1. The Government of the Socialist Republic of Vietnam has received financing from the Asian Development Bank (hereinafter called "ADB") toward the cost of the Second Greater Mekong Subregion (GMS) Corridor Towns Development Project. Part of this financing will be used for payments under the contract package named above. Bidding is open to Bidders from eligible source countries of ADB.

2. The Mong Cai City’s People’s Committee represented by Mong Cai GMS2 Project Management Unit ("the Employer") invites sealed bids from eligible Bidders for the Package MC1: Construction of the Eastern Ka Long river wastewater and stormwater improvements.

The scope of works includes:

- Construction of rainwater drainage system in the east of the Ka Long River.
- Construction of wastewater collection system, pumping station in the east of the Ka Long River; Sewage treatment plant with a capacity of 8,000 m3 / day and night in Hai Xuan commune, Mong Cai city.

3. National Competitive Bidding (NCB) 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:

**Experience:**
- Participation in at least two (2) contracts that have been successfully or substantially completed within the last five (5) years up to the time of bidding closure which are similar to the one currently being tendered, where the value of the Bidder’s participation in each contract has made at least VND 160,000,000,000.
**Financial:**
- Minimum average annual construction turnover of **VND 220,000,000,000** calculated as total certified payments received for contracts in progress or completed, within the last **three (3) years** (2041; 2015; 2016).
- Financial Resources Requirement for Subject Contract: **VND 27,600,000,000**.

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

5. Interested eligible Bidders may obtain further information from the Employer and inspect the Bidding Document starting on 21 July 2017 from 8:30 to 17:00 hours during Mondays to Fridays (except during weekends and holidays) until before 8:30 hours on 21 August 2017, at the address given below:

   **Mong Cai GMS2 Project Management Unit (2nd floor, Room 4 - Technical department): Chu Van An street, Hoa Lac ward, Mong Cai city, Quang Ninh province (with the same building of the Citizen reception center of Mong Cai city).**
   Tel: +84 203.3789.519
   Email: bqlda.mc@quangninh.gov.vn

6. To purchase the Bidding Documents in Vietnamese, eligible Bidders should:
   - Submit an official letter to the above-mentioned address (para 5) requesting the Invitation for Bid documents for **Package MC1: Construction of the Eastern Ka Long river wastewater and stormwater improvements**.
   - Pay a non-refundable fee of VND 2,000,000 by cash.

7. Deliver bids:
   - To the address above (para 5)
   - On or before **8:30 hours on 21 August 2017**.
   - All Bids must be accompanied with a Bid Security as specified in the Bidding Documents.
   Late bid shall be rejected. Bids will be opened immediately after the bid submission deadline at the above-mentioned address (para 5) - **Chu Van An street, Hoa Lac ward, Mong Cai city, Quang Ninh province (with the same building of the Citizen reception center of Mong Cai city)** - in the presence of Bidders’ representatives who wish to attend.

8. **Mong Cai GMS2 Project Management Unit** will not be responsible for any cost or expense incurred in the preparation and delivery of bids.