bidders' representatives, who choose to attend at the address below at 11:30 am on 4 April 2017.

8. The Quetta Electric Supply Company will not be responsible for any costs or expenses incurred by Bidders in connection with the preparation or delivery of Bids.

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