

Invitation for Bids of Suda-Kanchanpur NCB 19

Government of Nepal
Ministry of Water Supply and Sanitation
DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY & SEWERAGE
Third Small Towns Water Supply & Sanitation Sector Project
PROJECT MANAGEMENT OFFICE
Panipokhari, Kathmandu
Invitation for Bids

Date : **6 August 2016**
Loan No. and Title : **L3157_NEP: Third Small Towns Water Supply & Sanitation Sector Project**
Contract No. and Title : **TSTWSSSP/NCB-19/Suda_Kanchanpur; Water Supply and Sanitation Project**
Deadline for Submission of Bids : **5 September 2016, 12:00 Noon, Nepal Standard Time (NST)**

1. Nepal has received financing from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) towards the cost of **Third Small Towns Water Supply and Sanitation Sector Project (TSTWSSSP)**. Part of this financing will be used for payments under the contract named above. Bidding is open to Bidders from any countries. "This contract will be jointly financed by OPEC Fund for International Development (OFID). The eligibility rules and procedures of ADB will govern the bidding process".
2. The **Project Management Office, Third Small Towns Water Supply and Sanitation Sector Project, Department of Water Supply and Sewerage, Ministry of Water Supply and Sanitation** ("the Employer") invites sealed bids from experienced and eligible bidders, based on post-qualification criteria, for the construction and completion of the Works. The Works mainly comprises of following works of following contracts described hereunder:

Stage 1: Drilling Works; Overhead Tanks; Transmission main and Distribution pipe lines; Water Treatment Plants; Office Building; Electrical and Electromechanical Works and other associated works

Stage 2: Operations and Maintenance of the system for one year.

3. **National Competitive Bidding (NCB)** will be conducted in accordance with ADB's Single-Stage, Two-envelope Bidding procedure and is open to all Bidders as described in the Bidding Document.
4. Only experienced and eligible bidders with the following key qualifications-should participate in this bidding:

- Minimum average annual construction turnover of **428 million** calculated as total certified payments received for contracts in progress or completed **within last five (5) years**.
 - Carried out at least one similar project with a value of at least **257 million within the last ten (10) years** that has been successfully or substantially completed and that is similar to the proposed works.
5. To obtain further information and inspect the bidding documents, Bidders should contact :

The Project Director

Third Small Towns Water Supply & Sanitation Sector Project

Project Management Office

DWSS Building, Top floor

Panipokhari, Kathmandu.

Ph: 0977- 1 – 4422231

Fax: 0977-1-4413280

Website: www.stwssp.gov.np; Email: info@sstwssp.gov.np

6. To purchase the Bidding Document, eligible bidders should on or **before 17: 00 hours, 4 September 2016**,
- Write to address above requesting the bidding documents with a non-refundable fee of NRs 10,000 (In Words Nepali Rupees Ten Thousand only) for one set of bidding document
7. A pre-bid meeting shall be held **at 13:00 Hrs (Nepal Standard Time) on 24 August 2016 at PMO Office** at Panipokhari, Kathmandu, Nepal
8. Deliver your bid:
- To the address above
 - On or before **5 September 2016; 12:00Hrs. (NST)**. Late Bids will not be accepted.
 - Together with a Bid Security in the amount as specified in the Bidding Document (Section 2: Bid Data Sheet Clause ITB 19.1).

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