



Invitation for Bids

Date:	7 November 2018
Loan No. and Title:	3756-PAK: Additional Financing for Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Provincial Roads Improvement Project
Contract No. and Title:	ADB/ICB/PRIP: Dualization of Mardan – Swabi Road Project
Deadline for Submission of Bids:	Extended to 26 December 2018, 14:00 hours (local time)

1. The Islamic Republic of Pakistan has applied for financing from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) toward the cost of **Additional Financing for Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Provincial Roads Improvement Project**. Part of this financing will be used for payments under the contracts named hereunder. Bidding is open to all Bidders, who can prove their eligibility and qualification as mentioned hereunder and in the Bidding Document, from eligible source countries of the ADB.

2. The **Communication & Works Department (C&WD)** through Employer Representative (Project Director, PIU-KP PRIP) (the Employer) invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for the Dualization of Mardan – Swabi Road Project (the Works):

Package / Lot No.	Description of Lot(s)	<p><i>The bidder should have participated as contractor, management contractor, or subcontractor, in at least two (2) Road construction contract within the last seven (7) years for following lots with a value, for each contract, as mentioned below that has been successfully or substantially completed and that is similar to the proposed works. The similarity shall be based on (i) the physical size, (ii) nature of works, (iii) complexity, (iv) methods, (v) technology, or other characteristics.</i></p>	<p><i>The bidder should have minimum average annual construction turnover of USD as mentioned below, calculated as total certified payments received for contracts in progress or completed, within the last three (3) years.</i></p>	<p><i>The bidder must demonstrate that it has the financial resources to meet (i) its current contract commitments and (ii) the requirement for the subject contract of:</i></p>
Lot-1	Dualization of Mardan-Swabi Road Project (KM 00+00 to KM 22+00)	USD 24.40 Million or equivalent	USD 24.40 Million or equivalent	USD 4.10 Million or equivalent
Lot-2	Dualization of Mardan-Swabi Road Project (KM 22+00 to KM 42+00)	USD 22.10 Million or equivalent	USD 22.10 Million or equivalent	USD 3.70 Million or equivalent

3. Contract duration for each of the two (2) lots is 900 days.

4. Bidders may bid for one or both lots, as further defined in the Bidding Document. As the Employer is simultaneously inviting bids for the above two (2) lots, the Employer will evaluate and compare Bids submitted for each lot separately. If a bidder submits successful (substantially responsive lowest evaluated) bids for more than one lot, the evaluation will also include an assessment of the Bidder's capacity to meet the aggregate requirements for two (2) contracts in terms of Average Annual Construction Turnover, Financial Resources Requirement, Equipment to be allocated and Personnel to be fielded in accordance with Para 1.6 "Multiple Contracts" in Section-3" of the Bidding Document.

5. **International competitive bidding** will be conducted in accordance with ADB's [Single-Stage: Two-Envelope](#) bidding procedure and is open to all interested bidders from ADB eligible member countries as described in the Bidding Document.

6. National Bidders are required to be registered with Pakistan Engineering Council with a valid registration Certificate as per requirements stated in the Bidding Document (for each lot).

7. To purchase the Bidding Document in English, eligible bidders should:

- Write to address below requesting the Bidding Document for (insert number and title of contract) as mentioned in the table above.
- Pay a non-refundable fee of **PKR 10,000/-** (Pak Rupees Ten Thousand Only) or **USD 80** (US Dollars Eighty only) by Pay Order / Demand Draft in favor of **Project Director, Project Implementation Unit, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Provincial Roads Improvement Project, Communication & Works Department Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Peshawar, Pakistan**
- The eligible bidders also have the option to download the Bidding Document **free of cost** from Project Implementation Unit (PIU) website i.e. (<http://kpprip.pk/>).
- Eligible bidders opting to download the Bidding Document from PIU website shall inform PIU in writing at the address given below for clarification, failing which PIU shall not be responsible if the bidder does not receive clarifications and amendments, if any. ***In case of any discrepancy between the downloaded document and hard copy, the latter shall prevail.***

8. To obtain further information and inspect the Bidding Document, bidders should contact the Project Director at the address mentioned below.

9. A pre-bid meeting of the two lots shall take place on **29 November 2018 at 11:00 hours** at the address mentioned below.

10. Deliver bids:

- to the address below
- **on or before 26 December 2018, 14:00 hours (local time).**
- together with a Bid Security as specified / required in the Bidding Document(s).
- Electronic submission of Bids is not allowed.

11. Technical Bids will be opened on **26 December 2018, 14:30 hours** 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 bids 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.

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