



পাওয়ার গ্রিড কোম্পানি অফ বাংলাদেশ লিঃ
POWER GRID COMPANY OF BANGLADESH LTD.
(An Enterprise of Bangladesh Power Development Board)



PGCB Bhaban, Avenue-3, Jahurul Islam City, Aftabnagar, Badda, Dhaka-1212

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INVITATION FOR BIDS

PGCB Memo No. & Date:	27.21.0000.101.07.315.22.420, January 23, 2022
Title:	Capacity Enhancement of Existing Grid Substations and Transmission Lines Project
Contract No. and Title:	PGCB/CEEGSTL/TL/Package-1/Lot-1/2 Construction and Reconductoring of 132kV Transmission Lines on Turnkey Basis (Package-1)
Deadline for Submission of Bids:	March 09, 2022, 11:00 Hours Local Time

- Government of Bangladesh (GoB) and Power Grid Company of Bangladesh Ltd. (PGCB) have allocated necessary funds towards the cost of Capacity Enhancement of Existing Grid Substations and Transmission Lines Project. Part of this financing will be used for payments under the contract named above. Bidding is open to all bidders from eligible countries described in the Bidding Document.
- The Power Grid Company of Bangladesh Limited (PGCB), ("the Employer") invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for the "Construction and Reconductoring of 132kV Transmission Lines on Turnkey Basis (Package-1)" (herein after referred to as "the Works"). The Works under this turnkey contract shall have to be completed within 720 (seven hundred twenty) days from the effective date.
- International Competitive Bidding (ICB)** will be conducted in accordance with Single-Stage: Two-Envelope bidding procedure and is open to all bidders from eligible countries as described in the Bidding Document.
- Bidders shall meet the following minimum requirements along with other requirements as mentioned in the bidding documents:
General Experience: All the Bidders must have general experience under contracts in the role of prime contractor (single entity or JV member), Subcontractor, or management contractor in the power sector for at least 10 (ten) years prior to the Bid submission deadline.
Specific Experience:
Participation as a contractor, Joint Venture partner in at least three contracts that have been successfully completed between 1st July 2011 and the bid submission deadline and that are similar to the proposed contract, where the value of the Bidder's (or JV partner1) participation under each contract exceeds 2.0 million USD for Lot-1 and 6.0 million USD for Lot-2.
The similarity of the Bidder's (or JV partner) participation shall be based on the physical size, nature of works, complexity, methods, technology or other characteristics as described in Employer's Requirements.
The scope of each contract must include construction/ reconductoring/stringing of 110kV or higher voltage rating overhead transmission lines on lattice type towers including supply of conductors, insulators and associated fittings having minimum route length of 20km for Lot-1 and 25km for Lot-2.
For the above mentioned contracts executed during the period mentioned above:
(a) at least one (1) of the above contracts shall be completed outside the Bidder's own country for Lot-1 and Lot-2.
(b) at least one (1) of the above contracts shall be minimum 25km route length of single/double transmission line for Lot-1 and minimum 40km route length of single/double transmission line for Lot-2.
(c) at least one (1) of the above contracts shall be in successful operation for a minimum of three (3) years prior to the date of bid submission for Lot-1 and Lot-2.
Evidence of above experience shall be submitted in the bid. It shall be given on the user's letterhead, indicating address, telephone and fax numbers of the user. It shall include the name of the project, name of the employer, description of the work, commissioning date and contract amount.
The qualification criteria of the bidders have been given very briefly above. The bidders are advised to inspect the bidding document by visiting the PGCB website <http://www.pgcb.gov.bd>
- Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information and inspect the bidding documents at the office of the Company Secretary, Power Grid Company of Bangladesh Ltd. (PGCB), Avenue-3, Jahurul Islam City, Aftabnagar, Badda, Dhaka-1212, Bangladesh; Tel: +88 02 55046731-35, Fax: +88 02 55406722; Email: share.cs@pgcb.gov.bd, se.contract@pgcb.gov.bd, shihab.pgcb@gmail.com. The complete bidding documents are also available for download from PGCB's website <http://www.pgcb.gov.bd>. Eligible bidders who download the bidding document from the PGCB's website shall inform PGCB in writing (and provide their contact details) at the address given above, failing which PGCB shall not be responsible if the bidder does not receive clarifications and amendments, if any. In case of any discrepancy between the documents downloaded by the prospective bidder and the Bid Documents (hard copy) of PGCB, the latter shall prevail.
- A complete set of bidding documents in English language, may be purchased by interested bidders upon submission of a written application to the Company Secretary, PGCB at the above address, from **January 27, 2022** up to one day before the bid submission deadline and upon payment of a nonrefundable fee of USD 400.00 (United States Dollar Four Hundred) or BDT 32,000.00 (Taka Thirty Two Thousand only) in the form of **Pay Order/ Demand Draft** in favour of the Power Grid Company of Bangladesh Limited. The Bidding Document may be sent through a courier for an additional fee of BDT 10,000.00 (local delivery) or USD 120.00 (International delivery) in the form of Pay Order/ Demand Draft in favor of Power Grid Company of Bangladesh Limited. No liability will be accepted for loss or late delivery of the Bidding Document.
- A Pre-Bid meeting will be held at **11:00** Hours Local Time on **February 09, 2022** at the head office of Power Grid Company of Bangladesh Limited (PGCB), Avenue-03, Jahurul Islam City, Aftabnagar, Badda, Dhaka-1212, Bangladesh.

- 8.** Deliver bids:
- to the address below:
Company Secretary,
Power Grid Company of Bangladesh Ltd. (PGCB),
Head Office, Avenue-03, Jahurul Islam City,
Aftabnagar, Badda, Dhaka-1212, Bangladesh.
 - on or before **11:00** Hours Local Time on **March 09, 2022**
 - together with a Bid Security in the amount and form as described in the bidding document.
Late bids will be rejected.
- 9.** Technical bids will be opened at **11:05** Hours Local Time on **March 09, 2022** at the head office of Power Grid Company of Bangladesh Limited (PGCB), Avenue-03, Jahurul Islam City, Aftabnagar, Badda, Dhaka-1212, Bangladesh in the presence of Bidders' representatives who choose to attend, whereas the Financial Bids shall remain sealed and unopened and shall be placed locked. The Financial Bids of only Technically Responsive and Qualified Bidders shall be opened after Technical Bid Evaluation, whereas, the Financial Bids of those Bidders whose Technical Bids are not responsive and qualified shall be returned unopened after the contract is awarded.
- 10.** When comparing bids, Domestic Preference Scheme will be applied in accordance with the provisions stipulated in the Bidding Document.
- 11.** 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 participation in pre-bid meeting and site visit/s.
- Md. Jahangir Azad**
Company Secretary (A/C)