



Invitation for Bids

Date:	29 January 2020
Loan No. and Title:	Loan 2710-SRI: Jaffna and Kilinochchi Water Supply and Sanitation Project
Contract No. and Title:	PEIC/JKWSSP/Distribution Network/2019/01: Supplying and Laying of Water Distribution Networks in Nainativu, Analativu and Eluvativu Islands
Deadline for Submission of Bids:	Extended to 9 June 2020 at 10:00 hours (Local Time)

1. The Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka has received a financing from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) towards the cost of the **Jaffna Kilinochchi Water Supply and Sanitation Project** and intends to apply part of the financing to cover eligible payments under the Contract named above. Bidding is open to Bidders from eligible source countries of ADB.
2. The **Chairman, Ministry Procurement Committee on behalf of the National Water Supply and Drainage Board** (the Employer) invites sealed bids from eligible Bidders for the Supplying and Laying of Water Distribution Networks in Nainativu, Analativu and Eluvativu Islands (the Works).
3. **National Competitive Bidding** will be conducted in accordance with the ADB's [Single Stage – One Envelope](#) bidding procedure and is open to all eligible Bidders as described in the Bidding Document.
4. Only eligible Bidders with the following key qualifications should participate in this bidding:
 - The Bidder shall have minimum average annual construction turnover of Sri Lankan Rupees Five Hundred Million (LKR 500M) or equivalent, calculated as total certified payments received for contracts in progress or completed, within last three (3) years.
 - Participation in at least one (1) contract within the last three (3) years, that has been successfully or substantially completed and that is similar to the proposed works with Supply and Laying of 30 km PE pipe with diameter 63 mm to 225 mm, where the value of the Bidder's participation exceeds LKR 300 Million or equivalent.
 - The Bidder must demonstrate access to, or availability of, liquid assets, lines of credit or other financial resources, (other than any contractual advance payments) to meet the Bidder's financial resources requirement of this contract assessed as LKR 60 million or equivalent, excluding other financial requirements.

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

5. Interested Bidders may inspect the Bidding Document free of charge and obtain further information at the office of the Assistant General Manager, (Tenders and Contracts), National

Water Supply & Drainage Board (NWSDB), Galle Road, Ratmalana, telephone 011-2635885 or 011-2638999 Ext. 1750 or facsimile number 011-2635885 (E-mail: agmtenders@waterboard.lk).

6. A complete set of Bidding Documents in English language may be purchased by interested Bidders upon submission of a written application on a business letterhead and upon payment of a non-refundable fee of LKR 35,000.00 plus VAT in cash to the Assistant General Manager (Tenders and Contracts), NWSDB, Galle Road, Ratmalana during 9:00 hours to 15:00 hours on normal working days until 8 June 2020.
7. A site visit will be conducted on 10 February 2020 commencing at 9:00 hours from 127, JKWSSP, KKS Road, Jaffna. A Pre-Bid meeting would be held on 13 February 2020 commencing at 10:00 hours at RSC (Western South) Office, NWSDB, No 7, Angulana Station Road, Ratmalana.
8. Deliver your bid:
 - to the address below:

Office of the Director (Procurement), Ministry of Urban Development, Water Supply & Housing Facilities "Lakdiya Medura", No. 35, New Parliament road, Pelawatta, Battaramulla, Sri Lanka
 - **on or before the deadline: 9 June 2020, 10:00 hours (local time)**
 - together with a Bid Security as specified in the Bidding Documents.

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

9. The Ministry of Urban Development, Water Supply and Housing Facilities and the National Water Supply & Drainage Board will not be responsible for any cost or expense incurred by Bidders in connection with the preparation, attending pre-bid meeting and delivery of bids.