



# Invitation for Bids

(Please refer to Corrigendum 1 IFB, published on 15 April 2021)

<b>Date:</b>	21 January 2021
<b>Grant Nos. and Title:</b>	0752-TAJ: Road Network Sustainability Project
<b>Contract No. and Title:</b>	OCB/CW-02/2020: Okmazor - Dangara Road Rehabilitation
<b>Deadline for Submission of Bids:</b>	4 March 2021, 10:00 hours (Tajikistan time)

1. The Republic of Tajikistan has received financing from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) toward the cost of the Road Network Sustainability 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 ADB.
2. The **Ministry of Transport of the Republic of Tajikistan** (“the Employer”) invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for the construction and completion of **Okmazor - Dangara Road Rehabilitation** (“the Works”). The Works comprise the removal of bituminous pavement layers, partial removal of the granular pavement material from the existing road, execution of earthworks necessary for the rehabilitation of the existing carriageway, construction of side drains, replacement bridges, as well as the construction of new and replacement/extension of existing culverts, construction of retaining walls, road sub-grade, granular sub-base and base course layers, placing asphalt concrete, and provision of road furniture.
3. **Open Competitive Bidding** (International Advertisement) will be conducted in accordance with ADB’s [Single-Stage: Two-Envelope](#) bidding procedure and is open to all Bidders from eligible countries as described in the Bidding Document.
4. Only eligible Bidders with the following key qualifications should participate in the bidding:

<b>Key Qualification Requirements</b>	
Average Annual Construction Turnover within the last three (3) years	US\$ 28 million
Financial resources - Bidder bidding as a single entity - Bidder bidding as Joint Venture	US\$ 3.5 million  Refer to Section 3 of the Bidding Document
Participation as a contractor, Joint Venture partner, or Subcontractor in at least two contracts completed within the last five (5) years	US\$ 16 million

Construction experience	
- Formation of embankment	280,000 m <sup>3</sup> in any one year
- Sub-base/Base course	200,000 m <sup>3</sup> in any one year
- Asphaltic Concrete Pavement	30,000 m <sup>3</sup> in any one year
- Launching of Girders	(each minimum 15 meter) 24 Number / in any 12-month period

If there are any discrepancies between this Invitation for Bid and the Bidding Document, the Bidding Document shall prevail.

To obtain further information and inspect the bidding documents (which are in the English language), bidders should contact:

Mr. Nurali Arabzoda  
Executive Director  
Project Implementation Unit for Roads Rehabilitation  
Ministry of Transport of the Republic of Tajikistan  
Aini Street 14, Room 407  
734042 Dushanbe, Tajikistan  
Tel/Fax: +992 37 222 20 73  
Email: piurr@bk.ru

- To obtain the bidding documents, eligible bidders should either collect them in hard copy (paper copy) at the address above mentioned or request a soft copy (electronic files) through email (email address: piurr@bk.ru); in that latter case, a password will be provided to download the bidding document.

Whether requesting a hard or soft copy, potential Bidders will be required to pay a non-refundable USD 400 (four hundred USD) fee by bank transfer to the following account:  
Project Implementation Unit for Roads Rehabilitation SSB RT  
"Amonatbank", Dushanbe, Tajikistan  
INN: 010013762  
MFO: 350101626  
Correspondent account: 20 402 972 316 264  
Account in USD: 202068401463101000  
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- Submit your bid:
  - electronically through the Tenderlink web portal: <https://www.tenderlink.com/adb> under the relevant transaction reference "OCB/CW-02/2020: Okmazor - Dangara Road Rehabilitation"  
**(Bidders should note that hardcopy submission will not be accepted);**
  - on or before the deadline **4 March 2021 at 10:00 am (Tajikistan time)**; and
  - together with a Bid Security as described in the Bidding Document.
- Late bids will not be accepted. Electronic bid opening procedure will take place immediately after the deadline. Bid opening will be held in a virtual manner using an

online conferencing system, and bidders shall have the option of viewing the opening. The link(s) to the viewing will be emailed to bidders seven days prior to the opening.

8. When comparing Bids, Domestic Preference will be applied as stipulated in the Bidding Document.