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Ministry of Rural Development (MRD)

National Restoration of Rural Productive Capacity Project (NRRPCP)

AIIB LOAN NO.: L0446A

Invitation for Bids

IFB: NRRPCP/22/NCB/WRR-3

- 1. The Government of the Kingdom of Cambodia has received a loan from the Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank (AIIB) towards the cost of the Cambodia National Restoration of Rural Productive Capacity Project (NRRPCP). Part of this loan will be used for payments under the contract named above. The National Competitive Bidding is open to bidders from eligible source countries of the AIIB. The eligibility rules and procedures of AIIB will govern the bidding process. The bidding will be in accordance with the AIIB's Procurement Policy.
- 2. The Project Management Unit of the Ministry of Rural Development (MRD) now invites from eligible and qualified bidders for the Contract No. NRRPCP/22/NCB/WRR-3, for Rural Road Improvement of 106.997km in Kampong Chhnang, Prey Veng, Tboung Khmum, Koh Kong, and Palin Provinces: Lot 1: The Improvement of 12.33 Km of DBST and Reinforced Concrete Road from Mean Chey to Kang Meas, Kampong Chhnang province, Lot 2: The Improvement of 20.195 Km of DBST road from National Road 5 to Kork Kruos, Kampong Chhnang province, Lot 3: The Improvement of 8.064 Km of DBST road from Kansoam Aok to Sambuor, Prey Veng province, Lot 4: The Improvement of 11.685 Km of DBST and Reinforced Concrete Road from Thma Totueng to Sampov Luon, Thoung Khmum province, Lot 5: The Improvement of 14.036 Km of DBST and Reinforced Concrete Road from Chy Paing to Krasaing, Thoung Khmum province, Lot 6: The Improvement of 20.85 Km of DBST Road Tuek Chenh to Ou Dounta Kraom, Palin province and Lot 7: The Improvement of 19.837 Km of DBST and Reinforced Concrete Road From Beung Preav to Chrouy Svay, Koh Kong province.

The Intended Completion construction **period is twelve (12) months** for lot 1,2,4,5,6,7 and **ten (10) months** for lot 3 from date of notification to commence for each lot. The Contractors will be notified through letter of notification to commence (or letter of site possession) to start the construction within 2 weeks after signing contract.

The Bidders may bid for one Lot or multiple Lots. The Bid Evaluation and Contract Award will be on a Lot-Wise-Basis.

 Procurement will be conducted through National Competitive Bidding Procedures outlined in the Procurement Manual for Externally Financed Projects/Programs.¹

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¹ https://www.pfm.gov.kh/index.php/en/gsc-en/publication-en

- This invitation is open to all eligible bidders from eligible source countries as described in the AIIB Procurement Instructions for Recipients (PIT).
- 5. Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from Mr. Kim Khemrin, Chief of Procurement Unit, E-mail: rinkimkhem@gmail.com and inspect the Bidding Documents at the address: 6th Floor, Ministry of Rural Development, National Restoration of Rural Productive Capacity Project (NRRPCP), MRD Building, #771-773, Preah Monivong Blvd, Sangkat Boeng Trabaek, Khan Chamkar Morn, Phnom Penh, Cambodia, between 8:00 am 11:30 am and 2:30 pm 5:00 pm on all working days.
- 6. Bidders' attention is drawn to Sub-clause 6.3 of the Instructions to Bidders (ITB) on the Qualification requirements. The qualifications requirements include: The bidder shall furnish documentary evidence that it meets the following experience and financial requirements:
 - Average Annual Construction Turnover

The average annual volume of construction work of the successful bidder over the last three (3) years (2019, 2020 and 2021) shall be:

Lot 1: USD 3,232,697.00

Lot 2: USD 4,357,980.00

Lot 3: USD 1,836,496.00

Lot 4: USD 2,578,586.00

Lot 5: USD 3,560,724.00

Lot 6: USD 4,771,410.00

Lot 7: USD 5,615,244.00

Specific Similar Experience:

The bidder shall demonstrate experience as the prime contractor in the construction of at least two (2) works of a similar nature and complexity equivalent to the works within the last five years with the value of each contract of at least:

Lot 1: USD 1,616,348.75

Lot 2: USD 2,178,990.09

Lot 3: USD 918,247.99

Lot 4: USD 1,289,292.97

Lot 5: USD 1,780,362.18

Lot 6: USD 2,385,705.08

Lot 7: USD 2,807,622.44

Liquid Assets:

The minimum amount of liquid assets or working capital and/or credit facilities net of other contractual commitments of the successful bidder shall be:

Lot 1: USD 538,783.00

Lot 2: USD 726,330.00

Lot 3: USD 367,299.00

Lot 4: USD 429,764.00

Lot 5: USD 593,454.00

Lot 6: USD 795,235.00

Lot 7: USD 935,874.00

· More details of the requirements are provided in the Bidding Documents.

- 7. A complete set of bidding documents in English language may be purchased by interested bidders on the submission of a written application to the address below, and upon payment of a non-refundable fee of 100 US Dollars, or its equivalent in Cambodian Riel being 410,000. The method of payment will be by cheque. The Bidding Documents may be collected in person or may be sent by email. Other than payment of the non-refundable fee specified above, there shall be no other conditions for purchasing the bidding documents.
- 8. In case of any difficulty in purchase of the bidding documents, interested parties may contact in writing to H.E. CHREAY Pom. Project Director of National Restoration of Rural Productive Capacity Project (NRRPCP) at MRD's Building, 6th Floor # 771-773, Preah Monivong Blvd, Sangkat Boeng Trabaek, Khan Chamkar Morn, Phnom Penh, Cambodia., E-mail: chreavpom@gmail.com

and also send a copy of the communication to:

Director General

General Department of International Cooperation and Debt Management Ministry of Economy and Finance Building A, 2nd Floor, Street 92, Sangkat Wat Phnom Khan Daun Penh, Cambodia, Email: samrith chhuon@mef.gov.kh

- 9. Bids must be delivered to the address given below at or before 10:00 hours on 26th January 2023. Late bids will be rejected. Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders' representatives and other interested person who choose to attend in person at the address below at 10:00 hours on 26th January 2023.
- 10. The bid shall be accompanied by a Bid Securing Declaration as described in the Instruction to Bidders.
- 11. The Government of the Kingdom of Cambodia and Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank will respectively declare a firm ineligible either indefinitely or for a stated period of time, to be awarded a contract funded by the Government of Cambodia and/or Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank, if it at any time it determines that the firm has engaged in corrupt or fraudulent, coercive or collusive practices in competing for or in executing a contract.
- 12. The address referred to above is:

Mr. Kim Khemrin, Chief of Procurement Unit, Attention:

at address: 6th Floor, MRD Building, # 771-773, Preah Monivong Blvd, Sangkat Boeng Trabaek, Khan Chamkar Morn, Phnom Penh, Cambodia

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