

LAO PEOPLE'S DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC PEACE INDEPENDENCE DEMOCRACY UNITY PROSPERITY

MINISTRY OF PUBLIC WORKS AND TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT OF ROADS

Ref. No. 35332 / DOR Date: 08 Dec 2023

Request for Bids Output- and Performance-based Rehabilitation, Improvement and Maintenance during 10 years of NR13 SE km 21-71 (without Prequalification)

Employer:

Department of Roads, Ministry of Public Works and Transport

Project:

National Road 13 South Extension km 21-71 Project

Contract title:

Output- and Performance-based Rehabilitation, Improvement and

Maintenance during 10 years of NR13 SE km 21-71

Country:

Lao's People Democratic (Lao PDR)

Funding Agency: Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank (AIIB), Abu Dhabi Fund for Development (ADFD) and Government of Lao People Democratic

Republic (through Road Fund).

- The Government of Lao PDR has requested financing from the Asian 1. Infrastructure Investment Bank (AIIB) and the Abu Dhabi Fund for Development (ADFD) for the National Road 13 South Extension km 21-71 Project and intends to apply part of the proceeds toward payments under the contract for Output- and Performance-based Rehabilitation, Improvement and Maintenance during 10 years of NR13 SE km 21-71. Please note that AIIB approval to the advance procurement action will not commit AIIB to subsequently approve the project, the project loans, the project costs, or to finance the procurement costs.
- 2. The Department of Roads, Ministry of Public Works and Transport of Lao PDR now invites sealed bids from eligible Bidders for Works and Services to be performed under the Output- and Performance-based Road Contract (OPBRC). These include (i) the widening of the first 20 km of the road from two to four lanes, (ii) the rehabilitation of the remaining 30 km, (iii) various types of improvements to increase climate resilience and road safety, (iv) the construction of truck weighing stations and (v) the performance-based maintenance of the road during the entire 10-year contract period.
- 3. Bidding will be conducted through International Open Competitive Tendering (IOCT) procedures as specified in the Bank's Procurement Instructions for Recipients (PIR), and is open to all eligible Bidders as defined in the PIR. Eligible Bidders may obtain further information from the Project Management Unit, Planning Division,

Department of Roads, Ministry of Public Works and Transport, Ms. Manivone Soulichack, Email:Manivonepdd@gmail.com, Ms. Panida Boupha, Email: panidaboupha@gmail.com, Souksakhone Soutannouvong, Email: ssoutannouvong@yahoo.com and inspect the bidding document during office hours, 08:00 to 16:00 hours at the address given below.

- 4. The bidding document in English may be purchased by eligible Bidders upon the submission of a written application to the address below and upon payment of a non-refundable fee of USD 500,00 equivalent. The method of payment will be in cash or alternatively via cashier's checks issued by a bank with a local bank correspondence or representative in Laos.
- 5. Bids must be delivered to the address below (as in item 8.), on 29th February 2024, at or before 14:00 hours local Lao PDR 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 Department of Roads, Floor 2 (two-storey building), DoR's Meeting Room No.3, 14:00 hours local Lao PDR time, 29th February 2024. All envelopes marked "FINANCIAL PART" shall remain unopened and will be held in safe custody of the Employer until the second public Bid opening.
- 6. All Bids must be accompanied by a Bid Security of USD 300,000 (Three Hundred Thousand United States Dollars).
- 7. The addresses referred to above are:

Department of Roads, Ministry of Public Works and Transport

Address to: Mr. Litta KHATTIYA, Director General, Department of Roads

Street Address: Lane Xang Avenue, Saysettha District,

Floor/Room number: Floor 2 (two-storey building), DoR's Meeting Room No.3

City: Vientiane Capital

Yours sincerely were

Country: Lao PDR.

Mr. Litta KHATTIYA

Director General, Department of Roads.