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I. INTRODUCTION

This Foreign Government Tender report from the US Trade Advocacy Center, Asian Development Bank Liaison Office (AC ADB) augments the series of regular monthly reports, giving U.S. exporters advance information of Asian government tenders. The focus of this report is on the national procurement initiated both in advance, as well as ongoing ADB procurement and recruitment of consultants for projects financed by the ADB.

To bid on the projects included in this report, U.S. firms may send their Expression of Interest (EOI) directly to the executing agency listed on the procurement notice. Details of the bidding procedures are stated in the Bidding Documents issued by the executing agency or otherwise stated in the procurement notice.

U.S. firms are encouraged to keep in contact with AC ADB especially if they decide to participate in ADB procurement activities. This office works closely with the Office of the U.S. Executive Director (US/ED) to the ADB to increase American awareness of and participation in ADB's procurement activities.

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II. PROJECT LIST BY SECTOR

Country	Projects	Requirement	Deadlines for submission
Note: Click on the project title for full details.			
AGRICULTURE AND NATURAL RESOURCES SECTOR			
Tajikistan	Sustainable Cotton Subsector Project	Laboratory equipment	Sept 27, 2008
Uzbekistan	Grain Productivity Improvement Project	Wheeled Hydraulic Excavators	Sept 19, 2008*
EDUCATION SECTOR			
Nepal	Skills for Employment	Sweet and Dairy Product Producer Training	Aug 15, 2008*
Nepal	Skills for Employment	Scaffolder Training	Aug 15, 2008*
Nepal	Skills for Employment	Flower Decorator Training	Aug 15, 2008*
Philippines	Technical Education And Skills Development Project	Equipment	Sept 8, 2008*
ENERGY SECTOR			
Bangladesh	Gas Transmission and Development Project	Explosive, Detonator	Oct 1, 2008
Bangladesh	Sustainable Power Sector Development Project	Transmission Line	Sept 30, 2008
Bangladesh	Gas Transmission and Development Project - Transmission Component Project (Third Tranche)	Line Pipes	Sept 2, 2008*
Bangladesh	Gas Transmission and Development Project (Part-A)	Coating Materials, natural gas transmission pipeline	Sept 2, 2008*
Bangladesh	Sustainable Power Sector Development Project	Underground Transmission Line	Sept 24, 2008
Bangladesh	Sustainable Power Sector Development Project	Underground Transmission Line	Sept 29, 2008*
Bhutan	Proposed Green Power Development Project (GDPDP)	Civil works	Sept 30, 2008*
India	Himachal Pradesh Clean Energy Development Program	Consulting Services	Aug 22, 2008*
Pakistan	Proposed Power Distribution Enhancement Investment Program, Phase-I	Gas Insulated Switchgear Plant	Sept 27, 2008*
Pakistan	Rawalpindi Environmental Improvement Project	Sewage Treatment Plant	Sept 18, 2008
Pakistan	Rawalpindi Environmental Improvement Project	Civil works	Aug 30, 2008
Tajikistan	Regional Power Transmission Interconnection	Services	Oct 10, 2008
Vietnam	Northern Power Transmission Expansion Sector Project	Steel towers	Sept 8, 2008*
Vietnam	Mong Duong 1 Thermal Power Investment Program - Loan 1	Civil works	Oct 18, 2008*
ENVIRONMENT SECTOR			
Armenia	Water Supply and Sanitation Sector Project	Backhoe Loaders	Sept 9, 2008*
China	Liaoning Environmental Improvement Project	Pipe and Accessorial Materials	Sept 9, 2008*
China	Liaoning Environmental Improvement Project	Decentralized Control System	Sept 9, 2008*
China	Inner Mongolia Autonomous Region Environment Improvement Project	Sleeve Pipes and Tubes	Sept 7, 2008*
Kazakhstan	Rural Area Water Supply and Sanitation Sector Project	Civil works	Sept 4, 2008*
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Kazakhstan	Rural Area Water Supply and Sanitation Sector Project	Civil works	Sept 4, 2008*
Kazakhstan	Rural Area Water Supply and Sanitation Sector Project	Civil works	Sept 4, 2008*
Laos	Northern and Central Regions Water Supply and Sanitation Sector Project	Civil works	Sept 10, 2008*
Tajikistan	Community Participation Flood Management	Consulting services	Sept 12, 2008
Tajikistan	Community Participation Flood Management	JFPR Coordinator	Sept 12, 2008

Country	Projects	Requirement	Deadlines for submission
INDUSTRY, FINANCE, AND OTHER SECTORS			
ADB	ADB's Project Performance Rating (PPR) System	Consulting services	Sept 5, 2008*
ADB	Quality at Entry Assessment	Consulting services	Aug 19, 2008*
TRANSPORTATION AND COMMUNICATION SECTOR			
Kyrgyz	CAREC Transport Corridor 1 (Bishkek-Torugart Road), Project 1	Consulting services	Sept 1, 2008*
Nepal	Road Connectivity Sector I Project	Civil works	Sept 28, 2008
Uzbekistan	CAREC Regional Road Project	Road Construction Equipment	Sept 17, 2008*
URBAN DEVELOPMENT SECTOR			
Armenia	Urban Water Supply and Sanitation Project	Civil works	Sept 25, 2008
Armenia	Urban Water Supply and Sanitation Project	Civil works	Sept 25, 2008
China	Gansu Baiyin Urban Development Project	Roadworks	Sept 4, 2008*
China	Xi'an Urban Transport Project	Services & Equipment	Sept 23, 2008

(*) Included in the Advance Procurement Notice distributed on 12 August 2008

III. ADVANCE ACTION FOR RECRUITMENT OF CONSULTANTS

INDIA

Himachal Pradesh Clean Energy Development Program

Expressions of Interest (EOI) invited for consulting services

Deadline for submission: **16.00 hrs on 22 August 2008**

Brief Description of the Project: The Government of India/Government of Himachal Pradesh has applied for a loan from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) towards the cost of four (4) Hydroelectric Projects: (i) Sawra Kuddu (111 MW); (ii) Integrated Kashang (243 MW); (iii) Sainj (100 MW) and (iv) Shongtong Karcham (402 MW) costing around \$1.4 billion under the proposed Himachal Clean Energy Development investment Program (HCEDIP) with Himachal Pradesh Power Corporation Ltd. (HPPCL) as both Executing Agency (EA) and Implementing Agency (IA) for these Projects. HPPCL intends to apply part of the proceeds of this loan to payments for consultancy services to be engaged under Capacity Development.

HPPCL (EA/IA) requires consultancy services of Individual Consultant for Contract Administration and Project Implementation to assist its Project Management Office (PMO) for the execution of Sawra Kuddu (111 MW), Kashang (243 MW) and Sainj (100 MW) HEP's located in H.P., India.

Scope of Work for Individual Consultant for Contract Administration and Project Implementation: The scope of the consultancy services shall include: (i) to assist EA/IA in administration of awarded contracts; (ii) preparation of bidding documents and evaluation; (iii) contractors' claims on time and cost compensation; (iv) quality control program; (v) requirement of consultants to establish Project Performance Management Systems; (vi) procurement, disbursement and processing of Periodic Financing Request (PFR) in contract administration; and (vii) implementation of the loans financed under the ADB's MFF, Himachal Clean Energy Development Investment Program (HCEDIP).

Submission of EOIs: The HPPCL invites eligible consultants (at least engineering graduate preferably civil engineer) to indicate/ express their interest in providing the services to be delivered in Shimla for 6 person months spread over for a period of 12 months. Interested Consultants must provide the following information to establish their eligibility to perform the services (in not more than 15 A4 size papers):

- Curriculum Vitae of the consultant,

- General and overall experience of the consultant (should have more than 20 years experience in Contract Administration and Project Implementation out of which at least five (5) years experience on hydropower projects in developing countries),
- Summary of similar projects undertaken in the country or region;
- Nature, size, employer, location, and type of input for contracts in hand

The consultant will be selected on Individual Bio-data Procurement method with simplified technical proposal. The Employer reserves the right to shortlist or not to shortlist any or all of the applicants or to cancel the entire process without assigning any reason. The request for proposal (RFP) document shall be issued to the short-listed consultants only. Interested consultants may obtain further information at the address given below on working days during office hours from 10.00 to 17.00 hrs.

The EOI with supporting documents must be delivered to the address above by no later than 16.00 hrs on 22 August 2008, in sealed envelopes super scribed with "EOI for Consultancy Services for Contract Administration and Project Implementation". No liability will be accepted for loss or late submission.

Click on: [HPPCL's Invitation for submission of EOI](#)

Name and Address of Executing Agency: Himachal Pradesh Power Corporation Limited (HPPCL)
Contact: General Manager (Contracts), HPPCL
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Tel.: +91 177 283 2513; Telefax: +91 177 283 2507
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Website: www.hppl.gov.in

IV. SPECIFIC NOTICES (Invitation for Bids)

AZERBAIJAN

A. Urban Water Supply and Sanitation Project

Loan No.: 2119-AZE (SF)

Contract No. and Title: L2119-ICB-1.03, Construction of Water Intake Facilities in Agdash rayon center

Deadline for Bids: **16:00 (Baku time) on 25 September 2008**

The Government of Republic of Azerbaijan has received a loan from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) towards the cost of Urban Water Supply and Sanitation Project. Part of this loan will be used for payments under the contract named above. Bidding is open to bidders from eligible source countries of ADB.

The "AZERSU" JSC (the Employer) invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for the construction and completion of Water Intake Facilities in Agdash rayon center, consisting of the following:

- Drilling of five (5) units of artesian wells, including installation of casing pipes with filter, water lifting pipes and submersible pumps; Construction of cubicles on wellhead; Construction of collecting water pipeline from wells to water reservoirs; Construction of pressure pipeline from pump station to water distribution system of the settlement;
- Construction of reinforced concrete intake chamber and three units of 2,000 m3 volume reinforced concrete reservoirs;
- Construction of pump station, chlorination plant and laboratory, including supply and installation of technological equipment

The implementation period of the contract is 240 days.

Only eligible bidders with the following key qualifications should participate in this bidding:

- Experience in construction and successful completion of minimum two (2) similar works with a value of at least US \$2 million each within last three (3) years;
- The average annual turnover of bidder in last three (3) years must be minimum US \$6,000,000 for each year;
- Bidders must demonstrate that they have the personnel for the key positions meeting requirements: (10) years of total experience in similar works;

The International Competitive Bidding will be conducted in accordance with [ADB's Single-Stage: One-Envelope Bidding Procedure](#).

To obtain further information and inspect the bidding documents, bidders should contact:

Attention: Mr. Azad Sharifov, Director of Project Management Unit (PMU)

Street Address: 192, Azadlig Avenue

Baku Republic of Azerbaijan, AZ 1006

Tel.: +99412 561 59 76, +99412 561 68 87, +99412 561 58 35 (extension 103)

Fax: +99412 561 59 76, +99412 561 68 87, +99412 561 58 35 (extension 113)

E-mail: tender@azersu.az

To purchase the bidding documents in English, eligible bidders should:

- Write to address above requesting the Bidding Documents for: L2119-ICB-1.03 Construction of Water Intake Facilities in Agdash rayon center;
- Pay a non-refundable fee of 100 Manat, or US \$125, by direct deposit to the following account:
Beneficiary's Name: "AZERSU" JSC
INTP: 9900001751
Beneficiary's Bank: International Bank of Azerbaijan Republic
Local currency account No: CCS 308718 AZN 3302-01
Foreign currency account No: CCS 308718 USD 3312-01
Code: 805250
SWIFT Code: IBAZAZ2X
- The Bidding Document will be sent via courier for an additional fee of 100 Manat or US \$125 for overseas delivery. No liability will be accepted for loss or late delivery.

Deliver your bid:

- to the following address:
"AZERSU" JSC
67, Moscow Avenue, AZ 1012 Baku, Republic of Azerbaijan;
- on or before 16:00 (Baku time) on 25 September 2008
- together with a Bid Security of \$40,000 or an equivalent amount in a freely convertible currency.

Bids will be opened immediately after the deadline in the presence of bidders' representatives who choose to attend.

When comparing bids, ADB's Domestic Preference Scheme will be applied in accordance with the provisions stipulated in the Bidding Documents.

B. Urban Water Supply and Sanitation Project

Loan No.: 2119-AZE (SF)

Contract No. and Title: L2119-ICB-1.04, Construction of Water Intake Facilities in Goychay rayon center

Deadline for Bids: **16:00 (Baku time) on 25 September 2008**

The Government of Republic of Azerbaijan has received a loan from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) towards the cost of Urban Water Supply and Sanitation Project. Part of this loan will be used for payments under the contract named above. Bidding is open to bidders from eligible source countries of ADB.

The "AZERSU" JSC (the Employer) invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for the construction and completion of Water Intake Facilities in Goychay rayon center, consisting of the following:

- Drilling of four (4) units of artesian wells including installation of casing pipes with filter, water lifting pipes and submersible pumps; Construction of cubicles on wellhead; Construction of collecting water pipeline from wells to water reservoirs; Construction of pressure pipeline from pump station to water reservoirs fields;
- Construction of reinforced concrete intake chamber, construction and rehabilitation of different size of reinforced concrete water reservoirs;
- Construction of laboratory supply and installation of technological equipment;
- Supply and installation of remaining part of equipment for pump station.

The implementation period of the contract is 240 days.

Only eligible bidders with the following key qualifications should participate in this bidding:

- Experience in construction and successful completion of minimum two (2) similar works with a value of at least US \$2 million each within last three (3) years;
- The average annual turnover of bidder in last three (3) years must be minimum US \$6,000,000 for each year;
- Bidders must demonstrate that they have the personnel for the key positions meeting requirements: ten (10) years of total experience in similar works;

The International Competitive Bidding will be conducted in accordance with [ADB's Single-Stage: One-Envelope Bidding Procedure](#).

To obtain further information and inspect the bidding documents, bidders should contact:

Attention: Mr. Azad Sharifov, Director of Project Management Unit (PMU)
Street Address: 192, Azadlig Avenue
Baku Republic of Azerbaijan, AZ 1006
Tel.: +99412 561 59 76, +99412 561 68 87, +99412 561 58 35 (extension 103)
Fax: +99412 561 59 76, +99412 561 68 87, +99412 561 58 35 (extension 113)
E-mail: tender@azersu.az

To purchase the bidding documents in English, eligible bidders should:

- write to address above requesting the Bidding Documents for: L2119-ICB-1.03 Construction of Water Intake Facilities in Agdash rayon center;
- pay a non-refundable fee of 100 Manat, or US \$125, by direct deposit to the following account:
Beneficiary's Name: "AZERSU" JSC
INTP: 9900001751
Beneficiary's Bank: International Bank of Azerbaijan Republic
Local currency account No: CCS 308718 AZN 3302-01
Foreign currency account No: CCS 308718 USD 3312-01
Code: 805250
SWIFT Code: IBAZAZ2X

The Bidding Document will be sent via courier for an additional fee of 100 Manat or US \$125 for overseas delivery. No liability will be accepted for loss or late delivery.

Deliver your bid:

- to the following address:
"AZERSU" JSC
67, Moscow Avenue, AZ 1012 Baku, Republic of Azerbaijan;
- on or before 16:00 (Baku time) on 25 September 2008;
- together with a Bid Security of \$40,000 or an equivalent amount in a freely convertible currency.

Bids will be opened immediately after the deadline in the presence of bidders' representatives who choose to attend.

When comparing bids, ADB's Domestic Preference Scheme will be applied in accordance with the provisions stipulated in the Bidding Documents.

ARMENIA

Water Supply and Sanitation Sector Project

Loan No.: 2363-ARM

Contract No. and Title: L2363-ICB-2.04, Backhoe Loaders

Deadline for Bids: **15:00 hours on 9 September 2008**

This Invitation for Bids follows the General Procurement Notice for this project that appeared in the ADB Business Opportunities on 17 June 2008.

The Republic of Armenia has received a loan from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) towards the cost of Water Supply and Sanitation Sector Project, and it intends to apply part of the proceeds of this loan to payments under the Contract No. L2363-ICB-2-05. This contract will be jointly financed by the Government of Armenia.

The Armenian Water and Sewerage Closed Joint Stock Company (AWSC) now invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for supply of 8 backhoe loaders.

To pass post-qualification, the bidders shall have at least two (2) similar size and nature of contracts executed during the last three (3) years. The delivery period is preferably three (3) months but not later than four (4) months.

International competitive bidding will be conducted in accordance with [ADB's Single-Stage: One-Envelope Bidding Procedure](#) and is open to all bidders from eligible source countries.

Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from AWSC and inspect the Bidding Document at the address given below starting 30 July 2008 from 9:00 to 18:00 hour.

To purchase the Bidding Document in English, bidders should:

- submit a written application to the address below
- pay of a non-refundable fee of AMD 30,000 or US \$100 for each set. The method of payment will be by direct deposit to AWSC accounts:

For US Dollars:

VTB Bank Armenia, 46, Nalbandyan Street, 0010, Yerevan, Armenia

SWIFT Code: ARMJAM22

Account No. 160483054419

For Armenian Drams:

ARDSHININVESTBANK, 6, Sargsyan Street, II Block, 0010, Yerevan, Armenia

SWIFT Code: ASHBAM22

Account No. 247010078175

- The Bidding Document may also be sent via courier for an additional fee of AMD 10,000.00 for local delivery or USD 100.00 for overseas delivery. No liability will be accepted for loss or late delivery.

Bids must be delivered:

- to the address below;
- on or before 15:00 hours on 9 September 2008. Late bids shall be rejected.

All bids must be accompanied by a Bid Security of 2% of Bid Price. Bids will be opened in the presence of bidders' representatives who choose to attend at address below at 15:00 hours on 9 September 2008.

The AWSC will not be responsible for any costs or expenses incurred by bidders in connection with the preparation or delivery of bids.

Armenian Water and Sewerage CJSC (AWSC)

Water Supply and Sanitation Sector PMU (WSSPMU)

Mr. Norik Gevorgyan, AWSC IPCD Director

Attn.: Mr. Alexander Margaryan, Procurement Specialist

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E-mail: ngevorgyan@armwater.am; echilakopyan@armwater.am; amargaryan@armwater.am

BANGLADESH

A. Gas Transmission and Development Project

Loan No.: 2188-BAN

Contract Nos.: GTDP/3-D/BGFCL/MATS/G11: Procurement of Explosive, Detonator & Cone-Anchore Set (G11)

Deadline for submission: **11:00 hrs (BST) on 1 October 2008**

The People's Republic of Bangladesh has received a loan from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) towards the cost of the Gas Transmission & Development Project (PART-B) and it is intended that part of the proceeds of this loan will be applied to eligible payments under the contract for procurement of 3-D seismic equipment and materials.

Bangladesh Gas Fields Company Limited (BGFCL), a company of Bangladesh Oil, Gas & Mineral Corporation (Petrobangla) now invites sealed bids for the supply and delivery of Explosive, Detonator, Cone & Anchor Set for appraisal of five (5) gas fields (Titas and Bakhrabad gas fields under BGFCL and Sylhet, Kailashtila & Rashidpur gas fields under Sylhet Gas Fields Limited) to upgrade the estimated gas in place and also to determine the exact location for future drilling activities. Details and Specification are provided in the Bidding Document.

Supply and Services under the contracts shall be within 120 days counting from 21 days after issuance of commitment letter by ADB.

Only reputed & experienced manufacturer/suppliers from ADB member countries are eligible to participate in the bidding. Materials must also to be mined/ produced in ADB member countries.

Bids must remain valid for 120 days from the date of closing of the tender.

International competitive bidding will be conducted in accordance with [ADB's Single-Stage: One-Envelope Bidding Procedure](#) and is open to all bidders from eligible source countries.

Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information, and inspect the Bidding Document from the BGFCL Liaison Office at the address indicated below from 10 August 2008 to 30 September 2008 between 9:00 am and 2pm (BST) on all working days (Sunday to Thursday).

To purchase the Bidding Document, Bidders should:

- visit the office of BGFCL at the address indicated below and pay a non-refundable fee of Taka 5,000 in cash, or
- request for delivery by sending a written application to BGFCL at the address indicated below. The Bidding Document will be sent through express mail service upon receipt of payment of US \$150 in STD Account No. 22, Sonali Bank, Brahmanbaria Branch, Brahmanbaria, Bangladesh. No liability will be accepted for loss or late delivery. No tender document will be sold on the tender opening date.

Deliver your bids:

- to the following address:
BGFCL Liaison Office at House
No. 75, Road no. 6, Old DOHS, Banani
Dhaka-1213, Bangladesh
- on or before 11:00 hrs (BST) on 1 October 2008. Late bids shall be rejected.

Bids must be accompanied with a Bid Security in the amount of BTK. 20,00,000 or equivalent amount in a freely convertible currency in the form of bank guarantee/irrevocable letter of credit/cashier or certified check from any reputable bank from an eligible countries. In case of bank guarantee issued by a foreign bank, the bank guarantee must be endorsed by a registered scheduled bank in Bangladesh or a scheduled foreign bank operating in Bangladesh. The Bid Security must be valid for 28 beyond the end of the validity period of the bid.

Bids will be opened immediately after the deadline in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend at the address above.

BGFCL will not be responsible for any costs incurred in the preparation and delivery of bids.

In the comparison of bids ADB's Domestic Preference Scheme will be applied in accordance with the provision stipulated in the Bidding Document.

Bangladesh Gas Fields Company Limited reserves the right to accept any or reject any or all bids or annul the bidding process at any stage without assigning any reason whatsoever and without incurring any liability to the affected bidders. This notice is also available at the CPTU website: www.cptu.gov.bd; Petrobangla website: www.petrobangla.org.bd; BGFCL website: www.bgfcl.org.bd; and BAPEX website: www.bapex.com.bd.

B. Sustainable Power Sector Development Project

Loan No.: 2332-BAN

Contract No. and Title: PGCB/SPSDP/400kVTL/M-A: Design, Supply, Erection, Testing & Commissioning of Meghnaghat - Aminbazar 400 kV Transmission Line on Turnkey Basis

Deadline of Bids: **11:00am BST on 30 September 2008**

The People's Republic of Bangladesh has received a loan from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) for the Sustainable Power Sector Development Programme and it is intended that part of the proceeds of this loan will be applied to eligible payments under the contract named above.

The Power Grid Company of Bangladesh Ltd. (the Employer) invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for design, supply, erection, testing & commissioning of 400 kV transmission lines on turnkey basis as defined in the Bidding Document (the Works). The Works include:

Design, supply, delivery, erection, testing & commissioning on turnkey basis of 400 kV double circuit transmission lines from Meghnaghat to Aminbazar (approx. 51km).

Details of the scope of work are specified in the bidding document.

International Competitive Bidding will be conducted in accordance with [ADB's Single-Stage: Two-Envelope Bidding Procedure](#) and is open to all bidders from eligible source countries.

Bidders shall meet the following minimum requirements along with other requirements as mentioned in the Bidding Documents:

- a. Bidders must have the project execution experiences including engineering, management, foundation, erection, stringing & commissioning (experience of partner in charge in case of Joint Venture) to demonstrate their capability in at least three (3) projects (double circuit overhead transmission line of 345 kV or higher voltage, of which route length should not be less than 30km) of which at least one installation shall be in successful operation for minimum of three years as on the date of opening of technical proposals.

Bidders (partner in charge in case of Joint Venture) must have project management experience of at least one (1) turnkey project (Contract amount should not be less than US \$8 million) outside their own country within the last ten (10) years as on the date of opening of technical proposals.

Each Partner of the Joint Venture other than the partner in charge must have successfully completed at least one Contract including engineering, foundation, erection, stringing & commissioning of 345 kV or higher voltage overhead transmission line as contractor or subcontractor within the last ten (10) years as on the date of opening of technical proposals.

- b. Bidders shall provide Audited Financial statements or other forms of Financial Statements such as Balance Sheets/Financial Statements certified by a registered accountant and supported by copies of tax returns for the last three (3) years as documentary evidence regarding Liquid Assets and Annual Turnover with their Bids. The minimum Liquid Assets for the last year & minimum average Annual Turnover for the last three (3) years of the bidder's organization or Joint Venture shall not be less than the following:
 - i. Liquid Assets: US \$4.5 million
 - ii. Average Annual Turnover: US \$10 million

The partner in charge in case of Joint Venture shall meet not less than 50% and each partner of the Joint Venture shall meet not less than 25% of the minimum criteria given above item (b) (i) & (ii).

The Works under this turnkey contract shall be completed within 24 months from effective date.

Bidders may obtain further information and inspect and purchase the Bidding Document at the following address:

Power Grid Company of Bangladesh Ltd. (PGCB)
IEB Bhaban (4th Floor), Ramna, Dhaka-1000
Tel.: 880-2-9555475, 880-2-9550514, 880-2-9558054; Fax: 880-2-7171833

To purchase the Bidding Document, bidders should:

- submit a written application to the Company Secretary, PGCB at the above address;
- pay a non-refundable fee of US \$400 or Tk. 28,000 in the form of Pay Order/ Demand Draft in favor of the Power Grid Company of Bangladesh Ltd.
- Bidding Document may also be sent through courier for an additional fee of Tk 500 (local delivery) or US \$50 (for overseas delivery).

Bidders are to submit simultaneously two sealed envelopes, one containing the technical bid and another containing the price bid. Initially only the technical bids will be opened. The price bids will remain unopened and will be kept in the custody of the Employer until the time of opening of the price bids.

Deliver your bids to:

- the Office of the Company Secretary at the abovementioned address;
- on or before 11:00am BST on 30 September 2008;

All bids must be accompanied by a Bid Security of US \$240,000 or an equivalent amount in a freely convertible currency. The bid security must be included with the technical bid.

The technical bids will be opened immediately at 11:05 am at the above address in the presence of bidders' representatives who choose to attend.

The price bids will be opened in the presence of the bidder's representatives who choose to attend at the time and date and at the address to be advised by the Employer after approval of ADB of the evaluation of the technical bids.

In the comparison of bids, ADB's Domestic Preference Scheme will be applied in accordance with the provisions stipulated in the Bidding Documents.

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 visits to the sites of installation of the Works.

C. Gas Transmission and Development Project - Transmission Component Project (Third Tranche)

Loan No.: 2188-BAN

Contract Nos.: GTCL/B-KP/MP (LP)/001(R) (Invitation for re-bidding)

Deadline for Bids: **11:00 a.m. on 2 September 2008**

The People's Republic of Bangladesh has received loans from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) towards the cost of the Gas Transmission & Development Project and it is intended that part of the proceeds of this loan will be applied to eligible payments under the contract for which this Bidding Document is issued.

The Gas Transmission Company Limited (GTCL) (the Purchaser) now invites sealed bids from eligible bidders from member countries of ADB for the supply and delivery of 508mm (20") OD WT 10.30mm/11.90mm API 5LX60(PSL-2), LSAW Anti-Corrosion Coated Line Pipes, and Concrete Weight Coated (CWC) Line Pipes, API 5LX60 ERW smaller dia. Station Pipes, API 5LGrade B 24" OD LSAW FBE Coated Casing Pipes for the Construction of 508mm (20") OD 165.00 km high pressure (1135 Psig) Natural Gas Transmission Pipeline from Bheramara to Khulna. Detail and specifications are provided in the Bidding Document.

Delivery and services under the contract shall be completed within 180 days counting from the date 30 days after issuance of Commitment Letter by ADB.

International Competitive Bidding will be conducted in accordance with [ADB's Single-Stage: Two-Envelope Bidding Procedure](#) and is open to all Bidders from the eligible source countries of the Bank.

Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information and inspect the Bidding Document at the following address during office hours only:

Project Director
Bheramara-Khulna Gas Transmission Pipeline Project
Gas Transmission Company Limited (GTCL)
Red Crescent-Borak Tower (Level-5)
71-72 Old Elephant Road
Eskaton, Dhaka-1000, Bangladesh
Tel.: 880-2-9355390; Fax: 880-2-9358100; E-mail: gtcl@citech.net

To purchase the Bidding Document in English, bidders should:

- submit a written application to the above address;
- pay a non-refundable fee of US \$145 or Tk. 10,000 in the form of Pay Order/Demand Draft in favor of Gas Transmission Company Limited. No Bid Document will be sold on the closing date of the tender.

Bid must be delivered:

- to the abovementioned address;
- on or before 11:00 a.m. on 2 September 2008. Late Bid shall be rejected.

Bid will be opened in presence of bidder/bidder's representative(s) who intends to attend at the address indicated above on 2 September 2008, at 11:30 pm.

Bids must be accompanied by a bid security of Taka 35,000,000 or US \$500,000.

The Purchaser will not be responsible for any costs or expenses incurred by bidders in connection with the preparation or delivery of bid.

D. Gas Transmission and Development Project (Part-A)

Loan No.: 2188-BAN

Contract No. and Title:GTCL/B-KP/MP(CM)/002(R) (Invitation for re-bidding)

Deadline for Bids: **03:00 hrs (Bangladesh Standard Time) on 2 September 2008**

The People's Republic of Bangladesh has received loans from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) towards the cost of the Gas Transmission & Development Project and it is intended that part of the proceeds of this loan will be applied to eligible payments under the contract for which this Bidding Document is issued.

The Gas Transmission Company Limited (the Purchaser) now invites sealed bids from eligible bidders from member countries of the ADB for the supply and delivery of Coating Materials (Heat Shrink Sleeves, Tape & Primer) for the Construction of 508mm (20") OD 165.00 km high pressure (1135 Psig) natural gas transmission pipeline from Bheramara to Khulna under Bheramara-Khulna Gas Transmission Pipeline Project. Details and Specifications will be provided in the Bidding Document.

Delivery and services under the contract shall be completed within 150 days counting from the date 30 days after issuance of Commitment Letter by ADB.

International Competitive Bidding will be conducted in accordance with the [ADB's Single-Stage: Two-Envelope Bidding Procedure](#) and is open to all bidders from eligible source countries.

Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information and inspect the Bidding Document at the following address during office hours only:

Project Director
Bheramara-Khulna Gas Transmission Pipeline Project
Gas Transmission Company Limited (GTCL)
Red Crescent-Borak Tower (Level-5)
71-72 Old Elephant Road Eskaton, Dhaka-1000, Bangladesh
Tel: 880-2-9355390; Fax: 880-2-9358100; E-mail: gtcl@citech.net

To purchase the Bidding Document in English, bidders should:

- submit a written application to the address above;
- pay a non-refundable fee of US \$75 or Tk. 5,000 in the form of Pay Order/Demand Draft in favor of Gas Transmission Company Limited. No Bidding Document will be sold on the closing date of the tender.

Bid must be delivered:

- to the abovementioned address;
- on or before 03:00 hrs (Bangladesh Standard Time) on 2 September 2008. Late Bid shall be rejected.

Bid must be accompanied by a Bid Security of Taka 500,000 or US \$7,500.

Bid will be opened in the presence of bidder/bidder's representative(s) who intends to attend at the address indicated above on 2 September 2008, at 3:30 pm.

The Purchaser will not be responsible for any cost or expense incurred by the bidder in connection with the preparation or delivery of bid.

E. Sustainable Power Sector Development Project

Loan No.: 2332-BAN

Contract No. and Title :PGCB/SPSDP/TL/4/Lot-1 & Lot-2: Design, Supply, Erection, Testing and Commissioning of 132kV Underground Transmission Line on Turnkey Basis (Lot 1 and Lot 2)

Deadline of Bids: **on or before 11:00 a.m. (BST) on 24 September 2008**

The People's Republic of Bangladesh has received a loan from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) towards the cost of Sustainable Power Sector Development Project and it is intended that part of the proceeds of this loan will be applied to eligible payments under the contract named above.

The Power Grid Company of Bangladesh Ltd. (the Employer) invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for the Design, Supply, Erection, Testing and Commissioning of 132kV Underground Transmission Lines on Turnkey Basis [Lot-1 & Lot-2] as defined in the Bidding Document (the Works). The Works are divided into following two (2) lots:

- Lot-1: Design, supply, delivery, installation, testing & commissioning on turnkey basis of 132kV double circuit Old Airport - Dhaka University underground XLPE cable transmission line (approx. 7km) which includes 132kV double circuit underground transmission line from proposed Old Airport 230/132kV Substation to Dhaka University 132/33kV Substation.
- Lot-2: Design, supply, delivery, installation, testing & commissioning on turnkey basis of 132kV double circuit Old Airport-Dhaka Cantonment underground XLPE cable transmission line (approx. 5km) which includes 132kV double circuit underground transmission line from proposed Old Airport 230/132kV Substation to proposed Dhaka Cantonment 132/33kV Substation.

Details and specifications are provided in the Bidding Document.

A bidder may participate in the bidding for any or both lots by submitting appropriate amount of bid security. Bids will be evaluated lot-wise.

International Competitive Bidding will be conducted in accordance with [ADB's Single-Stage: Two-Envelope Bidding Procedure](#) and is open to all bidders from eligible source countries.

Bidders shall meet, for each lot separately, the following minimum requirements along with other requirements as mentioned in the bidding documents:

Applicable for Lot-1 & Lot-2 separately

- a. Bidders (partner in charge in case of Joint Venture) must have successfully completed on turnkey basis, at least three (3) comparable contracts (i.e. Design, supply, installation and commissioning of minimum 2km double/single circuit underground transmission lines of 110 kV or higher voltage in each contract) within the last ten (10) years as on the date of opening of technical proposals of which at least one installation shall be in successful operation for minimum of three years.

Bidders must also have project management experience (experience of partner in charge in case of Joint Venture) to demonstrate their management capability in at least one turnkey project (contract amount should not be less than US\$ 3.0 million) outside their own country or in the case of a Bangladeshi Bidder, in Bangladesh or elsewhere within the last ten (10) years as on the date of opening of technical proposals.

Each Partner of the Joint Venture other than the partner in charge must have successfully completed at least one Contract of minimum 1km electrical line of 33kV or higher voltage as contractor or subcontractor within the last ten (10) years as on the date of opening of technical proposals.

- b. Bidders shall provide Audited Financial statements or other forms of Financial Statements such as Balance Sheets/Financial Statements certified by a registered accountant and supported by copies of tax returns for the last three years as documentary evidence regarding Liquid Assets and Annual Turnover which should not be less than the following:

For Lot-1:

- Average Liquid Assets for last three years: US \$1 million
- Average Annual Turnover of last three years: US \$ 6 million

For Lot-2:

- Average Liquid Assets for last three years: US \$ 1 million
- Average Annual Turnover of last three years: US \$ 5 million

For Joint Venture, the partner in charge shall meet not less than 50% and each partner shall meet not less than 25% of the minimum criteria given in above item (b) (i) & (ii).

The Works under this turnkey contract shall be completed within 18 months for Lot-1 and 15 months for Lot-2 from the date of effective date.

Bidders may obtain further information from and inspect and acquire the Bidding Documents at the following address:

Power Grid Company of Bangladesh Ltd. (PGCB)
Institution of Engineers Bangladesh (IEB) Bhaban
3rd floor, Ramna, Dhaka-1000

A complete set of Bidding Documents in English, which is common for Lot-1 and Lot-2, may be purchased by interested eligible bidders:

- on submission of a written application to the Company Secretary, PGCB at the above address
- upon payment of a non-refundable fee of US \$100 or Tk. 7,000 in the form of Pay Order/ Demand Draft in favor of the Power Grid Company of Bangladesh Ltd.
- The Bidding Document may be sent through a courier for an additional fee of BD Tk. 500 (local delivery) or US \$30 (International delivery) in the form of Pay Order/ Demand Draft in favor of Power Grid Company of Bangladesh Ltd.

Bidders are to submit simultaneously two sealed envelopes for each lot, one containing the technical bid and another containing the price bid. Initially only the technical bids will be opened. The price bids will remain un-opened and will be kept in the custody of the employer until the time of opening of the price bids.

Bids must be delivered:

- To the following address:
Company Secretary at the following address:
Power Grid Company of Bangladesh Ltd

Institution of Engineers Bangladesh (IEB) Bhaban
4th floor, Ramna, Dhaka-1000

- on or before 11:00 a.m. (BST) on 24 September 2008

All bids must be accompanied by a Bid Security of US \$90,000 or an equivalent amount in a freely convertible currency for Lot-1 and US \$60,000 or an equivalent amount in a freely convertible currency for Lot-2. The bid security must be included with the technical bid.

The technical bids will be opened immediately thereafter in the presence of bidders' representatives who choose to attend.

The price bids will be opened in the presence of the bidder's representatives who choose to attend at the time and date and at the address to be advised by the Employer after approval of the ADB of the evaluation of the technical bids.

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 visits to the sites of installation of the Works.

In the comparison of bids, ADB's Domestic Preference Scheme will be applied in accordance with the provisions stipulated in the Bidding Document.

F. Sustainable Power Sector Development Project

Loan No.: 2332-BAN

Contract No. and Title :PGCB/SPSDP/TL/3, Design, Supply, Erection, Testing & Commissioning of 132kV Rampura-Ullon Underground Transmission Line on Turnkey Basis

Deadline of Bids: **11:00am (BST) on 29 September 2008**

The People's Republic of Bangladesh has received a loan under Sustainable Power Sector Development Project from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) and it is intended that part of the proceeds of this loan will be applied to eligible payments under the contract named above.

The Power Grid Company of Bangladesh Ltd. (the Employer) invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for design, supply, delivery, installation, testing & commissioning of 132kV Rampura-Ullon underground transmission line on turnkey basis as defined in the bidding document (the Works). The works include:

Design, supply, delivery, installation, testing & commissioning on turnkey basis of 132kV double circuit Rampura-Ullon underground XLPE cable transmission line (approx. 3km) which includes 132kV double circuit underground transmission line from existing Rampura 230/132kV Substation to existing Ullon 132/33kV Substation.

Details and specifications are provided in the Bidding Document.

International Competitive Bidding will be conducted in accordance with [ADB's Single-Stage: Two-Envelope Bidding Procedure](#) is open to all bidders from eligible source countries.

Bidders shall meet the following minimum requirements along with other requirements as mentioned in the bidding documents:

- i. Bidders (partner in charge in case of Joint Venture) must have successfully completed on turnkey basis, at least 3 comparable contracts (i.e. Design, supply, installation and commissioning of minimum 2km double/single circuit underground transmission lines of 110 kV or higher voltage in each contract) within the last 10 years as on the date of

- opening of technical proposals of which at least 1 installation shall be in successful operation for minimum of three years.
- ii. Bidders must also have project management experience (experience of partner in charge in case of Joint Venture) to demonstrate their management capability in at least 1 turnkey project (contract amount should not be less than US\$ 2.0 million) outside their own country or in the case of a Bangladeshi Bidder, in Bangladesh or elsewhere within the last 10 years as on the date of opening of technical proposals.
 - iii. Each Partner of the Joint Venture other than the partner in charge must have successfully completed at least 1 Contract of minimum 1km electrical line of 33kV or higher voltage as contractor or subcontractor within the last 10 years as on the date of opening of technical proposals.
 - iv. Bidders shall provide Audited Financial statements or other forms of Financial Statements such as Balance Sheets/Financial Statements certified by a registered accountant and supported by copies of tax returns for the last three years as documentary evidence regarding Liquid Assets and Annual Turnover which should not be less than the following:
 - Average Liquid Assets for the last three years: US\$ 1.0 million
 - Average Annual Turnover for the last three years: US\$ 4.0 million

For Joint Venture, the partner in charge shall meet not less than 50% and each partner shall meet not less than 25% of the minimum criteria given above in item (iv).

The works under this turnkey contract shall be completed within 12 months from the effective date.

Bidders may obtain further information and inspect the Bidding Documents at the following address:

Power Grid Company of Bangladesh Ltd. (PGCB)
Institution of Engineers Bangladesh (IEB) Bhaban
3rd floor, Ramna, Dhaka-1000

To purchase the Bidding Document in English, bidders should:

- submit a written application to the Company Secretary, PGCB at the above address;
- pay a non-refundable fee of US \$100 or Tk. 7,000 in the form of Pay Order/ Demand Draft in favor of the Power Grid Company of Bangladesh Ltd.;

The Bidding Document may be sent via courier for an additional fee of Tk 500 for local delivery and \$30 for overseas delivery.

Bids must be delivered to:

- the following address:

Company Secretary
Power Grid Company of Bangladesh Ltd
Institution of Engineers Bangladesh (IEB) Bhaban
4th floor, Ramna, Dhaka-1000
- on or before 11:00am (BST) on 29 September 2008

All bids must be accompanied by a Bid Security of US\$ 40,000 or an equivalent amount in a freely convertible currency. The bid security must be included with the technical bid.

The technical bids will be opened immediately thereafter in the presence of bidders' representatives who choose to attend.

The price bids will be opened in the presence of the bidder's representatives who choose to attend at the time and date and at the address to be advised by the employer after approval of the evaluation of the technical bids.

In the comparison of bids, ADB's Domestic Preference Scheme will be applied in accordance with the provisions stipulated in the Bidding Document.

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 visits to the sites of installation of the works.

BHUTAN

Proposed Green Power Development Project (GPDP)

Contract Title: Dagachhu Hydro Power Project (Lot I, Civil Works)

Deadline for Bids: **30 September 2008** (Deadline extended)

The Royal Government of Bhutan has applied a loan from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) toward the cost of Green Power Development Project (GPDP) and it is intended that part of this loan will be applied to eligible payments under the contract named above.

The Dagachhu Hydro Power Corporation Ltd. (DHPC, the Employer) invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for design-build and completion of Lot I Civil Works in all respects (the Works), consisting of; Engineering, procurement and construction of Diversion weir, Connection channel and tunnel, Desilter, Shafts, Powerhouse, Maintenance and Control Buildings, Water supply, Sewerage and Sewage treatment system, Lighting and small power distribution system.

International competitive bidding will be conducted in accordance with [ADB's Single-Stage: Two-Envelope Bidding Procedure](#) and is open to all bidders from eligible source countries.

To obtain further information and inspect the Bidding Document, bidders should contact the following address during working days starting 15 July 2008:

General Manager
Dagachhu Hydro Power Corporation Limited (DHPC)
Changangkhang
Post Box No. 1223, Thimpu, Bhutan
Tel.: +975-2-336095; Telefax: +975-2-336093; E-mail: dhpc@druknet.bt

To purchase the Bidding Document in English, eligible bidders should:

- submit a written application to the above office and pay a non-refundable fee of US \$500, and
- The bidding documents will be sent by domestic post or by courier outside Bhutan at additional cost. No liability will be accepted for loss or late delivery of the bidding documents.

A pre-bid conference will be held at 9:30 hours Bhutan Standard Time (BST) on 31 July 2008. A site visit conducted by the Employer will be organized.

Bidders must deliver their bids:

- to the address above;
- on or before 15:00 hours BST, on 30 September 2008; and
- together with a Bid Security of US \$1,800,000.

Bids will be opened at 16:00 hours BST on 30 September 2008 in the presence of bidders' representatives who chose to attend at the address above.

The DHPC will not be responsible for costs or expenses incurred by bidders in connection with the delivery or preparation of bids.

In the comparison of bids, ADB's Domestic Preference Scheme will be applied in accordance with the provisions stipulated in the Bidding Document.

CHINA

A. Liaoning Environmental Improvement Project

Loan No.: 2112-PRC

Contract No. :0614-0820SY080190

Deadline for Bids: **10:00 a.m. (Beijing Time) on 9 September 2008**

The People's Republic of China has received a loan from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) towards the cost of Liaoning Environmental Improvement Project, of which Fuxin Central Heating Supply is a subcomponent and it is intended that part of the proceeds of this loan will be applied to eligible payments under the contract for which this Invitation for Bids is issued.

Shenyang Tendering Center (STC), the Procurement Agency authorized by Fuxin Heating Supply General Company, invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for the supply of:

Pipe and Accessorial Materials involving 20.9 Km of pipe and 14 newly-built valve station.
More details and specifications are provided in the Bidding Document.

International competitive bidding will be conducted in accordance with [ADB's Single-Stage: One-Envelope Bidding Procedure](#) and is open to all bidders from eligible source countries.

Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from STC, and inspect the Bidding Document at the office address given below between 9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. starting from 29 July 2008 (except weekends and holidays).

To purchase the Bidding Document in English, eligible bidders should:

- visit the office of Shenyang Tendering Center, at the address indicated below and pay a nonrefundable fee of CNY 2,000 or US \$260 in cash; or
- request for delivery by sending a written application to Shenyang Tendering Center, at the address indicated below. The application must include a cashier's check, in favor of STC, of CNY 2,100 for domestic delivery or US \$285 for overseas delivery. The document will be sent by express airmail. No liability will be accepted for loss or late delivery.

Bids must be delivered:

- to the address below;
- on or before 10:00 a.m. (Beijing Time) on 9 September 2008.

Bids will be opened immediately thereafter in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend at the address below. Late bids will be rejected.

All bids must be accompanied by a Bid Security of not less than two percent (2%) of the total Bid Price in the currency of the bid.

STC will not be responsible for any costs or expenses incurred by bidders in connection with the preparation or delivery of bids.

In the comparison of bids, ADB's Domestic Preference Scheme will be applied in accordance with the provisions stipulated in the Bidding Document.

Shenyang Tendering Center

No.2 Suihua Dong Street, Heping District, Shenyang, China 110002

Tel: (86-24) 22503559; Fax: (86-24) 22503601

Attention: Mr. Jiang Hongwu
E-mail: jhw197@163.com

B. Liaoning Environmental Improvement Project

Loan No.: 2112-PRC

Contract No. :0614-0820SY080191

Deadline for Bids: **10:00 a.m. (Beijing Time) on 9 September 2008**

The People's Republic of China has received a loan from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) towards the cost of Liaoning Environmental Improvement Project, of which Fuxin Central Heating Supply is a subcomponent and it is intended that part of the proceeds of this loan will be applied to eligible payments under the contract for which this Invitation for Bids is issued.

Shenyang Tendering Center (STC), the Procurement Agency authorized by Fuxin Heating Supply General Company, invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for the supply of:

Decentralized Control System for the heating pipeline network, including the necessary hardware, software and services. More details and specifications are provided in the Bidding Document.

International competitive bidding will be conducted in accordance with [ADB's Single-Stage: One-Envelope Bidding Procedure](#) and is open to all bidders from eligible source countries.

Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from STC, and inspect the Bidding Document at the office address given below between 9:00 a.m. - 11:00a.m. and 1:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. starting from 29 July 2008 (except weekends and holidays).

To purchase the Bidding Document in English, eligible bidders should:

- visit the office of Shenyang Tendering Center, at the address indicated below and pay a non-refundable fee of CNY 2,000 or US \$260 in cash; or
- request for delivery by sending a written application to Shenyang Tendering Center, at the address indicated below. The application must include a cashier's check, in favor of STC, of CNY 2,100 for domestic delivery or US \$285 for overseas delivery. The document will be sent by express airmail. No liability will be accepted for loss or late delivery.

Bids must be delivered:

- to the address below;
- on or before 10:00 a.m. (Beijing Time) on 9 September 2008.

Bids will be opened immediately thereafter in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend at the address below. Late bids will be rejected.

All bids must be accompanied by a Bid Security of not less than two percent (2%) of the total Bid Price in the bid currency.

STC will not be responsible for any costs or expenses incurred by bidders in connection with the preparation or delivery of bids.

In the comparison of bids, ADB's Domestic Preference Scheme will be applied in accordance with the provisions stipulated in the Bidding Document.

Shenyang Tendering Center

No.2 Suihua Dong Street, Heping District, Shenyang, China 110002

Tel: (86-24) 22503559; Fax: (86-24) 22503601

Attention: Mr. Jiang Hongwu

E-mail: jhw197@163.com

C. Gansu Baiyin Urban Development Project

Loan No.: 2407-PRC

Contract No. :0701-08209003006: Baiyin Road 3 under Baiyin Road Improvements (Contract Section: 06)

Deadline for Bids: **4 September 2008, 10:00 a.m.**

The People's Republic of China has received a loan from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) towards the cost of the Gansu Baiyin Urban Development Project and it intends to apply part of the proceeds of this loan to eligible payments under the contract for which this Invitation for Bids is issued.

China International Tendering Company (ITC), acting for and on behalf of the Employer, Baiyin City Construction Bureau, now invites sealed bids from eligible bidders from member countries of ADB for the Baiyin Road 3 under Baiyin Road Improvements.

The Project includes civil works of four urban road sections as indicated below:

Contract Section No.	Content	Length (km)
C06		
	Nanhuan Road (Jingliu Road to Gongyuan Road)	3.57
	Jingba Road (Nanhuan Road to National highway 109)	0.67
	Binhe West Road (Nanhuan Road to lvchang Road)	3.79
	Binhe East Road (Nanhuan Road to lvchang Road)	3.81

Details and specifications are provided in the Bidding Document.

International Competitive Bidding will be conducted in accordance with [ADB's Single-Stage: One-Envelope Bidding Procedure](#) and is open to all bidders from eligible source countries.

To obtain further information and inspect the Bidding Document, interested eligible bidders should contact China International Tendering Corporation at the address given below from 22 July 2008 to 3 September 2008, between 9:00-11:30 a.m. and 13:00-16:00 p.m. (working days only).

China International Tendering Corporation
 Room 1104, Genertec Plaza, No. 90, Xisanhuan Zhonglu
 Fengtai District, Beijing, P.R. China, 100055
 Contact Person: Mr. Wu Tao, Xia Feng
 Tel.: (8610) 63348281; 63348608; Fax: (8610) 63373543

To purchase the Bidding Document in English, bidders should:

- visit the office of ITC from, at the address indicated above and pay a non-refundable fee of RMB 4,000 or US \$570; or
- request for delivery by sending a written application to China International Tendering Corporation, at the address indicated below. The application must include a cashier's check, in favor of China International Tendering Company, of RMB 4,200 (for domestic) or \$595 (for overseas delivery).

Bids must be delivered to:

- The transaction room of 6 floor of Jianshe Mansion
 Beijing Road, Baiyin District, Gansu, P.R. China
 East of Liuzhong Highway Tolling management station
- on or before 10:00, 4 September 2008 (Beijing Time)

Bids will be opened immediately thereafter in the presence of bidders' representatives who choose to attend. Late bids will be rejected.

All bids must be accompanied by a bid security of not less than RMB 2,000,000.

ITC will not be responsible for any costs or expenses incurred by bidders in connection with the preparation or delivery of bids.

D. Xi'an Urban Transport Project

Loan No.: 2024-PRC

Bid No.:0703-0820CIC5Y017

Deadline for Bids: **10:00 am (Beijing time) on 23 September 2008**

This Invitation for Bids follows the General Procurement Notice for this project that appeared in the ADB Business Opportunities in July 2003.

The People's Republic of China has received a loan from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) towards the cost of Xi'an Urban Transport Project (Third Ring Road System), and it intends to apply part of the proceeds of this loan to payments under the contracts for Gasoline and Gas Filling Station. Instrimpex International Tendering Company (the Procurement agent, CNIITC), authorized by Xi'an Municipal Third Ring Road Construction & Development Co., Ltd (the Purchaser), now invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for the supply of the following goods and related services for the Project:

Package No	Name of Equipment	Quantity	Delivery Time
1	Compressor Unit for Standard Station	12 sets	Within 4 months after effectiveness of the Contract
	Sequence control cabinet	6 sets	
2	Compressor Unit for Substation	4 sets	
3	Fuel dispenser with 2 nozzles to supply two kinds of gasoline	22 sets	
	Fuel dispenser with 4 nozzles to supply two kinds of gasoline	20 sets	
	Gas dispenser	40 sets	
	Discharging post	4 sets	
	Submersible pump	50 sets	
4	Oil tanks	50 sets	
	Desiccators	6 sets	
	Buffer tanks	6 sets	
5	gas storage well	32 sets	

Bidders may bid for one package or any combination of packages.

International Competitive Bidding will be conducted in accordance with [ADB's Single-Stage: One-Envelope Bidding Procedure](#) and is open to all bidders from eligible source countries.

Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from CNIITC, and inspect the Bidding Document at the address given below from 11 August 2008 to 22 September 2008 at working hours 8:30-11:30, 13:30-16:30.

To purchase the Bidding Document in English bidders should:

- visit the office of CNIITC at the address indicated below and pay a non-refundable fee of RMB 2,000 or \$285 in cash, or
- request for delivery by sending a written application to CNIITC at the address indicated below. The application must include a cashier's check over RMB 2,100 for local delivery or \$335 for overseas delivery. The document will be sent by courier. No liability will be accepted for loss or late delivery.

Bids must be delivered:

- to the Purchaser's address below;
- on or before 10:00 am (Beijing time) on 23 September 2008. Late bids will be rejected.

All Bids must be accompanied by a Bid Security of not less than two percent (2%) of the bid price or an equivalent amount in a freely convertible currency. Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend at the Employer's address below at 10:00 am (Beijing time) on 23 September 2008.

Xi'an Municipal Third Ring Road Construction & Development Co., Ltd will not be responsible for any costs or expenses incurred by bidders in connection with the preparation or delivery of bids.

Procurement Agent:

Instrimpex International Tendering Company
Room 1002, Genertec Plaza, 90 Xisanhuan
Zhonglu, Beijing, China
Tel.: 86 10 63348944; Fax: 86 10 63373642
Bank: Fuwai Sub-branch, Beijing Branch, Bank of
Communications
Account No.: 110060239018002343611

Purchaser:

Xi'an Municipal Third Ring Road Construction &
Development Company
6th floor, Xinxigang Plaza, Gaoxin San Lu, Xi'an
P.R.China
Tel.: 86 29 82301738; Fax: 86 29 82301758

E. Inner Mongolia Autonomous Region Environment Improvement Project

Loan No.: 2260-PRC

Contract No. :0722-0820-FE311WJO/1: Procurement of Sleeve Pipes and Tubes

Deadline for Bids: **9:30A.M (Beijing Time) on 7 September 2008**

The People's Republic of China has received a loan from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) towards the cost of Inner Mongolia Autonomous Region Environment Improvement Project. Part of this loan will be used for payments under the contract named above. Bidding is open to eligible bidders from eligible source countries of ADB.

The China Far East International Tendering Company (CFEITC), the authorized Procurement Agent of PMO of Inner Mongolia (the Employer) invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for the procurement of sleeve pipes and tubes including Prefabricated Polyurethane Heat Insulating Pipes and joints for direct burying and Spiral Welded Steel Pipe in Wuhai City, Inner Mongolia.

International competitive bidding will be conducted in accordance with [ADB's Single-Stage: One-Envelope Bidding Procedure](#).

To obtain further information and inspect the bidding documents, bidders should contact the follow address between 9:30 a.m. -11:30 a.m. and 13:00 p.m. - 15:30 p.m. (Beijing Time) from 7 August 2008 to September 2008 during workdays:

China Far East International Tendering Company
Attn: Mr. Fan Zhuo, Mr. Chen Guang
Address: 6th Floor No. 9 Dongtucheng Rd, Chaoyang District
Beijing, People's Republic of China
Tel.: +86 10 64291720 ext. 618/637,64234102; Fax: +86 10 6420 4400
Post Code: 100013
E-mail: NMYHYQ@126.com
Opening Bank: Bank of China Beijing Branch
Account Number: 800115375608091001

To purchase the bidding documents in English, eligible bidders should:

- visit the office of CFEITC at the address indicated above and pay a nonrefundable fee of CNY2,300.00 or US \$350 in cash, or
- request for delivery by sending a written application to CFEITC at the address indicated above. The application must include a cashier's check over CNY 2,600 for domestic delivery or US \$400 for overseas delivery. The document will be sent by courier. No liability will be accepted for loss or late delivery.

Deliver your bid:

- to China Far East International Tendering Company
6th Floor No. 9 Dongtucheng Rd, Chaoyang District
Beijing, People's Republic of China
- on or before 9:30A.M (Beijing Time) on 7 September 2008

All bids must be accompanied by a Bid Security of not less than two percent (2%) of the total Bid Price or an equivalent amount in a freely convertible currency.

Bids will be opened immediately after the deadline in the presence of bidders' representatives who choose to attend at the address advised as above.

KAZAKHSTAN

A. Rural Area Water Supply and Sanitation Sector Project

Loan No: 2006-KAZ

Contract No.: ICB-05A (SKO), Construction of Water Supply and Sanitation for Akkala, and Kutarys settlements in Sayram rayon, South-Kazakhstan oblast

Deadline for Bids: **15:00 p.m. on 4 September 2008**

The Republic of Kazakhstan has received a loan from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) towards the cost of the Rural Area Water Supply and Sanitation Sector Project (RAWSSP). Part of this loan will be used for payments under the contract named above. Bidding is open to bidders from eligible source countries of ADB.

The Committee for Water Resources under Ministry of Agriculture of the Republic of Kazakhstan invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for the construction of civil works for the above contract. Post-qualification will be applied for this contract. The works include:

- i. Reconstruction of the water supply and sanitation (WSS) system at Akkala settlement (population 1,783 persons), comprising construction of:
 - Drilling of existing water intake well 130 m in depth;
 - Procurement and installation of submersible pumps, 2no.x 16 m³/h x 110m x 8 kW;
 - Underground chamber, service staff building and 1st level pump station with 6 ultra violet bactericidal plants including electro-mechanical equipment;
 - Concrete ground reservoirs (2 no. x 100 m³);
 - Distribution network (length 9.43 km), with installation of water distribution boxes - 48 pieces and fire hydrant - 17 pieces;
 - Power line (0.4kV) length 2.29 km, the depth of cable laying is 0,7 m;
 - Improvement of zones of sanitary protection around well and clean water reservoir;
 - Pre-cast concrete fence, length 410 m x 2 m high
- ii. Reconstruction of the WSS system at Kutarys settlement (population 2,136), comprising construction of:
 - Drilling of water intake well 26 m in depth;
 - Procurement and installation of submersible pumps, 2no. x 25 m³/h. x 100m x 11 kW;

- Rehabilitation works on underground chamber; service staff building and 1st level pump station with 6 ultra violet bactericidal plants including electro-mechanical equipment;
- Steel water tower capacity 25 m³, height is 12 m including technological equipment; 5) distribution network with length 12.46 km, with application of pipes with dia 140, 125, 110 and 50 mm, the depth of pipes` laying is 1,5 m. Installation of water distribution boxes - 52 pieces and fire hydrants - 24 pieces;
- Improvement of territory of water facilities including rehabilitation of zone of sanitary protection 320 m square;
- Pre-cast concrete slab fence 213 m in extent, 2 m high;
- Power line 0.4kV length 0.747 km from existing transformer station 160kVA/10/0.4kV for pumps control.

International competitive bidding will be conducted in accordance with [Single-Stage: One-Envelope Bidding Procedure](#) and is open to all bidders from eligible source countries of the ADB.

Post qualification criteria will include several requirements on financial capacity, technical capability and works experience of which some are listed below:

- Minimum average annual turnover from construction business over the last three years of US \$1.1 million.
- Carried out at least two similar projects with a value of at least US \$0.5 million each.
- The overall contract completion period will be thirteen (13) months.

To obtain further information and inspect the bidding documents, bidders should contact the address below from 23 July 2008 to 4 September 2008, from 09:00 hrs to 12:00 hrs from Monday to Friday.

Procurement Specialist, Committee of Water Resources
Central Project Coordination Unit, Office 3
Bogenbya Street 46, Astana City, Kazakhstan
Tel/Fax: (7172) 32 38 87
Email: loan2006@mail.ru, ind777@mail.ru

To purchase the Bidding Documents in English, eligible bidders should:

- write to address above requesting the bidding documents for Contract No. ICB-05 A (South-Kazakhstan oblast)
- pay a non-refundable fee of KZT 18,750 or US \$150 by bank draft or pay order issued by a scheduled Bank in favor of the Central Project Coordination Unit, RAWSSP. The method of payment will be direct deposit to specified account. Payment receiver is Tax Committee under Ministry of Finance of the Republic of Kazakhstan, Astana city, tax number is 032200000017, BIK 000 080 900 in Treasury Committee under the Ministry of Finance of the Republic of Kazakhstan, MFO 195 301 070, code 11 KBK 203101.

Deliver your bids:

- to the address above
- on or before the deadline: 15:00 p.m. on 4 September 2008
- together with a Bid Security of 2% of the Bid Price
- the document can alternatively be sent by DHL or UPS courier services. No liability will be accepted for loss or late delivery.

Bids will be opened immediately after in the presence of bidders' representatives who choose to attend.

The Committee for Water Resources will not be responsible for any costs or expenses incurred by the bidders in connection with the preparation or delivery of bids.

ADB's Domestic Preference Scheme will not be applied.

B. Rural Area Water Supply and Sanitation Sector Project

Loan No.: 2006-KAZ

Contract No.: ICB-05B (SKO), Construction of Water Supply and Sanitation for Akkoltyk and Zharty-tobe settlements in Suzak rayon, South-Kazakhstan oblast

Deadline for Bids: **15:00 p.m. on 4 September 2008**

The Republic of Kazakhstan has received a loan from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) towards the cost of the Rural Area Water Supply and Sanitation Sector Project (RAWSSP). Part of the proceeds of this loan will be used for payments under the contract named above. Bidding is open to bidders from eligible source countries of ADB.

The Committee for Water Resources under Ministry of Agriculture of the Republic of Kazakhstan invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for the construction of civil works for the above contract. Post-qualification will be applied for this contract. The works include:

- i. Construction of the water supply and sanitation (WSS) system at Akkoltyk settlement (population is 953 persons) comprising construction of:
 - Newly drilled water intake well 40 m in depth;
 - Procurement and installation of 2 submersible pumps, 25 m³/h x 70m x 7.5 kW, (for new well and existing well);
 - Service staff building and 1st level pump station with ultra violet bactericidal plants with total capacity 30m³/hr;
 - Transmission line length 190 m from steel and PE pipes;
 - Steel water tower capacity 160 m³, height is 18 m;
 - Distribution network with length 16.88 km, the depth of pipes laying is 1,5 m with application of pipes with dia 160, 125, 110 and 50 mm with installation of water meters in manholes - 266 pieces and fire hydrants -42 pieces;
 - Power line 10kV length 0.05 km and power line 0.4kV length 1.07 km for pump control. Procurement and installation of transformer 160KW/10/0.4 kV;
 - Demolition of metallic net fences installed on r/concrete supports 1.2 m in height, 122 m in length;
 - Improvement of territory of water works site including rehabilitation of zone of sanitary protection and water tower;
 - Pre-cast concrete blank fence 374m-length, 2m-high.
- ii. Construction of the WSS system at Zharty-tobe settlement (population is 1,420 persons) , comprising of construction of:
 - Two (2) new drilled water intake wells 125 m in depth, procurement and installation of submersible pumps, 2 no. x 40 m³/hr x 60m x 11 kW;
 - 1st level pumps station building;
 - Transmission line length 354 m, DN150mm from steel and PE pipes;
 - Distribution network, length 12.44 km made, with installation of 360 yard connections and 59 fire hydrants;
 - Steel water tower capacity 50 m³, height is 18 m;
 - Two (2) clear water reservoirs with capacity 200 m³;
 - Second level-pump station with 2 ultra violet bactericidal plants with capacity 40m³/hour and 4 no. pumps of 50m³/hour x 40m;
 - Power line 0.4kV length 0.104 km between transformer station and pump station. Procurement and installation of transformer 63 KW/10/0.4 kV;
 - Improvement of water facilities area;
 - Pre-cast concrete slab fence 379 m in extent, 2 m high.

International competitive bidding will be conducted in accordance with [Single-Stage: One-Envelope Bidding Procedure](#) and is open to all bidders from eligible source countries of the ADB.

Post qualification criteria will include several requirements on financial capacity, technical capability and works experience of which some are listed below:

- Minimum average annual turnover from construction business over the last three years of US \$1.4 million.
- Carried out at least two (2) similar projects with a value of at least US \$0.7 million each.
- The overall contract completion period will be 12.6 months.

To obtain further information and inspect the Bidding Documents, bidders should contact the address below from 15 July 2008 to 4 September 2008, from 09:00 hrs to 12:00 hrs from Monday to Friday.

Procurement Specialist, Committee of Water Resources
Central Project Coordination Unit, Office 3
Bogenbya Street 46, Astana City, Kazakhstan
Tel/Fax: (7172) 32 38 87; E-mail: loan2006@mail.ru, ind777@mail.ru

To purchase the Bidding Documents in English, eligible bidders should:

- write to address above requesting the bidding documents for Contract No. ICB-05B (South-Kazakhstan oblast);
- pay a non-refundable fee of KZT 18,750 or US \$150 by bank draft or pay order issued by a scheduled Bank in favor of the Central Project Coordination Unit, RAWSSP. The method of payment will be direct deposit to specified account. Payment receiver is Tax Committee under Ministry of Finance of the Republic of Kazakhstan, Astana city, tax number is 032200000017, BIK 000 080 900 in Treasury Committee under the Ministry of Finance of the Republic of Kazakhstan, MFO 195 301 070, code 11 KBK 203101.

Deliver your bid:

- to the address above;
- on or before 15:00 p.m. on 4 September 2008;
- together with a Bid Security of two percent (2%) of the Bid Price;
- The document can alternatively be sent by DHL or UPS courier services. No liability will be accepted for loss or late delivery.

Bids will be opened immediately after in the presence of bidders' representatives who choose to attend.

The Committee for Water Resources will not be responsible for any costs or expenses incurred by the bidders in connection with the preparation or delivery of bids.

C. Rural Area Water Supply and Sanitation Sector Project

Loan No: 2006-KAZ

Contract No.: ICB-07A (AO), Water Supply and Sanitation for Marinovka Settlement, located in Atbasarskiy rayon, Makinka Settlement, located in Yegindykolskiy rayon and Madeniet Settlement, located in Schuchinskiy rayon,, Akmola oblast

Deadline for Bids: **15:00 p.m. on 4 September 2008**

The Republic of Kazakhstan has received a loan from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) towards the cost of the Rural Area Water Supply and Sanitation Sector Project (RAWSSP). Part of the proceeds of this loan will be used for payments under the contract named above. Bidding is open to bidders from eligible source countries of ADB.

The Committee for Water Resources under Ministry of Agriculture of the Republic of Kazakhstan invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for the construction of civil works for the above contract. Post-qualification will be applied for this contract. The works include:

- i. Reconstruction of the water supply and sanitation (WSS) system at Marinovka (Atbasar rayon) settlement, comprising construction of:

- Three (3) boreholes (depth 15-17 m), construction of two (2) 1st level pump stations (3x3m) with four (4) submersible pumps, two (2) sanitary zones (100x102m and 100x100m) with total wall length 804m;
 - Transmission pipeline, length is 716m with PE pipes DN 110 and 1470m DN 160;
 - Replacing the distribution network of the settlement, length 20300 m with PE pipes DN 50-225mm, installation of 80 public standpipes and 79 fire hydrants, septic tank 80m³ - 1unit, 10m³ - 4 units, septic-collectors 1.0m³- 2 units;
 - Rehabilitation of 2 existing reservoirs with volume 500m³ each;
 - Power lines 10 kW x length 3750 m. and installation of transformer 10/0.4kV 25 kVa-2 units;
 - Water facilities area improvement (72 x90m)
- ii. Reconstruction of the Distribution network at Makinka (Enbekshilderskyi rayon) settlement, comprising of construction of: Reconstruction of the distribution network of the settlement, length 17284 m with PE pipes DN 63-110 mm, installation of 85 public standpipes and 47 fire hydrants.
- iii. Reconstruction of the WSS system at Madeniet (Schuchinskyi rayon) settlement, comprising construction of:
- Two (2) boreholes (depth 70 m), construction of 1st level pump station (3.0x3.6m) with 3 submersible pumps and sanitary zone (113x102m);
 - Construction of transmission pipeline, length is 1424m with PE pipes DN 110;
 - Rehabilitation of 2 clean water reservoirs with volume 100m³ each;
 - Construction of new pump station of 2nd level (6 x12m) with installation of 2 bactericidal equipments with capacity 20m³/hour, productivity 0.8kW, and mounting of septic-collector with volume 10m³;
 - Construction of water tower, height 15m and tank volume 25m³;
 - Construction of the distribution network of the settlement , length 6162 m with PE pipes DN 90 mm, installation of 42 public standpipes and 42 fire hydrants, septic-collector 10m³;
 - Power lines 10 kW x length 1550 m. and installation of transformer 10/0.4kV 63 kVa on water facilities area and power lines 0.4kV length 1250m;
 - Water facilities area improvement (88 x76m)

International competitive bidding will be conducted in accordance with [Single-Stage: One-Envelope Bidding Procedure](#) and is open to all bidders from eligible source countries of the ADB.

Post qualification criteria will include several requirements on financial capacity, technical capability and works experience of which some are listed below:

- Minimum average annual turnover from construction business over the last three (3) years of US \$2.9 million
- Carried out at least two similar projects with a value of at least US \$1.25 million each.
- The overall contract completion period will be 14 months.

To obtain further information and inspect the Bidding Documents, bidders should contact the address below from 23 July 2008 to 4 September 2008, from 09:00 hrs to 12:00 hrs from Monday to Friday.

Procurement Specialist, Committee of Water Resources
Central Project Coordination Unit, 4th Floor, Office 3
Bogenbay Street 46, Astana City, Kazakhstan
Tel/Fax: (7172) 32 38 87
Email: loan2006@mail.ru

To purchase the bidding documents in English, eligible bidders should:

- write to address above requesting the bidding documents for Contract No. ICB-07A (Marinovka, Makinka, Madeniet settlements of Akmola oblast);
- pay a non-refundable fee of KZT 18,750 or US \$150 by bank draft or pay order issued by a scheduled Bank in favor of the Central Project Coordination Unit, RAWSSP. The method of payment will be direct deposit to specified account. Payment receiver is Tax Committee under

Ministry of Finance of the Republic of Kazakhstan, Astana city, tax number is 032200000017, KBK 203101, KNP 911; Treasury Committee under the Ministry of Finance of the Republic of Kazakhstan IIK 000 080 900, BIK 195301070.

Deliver your bid

- to the address above;
- on or before the deadline: 15:00 p.m. on 4 September 2008;
- together with a Bid Security of 2% of the Bid Price;
- the document can alternatively be sent by DHL or UPS courier services. No liability will be accepted for loss or late delivery.

Bids will be opened immediately after the deadline in the presence of bidders' representatives who choose to attend.

The Committee for Water Resources will not be responsible for any costs or expenses incurred by the bidders in connection with the preparation or delivery of bids.

D. Rural Area Water Supply and Sanitation Sector Project

Loan No: 2006-KAZ

Contract No.: ICB-07B (AO), Water Supply of Novodolinka settlement, Akmola oblast

Deadline for Bids: **15:00 p.m. on 4 September 2008**

The Republic of Kazakhstan has received a loan from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) towards the cost of the Rural Area Water Supply and Sanitation Sector Project (RAWSSP). Part of this loan will be used for payments under the contract named above. Bidding is open to bidders from eligible source countries of ADB.

The Committee for Water Resources under Ministry of Agriculture of the Republic of Kazakhstan invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for the construction of civil works for the above contract. Post-qualification will be applied for this contract. The works include:

- i. Reconstruction of the water supply and sanitation (WSS) system at Novodolinka (Ereimentau rayon) settlement, comprising construction of:
 - Two (2) boreholes (depth 60 m), construction of concrete pump station, size is 4.3x2.7m with 2 ultraviolet units, sanitary zone 102x102m;
 - Transmission pipeline, length is 4815 m from PE pipes with dia. 110 mm;
 - Construction of 2 clean water reservoirs with volume 150m³ each;
 - Construction of new pump station of 2nd level (6 x 6m);
 - Construction of steel water tower with height 18m and tank volume 50m³;
 - Construction of the distribution network of the settlement, length 9392 m with PE pipes DN 63-110 mm, installation of 35 public standpipes and 36 fire hydrants, septic-collector 5m³ - 5 units;
 - Power lines 10 kV x length 4880 m from existing transformers of 35/10kV to water facilities area with mounting of transformer 10/0.4kV 25 kVa and construction of power lines 10kV to water facilities area with installation of transformers 10/0.4kV 63kVa;
 - Territory improvement (76 x 96m)

International competitive bidding will be conducted in accordance with [Single-Stage: One-Envelope Bidding Procedure](#) and is open to all bidders from eligible source countries of the ADB.

Post qualification criteria will include several requirements on financial capacity, technical capability and works experience of which some are listed below:

- Minimum average annual turnover from construction business over the last three (3) years of US \$1.4 million

- Carried out at least two similar projects with a value of at least US \$0.7 million each
- The overall contract completion period will be 14 months.

To obtain further information and inspect the bidding documents, bidders should contact the address below from 23 July 2008 to 4 September 2008, from 09:00 hrs to 12:00 hrs from Monday to Friday:

Procurement Specialist, Committee of Water Resources
Central Project Coordination Unit, 4th Floor, Office 3
Bogenbay Street 46, Astana City, Kazakhstan
Tel/Fax: (7172) 32 38 87; E-mail: loan2006@mail.ru

To purchase the bidding documents in English, eligible bidders should:

- write to address above requesting the bidding documents for Contract No. ICB-07B (Ereimentau Rayon, Akmola oblast);
- pay a non-refundable fee of KZT 18,750 or US \$150 by bank draft or pay order issued by a scheduled Bank in favor of the Central Project Coordination Unit, RAWSSP. The method of payment will be direct deposit to specified account. Payment receiver is Tax Committee under Ministry of Finance of the Republic of Kazakhstan, Astana city, tax number is 032200000017, KBK 203101, KNP 911; Treasury Committee under the Ministry of Finance of the Republic of Kazakhstan IIK 000 080 900, BIK 195301070.

Deliver your bid:

- to the address above;
- on or before the deadline: 15:00 p.m. on 4 September 2008;
- together with a Bid Security of 2% of the Bid Price;
- The document can alternatively be sent by DHL or UPS courier services. No liability will be accepted for loss or late delivery.

Bids will be opened immediately after the deadline in the presence of bidders' representatives who choose to attend.

The Committee for Water Resources will not be responsible for any costs or expenses incurred by the bidders in connection with the preparation or delivery of bids.

LAOS

Northern and Central Regions Water Supply and Sanitation Sector Project

Grant No.:0016-LAO

Contract No. and Title: Water Supply Civil Works for the District Towns of Xanakham, Keo-Oudom, Khoun, Xamtay and Sing

Deadline for Bids: **10 September 2008, 09:30 hours**

The Lao People's Democratic Republic (Lao PDR) has received a Grant from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) and a Loan from the OPEC Fund for International Development (OPEC) Fund towards the cost of the Northern and Central Regions Water Supply and Sanitation Sector Project. Part of this Grant and Loan will be used for payments under the Contract named above.

The contract for which the Executing Agency is currently seeking bids for water supply civil works in the district towns of Xanakham, Keo-Oudom, Khoun, Xamtay and Sing in Lao PDR. Bidders may bid for more than one contract, as further defined in the Bidding Document, but must not combine bids or parts thereof. Bidders wishing to offer discounts can do so, but only in respect of individual contracts.

Discounts cannot be offered for a combined bid of more than one contract. Discounts offered must be included in the Letter of Bid. Bidding is open to bidders from eligible source countries of the ADB.

The Ministry of Public Works and Transport (MPWT), the Employer, now invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for the construction and completion of a piped water supply system in the district towns of Xanakham, Keo-Oudom, Khoun, Xamtay and Sing in Lao PDR.

Bid No.	Description
ICB-Water-06: Water Supply Civil Works for the District Town of Xanakham, Vientiane Province	Construction and completion of a piped water supply system in the town of Xanakham, Vientiane province in Lao PDR. The raw water source will be the Mekong River, from which a river intake will supply water via pumping station to a water treatment plant (rapid sand filter) with a capacity of 1,280m ³ /day.
ICB-Water-05: Water Supply Civil Works for the District Town of Xamtay, Houaphanh Province	Construction and completion of a piped water supply system in the town of Xamtay, Houaphan province in Lao PDR. The raw water source will be the Houay Sanong, from which a stream intake will supply water by gravity to a water treatment plant (rapid sand filter) with a capacity of 1,270m ³ /day.
ICB-Water-08: Water Supply Civil Works for the District Town of Sing, Louang Mantha Province	Construction and completion of a piped water supply system in the town of Sing, Luang Namtha province in Lao PDR. The raw water source will be the Nam Ya, from which a river intake will supply water by gravity to a water treatment plant (rapid sand filter) with a capacity of 1,830m ³ /day.
ICB-Water-04: Water Supply Civil Works for the District Town of Khoun, Xieng Khouang Province	Construction and completion of a piped water supply system in the town of Khoun, Xieng Khouang province in Lao PDR. The raw water source will be the Nam Lem, from which a stream intake will supply water by gravity to a water treatment plant (rapid sand filter) with a capacity of 920m ³ /day.
ICB-Water-07: Water Supply Civil Works for the District Town of Keo-Oudom, Vientiane Province	Construction and completion of a piped water supply system in the town of Keo Oudom, Vientiane province in Lao PDR. The raw water source will be the Nam Ngum, from which a river intake will supply water via pumping station to a water treatment plant (rapid sand filter) with a capacity of 4,230m ³ /day.

International competitive bidding will be conducted in accordance with [ADB's Single-Stage: One-Envelope Bidding Procedure](#) and is open to all bidders from eligible source countries of ADB.

Only eligible bidders with the following key qualifications should participate in this bidding:

- Experience in construction for the last three (3) years. For any contractor bidding for one (1) contract, it must have participated in at least one (1) contract within the last three (3) years with a contract value of US \$700,000. For any contractor bidding for two (2) contracts, it must have participated in at least two (2) contracts within the last four (4) years with a contract value of US \$800,000. For any contractor bidding for three (3) contracts or more, it must have participated in at least three (3) contracts within the last six (6) years with a contract value of US \$1,000,000.
- Submission of audited balance sheets, income and other financial statements for the last three (3) years with a positive net worth calculated as the difference between total assets and total liabilities.
- The minimum average annual construction turnover within the last three (3) years should be US \$800,000 for bidders of one (1) contract, US \$1.6 million for bidders of (2) contracts and US \$2.4 million for bidders of (3) contracts or more.
- For each contract, the contractor must provide at least (1) Engineer with at least seven (7) years of work experience and at least three (3) years of experience in works of similar nature; one (1) Foreman/Construction Supervisor with at least seven (7) years of work experience and at least five (5) years of experience in similar nature; Electrical/Mechanical Supervisor with at least five (5) years work experience and at three (3) years of experience in similar nature; Commissioning Supervisor with at least five (5) years of work experience and at least three (3) years of experience in similar nature.

Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information and inspect the Bidding Documents, at the address given below starting 31 July 2008.

Mr. Phomma Veoravanh
 3rd Floor, Building of Urban Research Institute
 Dongpalane Road, Vientiane Capital City, Lao PDR

Tel.: +856-21-416519, +856-21-263362 Fax: +856-21-415658, +856-21-412428
E-mail: ncrwssp@laonet.com

To purchase the Bidding Documents in English bidders should:

- submit a written application to address above;
- pay a non-refundable fee of US \$100 for each set. The method of payment will be cash or by Western Union or similar to the person and address above;
- The Bidding Documents can be collected directly at the address given above at no extra cost;
- The Bidding Documents can also be sent by courier service, or equivalent, for an additional fee of US \$120. No liability will be accepted for loss or late delivery.

Bids must be delivered:

- to the address above;
- on or before 09:30 hours on 10 September 2008.

All bids must be accompanied by a Bid Security of at least 2% of the total bid price or an equivalent amount in a freely convertible currency. Bids will be opened immediately thereafter in the presence of the bidder's representatives who choose to attend at the address above.

The Ministry of Public Works and Transport will not be responsible for any costs or expenses incurred in the preparation and delivery of bids.

In the comparison of bids, ADB's Domestic Preference will be applied in accordance with the provisions stipulated in the Bidding Documents.

NEPAL

Road Connectivity Sector I Project

Grant No. 0051-NEP (SF)

Contract No.: RCSP/ICB/TMK/01, RCSP/ICB/TMK/02 and RCSP/ICB/TMK/03

Deadline for Bids: **12:00 Noon Local Time, 28 September 2008**

The invitation for Bids follows the General Procurement Notice for this project that appeared in the [ADB Business Opportunities](#) in March 2006.

The Government of Nepal has received a Grant from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) towards the cost of the Road Connectivity Sector I Project and intends to apply part of the proceeds of this Grant to eligible payments under the above-mentioned contracts. Whereas this contract will be jointly financed by ADB, OPEC fund and The Government of Nepal, procurement will be guided by the policies and procedures defined in [ADB's Procurement Guidelines](#). Bidding is open to bidders from eligible source countries of ADB.

The Project Directorate, Department of Roads (DOR), Ministry of Physical Planning and Works, (the Employer) on behalf of Government of Nepal invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for the construction of the above contracts.

International competitive bidding will be conducted in accordance with [ADB's Single-Stage: One-Envelope Bidding Procedure](#).

The Works comprise upgrading of existing road in Dolakha and Ramechhap Districts of Nepal. The works to be executed will mainly comprise: (i) Excavation and Formation of Embankment; (ii) Masonry side drains; (iii) Gabion and masonry retaining structures; (iv) Double Bituminous Surface Treatment (DBST); (v) Single surface treatment (SBST) to shoulder; (vi) causeways and Culverts and other protection works; (vii) in addition to above, Contract No. RCSP/ICB/TMK/01 includes Otta seal as a trial

and Contract No. RCSP/ICB/TMK/02 includes construction of two numbers of RCC Bridges. The duration of contracts will be 24 months.

S No.	Contract No.	Chainage	Bid Security (NRs)
1	RCSP/ICB/TMK/01	0+000 Km to 24+270 Km	5,600,000.00
2	RCSP/ICB/TMK/02	24+270 Km to 40+500 Km	5,800,000.00
3	RCSP/ICB/TMK/03	40+500 Km to 55+150 Km	5,100,000.00

Bidders may bid for one or more contracts. If a bidder submits several successful bids, the evaluation will also include an assessment of the bidder's capacity to meet the aggregated requirements of respective contracts. Bidders wishing to offer discounts in case they are awarded more than one contract will be allowed to do so, provided those discounts are included in the Letter of Bid.

Bidders will be required in their bids to demonstrate the following:

Description of Requirement	Package No.		
	RCSP/ICB/TMK/01	RCSP/ICB/TMK/02	RCSP/ICB/TMK/03
Average annual turnover calculated as total certified payments received for contracts in progress or completed, within the last five (5) years.	US\$ 4.05 Million	US\$ 4.15 Million	US\$ 3.69 Million
Cash-flow requirement.	US\$ 0.84 Million or equivalent for this contract	US\$ 0.86 Million or equivalent for this contract	US\$ 0.77 Million or equivalent for this contract
Participation as contractor or management contractor or subcontractor, in at least 1 contract within the last 7 Years, where the contract value was at least the value indicated, and which has been successfully or substantially completed.	Value of at least US\$ 3.24 Million	Value of at least US\$ 3.32 Million	Value of at least US\$ 2.95 Million

To obtain further information and inspect the Bidding Documents, bidders should contact:

The Project Director
 Project Directorate (ADB)
 Department of Roads, Ministry of Physical Planning and Works
 Bishalnagar, Kathmandu, Nepal
 Tel.: 977-1- 4437492 and 4437493; Fax: 977-1- 4437488; E-mail: pdadb@wlink.com.np

To purchase the Bidding Documents in English, eligible bidders should:

- purchase from the above address or from the Department of Roads, Babarmahal on or before 3:00 pm Friday 26 September 2008.
- write to the address above requesting the bidding documents "RCSP/ICB/TMK/01", "RCSP/ICB/TMK/02" and "RCSP/ICB/TMK/03", separately.
- pay a non-refundable fee of NRs 10,000 or US \$160. The method of payment will be in the form of bank draft in favor of the Project Directorate, DOR. Cash payment will be accepted in case of local currency only.
- For an additional fee of US \$50 per package the Bidding Document will be sent through courier.
- For local companies attach copies of the Contractor's registration, VAT registration and tax clearance certificate.

Deliver your bid:

- to the address above
- on or before 28 September 2008, 12:00 noon local time. If the deadline for bid submission falls on the official government holiday, the deadline for bid submission will be the immediate next working day.

- together with a Bid Security of NRs as shown in the table above. The Bid Security must be valid till 120 days from the last day of submission of bid. Bids will be opened immediately after the deadline in the presence of bidders' representatives who choose to attend.

A pre-bid meeting will be held at the Department of Roads, Project Directorate (ADB), Bishalnagar, Kathmandu on 12 September 2008 at 11:00am. Presence is not mandatory, but interested bidders are encouraged to attend.

The Project Directorate, DOR will not be responsible for any costs or expenses incurred by bidders in connection with the preparation or delivery of bids.

In the comparison of bids, ADB's Domestic Preference Scheme will be applied in accordance with the provisions stipulated in the Bidding Document.

PAKISTAN

A. Proposed Power Distribution Enhancement Investment Program, Phase-I

Contract No.: ADB-GEPCO-01-08 Procurement of 132 KV Gas Insulated Switchgear Plant - Design, Supply, Installation at Sheranwala Bagh, Gujranwala, Pakistan
Deadline for Bids: **16:00 on 27 September 2008**

The Islamic Republic of Pakistan has applied for a loan from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) towards the cost of Power Distribution Enhancement Investment Program, Phase-I, and it intends to apply part of the proceeds of this loan to payments under the contract named above. Bidding is open to bidders from eligible source countries of ADB.

The Gujranwala Electricity Power Company, GEPCO (the Employer) invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for the procurement of 132 kV Gas Insulated Switchgear Plant - Design, Supply, Installation at Sheranwala Bagh, Gujranwala, Pakistan.

Only eligible bidders with the following key qualifications should participate in this bidding:

- The contractor/bidder (individual firm/JV) must have at least five (5) years or more experience in supply, installation, testing & commissioning of 132 kV or higher voltage GIS substations with major equipment like circuit breakers, instrument transformers, disconnectors, power transformers, etc. and should have supplied and commissioned at least three (3) substations (each with a value of at least US \$5 million) of similar or higher voltage to the proposed plant and services on turnkey basis and such substations shall have been operating successfully for at least three (3) years. Of these 3 substations at least one (1) substation should have been completed by the contractor outside its own country.
- The contractor should have sound financial status. The difference between cash in hand and short term liabilities should be adequate enough for smooth execution of this project.

To obtain further information and inspect the bidding documents, bidders should contact the following address starting 11 August 2008:

Chief Engineer (T&G) GEPCO
565-A Model Town, G.T Road Gujranwala, Pakistan
Tel.: 92 - 055- 9200511 & 9200519; E-mail: gepc0123@yahoo.com

To purchase the Bidding Document in English,

- submit a written application to the address above, requesting for the Bidding Document No. ADB-GEPCO-01-08 for Procurement of 132 kV Gas Insulated Switchgear Plant - Design, Manufacture, Supply, Installation, Testing and Commissioning of 132KV GIS at Sheranwala Bagh, Gujranwala, Pakistan

- pay a non-refundable fee of Rs 7,100 or US \$100 by Bank Draft from any Scheduled Bank of Pakistan in favor of Chief Engineer (T&G), 565-A Model Town G.T Road Gujranwala (Pakistan)
- For an additional fee of Rs.3,550 for domestic delivery or US \$50 for overseas delivery, the documents may be sent through courier service. No liability will be accepted for loss or late delivery.

Deliver your bid:

- to the address above;
- on or before 16:00 on 27 September 2008;
- together with a Bid Security of Rs.7.1 million or US \$ 0.1 million

Bids will be opened immediately after the deadline in the presence of bidders' representatives who choose to attend. Late bids shall be rejected.

When comparing bids, ADB's Domestic Preference Scheme will be applied.

B. Rawalpindi Environmental Improvement Project

Loan: 2211/2212-PAK (SF)

Contract No.: ICB/REIP/STP/01: Construction of Sewage Treatment Plant

Deadline for Submission: **2:00 p.m. on 18 September 2008**

The Islamic Republic of Pakistan has received a loan from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) towards the cost of the Rawalpindi Environmental Improvement Project (REIP). Part of the proceeds of this loan will be used for payments under the contract named above. Prequalification is open to applicants from eligible source countries of ADB.

The City District Government Rawalpindi (Executing Agency) through Project Management Unit (PMU), REIP invites Prequalification from eligible applicants for construction and completion of the following Works relating to the proposed Sewage Treatment Plant:

Anaerobic, facultative, and maturation ponds, inlet and outlet structures, forestation, laboratory, administration buildings and protection bunds towards nearby Soan River side.

Applicants will be required in their submission to demonstrate extensive experience of relevant construction.

The estimated construction duration of the contract is about 27 months. Contractors will be required to demonstrate an average construction turnover of US \$5 million per year.

It is expected that the Invitation for Bids will be made in November 2008.

(More details are provided in the Prequalification Document).

To obtain further information and inspect the Prequalification Documents, applicants should contact:

Project Director
Project Management Unit
First Floor, WASA Headquarters, Liaquat Bagh, Muree Road, Rawalpindi, Pakistan
Tel.: 92 51 5774444; Fax: 92 51 5532188; E-mail: pdreip@yahoo.co.uk

To purchase the Prequalification Documents in English, eligible applicants should:

- write to address above requesting the Prequalification Documents for Contract No. ICB/REIP/STP/01: Construction of Sewage Treatment Plant;
- pay a non-refundable fee of PRs.7,000 or US \$100 by Bank draft or Pay Order issued by a scheduled Bank in favor of Project Director, Project Management Unit (PMU), REIP;

- for an additional fee of US \$50, the PMU will send the Prequalification Document by express mail or courier. The PMU accepts no liability for loss or late delivery.

Deliver your application:

- to the address above;
- on or before 2:00 p.m., on 18 September 2008. Prequalification documents received after this deadline will be returned unopened.

C. Rawalpindi Environmental Improvement Project

Loan: 2211/2212-PAK (SF)

Contract No.: ICB/REIP/TS/01: Construction of Outfall (Trunk) Sewer to Sewage Treatment Plant

Deadline for Submission of Applications: **2:00 p.m. on 30 August 2008**

The Islamic Republic of Pakistan has received a loan from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) towards the cost of the Rawalpindi Environmental Improvement Project (REIP). Part of the proceeds of this loan will be used for payments under the contract named above. Prequalification is open to applicants from eligible source countries of ADB.

The City District Government Rawalpindi (Executing Agency) through Project Management Unit (PMU), REIP invites Prequalification from eligible applicants for construction and completion of the following Works:

- Construction of about 25 Kilometers long Outfall (Trunk) Sewer from Ammar Chowk Rawalpindi to Sewage Treatment Plant near village Adyala
- Applicants will be required in their submission to demonstrate extensive experience of relevant construction.
- The estimated construction duration of the contract is about 24 months. Contractors will be required to demonstrate an average construction turnover of US \$5 million per year.
- It is expected that the Invitation for Bids will be made in November 2008.

(More details are provided in the Prequalification Document)

To obtain further information and inspect the Prequalification Documents, applicants should contact:

Project Director
Project Management Unit
First Floor, WASA Headquarters
Liaquat Bagh, Muree Road, Rawalpindi, Pakistan
Tel.: 92 51 5774444; Fax: 92 51 5532188
E-mail: pdreip@yahoo.co.uk

To purchase the Prequalification Documents in English, eligible applicants should:

- write to address above requesting the Prequalification Documents for Contract No. ICB/REIP/TS/01: Construction of Outfall (Trunk) Sewer to Sewage Treatment Plant.
- pay a non-refundable fee of PRs.7,000 or US \$100 by Bank draft or Pay Order issued by a scheduled Bank in favor of Project Director, PMU, REIP.
- The PMU will send the Prequalification Document by express mail or courier for an additional fee of US \$50. The PMU accepts no liability for loss or late delivery.

Deliver your application:

- to the address above;
- on or before 2:00 p.m., 30 August 2008. Prequalification documents received after this deadline will be returned unopened.

The following pre-qualified firms need not re-apply.

- M/s SINOHYDRO Corporation - People's Republic of China

- M/s XINJIANG Construction Engineering Co. (Group) Ltd. - People's Republic of China
- M/s People's Republic of China Geo Engineering Corporation - People's Republic of China
- M/s Techno International - Pakistan
- M/s People's Republic of China State Construction Engineering Group - People's Republic of China
- M/s XINJIANG TONGHUI Construction Group Company - People's Republic of China
- M/s Matracon-XB (JV) - Pakistan/People's Republic of China
- M/s RM Gulistan Engineers & Contractors (Pvt) Ltd. Pakistan

PHILIPPINES

Technical Education and Skills Development Project

Loan No.: 1750-PHI

Contract No.: ADBTES-07: Supply, Delivery, Installation, Testing, Training and Commissioning of Various Civil Technology Tools and Equipment

Deadline for Bids: **10:00 am on 8 September 2008**

The Republic of the Philippines has received a loan from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) towards the cost of Technical Education and Skills Development Project (TESDP), and it intends to apply part of the proceeds of this loan to payments under the contracts for the Supply, Delivery, Installation, Testing, Training and Commissioning of Various Civil Technology Tools and Equipment.

The Technical Education and Skills Development Authority (TESDA) now invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for the supply, delivery, installation, testing, commissioning of and training on Various Civil Technology Tools and Equipment consisting of seven (7) lots as listed below:

Lot No.	Distinct Area of Competency
1	Building Wiring Installation
2	Painting
3	Masonry
4	Plumbing
5	Heavy Equipment (Mechanical) Servicing
6	Carpentry, Screed Operation and Reinforced-Steel Bar Installation
7	Scaffold Erection and Tile Setting

Bidders need to bid for all lots and all items in each lot, as further defined in the Bidding Documents. Evaluation and contract award will be undertaken by lot and/or by line item basis, which is most advantageous in terms of quality/specification and cost to the government.

Bidding will be conducted in accordance with ADB's Limited International Bidding Procedure.

Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from TESDA and inspect the Bidding Document at the address given below from 9:00 - 4:00 pm, Monday to Friday.

To purchase the Bidding Documents in English, bidders should:

- submit a written application to the address below;
- pay a non-refundable fee of PHP 9,000 or US \$200. The method of payment will be in certified bank check or cash. The Bidding Document shall be received personally by the prospective bidder or his authorized representative.

" Bidders who wish to receive the Bidding Documents to be sent thru Courier, an additional fee of PHP 5,400 or US \$120 will be paid in the form of certified bank check payable to "TESDA" or cash. No liability will be accepted for loss or late delivery.

Bids must be delivered:

- to the address below;
- on or before 10:00 am on 8 September 2008;

All bids must be accompanied by a Bid Security of not less than US \$65,000 or PHP2,925,000. Late bids shall be rejected. Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders' representatives, who choose to attend at the address below at 10:00 am on 8 September 2008.

TESDA will not be responsible for any costs or expenses incurred by the bidders in connection with the preparation or delivery of bids.

Technical Education and Skills Development Authority
Administration Building, TESDA Complex
East Service Road, South Luzon Expressway
Fort Bonifacio, Taguig City, Philippines
Contact: The Bids and Awards Committee Chairman
Tel.: (63 2) 8174076-81 loc. 314 & 315 and 888 – 5798; Fax: (63 2) 817 - 9040
E-mail: psd_ocs@tesda.gov.ph; Website: <http://www.tesda.gov.ph>

TAJKISTAN

A. Regional Power Transmission Interconnection

Loan No.: 2303-TAJ

Contract Title: Rehabilitation of Excitation and Temperature Monitoring Systems at Baipaza Hydropower Plant (Lot 5)

Deadline for Bids: **10 October 2008, 12:00 Hours**

The Republic of Tajikistan has received a loan from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) towards the cost of The Regional Power Transmission Interconnection Project. Part of this loan will be used for payments under the contract named above. Bidding is open to bidders from eligible source countries of ADB.

The Open Joint Stock Holding Company Barki Tojik. (the Employer) invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for the construction and completion of Rehabilitation of Excitation and Temperature Monitoring Systems at Baipaza Hydropower Plant (Lot 5) (the Facilities).

The bidder, either as a single entity or joint venture, shall meet all the qualification criteria set forth below:

- Average annual turnover of at least US \$2.85 million;
- Must demonstrate access to or availability of financial resources to meet the cash flow requirements;
- With specific experience as a contractor or subcontractor in at least three (3) contracts of similar size and nature within the last ten (10) years, each with a value of at least US \$1.5 million;
- With specific experience in key activities during the past five (5) years such as supply and installation of similar excitation systems in more than three different hydropower stations for generators rated above 20MW, and similar temperature monitoring equipment in at least three hydropower stations; and
- Has or has access to test equipment to verify performance of excitation system and general plant monitoring equipment, i.e., vibration check and measurement before and after refurbishment.

International competitive bidding will be conducted in accordance with [ADB's Single-Stage: One-Envelope Bidding Procedure](#) .

To obtain further information and inspect the Bidding Documents, bidders should contact:

Attention: Mr. Rahimov Sanat
 PMU Office, 39A Khakarova St., Dushanbe 734026
 Republic of Tajikistan
 Tel.: Local 221 17 41; International: +992 372 21 17 41
 E-mail: pmu@mkf.tj

A pre-bid meeting will be held on 11 September 2008, 10:00 AM, at Open Joint Stock Holding Company Barki Tojik PMU, Kakarohova St 39A, Dushanbe, Republic of Tajikistan. A site visit organized by the Employer will be conducted the day following the pre-bid meeting.

To purchase the bidding documents in English, eligible bidders should:

- write to address above requesting the bidding documents for Rehabilitation of Excitation and Temperature Monitoring Systems at Baipaza Hydropower Plant (Lot 5);
- pay a non-refundable fee of US \$400 in cash or by bank transfer payable to Open Joint Stock Holding Company Barki Tojik. Prospective bidders may contact the address above for bank account details;
- The Bidding Document may be sent through courier for an additional fee of US \$100. No liability will be accepted for loss or late delivery.

Deliver your bid:

- to the address above
- on or before 10 October 2008, 12:00 n.n.
- together with a Bid Security of US \$50,000 or an equivalent amount in a freely convertible currency.

Bids will be opened immediately after the deadline in the presence of bidders' representatives who choose to attend.

When comparing bids, ADB's Domestic Preference Scheme will not be applied.

B. Sustainable Cotton Subsector Project

Loan No.: 2271 TAJ (SF)
 Contract No. and Title: ADB/ICB/C2271/01/ Procurement of laboratory equipment
 Deadline for Bids: **27 September 2008 at 14:00 local time**

The Government of Republic of Tajikistan has received a loan from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) towards the cost of Sustainable Cotton Subsector Project. Part of the proceeds of this loan will be used for eligible payments under the contract named above.

The State Establishment "Project Management Unit for resolution of cotton producing farm debt and cotton sector sustainable development" now invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for the procurement of the laboratory equipments:

Lot No.	Name of Goods or Related Services	Unit	Quantity	Description
1	Solar Power Units (all related services according to technical specifications)	pc	3	Power- 2500Wt Voltage -220V Current strength -11 A accumulator battery recharge system Voltage regulator Signal about lacks of light radiation Protection against precipitation Range of temperature -30C to +55C; Installation, Commissioning

1	Lighting	pc	200	Modern lighting units Consisting 1.2 mtr outer fluorescent lighting casing unit and containing one each of Fluorescent tube lighting 36w/965 36w/960 36w/860
2	Generator (all related services according to technical specifications)	pc	3	Super silent design Super Silent Power automatic supply, kVa 40 Running time counter Water separator Number of cylinders 4 Speed 1500 Fuel Diesel Engine power, kW 36,4 Cooling, engine/generator Oil/air
3	Back up UPS (all related services according to technical specifications)	pc	3	The type of input connectors Hard Wire 5-wire (3PH+N+G) The distortions of output Stress Less than 5% at Full load Output frequency of 47-53 Hz for 50 Hz nominal Type of device Uninterruptible Power Supply Nome. Output capacity, VA 30kVA Nome. V output voltage is 230V, 400V, 3PH (1) Hard Wire 4 -wire (3PH + G) (1) Hard Wire 5 wire (3PH + N + G) (1) Screw Terminals Nom. W Output power 24 kW Nom. the input voltage V 400V 3PH AC input voltage range, V, 304-477 V Dimensions (mm) maximum height 1499.00 mm The maximum width of 559.00 mm Maximum depth of 813.00 mm Gross mass-660.00 kg
3	Network PC (all related services according to technical specifications)	pc	3	CABLE RJB -45 DESKTOP 2.0Ghz/ 120GB/1GB(2x512)/DVDRW LS/ HDD / VGA INTG / LAN CARD / COM SLOT / KEY / MOUSE /19" SERVER PC CORE2DUO 2.33MHz / 1000 RAM / HDD 160 GB / RAID or ACRONICS BACKUP / VGA INTG / LAN CARD / KEY / MOUSE / HUB 16 PORT MIN / PRTABLE HDD USB 160GB / ADSL MODEN /19"
3	Air compressor (all related services according to technical specifications)	pc	3	The air supplied to the instrument should comply with ISO8573.1 Quality Class 3 Air Pressure: 100-150 PSIG (700 - 1034 kPA) Air volume: The instrument requires at list three SCFM (85 liters/min) supplied by a 10mm (3/8 inch) line.
3	Airconditioning-general (all related services according to technical specifications)	pc	3	Phase 2 Frequency 50 Hz(50) Voltage (220-230) Culling capacity 35000 Btu/h Refrigerant R-22, 3.5 kg, 7000 W Input Current 2600 Heating capacity 35000 Btu/h 7500W Input Current 2500W Installation & maintenance
3	Temperature/Humidity recorders (all related services according to technical specifications)	pc	3	Range of measurement of relative humidity from 10 up to 95 %; Range of measurement of temperature from-20 up to 140°F (from 28 up to 60°C); From-20 up to 140°F (from-28 up to 60°C) Accuracy +-3 % of relative humidity; + - 1.8°F (+ - 1°C) +-3 % of relative humidity; + - 1.8°F (+ - 1°C) The sizes 5 * 7.7 * 0.9" (129 * 195 * 22mm) 5 * 7.7 * 0.9" (129 * 195 * 22??) Weight 12.6 ounces (357 gr.)
3	Portable moisture metres (all related services according to technical specifications)	pc	3	Designed to check the moisture content in lint cotton and seed
4	Air conditioning (Lab & conditioning (all related services according to technical specifications)	pc	3	Type DA 15-ACS Air on 22C, 50% RH Total Capacitv 15.4 kW

				Sensible Capacity 14.7 kW Air on 24C, 50% RH Total Capacity 16.2 kW Sensible Capacity 15.1 kW
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Note: Delivery will be in the following locations: Dushanbe, Khujand, and Bokhtar district. International competitive bidding will be conducted in accordance with [ADB's Single-Stage: One-Envelope Bidding Procedure](#) and is open to all bidders from eligible source countries of ADB.

Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information and inspect the Bidding Document from State Establishment "Project Management Unit (PMU) for resolution of cotton producing farm debt and cotton sector sustainable development" at the address given below from 9:00 to 17:00 local time.

To purchase the Bidding Document in English and Russian language, bidders should

- submit a written application to the address below;
- payment a non-refundable fee of US \$200 or equivalent amount in local currency on the day of payment according to National Bank of Tajikistan. The method of payment will be by direct deposit.
- The Bidding Document may be sent by airmail for an additional fee of \$30 (local delivery) or \$50 (overseas delivery). No liability will be accepted for loss or late delivery.

Bids must be delivered:

- to the address below;
- on or before 27 September 2008 at 14:00 local time. Late bids shall be rejected.
- All bids must be accompanied by a Bid Security of US \$2,500 per lot of the bid price, or equivalent in local currency, or equivalent amount in a freely convertible currency.
- Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend at the address below on 27 September 2008 at 14:00 local time.

The PMU will not be responsible for any costs or expenses incurred by bidders in connection with the preparation or delivery of bids.

State Establishment "PMU for resolution of cotton producing farm debt and cotton sector sustainable development"
Attention to: Mr. Muhridin Sheraliev
44, Rudaki Avenue, Dushanbe 734025, Republic of Tajikistan
Tel/Fax: (+992 37) 221 34 50; E-mail: pmu_cotton@tajnet.com

UZBEKISTAN

A. Grain Productivity Improvement Project

Loan No.: 2017 UZB

Contract No.: GPIP/ICB/08, Supply and Delivery of Wheeled Hydraulic Excavators with a Blade Device

Deadline for Bids: **19 September 2008, 11:00 AM**

The Republic of Uzbekistan has received a loan from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) towards the cost of Grain Productivity Improvement Project, and it is intended to apply part of the proceeds of these loan payments under the contract for procurement of Wheeled Hydraulic Excavators with a Blade Device.

The Rural Restructuring Agency (RRA) under the Ministry of Agriculture and Water Resources of the Republic of Uzbekistan now invites sealed bids from the eligible bidders for: *GPIP/ICB/08 Wheeled Hydraulic Excavators with a Blade Device*

International competitive bidding will be conducted in accordance with [ADB's Single-Stage: One-Envelope Bidding Procedure](#) and is open to all bidders from eligible source countries.

Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from at the office of the RRA and inspect the Bidding Document at the address stated below from 09:00 to 18:00 hours.

To purchase the Bidding Document in English, bidders should:

- submit a written application to the address stated below
- pay a non-refundable fee of US \$200 for foreign participants and equivalent in Uzbek Soums using the exchange rate of the Central Bank of Uzbekistan on date of payment for local participants. The method of payment will be direct deposit to account number below. The document will be sent by courier services for overseas and local delivery. No liability will be accepted for loss or late delivery.

Name and Address of Payee's Bank and Account Number:

Bank Name: Joint-Stock Commercial "Pakhta Bank"

Bank Address: 43, Muqimiy street., Tashkent 700096, Republic of Uzbekistan

SWIFT Code: PAKHUZ22

Bank Code: 00394

Payee's Account No.:

for foreign Bidders: 202108401039656370010 US Dollars

for local Bidders: 20210000303965637007 UZ Soum

Bids must be delivered:

- to the address below
- on or before 11:00 (Tashkent time) 19 September 2008. Late bids shall be rejected.
- All bids must be accompanied by a Bid Security of not less than US \$14.5 or equivalent amount in freely convertible currency.

Bids will be opened immediately thereafter in the presence of the bidder's representatives who choose to attend at the address below.

The RRA will not be responsible for any costs or expenses incurred by bidders in connection with the preparation or delivery of bids.

In the comparison of bids, ADB's Domestic Preference Scheme will be applied in accordance with the provisions stipulated in the Instructions to bidders.

Rural Restructuring Agency

Kari Niyazi str., 39(b), 100000, Tashkent, Republic of Uzbekistan

Tel/Fax: (+998 71) 237-16-57, 237-16-58; E-mail: gpip2017@sks.uz

B. CAREC Regional Road Project

Loan No.: 2403-UZB

Contract No. and Title :C1- Procurement of Road Construction Equipment

Deadline for Bids: **17 September 2008, 11:00 AM**

The Republic of Uzbekistan has received a loan from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) towards the cost of the CAREC Regional Road Project and intends to apply part of the proceeds of this loan to payments under the contract for the supply and delivery to Uzbekistan of Road Construction Equipment.

The ADB Project Implementation Unit (PIU) of the Uzbek Road Fund (the Purchaser) now invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for the supply and delivery of:

Item	Quantity
Lot - 1. Earthmoving Equipment	
1.1 Bulldozer, capacity 100-150	10
1.2 Bulldozer, capacity 180-200	6
1.3 Bulldozer, capacity 300-350 hp	4
1.4 Motor Grader, weight 20 t	12
1.5 Motor Grader, weight 13 t	16
1.6 Excavator, with 1.5-2m ³ bucket	8
1.7 Front-end Loader, with 4-5 m ³ bucket	14
Lot - 2. Road Maintenance and Transportation Equipment	
2.1 Dump truck with the capacity 15 t	156
2.2 Loader with trailer, capacity 60 t	2
2.3 Fuelling vehicle, capacity 8000l	6
2.4 Bitumen tanker, capacity GVW 20-25 t	4
2.5 Mobile repair shop	6
Lot - 3. Asphalt mixing equipment	
3.1 Asphalt mixing plant, mobile, 100 t/h	4
Lot - 4. Rock-crushing and screening equipment	
4.1 Rock-crushing and screening plant, 100m ³ /h	6
Lot - 5. Special Road Construction machines	
5.1 Asphalt recycler	4
5.2 Cold milling asphalt cutter, with width of 2.0m	8
5.3 Cold milling asphalt cutter, with width of 0.5m	4
Lot - 6. Pavers and Rollers	
6.1 Asphalt paver, Crawler type, working width 7.5 m	2
6.2 Asphalt paver, Wheel type, working width 7.5 m	2
6.3 Combined Roller weight 8.6 t	5
6.4 Vibration tandem roller, weight 9.2 t	4

International competitive bidding will be conducted in accordance with the [ADB's Single Stage: One-Envelope Bidding Procedure](#) and is open to bidders from eligible source countries. Bids are invited for individual lots or for any combination of lots. Lots shall not be further subdivided for the purposes of bidding.

Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from the Purchaser and inspect the Bidding Documents at the address indicated below between 10:00 am and 5:00 pm.

To purchase the Bidding Document in English, bidders should:

- submit a written application to the address below;
- pay a non-refundable fee of US \$300 or equivalent in Uzbek Soums using the exchange rate of the Central Bank of Uzbekistan on date of payment. The method of payment will be by bank transfer to the following accounts:

For local currency (Soum) payments

Bank: TURON Bank
 SWIFT: TUROUZ22
 Bank Code: 00446
 Address: 4A Abay St, Tashkent
 Acct No: 20210000904695839001

For US\$ currency payments

Bank: TURON Bank
 SWIFT: TUROUZ22
 Bank Code: 00446
 Address: 4A Abay St, Tashkent
 Acct No: 20210840004695839001

The document will be sent by courier services, if required, upon payment of an additional fee of US \$100. No liability will be accepted for loss or late delivery.

Bids must be delivered:

- to the address below;
- on or before 11:00 am (Tashkent Time) on 17 September 2008. Late bids shall be rejected.

All bids must be accompanied by the Bid Security detailed below, or the equivalent in Uzbek Soum or a freely convertible currency, and must be delivered in accordance with the Bidding Documents.

Lot 1 - US\$ 220 000,00	Lot 4 - US\$ 60 000,00
Lot 2 - US\$ 280 000,00	Lot 5 - US\$ 200 000,00
Lot 3 - US\$ 140 000,00	Lot 6 - US\$ 50 000,00

The Purchaser will not be responsible for any costs or expenses incurred by bidders in connection with the preparation or delivery of bids.

In the comparison of bids, ADB's Domestic Preference Scheme will be applied in accordance with the provisions stipulated in the Bidding Documents.

Ministry of Finance
Road Fund ADB PIU
29 Khadicha Sulaymanova, Tashkent 100017, Uzbekistan
Attn.: Mr. A. A. Tashmatov
Director Road Fund ADB PIU
Fax: 998 (71) 239-4908; Tel.: 998 (71) 239-4679; E-mail: atashmatov@rambler.ru

VIETNAM

A. Northern Power Transmission Expansion Sector Project

Loan No. 2225-VIE

Contract No.: Package I-2: Supply of steel towers for 500kV Son La - Hoa Binh and Son La - Nho Quan Transmission Lines

Deadline for Bids: **9.00AM on 8 September 2008**

This Invitation for Bids follows the General Procurement Notice for this project that appeared in the ADB Business Opportunities on 11 January 2006.

The Socialist Republic of Viet Nam has received a loan from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) towards the cost of the Northern Power Transmission Expansion Sector Project, and it intends to apply part of the proceeds of this loan to payments under the contract for the supply of Package I-2: Steel Towers, Lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 for the Son La - Hoa Binh/ Son La - Nho Quan 500kV Transmission Line Subprojects.

Electricity of Vietnam (EVN)/Northern Vietnam Power Project Management Board (NPPMB) (the Purchaser) now invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for supply of steel towers. The goods and services of this package are divided into four (4) lots as follows:

- Package I-2, lot 1: Supply of Double-circuit suspension towers, Double-circuit tension towers and Transposition tension towers. Total towers are 129 positions.
- Package I-2, lot 2: Supply of Double-circuit suspension towers and Double-circuit tension towers. Total towers are 137 positions.
- Package I-2, lot 3: Supply of Double-circuit suspension towers, Double-circuit tension towers and Transposition tension towers. Total towers are 122 positions.
- Package I-2, lot 4: Supply of Single-circuit suspension towers, Single-circuit tension towers and Crossing suspension towers. Total towers are 207 positions.

Bidders have the option to bid for one, a combination of two or three lots, or all four lots.

Bidders are required to have satisfactory experience in the execution of two (2) similar contracts for supply of steel towers for transmission lines having a voltage rating of at least 220 kV and a contract value equal to VND 30 billion/lot or US \$1,900,000/lot. Average annual turnover (converted into US Dollars) of the bidder should at least be equal to the offered price.

International competitive bidding will be conducted in accordance with [ADB's Single-Stage: One-Envelope Bidding Procedure](#) and is open to all bidders from eligible countries.

Interested eligible bidder may obtain further information and inspect the Bidding Document at the following address from 08:00 hours to 16:00 hours, Hanoi time, from 24 July 2008 (except weekends and holidays).

Northern Vietnam Power Project Management Board
Attn: Mr. TRAN VIET HUNG - Director of NPPMB
No. 1111D Hong Ha Street
Hoan Kiem District, Hanoi City-Vietnam
Tel.: 84 04 2103063; Fax: 84 04 9840824

To purchase the Bidding Document in English, eligible bidders should:

- submit a written application to the address above requesting for the Bidding Document for the above package
- pay a non-refundable fee of US \$300 or VND 4,650,000 by cash, bank draft or check to Account No. 211000000.5367 - Investment and Development Bank.
- The Bidding Document may also be sent through courier for an additional fee of US \$50. No liability will be accepted for loss or late delivery.

Bidders shall submit their bids:

- on or before 9:00 AM on 8 September 2008. Late bids will be rejected.
- to the address above
- together with a Bid Security of US \$400,000. Amount of Bid Security shall be corresponding to the specific lots:
 - Bid Security for Package I-2, lot.1: US \$100,000
 - Bid Security for Package I-2, lot.2: US \$100,000
 - Bid Security for Package I-2, lot.3: US \$100,000
 - Bid Security for Package I-2, lot.4: US \$100,000

The Purchaser will not be responsible for any cost or expense incurred in the preparation and delivery of bids.

Bids will be opened:

- in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend
- at 09:30 AM on 8 September 2008
- at the address above

When comparing bids, ADB's Domestic Preference Scheme will be applied in accordance with the provisions stipulated in the Bidding Document.

B. Mong Duong 1 Thermal Power Investment Program - Loan 1

Loan No. 2353-VIE

Contract No.: ADB/MD1TPIP/EPC-1: Engineering, Procurement, Construction (EPC) Package (Turnkey): Design, Manufacture, Supply, Delivery, Construction, Erection, Commissioning and Testing of Equipment, Structures and Facilities for 2 x 500MW Mong Duong Thermal Power Plant No.1

Deadline for Bids: **18 October 2008**

This Invitation for Prequalification follows the General Procurement Notice for this project that appeared in ADB's Business Opportunities on 2 August 2007.

The Socialist Republic of Vietnam has received a loan from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) towards the cost of Mong Duong (1) Thermal Power Plant Project. Part of this loan will be used for payments under the contract named above. Bidding is open to bidders from eligible source countries of ADB. The Vietnam Electricity (the Employer) intends to pre-qualify firms for the following contract under this project, i.e. Engineering, Procurement, Construction (EPC) Package (Turnkey): Design, Manufacture, Supply, Delivery, Construction, Erection, Commissioning and Testing of Equipment, Structures and Facilities for 2 x 500MW Mong Duong Thermal Power Plant No.1.

The Major works of the project:

- i. Main power plant: consisting of two (2) units, its configuration includes two (2) boilers + 1 turbine + 1 generator. The units are to be connected to the national network through a step-up transformer and 500kV switchyard.
 - Boiler: using CFB technology with a steam drum and a re-heater; capacity of 250MW
 - Turbine: traditional steam condenser, one shaft, with heating of feed water, capacity of 500 MW
 - Generator: Three-phase synchronous, insulating level F, frequency at 50 Hz.
- ii. Fuel System: coal conveyors system, coal yard, oil and limestone supply system, etc.
- iii. Fresh water supply system, cooling water system and discharge channel
- iv. Anti-dust, anti-noise systems, ash handling system and environmental protection system
- v. Fire fighting system
- vi. Auxiliary power system, switchyard for connection to National Network
- vii. Other work items: water treatment system, waste water treatment system, ash handling system, common services for operators, warehouses, workshops, administration building, etc.

Only eligible applicants with the following key qualifications should participate in this prequalification:

- i. The Applicant or the lead member in case of consortium/joint venture has engineered, supplied, installed and commissioned as the prime contractor or the lead member of a consortium/joint venture on the EPC turn-key basis at least two (2) conventional thermal power plant with capacity of 300MW or larger in the last fifteen (15) years and shall have at least 12,000 hours of successful operation to the date of issuance of the prequalification documents, one of which is outside their home country.
- ii. The boiler designer and manufacturer, who shall design, manufacture, supply, commission and guarantee its performance for this project have successfully designed, manufactured, supplied, commissioned and tested:
 - at least two (2) CFB technology and sub-critical or higher drum-typed boilers with a capacity of 200 MW or larger in the last fifteen (15) years and shall have at least 6,000 hours of successful operation to the date of issuance of the prequalification documents. The boiler efficiency (guaranteed/actual) shall also be declared for information;
 - at least one CFB technology and sub-critical or higher drum-typed boilers fires anthracite coal as classified by ASTM D388 in the last fifteen (15) years and shall have at least 6,000 hours of successful operation to the date of issuance of the Prequalification documents.

- iii. The Steam Turbine and Generator (STG) designers and manufacturers, who shall design, manufacture, supply, commission and guarantee its performance for this project have successfully designed, manufactured, supplied, commissioned and tested at least two (2) steam turbine generators with a capacity of 500MW or larger in the last fifteen (15) years, one (1) of which shall have at least 12,000 hours of successful operation to the date of issuance of the prequalification documents. The unit heat rate (guaranteed/actual) shall also be declared for information.
- iv. The Step-up Transformer designer and manufacturer, who shall design, manufacture, supply, commission and guarantee its performance for this project have successfully designed, manufactured, supplied, commissioned and tested at least three (3) step-up transformers, with a capacity of 200MW (each phase) and 500kV outlet voltage or larger, in the last fifteen (15) years and shall have at least 12,000 hours of successful operation to the date of issuance of the prequalification documents.
- v. The ICMS designer/manufacturer, who shall design, manufacture, supply, commission and guarantee for this project have successfully designed, manufactured, supplied, commissioned and tested at least two (2) ICMS's of modern, state-of-the-art and proven microprocessor-based type for coal fired thermal power plants with a capacity of 500MW or larger in the last fifteen (15) years, one (1) of which shall have at least 12,000 hours of successful operation to the date of issuance of the Prequalification documents.
- vi. Minimum average annual construction turnover of US\$ 420 millions calculated as total certified payments received for contracts in progress or completed, within the last 3 (three) years. For each partner of JV must meet 25%, and one partner of JV must meet 40% of the requirement.

It is expected that the Invitation for Bids will be made in February 2009.

Interested eligible applicants may obtain further information from the Thermal Power PMU No.1 at the address indicated below from 7:30 a.m. on 18 August 2008 (office hours only).

The Prequalification Document, in English, may be purchased by interested applicants on the submission of a written application to the address below and upon payment of a non-refundable fee of US \$100 or an equivalent amount in VND. The method of payment will be by cash or direct deposit to the account indicated below. For an additional fee of \$50 or an equivalent amount in VND, the document will be sent by courier. No liability will be accepted for loss or late delivery.

Applications must be delivered to the address below on or before 4:00pm on 18 October 2008. The Employer reserves the right to accept or reject late applications.

The Employer will not be responsible for any costs or expenses incurred by applicants in connection with the preparation or delivery of their applications.

The Employer will notify all applicants in writing of the names of those applicants who have been pre-qualified.

Thermal Power Project Management Unit No.1
No. 30-Villas 4-Linh Dam Peninsula
Hoang Mai district, Hanoi City, Vietnam
Tel.: (84) 4 2163 240; Fax: (84) 4 6418 780
E-mail: maithanhtiep.tppmu1@gmail.com
Bank name: Bank for Investment and Development of Vietnam
Southern Hanoi Branch
Bank Address: Km8 Giai Phong St. Hoang Mai district, Hanoi City, Vietnam
Payee's Account No.
for foreign currency (USD): 213.10.37.0010165
for local currency (VND): 213.10.00.0009521
Bank Code: BIDVVNVX

V. OTHER NOTICES

ASIAN DEVELOPMENT BANK

A. Consultancy Engagement: Review and Propose Improvements to ADB's Project Performance Rating (PPR) System

Expressions of Interest (EOI) invited for consultancy
Deadline for submission of EOI: **5 September 2008**

The Asian Development Bank (ADB) is looking for a firm who could provide consultancy services for the above project of the Office of Information Systems and Technology (OIST).

Refer to the [Terms of Reference](#) for detailed information regarding the nature of services to be provided for the Project Processing and Portfolio Management - Non- Financials (P3M-NF) consultant for the Project Performance Rating solution. If your firm is capable and interested, please send us your proposals and include the following details:

- Approach to be taken in carrying out and completing the consultancy engagement
- Proposed number of consultants, their signed CVs and confirmation if the consultant has close relative that ADB employs; if affirmative, please specify relation to ADB staff (i.e. spouse). In the case of spouse, please indicate the name and position of ADB staff.
- Total estimated price or firm-fixed-price including the breakdown of the consultant's remuneration, travel expenses, accommodation, per diem and all incidental expenses.

Deadline for submission of EOI: 5 September 2008

Duration of consulting services: Approximately 100 working days over a six (6)-month-period

Tentative Commencement Date: September 2008

Anticipated completion date: February 2009

Type of consultant: Individual or Firm

EOIs should be submitted to: Head, Central Services (E-mail: centralservices@adb.org)

B. Consultancy Engagement: Quality at Entry Assessment

Expressions of Interest (EOI) invited for consultancy
Deadline for submission of EOI: **19 August 2008**

The Quality at Entry (QAE) ratings exercise is intended to deliver an important commitment to the Asian Development Fund donors and to contribute towards achieving Asian Development Bank's (ADB's) corporate vision - An Asia and Pacific Region Free of Poverty.

The quality-at-entry assessment is part of ADB's accountability framework for managing for development results. The outputs of the QAE ratings will also contribute to Level 3 Operational Effectiveness of the ADB-wide Results Framework. It is also expected to contribute to learning and product quality improvement by allowing ADB to track the trends in quality-at-entry and manage for continuous improvement. Country and project teams can also use the QAE standards for self-assessment at the design of projects and also country partnership strategies.

Terms of Reference of Consultants for:

Assessment of Sovereign Projects

1. Scope of Work - Assessment of sovereign projects and preparation of report.

2. Detailed Tasks:
 - i. Carry out a detailed assessment of the sample projects using the agreed criteria and the guide questionnaire-which is expected to be based principally on report and recommendations of the President (RRPs), country partnership strategy related reports/documents, Management Review Meeting minutes, Staff Review Committee Meeting minutes, and back-to-office reports of the processing mission, as appropriate; discussion with ADB officials, as necessary-the consultant will provide clear references to source documents for the evidence to support the assessment against each criterion for independent review by group members.
 - ii. Participate and advise the working Group on related matters, as requested.
 - iii. Prepare a report on the QAE assessment of the sovereign projects.
 - iv. Such other work as may reasonably be required by the chair and co-chair.
3. Output/Report Requirements - Sovereign projects QAE assessment and report by mid-September.

Preparation of a Consolidated QAE Report

1. Scope of Work - Preparation of a draft consolidated report of the QAE rating exercise, working closely with the Chair and Co-chairs of the Working Group.
2. Detailed Tasks:
 - i. Carry out a quality and completeness review of the QAE results and reports;
 - ii. Assist in filling the gaps or in strengthening quality and completeness of QAE results and reports;
 - iii. Assist in preparing a draft consolidated QAE report, highlighting results, their implications, and key recommendations;
 - iv. Participate and contribute in working Group retreat/meetings to confirm the QAE performance assessment of each CPS;
 - v. Such other work as may reasonably be required by the chair and co-chairs
3. Output/Report Requirements -QAE assessment report by end September.

Duration of consulting services: approximately 35-40 days

Tentative commencement date: 4th week August 2008

Type of consultant: Individual

EOIs should be submitted to Head, Central Services (E-mail: centralservices@adb.org)

KYRGYZ

CAREC Transport Corridor 1 (Bishkek-Torugart Road), Project 1

Expression of Interest (EOI) invited for consulting services

Deadline for submission: 1 September 2008

The Government of the Kyrgyz Republic has applied for a grant from the Asian Development Bank (ADB), and intends to apply part of the proceeds of this grant under CAREC Transport Corridor 1 (Bishkek-Torugart Road), Project 1 for the consulting services for the construction supervision, project monitoring and evaluation.

The services requested include: (i) design review, tendering and construction supervision (46 person-months [pm]); (ii) project benefits monitoring and evaluation using the criteria of the project performance management system (PPMS), focusing on social, environmental and poverty impact monitoring (5 pm), and (iii) preparation of project 2 including preparation of full Environmental Impact Assessment (9 pm).

The Project Implementation Unit of the Ministry of Transport and Communications now invites eligible consultants to indicate their interest in providing the services.

Consultants may form associations to enhance their qualifications.

Consultants will be selected based on Quality- and Cost-Based Selection (QCBS) method in accordance with the [Guidelines on the Use of Consultants by Asian Development Bank and its Borrowers \(February 2007\)](#). The services are expected to start not later than December 2008.

Interested consulting firms from ADB's member countries may obtain further information at the address below from 8-30 to 17-30 hours (local time).

Expression of Interest must be delivered to the address below not later than **1 September 2008**.

Investment Projects
Implementation Department
Room 602, 42 Isanova Str., Bishkek, 720017, Kyrgyz Republic
Tel.: +996 (312) 61-05-85; Fax/tel: +996 (312) 66-23-36; E-mail: piumotc@mail.ru

NEPAL

A. Skills for Employment

Loan 2111-NEP

Expressions of Interest (EOIs) re-invited for Market Oriented Short Term (MOST) Sweet and Dairy Product Producer Training; Deadline for submission: 15 August 2008

The Skills for Employment Project (the Project) supported by the Government of Nepal and Asian Development Bank aims to promote poverty reduction by increasing the engagement in wage, international employment and self employment through market-oriented short term (MOST) skills training particularly for women, dalits and the other disadvantaged groups. Ministry of Education and Sports is the Executing Agency and Council for Technical Education and Vocational Training (CTEVT) is the Implementing Agency of the Project.

The Project now re-invites interested National Technical Training Providers (TTPs) to submit EOI for *Package No. TTP-07/08: To conduct urban based Market Oriented Short Term (MOST) Sweets and dairy product producer training*. The main objective of the assignment is to enable participants to learn Sweets and dairy product producing skills so that they will gain employment opportunity locally and abroad after completion the training. The TTP should have their own training facilities if not; the lead TTP should define clearly in the proposal about the use of training facilities of other organizations e.g. agreement, consent letter, memorandum of understanding (MOU) etc. In the case of rent and lease facilities, TTP should submit contract of agreement documents. TTP should submit the letter of tax clearance.

The training will be of two months (260 hours) in house with two months (260 hours) on the job training and provided to 600 interested individuals in three cycles in year 2008/09. Each cycle will run in five (5) different places ensuring regional balance and will have ten (10) groups with 20 participants in each group. TTPs are responsible for selecting the trainees with at least 60% disadvantaged group ensuring that 50% are women and 25% dalits and providing post training support to ensure 80% employment rate of the graduates. The maximum available budget is NRs 9.997 million (about \$ 156203) including stipend, skill testing fee and taxes.

The educational qualification of the trainees is grade (10) (SLC fail) and below as prescribed by curricula. The age limit of the applicants should be 16 - 40 years old.

TTPs will be selected and engaged under Consultant Qualification Selection (CQS) method in accordance with the [Guidelines on the Use of Consultants by Asian Development Bank and its Borrowers \(February 2007\)](#). TTPs will be evaluated based on the Management Competence (15%), Financial Competence (15%), Technical Competence (65%) and Geographical Competence (5%). Based on the evaluation of EOI, only first ranked TTP will be invited to submit the bio-data technical and financial proposal.

Interested TTPs may obtain [detailed EOI preparation guidelines](#), [TOR](#) and further information at website www.sepctevt.org.np and during office hours at the address below.

Those TTPs who have already submitted EOI need not submit again but if they want to submit again they can and will be evaluated as a new one.

The EOI must be submitted to the address below by **15 August 2008** during office hours (10AM-5 PM).

The Project Manager
Skills for Employment Project (SEP)
Council for Technical Education and Vocational Training (CTEVT)
Bijulibazar, Kathmandu
Tel: 01- 4781679, Fax: 01-47843305

B. Skills for Employment

Loan 2111-NEP

Expressions of Interest (EOIs) re-invited for Market Oriented Short Term (MOST) Scaffolder Training;
Deadline for submission: **15 August 2008**

The Skills for Employment Project (the Project) supported by the Government of Nepal and Asian Development Bank aims to promote poverty reduction by increasing the engagement in wage, international employment and self employment through market-oriented short term (MOST) skills training particularly for women, dalits and the other Disadvantaged Groups. Ministry of Education and Sports is the Executing Agency and Council for Technical Education and Vocational Training (CTEVT) is the Implementing Agency of the Project.

The Project now re-invites interested National Technical Training Providers (TTPs) to submit Expression of Interest for *Package No. TTP-12/08: To conduct urban based Market Oriented Short Term (MOST) Scaffolder training*. The main objective of the assignment is to enable participants to learn scaffolding skills so that they will gain employment opportunity locally and abroad after completion of training. The TTP should have their own training facilities if not; the lead TTP should define clearly in the proposal about the use of training facilities of other organizations e.g. agreement, consent letter, memorandum of understanding (MOU) etc. In the case of rent and lease facilities, TTP should submit contract of agreement documents. TTP should submit the letter of tax clearance.

The training will be of three months (390 hours) and provided to 800 interested individuals in four (4) cycles in year 2008/09. Each cycle will run in five different places ensuring regional balance and will have ten (10) groups with 20 participants in each group. TTPs are responsible for selecting the trainees at least 60% disadvantaged group ensuring that 50% are women and 25% dalits and providing post training support to ensure 80% employment rate of the graduates. The maximum available budget is NRs 14.261 million (about \$ 222,828) including stipend, skill testing fee and taxes.

The educational qualification of the trainees is grade ten (10) (SLC fail) and below as prescribed by curricula. The age limit of the applicants should be 16 - 40 years old.

TTPs will be selected and engaged under consultant quality cost based selection (QCBS) method in accordance with the [Guidelines on the Use of Consultants by Asian Development Bank and its Borrowers](#)

[\(February 2007\)](#). TTPs will be evaluated based on the Management Competence (15%), Financial Competence (15%), Technical Competence (65%) and Geographical Competence (5%). Based on the evaluation of the EOI, only short listed 6 TTPs will be invited to submit the bio-data technical and financial proposals.

Interested TTPs may obtain [detailed EOI preparation guidelines](#), [TOR](#), and further information at website www.sepctevt.org.np or during office hours at the address below.

Those TTPs who have already submitted EOI need not submit again but if they want to submit again they can and will be evaluated as a new one.

The EOI must be submitted to the address below by **15 August 2008** during office hours (10AM-5 PM).

The Project Manager
Skills for Employment Project (SEP)
Council for Technical Education and Vocational Training (CTEVT)
Bijulibazar, Kathmandu
Tel: 01- 4781679, Fax: 01-47843305

C. Skills for Employment

Loan 2111-NEP

Expressions of Interest (EOIs) re-invited for Market Oriented Short Term (MOST) Flower Decorator Training; Deadline for submission: 15 August 2008

The Skills for Employment Project (the Project) supported by the Government of Nepal and Asian Development Bank aims to promote poverty reduction by increasing the engagement in wage, international employment and self employment through market-oriented short term (MOST) skills training particularly for women, dalits and the other disadvantaged groups. Ministry of Education and Sports is the Executing Agency and Council for Technical Education and Vocational Training (CTEVT) is the Implementing Agency of the Project.

The Project now re-invites interested National Technical Training Providers (TTPs) to submit Expression of Interest for *Package No. TTP-10/08: To conduct urban based Market Oriented Short Term (MOST) Flower decorator training*. The main objective of the assignment is to enable participants to learn flower decorating skills so that they will gain employment opportunity locally and abroad after completion of training. The TTP should have their own training facilities if not; the lead TTP should define clearly in the proposal about the use of training facilities of other organizations e.g. agreement, consent letter, memorandum of understanding (MOU) etc. In the case of rent and lease facilities, TTP should submit contract of agreement documents. TTP should submit the letter of tax clearance.

The training will be for two months (260 hours) in house plus one month on the job training and provided to 600 interested individuals in three cycles in year 2008/09. Each cycle will run in five different places ensuring regional balance and will have ten (10) groups with 20 participants in each group. TTPs are responsible for selecting the trainees at least 60% disadvantaged group ensuring that 80% are women with 25% dalits and providing post training support to ensure 80% employment rate of the graduates. The maximum available budget is NRs 9.241 million (about \$144,391) including stipend, skill testing fee and taxes.

The educational qualification of the trainees is grade 10 (SLC fail) and below as prescribed by curricula. The age limit of the applicants should be 16 - 40 years old.

TTPs will be selected and engaged under Consultant qualification Selection (CQS) method in accordance with the [Guidelines on the Use of Consultants by Asian Development Bank and its Borrowers \(February 2007\)](#). TTPs will be evaluated based on the Management Competence (15%), Financial Competence

(15%), Technical Competence (65%) and Geographical Competence (5%). Based on the evaluation of the EOI, Only first ranked TTP will be invited to submit the bio-data technical and financial proposals.

Interested TTPs may obtain [detailed EOI preparation guidelines](#), [TOR](#), and further information at website www.sepctevt.org.np and during office hours at the address below.

Those TTPs who have already submitted EOI need not submit again but if they want to submit again they can and will be evaluated as a new one.

The EOI must be submitted to the address below by **15 August 2008** during office hours (10AM-5 PM).

The Project Manager
Skills for Employment Project (SEP)
Council for Technical Education and Vocational Training (CTEVT)
Bijulibazar, Kathmandu
Tel: 01- 4781679, Fax: 01-47843305

TAJIKISTAN

A. Community Participation Flood Management

Expressions of Interest (EOI) invited for consulting services: Project Implementation

Deadline for submission: **12 September 2008, 5:00 pm Manila time** (Submit electronic form)

Anticipated start date of contract: 1 March 2009

Anticipated completion date of contract: 31 August 2012

Eligibility: NGO consortia, composed of international or national NGOs with current field presence in Tajikistan

The objective of the proposed project is to develop capacity to anticipate, protect against, prepare for, and cope with floods and other disasters in approximately 130 flood-prone villages in Farkhor, Hamadoni, Vose, Pyandzh, and Shuroabad districts of Khatlon province in the Republic of Tajikistan. The objective will be met in two ways: (i) supporting households to adopt a holistic system to systematically understand and assess hazards and risks of flood and other disasters, mitigate them, monitor risks, address floods and other disasters when they occur, and be prepared for recovery; and (ii) providing silvicultural flood protection via selective restoration of natural ecosystems to strengthen riverbank and household areas against floods, and provide resource-based income to households. The proposed project will be implemented over a four-year period starting approximately 1 September 2008 and completing 31 August 2012, inclusive of about a six-month recruitment period for the implementing NGO consortium.

The project will require 285 person-months (pm) of consulting services, including 12 pm of international consultants and 309 pm of national consultants, and related field costs for implementation. Consultants will be recruited by ADB in accordance with ADB's Guidelines on the Use of Consultants (2007, as amended from time to time). The selection will be made under a single Quality and Cost-Based Selection (QCBS). Eligibility for this contract is limited to consortia of national and international NGOs with current field operations in Tajikistan.

The lead NGO on the winning tender will be the executing agency (EA) as well as being an implementing agency. In addition to overall success in producing the project results, the EA will be responsible for: (i) disbursing ADB proceeds and ensuring ADB procurement and consultant selection requirements are met; (ii) maintaining appropriate accounts, including reports on withdrawal applications and disbursement; (iii) consolidating NGO reporting and submitting to ADB progress and other reports in formats agreed upon with ADB; (iv) ensuring timely submission of audited accounts of the Project to ADB; and (v) serving as

the focal point for NGO coordination, ADB's project administration activities, and first point of contact with the PMO, the JFPR liaison consultant, and relevant offices of the Government.

The NGO consortium will work with a national JFPR liaison consultant who will be based in the Project Management Office (PMO) of the Ministry of Water Resources and Land Reclamation, which is the Executing Agency of the related ADB project 4356-TAJ Khatlon Province Flood Management Project (details available on www.adb.org). The implementation of the project will be guided by the project steering committee (PSC), which also directs activities of the loan.

EOI from any proposed consortium is expected to include NGOs, both international and national, which have current field operations in Tajikistan. The NGOs as a group will have a proven track record in field operations in disaster preparedness, restoration of natural ecosystems for flood management, and community organizing and participation, working with communities, local and national government in timely, successful implementation. The lead NGO will have extensive international experience and be able to demonstrate prior success both in timely and successful field implementation in disaster preparedness, and in meeting the requirements of an Executing Agency as shown above.

ADB now invites eligible NGO consortia to submit their EOI to demonstrate experience and capacity to provide the project implementation services. The total submission will not be longer than ten (10) pages for each consortium. The submission must be made electronically to the email address shown at the end. Consultants are encouraged to provide only materials that are specific to the proposed services, and to avoid submitting generic promotional material.

The following materials shall be included:

- Name, address, telephone and fax numbers of both lead NGO and other NGOs included in the consortium, along with a presentation of the group and their capacities, limited to two pages;
- List of similar assignments completed/undertaken in the last seven years, providing details of the client, country, source of funding, size, cost, years of services and description of services, and names and contact details of auditors of project accounts, with emphasis on any work already done jointly, limited to three pages;
- Information regarding technical experts/personnel available currently to deliver such services, limited to two pages;
- Present workload (amount and type of work, country and assignment and experts deployed), limited to work in Tajikistan and to two pages;
- Approach they would adopt in the unique conditions prevalent in Tajikistan, and any other details to provide to enable ADB to appreciate relevant capability, limited to one page.

The Deadline for the submission of the electronic version of the EOI is 5:00 PM (Manila local time) on 12 September 2008 to the email address below. Any questions should be provided in email form before 29 August 2008; telephone requests will not be entertained. Subject to approval of the proposed JFPR grant by the Board, the EOIs will be immediately reviewed. All firms will be advised of the result of their EOI. Only firms that have been short-listed will be invited to submit a technical proposal. The names and addresses of short-listed firms will be published in the ADB website.

EOIs and any questions should be submitted to: Betty Wilkinson, Rural Development Specialist, CWAE (E-mail: bwilkinson@adb.org)

B. Community Participation Flood Management

Submission of Curriculum Vitae invited for JFPR Coordinator, 36 person-months

Deadline for submission: **12 September 2008, 5:00 pm Manila time** (Submit electronic form)

Anticipated start date of contract: 1 October 2008

Anticipated completion date of contract: 30 September 2012

Eligibility: Tajikistan citizens with suitable qualifications, for an individual contract

The objective of the proposed project is to develop capacity to anticipate, protect against, prepare for, and cope with floods and other disasters in approximately 130 flood-prone villages in Farkhor, Hamadoni, Vose, Pyandzh, and Shuroabad districts of Khatlon province in the Republic of Tajiistan. The objective will be met in two ways: (i) supporting households to adopt a holistic system to systematically understand and assess hazards and risks of flood and other disasters, mitigate them, monitor risks, address floods and other disasters when they occur, and be prepared for recovery; and (ii) providing silvicultural flood protection via selective restoration of natural ecosystems to strengthen riverbank and household areas against floods, and provide resource-based income to households. The proposed project will be implemented over a four-year period starting approximately 1 September 2008 and completing 31 August 2012, inclusive of about a six-month recruitment period for the implementing NGO consortium.

The Japan Fund for Poverty Reduction (JFPR) coordinator position is described below. In collaboration with the loan PMU and the consortia of NGOs which will physically implement the proposed Grant, the JFPR coordinator will: (i) support ADB in implementing the tender process leading to the selection and contracting of the NGO team, and supervise the EA and IA implementation; (ii) ensure that the Project is implemented in accordance with the design; and (iii) ensure effective coordination of all activities and agencies involved. The JFPR coordinator is a national consultant, and will be physically located in the Project Management Office (PMO) of the Ministry of Water Resources and Land Reclamation, which is the Executing Agency of the related ADB project 4356-TAJ Khatlon Province Flood Management Project (details available on www.adb.org). Implementation of the JFRP project will be guided by the project steering committee (PSC), which also directs activities of the loan.

The JFPR coordinator will perform the following specific tasks:

- i. facilitate collaboration and communication between the executing agency (EA) and implementing agencies (IAs) and the Government on all matters regarding community disaster management in the project area;
- ii. function as point of contact for all matters regarding the JFPR project in the country;
- iii. act as secretary for the project steering committee on JFPR project matters, ensuring biannual meetings cover progress, actions needed, reporting, and coordination between the JFPR and loan projects;
- iv. coordinate monitoring and related reporting activities with partners, including field visits to observe progress, help document successes, and advise on problems;
- v. facilitate funds flow, financial reporting, and timely audits by the EA and IAs;
- vi. manage project activity information flows, including ensuring timely baseline and monitoring arrangements;
- vii. communicate project activities with key stakeholders;
- viii. analyze and evaluate any major obstacles during fieldwork and advise on and document recommended solutions;
- ix. regularly communicate and update the ADB project officer on the progress of work; and
- x. help to ensure the high quality of the project and its timely completion within the budget.

The JFPR coordinator should have at least three (3) years' experience in disaster management in Tajikistan with donors, preferably in the field. He or she should have a university degree in a relevant discipline, a clear understanding of NGOs and of the government structure for disaster management, and have worked with community groups in rural areas. He or she should have strong team skills, assessment and critical thinking and report writing skills, and be well organized. He or she should have proven skills working linguistically in the Tajik context, as well as documentary revision capacity in English and Russian. He or she should have excellent listening and comprehension skills and computer skills in Microsoft Office.

ADB now invites eligible individuals to submit their qualifications in the form of an electronic version of the curriculum vitae (CV) to demonstrate experience and capacity to provide the JFPR coordinator services. The Deadline for the submission of the electronic version of the CV is 5:00 PM (Manila local time) on 12 September 2008 to the email address below. Subject to approval of the proposed JFPR grant by the Board, the CVs will be immediately reviewed.

CVs and any questions should be submitted to:
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