



INVITATION FOR BIDS

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| Date: | 25 March 2024 |
| Loan/Grant No. and Title: | ADB Loan No. 4432-PHI and AIIB Loan No. (TBP) ADB Project P52310-001 – Republic of the Philippines: Bataan-Cavite Interlink Bridge Project AIIB Project P000724 – Philippines Bataan-Cavite Interlink Bridge Project – Tranche 1 |
| Contract No. and Title: | Contract ID No. 23Z00027, Contract Package 1 (CP1) - Construction of Bataan Land Approach Total Length of 6,898.191 meters of Mainline Highway (with Total of Seven (7) Bridge and Viaduct Structures) with Slip Roads and Ramps |
| Deadline for Submission of Bids: | 07 May 2024 at 10:00 AM (Philippine Time) |

1. The **Republic of the Philippines** has received/applied for financing from the **Asian Development Bank (ADB)** in joint co-financing with the **Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank (AIIB)** towards the cost of **Bataan-Cavite Interlink Bridge (BCIB) Project**. Part of this financing will be used for payments under the Contract named above. Bidding is open to Bidders from all countries, with exceptions specified in the Bidding Document.
2. The **Department of Public Works and Highways (“the Employer”)** invites sealed bids from eligible Bidders for the construction and completion of **Contract Package 1 - Construction of Bataan Land Approach** within **Nine Hundred Thirteen (913) calendar days [30 months]** from the commencement date of the Works.

| Contract ID No. | Contract Title | Scope of Works | Contract Period |
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| 23Z00027 | Contract Package 1 (CP1) - Construction of Bataan Land Approach Total Length of 6,898.191 meters of Mainline Highway (with Total of Seven (7) Bridge and Viaduct Structures) with Slip Roads and Ramps | Construction and completion of Bataan Land Approach composed of Trumpet Interchange; Road Embankment (Cut and Fill); Base, Subbase, and Surface Course; Drainages; Side Slope Berms; Slope Protection The following are the total seven (7) bridge and viaduct structures to be constructed: “Main Ramp Bridge of L=90 m (RC Flat Slab)”, “Roman Interchange Bridge of L=60 m (PSC AASHTO Girder)”, “Alas-Asin Main Bridge of L=405 m (PSC AASHTO Girder)”, “Alas-Asin Overpass Bridge of L=340 m (PSC AASHTO Girder) including road approaches”, “Mt. View Overpass Bridge of L=587.052 m (PSC AASHTO Girder) including road approaches”, “Mt. View Waterway Bridge of L=120 m (PSC AASHTO Girder)”, and “Bataan Land Viaduct of L=201.778 m (PSC AASHTO Girder)” | Construction: 913 days (30 months) Defects Liability Period/Defects Notification Period: 365 days |

3. Open Competitive Bidding will be conducted in accordance with ADB's **Single-Stage: Two-Envelope** procedure and is open to eligible Bidders as described in the Bidding Document.
4. Only eligible Bidders with the following key qualifications defined in the Bidding Document may participate in this bidding.

| Contract ID No. | Minimum Financial Requirement | | Construction Experience – Contracts of Similar Size and Nature |
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| | Average Annual Construction Turnover | Financial Resources | |
| 23Z00027 | Bidder must have an Average Annual Construction Turnover for the last three (3) years of at least PhP4.44 Billion. | Bidder must demonstrate that its Financial Resources less Current Contract Commitments meet or exceed PhP2.22 Billion. | <p>At least one (1) similar contract completed within the last ten (10) years where the value of the Bidder's participation exceeds PhP5.92 Billion.</p> <p>The similarity of the Bidder's participation shall be based on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Road construction with earthwork volume of 200,000 m³ and 100,000 m² of Hot Mix Asphalt (HMA) / Polymer Modified Bitumen (PMB) asphalt concrete surfacing. • Pre-stressed Concrete Girder (PSCG) Bridge on Bored Piles with a minimum cumulative bridge length of 400 m. |

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

5. To obtain further information and inspect the bidding documents, Bidders should contact:

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Undersecretary for Technical Services and Information Management Service (IMS)
 Chairperson, Bids and Awards Committee (BAC) for Civil Works
 DPWH-Central Office
 5th floor, Room 503, Bonifacio Drive, Port Area, Manila 1018
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6. To purchase the bidding documents in English, eligible Bidders should:
 - write to the address above requesting the Bidding Documents for **Bataan-Cavite Interlink Bridge (BCIB) Project, Contract Package 1 (CP1) - Construction of Bataan Land Approach**

- pay a nonrefundable fee of Philippines Pesos Seventy-five Thousand (PhP75,000) or equivalent in a freely convertible currency by either (a) cashier's check payable to the Department of Public Works and Highways or (b) direct deposit to a specified account number (to be provided upon request).
- pay the corresponding shipping charges for opting delivery of bidding documents through courier.

The bidding documents may also be downloaded from the website of the Philippine Government Electronic Procurement System (PhilGEPS) at <http://www.philgeps.gov.ph> and the website of the DPWH at <http://dpwh.gov.ph> provided that upon submission of their bids, the Bidders shall pay the applicable fees.

7. A pre-bid meeting shall take place on **16 April 2024 at 9:00 AM** (Philippine Time) at Department of Public Works and Highways, 5th Floor, Multipurpose Hall, Bonifacio Drive, Port Area, Manila, Philippines.

It will also be conducted through ZOOM (Meeting ID: 895 8145 7927 and Passcode: 428401) and live-streamed on Facebook: <https://www.youtube.com/@DPWH.CO.CivilWorks>, which shall be open to prospective bidders.

8. Deliver your bid

- to the address: 5th Floor, Multipurpose Hall, Bonifacio Drive, Port Area, Manila, Philippines
- on or before the deadline **07 May 2024 at 10:00 AM (Philippine Time)**
- together with a Bid Security as described in the Bidding Document.

Electronic Submission is not applicable.

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

Bidders have the option to attend the bid opening online via ZOOM (Meeting ID: 895 8145 7927 and Passcode: 428401) and Facebook livestream: <https://www.youtube.com/@DPWH.CO.CivilWorks>

9. Domestic preference **shall not** apply.
10. The **Department of Public Works of Highways (DPWH)** reserves the right to reject any and all bids, to annul the bidding process or declare a failure of bidding, or not award the contract at any time prior to contract award without thereby incurring any liability to the affected bidder or bidders. In case of annulment, all Bids submitted and specifically, bid securities, shall be promptly returned to the Bidders.

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