



পাওয়ার গ্রিড কোম্পানী অফ বাংলাদেশ লিঃ
POWER GRID COMPANY OF BANGLADESH LTD.
(An Enterprise of Bangladesh Power Development Board)



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INVITATION FOR BIDS

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| PGCB Memo No.: Date: | 27.21.0000.101.07.233.20.21(C), May 05, 2020 |
| Loan No. and Title: | Barapukuria-Bogura-Kaliakoir 400kV Line Project |
| Contract No. and Title: | PGCB/EXIM BANK/LOC-2/400kV/TL/BAR-BOG Design, Supply, Installation, Testing & Commissioning of Barapukuria-Bogura 400kV Double Circuit Transmission Line on Turnkey Basis (Package-1, Lot-1). |
| Deadline for Submission of Bids: | July 06, 2020, 11:00 Hours Local Time |

- 1) The People's Republic of Bangladesh has received for financing from the EXIM BANK, India toward the cost of **Indian Line of Credit (LOC-2)**. Part of this financing will be used for payments under the contract named above. Bidding is open to Bidders from India only.
- 2) The **Power Grid Company of Bangladesh Limited (PGCB)**, ("the Employer") invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for the "**Design, Supply, Installation, Testing & Commissioning of Barapukuria-Bogura 400kV Double Circuit Transmission Line on Turnkey Basis (Package-1, Lot-1)**" (herein after referred to as "the Works"). The Works under this turnkey contract shall have to be completed within 900 (Nine Hundred) days from the effective date.
- 3) **International Competitive Bidding (ICB)** will be conducted in accordance with Single-Stage: Two-Envelope bidding procedure and is open to all bidders from India.
- 4) Bidders shall meet the following minimum requirements along with other requirements as mentioned in the bidding documents:
 - (a) Experience under contracts in the role of prime contractor or subcontractor in power sector for at least 10(ten) years prior to the bid submission deadline.
 - (b) Participation as a contractor in at least three (3) contracts those have been successfully completed within the last 10 (ten) years prior to bid submission date and are similar to the proposed Works. Total route length of the line for the three (3) contracts must be at least 180 km where the value of the Bidder's participation (or JV partner) in at least one contract exceeds USD 60.0 Million (USD Sixty Million) having at least 50km route length of double/single circuit line. The scope of each contract must include supply, installation, testing & commissioning of single and/or double circuit 380kV or above voltage overhead transmission line on lattice steel towers.

For the above-mentioned contracts executed during the period mentioned above:

- At least one (1) of the above contracts of 380kV or higher voltage transmission line construction having at least 50 km route length of single/double circuit line including Design, Supply, Installation, Testing & Commissioning.
- At least one (1) contract of 380kV or above voltage transmission line construction having at least 50 km route length and being in successful operation for a minimum of three (3) years prior to the date of bid submission date.
- At least one (1) contract of 380kV or above voltage transmission line construction having at least 25 km route length and completed outside the Bidder's own country.

The above criteria must be fulfilled within maximum of three Contracts.

The qualification criteria of the bidders have been given very briefly above. The bidders are advised to inspect the bidding document by visiting the PGCB website <http://www.pgcb.gov.bd>.

- 5) Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information and inspect the bidding documents at the office of the Company Secretary, Power Grid Company of Bangladesh Ltd. (PGCB), Head Office, Avenue-03, Jahurul Islam City, Aftabnagar, Badda, Dhaka-1212, Bangladesh; Tel: +88-02-55046731, +88-02-55046732, +88-02-55046733, +88-02-55046734, +88-02-55046735, Fax: +88 (2) 55046722; Email: se-contract@pgcb.org.bd, se.tld@pgcb.gov.bd. The complete bidding documents are also available for download from PGCB's website <http://www.pgcb.gov.bd>. Eligible bidders who download the bidding document from the PGCB's website shall inform PGCB in writing (and provide their contact details) at the address given above, failing which PGCB shall not be responsible if the bidder does not receive clarifications and amendments, if any. **In case of any discrepancy between the documents downloaded by the prospective bidder and the Bid Documents (hard copy) of PGCB, the latter shall prevail.**
- 6) A complete set of bidding documents in English language, may be purchased by interested bidders upon submission of a written application to the Company Secretary, PGCB at the above address, from **May 12, 2020** up to one day before the bid submission deadline and upon payment of a nonrefundable fee of USD 400.00 (United States Dollar Four Hundred) or BDT 32,000.00 (Taka Thirty-Two Thousand only) in the form of Pay Order/ Demand Draft in favour of the Power Grid Company of Bangladesh Limited. The Bidding Document may be sent through a courier for an additional fee of BDT 10,000.00 (local delivery) or USD 120.00 (International delivery) in the form of Pay Order/ Demand Draft in favor of Power Grid Company of Bangladesh Limited. No liability will be accepted for loss or late delivery of the Bidding Document.
- 7) A Pre-Bid meeting will be held at **11:00 Hours Local Time on June 02, 2020** at the head office of the Power Grid Company of Bangladesh Limited (PGCB), Head Office, Avenue-03, Jahurul Islam City, Aftabnagar, Badda, Dhaka-1212, Bangladesh.
- 8) Deliver bids:
 - to the address below:
Company Secretary
Power Grid Company of Bangladesh Ltd. (PGCB),
Head Office, Avenue-03, Jahurul Islam City,
Aftabnagar, Badda, Dhaka-1212, Bangladesh.
 - on or before **11:00 Hours Local Time on July 06, 2020**
 - together with a Bid Security in the amount and form as described in the bidding document.
Late bids, portion of Bids, electronic Bids, Bids not received, and the Bids not opened at the Bid opening meeting shall not be accepted for evaluation irrespective of the circumstances.
- 9) Technical bids will be opened at **11:05 Hours Local Time on July 06, 2020** at the head office of the Power Grid Company of Bangladesh Limited (PGCB), Avenue-03, Jahurul Islam City, Aftabnagar, Badda, Dhaka-1212, Bangladesh in the presence of Bidders' representatives who choose to attend, whereas the Financial Bids shall remain sealed and unopened and shall be placed locked. The Financial Bids of only Technically Responsive and Qualified Bidders shall be opened after Technical Bid Evaluation, whereas, the Financial Bids of those Bidders whose Technical Bids are not responsive and qualified shall be returned unopened after the contract is awarded.
- 10) PGCB will not be responsible for any costs or expenses incurred by bidders in connection with the preparation or delivery of bids including costs and expenses related to participation in pre-bid meeting and site visit/s.

Md. Jahangir Azad
Company Secretary (A/C)