## Government of Assam

## Assam Urban Infrastructure Investment Program INVITATION FOR TECHNICAL PROPOSAL No: AUIIP/ICB/03 Dated, 29<sup>th</sup> June 2015

Loan No.: 42265-025IND

Title: Assam Urban Infrastructure Investment Program (AUIIP) - Project 2

Package No: AUIIP/PR-2/GUW/WS/03

Contract Title: Design, Build and Operate (DBO) Contract for Water Supply in South East

Guwahati

Deadline for Submission of Technical Proposals: 12th August 2015, 1400hrs (Indian

Standard Time)

- The Government of Assam proposes to apply for a loan from the Asian Development Bank towards the cost of the Assam Urban Infrastructure Investment Program – Project 2 under the existing multitranche financing facility. Part of this loan will be used for payments under the contract named above. Bidding is open to Bidders from eligible source countries specified in the Bidding Documents.
- 2. The Assam Urban Infrastructure Investment Program ("the Employer") invites sealed Technical Proposals from eligible Bidders for the design, construction, supply, installation, testing, commissioning, and operation and maintenance (5 years) of 98 MLD Water Treatment Plant (WTP), raw water Intake wells, raw water pumping station, MS rising main and Distribution networks with other related associated/allied appurtenant works for South-East Guwahati ("the Works").
- 3. To obtain further information and inspect the Bidding Documents, Bidders should contact:

Project Director, Project Management Unit Assam Urban Infrastructure Investment Program (AUIIP) 3rd Floor, Tripti Towers. Near Ganesh Guri. Guwahati. Assam - 781005 Telephone: (+ 91- 361 -2349839), Fax (+91 361 2349849)

E-Mail: pdadbassam@gmail.com

Website: www.auiip.nic.in

- Interested bidders may purchase the Bidding Document in English language on submission of a written application to the undersigned on payment of a non-refundable fee of Indian Rupees 20,000- (Rs. Twenty Thousand only), starting from 29<sup>th</sup> June 2015 to 7<sup>th</sup> August 2015, 1400hrs (Indian Standard Time).
- 5. Those applicants, who desire to receive the document by courier shall have to pay additional Rs. 5000 (Rupees five thousand only) for the package for delivery within India, or Rs. 10,000 (Rupees Ten Thousand only) for the package for delivery outside India. The method of payment will be through demand draft in favor PROJECT DIRECTOR, ASSAM URBAN INFRASTRUCTURE PROGRAM (Assisted by ADB), payable at Guwahati. No liability will be accepted for loss in transit or late delivery.
- Upon receipt of appropriate evidence of payment of the non-refundable fee, the Bidding Documents will be promptly dispatched by courier. However, no liability can be accepted for their loss or late delivery.
- 7. If requested, the documents can be sent electronically after presentation by the prospective Bidder of appropriate evidence of payment of the non-refundable fee. In the event of discrepancy between electronic and hard copies of the Bidding Documents, the hard copy shall prevail.

- 8. A two stage bidding procedure will be adopted for the procurement of the above-named Contract and will proceed as follows:
  - (i) The Employer will first request the Bidders to submit Technical Proposals in response to the requirements of the Bidding Documents but without prices. The Technical Proposals shall be evaluated by the Employer subject to non-conformities of material nature as defined in the Bidding Documents including those relating to the qualification of the Bidders.
  - (ii) At the end of the evaluation of Technical Proposals, the Employer will notify its findings individually to each Bidder and request that each Bidder rectify all non-conformities of material nature and submit its final Technical Proposal. Prior to the submission of its final Technical Proposal, each Bidder will have the right to request the Employer for a clarification of the rationale for the Employer's required rectifications and confirm if its final Technical Proposal is fully responsive.
  - (iii) Only bidders identified to submit fully responsive final Technical Proposals shall be invited to submit Bids. All Bids that are received by the Employer shall be evaluated and compared in accordance with the criteria set forth in the Bidding Documents.
- To be qualified for the invitation for Bids, Bidders shall demonstrate, on the basis of the information submitted in the Technical Proposal, that they would be qualified and capable of undertaking the Contract satisfactorily.
- 10. The Technical Proposals must be delivered to the office at the address above on or before 12<sup>th</sup> August 2015, 1400hrs (Indian Standard Time), at which time they will be opened in the presence of those Bidders' representatives who choose to attend.

Project Director

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