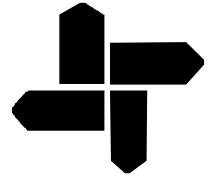




**MINISTRY OF HIGHWAYS AND ROAD DEVELOPMENT  
ROAD DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY  
ASIAN DEVELOPMENT BANK FUNDED  
SECOND INTEGRATED ROAD INVESTMENT PROGRAM  
EASTERN PROVINCE**



## INVITATION FOR BIDS INTERNATIONAL COMPETITIVE BIDDING

**IFB No.:** iROAD-2/ICB/EP  
**Date:** 15 July 2018  
**Loan No. and Title:** Loan 3579 / 3580 – SRI: Second Integrated Road Investment Program – Tranche 1  
**Deadline for Submission of Bids:** 04 September 2018, 11.00 hrs (local time)

**Contract Nos. and Titles:**

RDA/ADB/iROAD-2(EP)/ICB/BT-01	Rehabilitation / Improvement and maintenance of 71.98 km rural roads in Batticaloa district in the Eastern province – Package 1
RDA/ADB/iROAD-2(EP)/ICB/BT-02	Rehabilitation / Improvement and maintenance of 76.76 km rural roads in Batticaloa district in the Eastern province – Package 2
RDA/ADB/iROAD-2(EP)/ICB/TR-01	Rehabilitation / Improvement and maintenance of 74.38 km rural roads in Trincomalee district in the Eastern province – Package 1
RDA/ADB/iROAD-2(EP)/ICB/AM-03	Rehabilitation / Improvement and maintenance of 80.93 km rural roads in Amapara district in the Eastern province – Package 3

1. The Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka has received financing from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) towards the cost of the Second Integrated Road Investment Programme – Tranche 1. A portion of this loan will be applied for eligible payments under the contracts named above. Bidding is open to bidders from eligible source countries of the ADB.
2. Bidders may bid for one or several contract packages. If the bidder submits several successful (lowest evaluated substantially responsive) bids, the evaluation will also include an assessment of the Bidders capacity to meet the aggregated qualifications requirements as provided in section 3 of the bidding document of respective contract package.
3. The Road Development Authority (“the Employer”) now invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for the above contract packages. Scope of the works includes;
  - 3a. The rehabilitation and Improvement activities (the works) will include but not limited to the following:
    - Site Clearing and Excavation;
    - Road formation improvement;
    - Sub Base construction, Dense Graded Aggregate Base complete with Asphalt Concrete overlay;
    - Drainage construction / improvements;
    - Culvert rehabilitation/extension and construction;
    - Relocation of utilities
    - Provision of Facilities for the Engineer/Employer.
  - 3b. Performance Based Road Maintenance Works shall mainly consist of routine maintenance activities necessary for keeping the Road in compliance with specified Performance or Service Levels. (All activities shall be carried out complying with the environmental and social framework as specified in the relevant sections)

4. The International Competitive Bidding will be conducted in accordance with ADB's Single Stage - Two Envelope Bidding Procedure (1S2E) and is open to all bidders from eligible countries as described in the bidding document.
5. Eligible bidders must meet the following criteria:
  - (i) Pending Litigation shall not represent more than 50% of the bidder's net worth.
  - (ii) The bidders' net worth within last 3 years shall be positive.
  - (iii) Average Annual Construction Turnover (AACT) within last 3 years, financial resources, similar construction experience within last 5 years and construction experience in key activities as given in the table below.

<b>Contract Package No.</b>	<b>AACT US\$ (Million)</b>	<b>Financial Resources US\$ (Million)</b>	<b>Similar Construction Experience of one Contract with a value of (US\$ Million)</b>	<b>Construction Experience in Key Activities in 12 months</b>
RDA/ADB/iROAD-2(EP)/ICB/BT-01	16.0	2.0	13.0	50mm Asphalt Concrete Paving-90,000 m <sup>2</sup> Base Course 19,000 Cu.m.
RDA/ADB/iROAD-2(EP)/ICB/BT-02	15.5	1.9	12.5	50mm Asphalt Concrete Paving-80,000 m <sup>2</sup> Base Course 14,000 Cu.m.
RDA/ADB/iROAD-2(EP)/ICB/TR-01	17.0	2.1	13.5	50mm Asphalt Concrete Paving-100,000 m <sup>2</sup> Base Course 19,000 Cu.m.
RDA/ADB/iROAD-2(EP)/ICB/AM-03	17.5	2.1	14.0	50mm Asphalt Concrete Paving-80,000 m <sup>2</sup> Base Course 18,000 Cu.m.

The bidder must also show that it has the personnel for key positions and key equipment as given in detail in the bidding documents.

6. Each bid will comprise the documentation necessary for the evaluation of eligibility and qualification as well as the financial bid submitted separately in sealed envelopes. Envelope A - Technical Proposal containing information regarding eligibility, qualification and other technical aspects will be opened first and evaluation of bidder's qualification to bid will be carried out. Envelope B containing the Financial Proposal of the bidders who are successful in the above evaluation for qualification only will be opened for further evaluation.
7. To obtain further information and inspect the bidding documents, eligible bidders should contact:

Project Director  
Second Integrated Road Investment Program  
Road Development Authority  
12th Floor, Sethsiripaya Stage II  
Battaramulla.  
Telephone: 011 – 2186130, 011 – 2187164  
Facsimile: 011 – 2187166  
Email: [iroad2.rda@gmail.com](mailto:iroad2.rda@gmail.com)

8. To purchase the bidding documents in (English) eligible bidders should;
- (i) Write to the address above requesting for the bidding documents for the Contract Packages indicating the Contract Numbers.
  - (ii) Pay a non-refundable fee of Sri Lankan Rupees Rs 30,000 (US\$ 200) for each package by cash or bank draft in favour of the **“Secretary, Ministry of Highways, Ports & Shipping, Inclusive Road Operation and Development Investment Programme – Bank of Ceylon Account Number. 0007040421”** in respect of the bidding document.

The bidding documents will be issued during normal working days from 9.00 hrs to 15.00 hrs at the address under 7 above, from 19 July 2018 to 03 September 2018.

9. All bids and bid securities as specified in the bidding documents must be delivered to **Chairman, Standing Cabinet Appointed Procurement Committee (SCAPC), C/o Chief Accountant, Ministry of Highways and Road Development, “Maganeguma Mahamedura” – 7<sup>th</sup> Floor, No. 216, Denzil Kobbekaduwa Mawatha, Koswatta, Battaramulla on or before 04 September 2018 at 11.00 hrs.**

Envelope A containing the duly completed Technical Proposal will be opened immediately thereafter in the presence of bidders’ representatives who choose to attend. Envelope B will be kept unopened until the evaluation of qualification of bidders is finalized.

10. A pre-bid meeting is arranged on 09 August 2018 at 14.00 hrs at the Auditorium, 11<sup>th</sup> Floor, Sethsiripaya – Stage II, Battaramulla. Interested bidders may attend the pre-bid meeting at their own expenses.
11. The bidder shall bear all costs associated with the preparation and submission of its Bids, and the Employer shall not be responsible or liable for those costs, regardless of the conduct or outcome of the bidding process.

The Chairperson  
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