



Invitation for Bids

Date:	14 May 2019
Loan No. and Title:	ADB Loan No. 3251-VIE: Water Sector Investment Program Multi-tranche Financing Facility (MFF) – Tranche 3 – Thai Nguyen Sub-project
Contract No. and Title:	TN-CW02: Constructing New Water Supply Network
Deadline for Submission of Bids:	25 June 2019 at 9:00 hours (Local Time)

1. The Government of the Socialist Republic of Vietnam has received financing from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) toward the cost of **Water Sector Investment Program Multi-tranche Financing Facility (MFF) Tranche 3 – Thai Nguyen Sub-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 **Thai Nguyen Water Joint Stock Company (“the Employer”)** invites sealed bids from eligible Bidders for the **material supply, construction and completion of a water supply network in Thai Nguyen city** with the following key components:
 - 18.72 kms of DN200mm – DN800mm DI and HDPE transmission pipes;
 - 30.91 kms of DN100mm – DN200mm of HDPE distribution pipes;
 - 49.3 kms of D50-D63 HDPE service pipes;
 - 5,713 house connections;
 - 35 fire hydrants.
3. **International Competitive Bidding** will be conducted in accordance with ADB’s Single-Stage: One-Envelope procedure and is open to all Bidders from eligible source countries as described in the Bidding Document.
4. Only eligible Bidders with the following key qualifications should participate in this bidding:

Experience

- Participation in at least one (1) contract that has been successfully or substantially completed within the last five (5) years and that is similar to the proposed works, where the value of the Bidder’s participation exceeds **US\$ 5,437,000**. The similarity of the Bidder’s participation shall be based on the physical size, nature of works, complexity, methods, technology or other characteristics as described in Section 6, Employer’s Requirements.

Financial

- Minimum average annual construction turnover of **US\$ 14,500,000** calculated as total certified payments received for contracts in progress or completed, within the last three (3) years.
- Minimum financial resources of **US\$ 2,420,000**.

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

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

Project Management Unit (PMU) for Thai Nguyen Sub-project

Mr. Nguyen Ba Quyet, Director of PMU

Address: Song Cong Water Enterprise Office, Group 5, Luong Chau ward, Song Cong city, Thai Nguyen province, Vietnam;

Zip postal code: 250000.

Telephone Number: (84-208).3857272

Email: wscthainguyen@gmail.com

6. To purchase the Bidding Documents in English, eligible Bidders should:

- Write an official letter requesting the Bidding Documents for the Contract TN-CW-02: Construction of New Water Supply Network, and
- Pay a non-refundable fee of US\$ 400 or VND 9,300,000 by cash or bank transfer to the following bank account:

Account number: 119000022934

Swift code: ICBVNVX230

Bank: Vietnam Joint Stock Commercial Bank for Industry and Trade – Thai Nguyen Branch.

Account name: cong ty co phan nuoc sach thai nguyen

The Bidding Document can be collected at the address above or sent to the Bidder by courier upon the Bidder's written request and payment of an additional amount of US\$ 100 for overseas delivery or VND 500,000 for delivery in Vietnam. The Employer will assume no liability for loss or late delivery. The person appointed by Bidder to collect the purchased Bidding Documents shall bring with them papers including Letter of Introduction, Request for Tender purchase (hard copy), ID card or passport.

7. Deliver your bid:

- To: Project Management Unit for Construction Investment; Address: Song Cong Water Enterprise Office, Group 5, Luong Chau ward, Song Cong city, Thai Nguyen province, Vietnam.
- **On or before 25 June 2019, 9:00 hours (Local Time).**
- Together with a Bid Security as described in the Bidding Documents.

Late bids will be rejected.

Bid will be opened immediately after the dateline for bid submission in the presence of Bidder's representatives who choose to attend.

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