Project name	Preparation of the Karakalpakstan and Khorezm Water Supply Sanitation Project
Country	Uzbekistan
Business Sector	Water supply and sanitation
Project ID	S0350A
Funding source	ASIAN INFRASTRUCTURE INVESTMENT BANK (AIIB)
Type of contract	Project goods, works and consulting services
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GENERAL PROCUREMENT NOTICE (With support of Special Fund Project)

Uzbekistan

Preparation of the Karakalpakstan and Khorezm Water Supply and Sanitation Project

Ministry of housing and communal services of the Republic of Uzbekistan has applied for financing in the amount of US\$ 4.7 mln. USD for project preparation from the Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank (AIIB) toward the project preparation cost for the the Republic of Karakalpakstan and Khorezm Region water supply and sanitation project, and it intends to apply the proceeds to payments for all contracts to be procured under this project preparation project.

The project will include the following components and the procurement for this Project, is expected to commence in Q2 2020 and will include the following:

The grant for project preparation includes the preparation of a feasibility study, economic and financial analysis, procurement advisory services and preparation of environment and social instruments according to the Bank's policies for investments in water supply and sanitation in two regions. This will contribute to reaching timely the implementation readiness of the investment activities in water supply and sewerage infrastructure of cities and districts of Republic of Karakalpakstan and Khorezm region. The project's water supply measures include rehabilitation (including reduction of water losses) and new construction of water production, treatment and distribution facilities. The project also includes new sewage systems for the district centers of Republic of Karakalpakstan and Khorezm region to provide centralized wastewater treatment services.

Procurement of contracts financed by AIIB will be conducted in accordance with the AIIB Procurement Policies and its associated Procurement Directive (June 2, 2016) ("Procurement Directive"), and is open to all eligible firms and individuals as defined in the Procurement Directive.

Specific procurement notices for contracts subject to open international competitive procurement will be announced, as they become available, on <u>www.mjko.uz</u>, AllB external website and UNBD portal, as appropriate.

Interested eligible firms and individuals who would wish to be considered for the provision of goods, works, non-consulting services and consulting services for the above-mentioned project, or those requiring additional information, should contact the Borrower at the address below:

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