



Specific Procurement Notice Request for Bids Works

(Two-envelope Bidding Process Without Prequalification)

Employer: Ministry of Public Works
Project: Timor-Leste Branch Roads Project (TLBRP)
Contract title: Upgrading and Maintenance of Jct. Letefoho (Km 30+230)–Gleno (Km 54+370) Road Section
Country: Timor-Leste
Credit No.: IDA 64880-TL
RFB No: TENDER/191/MOP-2024
Issued on: 7 January 2025

1. The Democratic Republic of Timor-Leste has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the Timor-Leste Branch Roads Project (TLBRP) and intends to apply part of the proceeds toward payments under the contract for Upgrading and Maintenance of Jct. Letefoho (Km 30+230)–Gleno (Km 54+370) Road Section. For this contract, the Borrower shall process the payments using the Direct Payment disbursement method, as defined in the World Bank's Disbursement Guidelines for Investment Project Financing.
2. The National Procurement Commission (NPC) on behalf of the Ministry of Public Works (MPW) now invites sealed Bids from eligible Bidders for Upgrading and Maintenance of Jct. Letefoho (Km 30+230)–Gleno (Km 54+370) Road Section, with the time for completion of 28 months for upgrading, followed by 12 months for defects liability period and 36 months for performance-based maintenance. The road traverses the mountainous terrain in Ermera municipality.
3. Bidding will be conducted through international competitive procurement using Request for Bids (RFB) as specified in the World Bank's "Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers-Procurement in Investment Projects Financing" (September 2023) ("Procurement Regulations"), and is open to all eligible Bidders as defined in the Procurement Regulations.
4. Interested eligible Bidders may obtain further information from the emails given below and inspect the Bidding document during office hours 09:00 to 17:00 hours local Timor-Leste time at the address given below.

5. The Bidding document in English may be obtained by interested eligible Bidders upon the submission of a written application or email to the address below. The document will be sent by email or hand delivery at the address below.
6. Bids must be delivered to the address below on or before **20 February 2025 at 3:00 PM** local Timor-Leste time. Electronic bidding will not be permitted. Late Bids will be rejected. The outer Bid envelopes marked “ORIGINAL BID,” and the inner envelopes marked “TECHNICAL PART” will be publicly opened in the presence of the Bidders’ designated representatives and anyone who chooses to attend, at the address below on **20 February 2025 at 3:00 PM** local Timor-Leste time. All envelopes marked “FINANCIAL PART” shall remain unopened and will be held in safe custody of the Employer until the second public Bid opening.
7. All Bids must be accompanied by a ***Bid Security* of US\$ 900,000** in the form of a Bank Guarantee in the format prescribed in the bidding document.
8. Attention is drawn to the Procurement Regulations requiring the Borrower to disclose information on the successful bidder’s beneficial ownership, as part of the Contract Award Notice, using the Beneficial Ownership Disclosure Form as included in the bidding document.
9. The address referred to above is:

To:



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