Invitation for Bids

1. The Ceylon Electricity Board of Sri Lanka has received financing from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) towards the cost of the Supporting Electricity Supply Reliability Improvement Project. Part of this financing will be used for payments under the contract named above. Bidding is open to Bidders from eligible source countries of the ADB.

2. The Ceylon Electricity Board (CEB) (“the Purchaser”), invites sealed bids from eligible Bidders for the:

   Package 11: Supply and Delivery of Materials for Distribution Network Development
   Lot 4: Supply and Delivery of Load Break Switches
   IFB No.: DD1/P&D/IFB/2023/037/D

   Lot 5: Supply and Delivery of 11kV and 33kV Automatic Circuit Reclosers
   IFB No.: DD1/P&D/IFB/2023/038/D
   Sub Lot 1: Auto Recloser 11kV, 400A with remote control facility with communication module – 20 Nos.
   Sub Lot 2: Auto Recloser 33kV, 400A with remote control facility with communication module – 75 Nos.

   Lot 6: Supply and Delivery of 33kV Pin insulators and 33kV Surge Arrestors
   ICB No.: DD1/P&D/IFB/2023/039/D
   Sub Lot 1: Insulator (With pin) – Pin 33kV – 15,000 Nos.
   Sub Lot 2: Surge Arrestors 33kV – 10kA – 3,000 Nos.

Deadline for Submission of Bids: Extended to 6 October 2023 at 10:00 hours (Local Time)

Lot 5: Supply and Delivery of 11kV and 33kV Automatic Circuit Reclosers
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Sub Lot 1: Auto Recloser 11kV, 400A with remote control facility with communication module – 20 Nos.
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Lot 6: Supply and Delivery of 33kV Pin insulators and 33kV Surge Arrestors
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Sub Lot 1: Insulator (With pin) – Pin 33kV – 15,000 Nos.
Sub Lot 2: Surge Arrestors 33kV – 10kA – 3,000 Nos.

Delivery period is:
- for foreign suppliers: two (2) months from the date of opening of the letter of credit
- for local suppliers: three (3) months from the date of letter of award.

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

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

Lot 4: Supply and Delivery of Load Break Switches
Sub Lot 1: Switches – Load Break SF6 – 12kV with Remote Operation 400A (Pole Mounted) – 50 Nos. - Successful completion as main supplier within the last five (5) years of at least three (3) contracts each valued at USD 275,000.00 or more with nature, and complexity similar to the scope of supply
Sub Lot 2: Switches – Load Break SF6 – 36kV with Remote Operation 400A (Pole Mounted) – 140 Nos. - Successful completion as main supplier within the last five (5) years of at least three (3) contracts each valued at USD 1,000,000.00 or more with nature, and complexity similar to the scope of supply

Lot 5: Supply and Delivery of 11kV and 33kV Automatic Circuit Reclosers
Sub Lot 1: Auto Recloser 11kV, 400A with remote control facility with communication module – 20 Nos. - Successful completion as main supplier within the last five (5) years of at least three (3) contracts each valued at USD 175,000.00 or more with nature, and complexity similar to the scope of supply
Sub Lot 2: Auto Recloser 33kV, 400A with remote control facility with communication module – 75 Nos. - Successful completion as main supplier within the last five (5) years of at least three (3) contracts each valued at USD 850,000.00 or more with nature, and complexity similar to the scope of supply

Lot 6: Supply and Delivery of 33kV Pin insulators and 33kV Surge Arrestors
Sub Lot 1: Insulator (With pin) – Pin 33kV – 15,000 Nos. - Successful completion as main supplier within the last five (5) years of at least three (3) contracts...
each valued at USD 425,000.00 or more with nature, and complexity similar to the scope of supply

Sub Lot 2: Surge Arrestors 33kV – 10kA – 3,000 Nos. - Successful completion as main supplier within the last five (5) years of at least three (3) contracts each valued at USD 175,000.00 or more with nature, and complexity similar to the scope of supply

To know the complete eligibility criteria, intending Bidders are advised to inspect the Bidding Document by visiting the website of the Ceylon Electricity Board, www.ceb.lk.

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

Deputy General Manager (P&D – DD1)
Planning and Development Branch (DD1), Fourth Floor, Ceylon Electricity Board, No. 50, Sir Chittampalam A Gardiner Mawatha, Colombo 02
Telephone: +94 11 2430473
Fax: +94 11 2339320
Email: dgmpd.dd1@ceb.lk

6. To purchase the Bidding Documents, eligible Bidders should write to the address above requesting the Bidding Document. Upon receipt of a written request, a PIV will be generated and sent via email. Log on to www.ceb.lk and make an online payment of a non-refundable fee of LKR 60,000.00 (to collect from office) or LKR 65,000.00 (for domestic delivery) or LKR 75,000.00 (for overseas delivery) for each lot, referring to the PIV or pay the non-refundable fee as above by cash to a local bank or a CEB cash counter. Upon receipt of payment, the complete set of the Bidding Document will be sent via e-mail. Hard copy will be issued, if requested and can be collected from the office/ can be delivered as above.

7. Deliver/Submit your bid:

- To Deputy General Manager (P&D – DD1)
  Planning and Development Branch (DD1), Fourth Floor, Ceylon Electricity Board, No. 50, Sir Chittampalam A Gardiner Mawatha, Colombo 02
- On or before the deadline: 10:00 hours on 6 October 2023
- Together with Bid security as described in the Bidding Document.

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

Late bids shall be rejected.

8. When comparing bids, ADB’s Domestic Preference Scheme will be applied in accordance with the provisions stipulated in the Bidding Document.

9. The Employer 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.