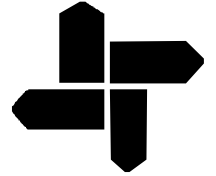




MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT & HIGHWAYS
ROAD DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY



CENTRAL EXPRESSWAY PROJECT SECTION 3
[FROM POTHUHERA TO GALAGEDARA (FROM CH. 0+000 KM TO CH. 32+450 KM)]

INVITATION FOR BIDS

1. The Road Development Authority (“the Employer”) now invites separate sealed bids on National Competitive Bidding procedure, from local bidders who possess valid registration under Construction Industry Development Authority (CIDA) and Qualification Criteria stipulated for each Contract Package given below.

IFB No.	Contract Title	CIDA Grade and Speciality	Estimated Value LKR Mn. (Approx.)	Qualification Criteria (Evaluated on pass/ fail basis)	
				(i) Average Annual Construction Turnover (AACT)	Experience in a successfully or substantially completed Project within last 8 yrs.
RDA/CEP3/PACK 1 R	Central Expressway Project Section 3 [from Pothuhera to Galagedara (from CH.0+000km to CH 32+450km)] Construction of Package 1 R ((Ch. 0+100 km to Ch.0+840 km).	CS1 and above Bridge or Highway	2965.6	(i) AACT- LKR 3900 Mn. within last 8 yrs. (ii) FR- LKR 600 Mn.	(i) One contract in 2 lane Highway/ Expressway with total length at least 10km (ii) Value-LKR 2300 Mn.
RDA/CEP3/PACK 1 S	Central Expressway Project Section 3 [from Pothuhera to Galagedara (from CH.0+000km to CH 32+450km)] Construction of Package 1 S (Ch. 12+890 km to Ch.13+800 km).	CS2 Bridge & Highway	6608.4	(i) AACT- LKR 8800 Mn. within last 8 yrs. (ii) FR-LKR 1400 Mn.	(i) One contract in 2 lane Highway/ Expressway with total length at least 10km. (ii) Value- LKR 5200 Mn.

2. In addition to above qualification Criteria, to be qualified for each contact package;
- Bidder shall demonstrate non-occurrence of a non-performing contract since 1st January 2019.
 - Bidder's Pending Litigation **shall not represent more than 50% of the net worth.**
 - Bidder's net worth in **any one year within last three (3) years shall be positive.**
 - Bidder shall possess experience in key activities as stated in Part I under Section 2.4.2 of respective Bidding Documents.
 - Bidder shall comply other requirements as stated in the Bidding Documents.
3. The duration of each Contract Package is **18 months**. The Works include the key items such as Site Clearing, Excavation, Embankment Construction & Soft ground Treatments, Sub Base construction, Construction of Structures (as applicable) including Drainage construction, Construction and improvements of Side Roads, Cross Roads & Temporary roads to the extent specified in the Contract required to construct main trace of Expressway up to top of the Sub Base level. (Base and Asphalt construction not included).
4. To obtain further information and to inspect the Bidding Documents, eligible bidders should contact: **Project Director, Central Expressway Project Section 3, “Sethsiripaya”, 1st Wing, 3rd Floor, Battaramulla.**
Telephone : 011 2877 708 Facsimile : 011 2877 708
Electronic mail address : rdapdcep3@gmail.com
5. The bidding documents prepared in English, will be issued during normal working days from 09:00hrs to 15:00hrs at the address under 4 above, from 04/03/2024 till 31/03/2024. To purchase Bidding Documents for each package, bidders should;
- Write to address given under item 4 above requesting the respective bidding documents.
 - Pay a non-refundable fee of **Sri Lankan Rupees 300,000.00 (with VAT)** by cash or bank draft drawn in favour of the **“Project Director - Central Expressway Project - 3” on Current Account No. 7040407 of Bank of Ceylon - Battaramulla Branch**
 - Produce a certified copy of valid certificate of registration issued in accordance with Article 8 of Public Contract Act No. 3 of 1987 and its subsequent amendments.

[A complete set of Bidding Documents in electronic version could also be purchased via email on submission of written request along with a copy of valid cash deposit slip (contract number and name of the Bidder should be indicated on the cash deposit slip) of non-refundable fee as stated under 5(i) & 5(ii) above and the Certificate required as per 5(iii), via email address given under 4 above. The Original of valid cash deposit slip and the said Certificate should be submitted with the bid. The bids without the originals of these of valid cash deposit slip will be rejected].

6. Bidders should deliver their bids on or before **14:00hrs on 01/04/2024** to **The Chairman, Standing Cabinet Appointed Procurement Committee, Procurement Division, Ministry of Highways, 7th Floor, Maganeguma Mahamedura, Denzil**

Kobbekaduwa Mawatha, Koswatta, Battaramulla together with a Bid Security in the amount as specified in each Bidding Documents.

7. Bids will be opened immediately after the deadline in the presence of bidders' representatives who choose to attend. (If electronic bid opening procedure is applicable, the procedure will be informed before the deadline for submission).
8. The bidder shall bear all costs associated with the preparation and submission of its Bids, and the Employer shall not be responsible or liable for those costs, regardless of the conduct or outcome of the bidding process.

**The Chairman
Standing Cabinet Appointed Procurement Committee
Ministry of Transport & Highways
Battaramulla**