NOTICE INVITING TENDER

Tender for Design, manufacture, testing, inspection, painting prior to dispatch, transportation and supply to site, unloading, erection and final patch up painting at site of 10 nos. Bailey bridges at various locations from BP 2338 to BP 2319 (Demagiri to Mauzam) along IBB in the state of Mizoram including design and execution of associated civil works all complete on turnkey basis in all respects.

1.0 Sealed percentage rate tenders in two bid system (i.e. one part consisting of Techno-commercial bid and another part consisting of Price bid) are invited by Engineering Projects (India) Ltd. (EPI) on behalf of Ministry of Home Affairs, Govt. of India from the eligible and interested contractors for the following work:

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<th>NAME OF WORK</th>
<th>ESTIMATED COST (RS)</th>
<th>TIME OF COMPLETION</th>
<th>EARNEST MONEY DEPOSIT (RS)</th>
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<td>24,00,00,000.00 (Rupees Twenty Four Crores Only)</td>
<td>07 Months</td>
<td>17,00,000.00 (Rupees Seventeen Lakhs Only)</td>
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The detailed scope of work is given in tender document.

Time schedule of Tender activities:

(i) Last Date & Time for sale availability of tender documents : 1.10.2014 to 18.10.2014 between 11.00 AM to 4.00 PM except Public Holidays.

(ii) Pre-bid conference : at 10.30 am on 14.10.2014

(iii) Last Date & Time of submission of Tenders : upto 03.00 pm on 20.10.2014

(iii) Date & Time of opening tender (Techno-Commercial Bid): at 03.30 pm on 20.10.2014

(Price Bid): Shall be intimated separately to the Techno-Commercially acceptable bidders.
Contractors who fulfill the following basic qualifying requirements are eligible to participate in this tender.

a) Should have completed during last 7 (seven) years “similar works” or works comprising of similar items out of which at least one work should be with Central / State Govt. Organization / Autonomous Body / PSU (i.e. completed after 31.03.2006), preferably in North East Region.

   i. Three similar works each of costing minimum 30% of the estimated cost of this work.
   OR
   ii. Two similar works each of costing minimum 40% of the estimated cost of this work. OR
   iii. One similar work costing minimum 70% of the estimated cost of this work.

The “similar works” shall mean “Design, manufacture, inspection, transportation, supply, testing and erection of bailey bridges” including RCC pier footings.

The cost of free issue materials shall not be included in the completion cost of works.

For evaluation purpose, the completion cost of works mentioned in the completion certificate shall be enhanced by 7% per annum till the end of month prior to date of NIT.

b) Should have had Average Annual Financial Turnover of work amounting not less than 30% of the estimated cost of the work in the last three consecutive financial years ending 31.03.2014 duly certified by a Chartered Accountant / established by copies of audited balance sheet.

c) Should not have incurred any loss in more than two years during the immediate last five consecutive financial years ending 31.03.2014. Copies of audited balance sheet / certificate from Chartered Accountant are to be submitted.

d) Should have a Solvency of 40% of the estimated cost issued by a Bank. The Solvency Certificate should not have been issued earlier than one year of last date of submission of the tender.

e) Should have valid Permanent Account Number of Income Tax and Service Tax Registration No.

f) It is desired that the bidder should have valid VAT Registration number in the State of Mizoram and PF Registration number. In case the bidder does not have these registration numbers, the same shall be obtained by the successful bidder within one month from the date of LOI or before release of 1st R/A bill which ever is earlier.

g) Must have registration certificate with DGQA in respect of manufacture of Bailey Bridges up to the capacity/span under the present tender valid till completion of the works mentioned under the present tender.

h) Joint Venture or Consortium shall also be allowed to participate in this tender subject to the following:
i) Each of the Joint Venture or Consortium partner shall meet the qualifying criteria as stated at sl. no. b) to g). Any of the partner shall meet the qualifying criteria at sl. no. i) hereinabove i.e. any of the partner shall necessarily have registration certificate with DGQA valid till completion of the works under the present tender.

In case of qualifying criteria at sl. No. a), each of the Joint venture or consortium partner shall preferably meet this failing which combined completion value of works of maximum two of the Joint venture or consortium partners shall meet this criterion.

ii) The tender shall be signed so as to be legally binding on all the partners.

iii) One of the partners shall be nominated as being in charge and shall be designated as the ‘Lead Partner’- this authorisation shall be evidenced by submitting with the Techno-commercial part of the tender, a power of attorney signed by legally authorised signatories of all the partners.

iv) An authorisation signed by legally authorized signatories of all the partners authorising the Lead Partner to incur liabilities and receive instructions for and on behalf of any and all partners of the Joint Venture or Consortium and entire execution of the works under the present tender/contract including payment to be done exclusively with the Lead Partner shall also be submitted with the Techno-commercial part of the offer. Such authorization shall be made on a Non-judicial stamp paper of Rs.100/- (Rupees one hundred only) and duly notarized.

v) All partners of the Joint Venture shall be liable jointly and severally for execution of the works under the present tender/contract in accordance with the terms and conditions of the present tender/contract and a relevant statement to this effect shall be included in he authorisation mentioned under iii) above as well as in the tender/contract agreement.

vi) Original Joint Venture/Consortium Agreement entered into by the Joint Venture or Consortium partners shall be submitted with the Techno-commercial part of the tender. The Joint Venture or Consortium agreement shall clearly specify the work and responsibility of each partner.

vii) Satisfactory evidence of authority of the person (i.e. duly authorised by all the partners of the Joint Venture or Consortium) signing on behalf of the Joint Venture or Consortium shall be furnished with the bid.

viii) A copy of the Partnership Deed/ Memorandum of Association/Certificate of Incorporation of the Lead Partner and all the Joint Venture Partners shall also be submitted along with the Techno-commercial part of the tender.

i) Even though an applicant may satisfy the eligibility criteria, EPI reserves the right for not issuing the tender document if he has record of poor performance such as abandoning work, not properly completing the work, delay in execution of work, poor quality of work, financial failure / weakness etc.

2.0 Tender documents comprising of the following are available on the website of EPI: www.epi.gov.in

(i) Notice Inviting Tender
(ii) Instruction to Tenderers & General Conditions of Contract, Addendum to GCC, Memorandum, Form of Tender, Letter of Undertaking (Vol-I).
Additional Conditions of Contract, Technical Specifications (Vol-II).

Price Bid/Bill of Quantity- (Vol-III).

Tender documents can also be had from the office of Group General Manager (Contracts), Engineering Projects (India) Limited, Core-3, Scope Complex, 7 Lodhi Road, New Delhi-110003 from 11.00 am to 5.00 pm on all working days (Monday to Friday) except public holidays/ bandhs on request letter accompanied by an account payee demand draft or pay order of Rs.20,000.00 (Rupees Twenty thousand only) of any Nationalised/Scheduled Bank made in the name of Engineering Projects (India) Limited payable at New Delhi towards tender processing fees (non-refundable).

Tenderers who have downloaded the tender documents from the website of EPI shall deposit an account payee demand draft or pay order of Rs.20,000.00 (Rupees Twenty thousand only) of any Nationalized/Scheduled bank made in the name of Engineering Projects (India) Limited payable at New Delhi towards tender processing fees (non-refundable).

It is, however, clearly understood by the tenderer that mere issuance of the tender to him shall not construe that he is considered to be qualified for the subject tender work and his tender may be rejected if on detailed study the documents are found to be forged or unsatisfactory. The decision of EPI in this regard shall be final and binding on the Tenderer.

3.0 Relevant experience certificates and other documents as mentioned above Cl. 1.0 (a) to 1.0 (i) duly attested by Gazetted Officer not below the rank of Executive Engineer or equivalent or Notary Public along with the originals wherever mentioned fulfilling the qualifying criteria shall be enclosed in Envelope – I. Completion Certificates from clients shall be in the name of the Company who is submitting the tender. The bidder has to produce original documents for verification at the time of opening of tender or as and when demanded.

All Tenders shall be accompanied by Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) as stated above. This can be in the form of crossed Demand Draft or Pay Order of any Nationalized Bank/ Scheduled Bank for the full amount of EMD payable favouring “Engineering Projects (India) Ltd” payable at New Delhi or in the form of a bank guarantee of equivalent value drawn on a Nationalised or Scheduled bank in the prescribed format of EPI as given in the General Conditions of Contract. The EMD shall be valid for minimum period of 150 days (One Hundred Fifty Days) from the last day of submission of Tender i.e. 20.10.2014. Tenders submitted without EMD or with inadequate amount of EMD shall be summarily rejected.

The tenderers registered with NSIC having validity up to the completion period mentioned in the tender document shall submit a copy of the registration certificate duly attested by a Gazetted Officer in the Techno-commercial part of the tender. Similarly the tenderers registered under MSME Act shall submit a copy of the registration letter in the form of Memorandum-2 with the concerned DIC duly attested by a Gazetted Officer. Such tenderers shall be exempted from furnishing EMD only if they submit the copy of the registration certificate duly attested by a Gazetted Officer not below the rank of Executive Engineer.
4.0 The Terms & Condition contained in the NIT and tender document should be applicable.

5.0 In case of any unscheduled holiday takes place on the last day of issue of Tender/Submission of tender, the next working day will be treated as scheduled day and time for issue/submission of tender.

6.0 In case of tie-tender, where two firms are bidding lowest, EPI reserves the right to split the work among these bidders and / or EPI will reserve the right to award the tender to any one of such bidder.

7.0 EPI reserves the right to accept any tender or reject any or all tenders or annul this tendering process without assigning any reason and liability whatsoever and to re-invite tender at its sole discretion. The corrigendum, extension, cancellation of this NIT, if any, shall be given on EPI’s website: www.epi.gov.in & CPP portal www.eprocure.gov.in only. The intending Tenderers are requested to visit EPI’s website regularly for this purpose.

8.0 The tenderers are advised to carefully visit the proposed sites of the work under present tender and ascertain and acquaint themselves with the road conditions, the type and nature of permits required in transportation of goods, deployment of staff and labour, the transport including ferry or marboat to be deployed by them etc. Further the tenderers are also advised to attend the pre-bid conference at the following address to be held at time and date mentioned under “Time Schedule of tender activities”.

Engineering projects (India) Limited
(A Government of India Enterprise)
North Eastern Regional Office
4th Floor, Hindustan Tower
Jawahar Nagar, NH-37
Beltola, Guwahati – 781022
(Ph: 0361-2309983/ 0361-2304686, Fax: 0361-230017)

9.0 Contact details for site related quarries/visit:
Shri B. Biswas
General Manager
Engineering Projects (India) Limited
C/o Pi. Ngurmani
House No. M/12, Chaltang Veuglai,
Aizawl-796012
(Ph:+91-9485140525)

10.0 The Price Bid of those bidders whose bids are technically accepted on the basis of documents submitted shall be opened with prior intimation to them. However, it is made clear that the offer of any bidder shall be accepted subject to the confirmation of authenticity of the PQ documents.
11.0 Tender documents shall be submitted to:
Group General Manager (Contracts)
Engineering Projects (India) Limited
Core-3, Scope Complex,
7, Lodhi Road,
New Delhi-110003
(Ph: 011-24361666/ 011-24365052, Fax No.: 011-24363426)

GGM (Contracts)
01.10.2014