



Nepal Electricity Authority

Distribution and Consumer Services Directorate

Nepal Distribution System Upgrade and Expansion Project (DSUEP)

Invitation for Tenders

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Loan No. and Title: **L-0086A, Nepal Distribution System Upgrade and Expansion Project (DSUEP)**

Contract No. and Title: **ICB-DCSD-2078/79-DSUEP-AIIB-W1, Procurement of material, equipment, associated accessories and necessary installation services including design, erection, testing and commissioning of 33/11 kV Substations and 33 kV, 11 kV, 400 V Lines and Distribution System Network - Package No. AIIB-W1**

Deadline for Submission of Tenders: **03 April 2022 at 12:00 hours (Nepal Standard Time)**

1. The **Government of Nepal** has received financing from the Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank (AIIB) toward the cost of **Nepal Distribution System Upgrade and Expansion Project**. Part of this financing will be used for payments under the contract named above. Tendering is open to prospective Tenderers from eligible source countries of AIIB.
2. The **Nepal Electricity Authority** ("the Employer") invites sealed Tenders (1 stage 2 envelopes) from eligible Tenderers for **Procurement of materials, equipment, associated accessories and necessary installation services including design, erection, testing and commissioning of 33 /11 kV Substations and 33 kV, 11 kV, 400 V Lines and Distribution Transformers with associated civil works for the Distribution System Network – Package No. AIIB-W1 (hereafter "the Facilities")**.

Package No. AIIB-W1 Sub Projects: Ghorahi – Hapur, Ghorahi – Makaundanda, and Lamahi – Gadhawa of Dang District.

3. International Open Competitive Tendering (IOCT) will be conducted in line with AIIB's procurement guidelines and is open to all prospective Tenderers from all eligible countries as described in the Tendering Document.
4. To obtain further information and inspect the Tendering Documents, Tenderers should contact:
Nepal Distribution System Upgrade and Expansion Project (AIIB)
Distribution and Consumer Services Directorate
Nepal Electricity Authority
Durbarmarg, Kathmandu
Tel: +977-1- 4153253
Fax: +977-1-4153146
Email: dsuep@nea.org.np; dcs@nea.org.np
5. To purchase the Tender Document in English, eligible Tenderers should:
 - write to the address above requesting the Tender Document for **ICB-DCSD-2078/79-DSUEP-AIIB-W1**
 - pay a nonrefundable fee of Nepalese Rupees Twenty Thousand only (NPR 20,000) or equivalent United States Dollars by bank voucher to the **Current Account No. 1701017501532 of Distribution System Upgrade and Expansion Project (DSUEP)** at the Nabil Bank Ltd., Teendhara Branch, Kathmandu, Nepal before tender submission deadline. No liability will be accepted for lost or late delivery.
6. Deliver your tender:

- to the address ***above***
- on or before the deadline ***03 April 2022 at 12:00 hours (Nepal Standard Time)***
- together with a Tender Security as described in the Tender Document.

Technical tenders will be opened on ***03 April 2022 at 14:00 Hours*** in the presence of Tenderers' representatives who choose to attend.

7. When comparing Tenders, Domestic Preference will be applied as stipulated in the Tender Document.
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