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Ministry of Rural Development (MRD)
National Restoration of Rural Productive Capacity Project (NRRPCP) *AIIB LOAN NO.: L0446A*

Invitation for Bids

IFB: NRRPCP/22/NCB/ WWA-2 (3 Lots)

- 1. The Government of the Kingdom of Cambodia has received a loan from the Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank (AIIB) towards the cost of the Cambodia National Restoration of Rural Productive Capacity Project (NRRPCP). Part of this loan will be used for payments under the contract named above. The National Competitive Bidding is open to bidders from eligible source countries of the AIIB. The eligibility rules and procedures of AIIB will govern the bidding process. The bidding will be in accordance with the AIIB's Procurement Policy.
- 2. The Project Management Unit of the Ministry of Rural Development (MRD) now invites sealed bids from eligible and qualified bidders for the Contract No. NRRPCP/22/NCB/WWA-2 (3 Lots), for Construction of 38 Community Ponds in Kampong Chhnang, Prey Veng and Tboung Khmum Provinces: Lot 1: Construction of 8 Earthen Ponds and 2 Grouted Riprap Ponds in Kampong Chhnang Province; Lot 2: Construction of 14 Earthen Ponds and 2 Grouted Riprap Ponds in Prey Veng Province; Lot 3: Construction of 12 Earthen Ponds in Tboung Khmum Province.

The Intended Completion construction **period is Eight (8) months** from date of notification to commence for each lot. The Contractors will be notified through letter of notification to commence (or letter of site possession) to start the construction within 2 weeks after signing contract.

The Bidders may bid for one Lot or multiple Lots. The Bid Evaluation and Contract Award will be on a Lot-Wise-Basis.

- 3. Procurement will be conducted through National Competitive Bidding Procedures outlined in the Procurement Manual for Externally Financed Projects/Programs.¹
- 4. This invitation is open to all bidders satisfying the eligibility requirements as described in the AIIB Procurement Instructions for Recipients (PIR).
- 5. Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from **Mr. Kim Khemrin**, Chief of Procurement Unit, E-mail: rinkimkhem@gmail.com and inspect the Bidding Documents at the address: 6th Floor, Ministry of Rural Development, National Restoration of Rural Productive Capacity Project (NRRPCP), MRD Building, #771, 773, Preah Monivong Blvd, Sangkat Boeng Trabaek, Khan Chamkar Morn, Phnom Penh, Cambodia, between 8:00 am 11:30 am and 2:30 pm 5:00 pm on all working days.

¹ https://www.pfm.gov.kh/index.php/en/gsc-en/publication-en

- 6. Bidders' attention is drawn to Sub-clause 6.3 of the Instructions to Bidders (ITB) on the Qualification requirements. The qualifications requirements include: The bidder shall furnish documentary evidence that it meets the following experience and financial requirements:
 - Average Annual Construction Turnover

Lot 1: USD 1,318,375.14 Lot 2; USD 1,658,177.73 Lot 3: USD 1,965,376.02

• Specific Similar Experience:

Lot 1: USD 659,187.57 Lot 2: USD 829,088.87 Lot 3: USD 982,688.01

Liquid Assets:

Lot 1: USD 329,593.79 Lot 2: USD 414,544.43 Lot 3: USD 491,344.01

- More details of the requirements are provided in the Bidding Documents.
- 7. A complete set of bidding documents in English language may be purchased by interested bidders on the submission of a written application to the address below, and upon payment of a non-refundable fee of **150 US Dollars**, or its equivalent in Cambodian Riel being **615,000**. The method of payment will be by *cheque*. The Bidding Documents may be collected in person or may be sent by email. Other than payment of the non-refundable fee specified above, there shall be no other conditions for purchasing the bidding documents.
- In case of any difficulty in purchase of the bidding documents, interested parties may contact in writing to **H.E. CHREAY Pom**, Project Director of National Restoration of Rural Productive Capacity Project (NRRPCP) at MRD's Building, 6th Floor # 771, 773, Preah Monivong Blvd, Sangkat Boeng Trabaek, Khan Chamkar Morn, Phnom Penh, Cambodia., E-mail: chreaypom@gmail.com

and also send a copy of the communication to:

Director General

General Department of International Cooperation and Debt Management Ministry of Economy and Finance
Building A, 2nd Floor, Street 92, Sangkat Wat Phnom
Khan Daun Penh, Cambodia, Email: samrith_chhuon@mef.gov.kh

9. Bids must be delivered to the address given below at or before 10:00 *hours on 10th April 2023*. Late bids will be rejected. Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders' representatives and other interested persons who choose to attend in person at the address below at 10:00 *hours on 10th April 2023*.

- **10.** The bid shall be accompanied by a **Bid Securing Declaration** which must be duly signed as described in the Instruction to Bidders.
- 11. The Government of the Kingdom of Cambodia and Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank will respectively declare a firm ineligible either indefinitely or for a stated period of time, to be awarded a contract funded by the Government of Cambodia and/or Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank, if it at any time it determines that the firm has engaged in corrupt or fraudulent, coercive or collusive practices in competing for or in executing a contract.
- **12.** The address referred to above is:

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at address: 6th Floor, MRD Building, #771, 773,

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