

PLARIDEL WATER DISTRICT Water District Development Sector Project

INVITATION FOR BIDS (Open Competitive Bidding – National)

Date:	28 September 2020
Loan No. and Title:	3389-PHI: Water District Development Sector Project
Contract No. and Title:	WDDSP-TWD-OCB-CW03d: Design and Construction of Plaridel Water Supply System
Deadline for Submission of Bids:	26 October 2020; 1:00 P.M (Manila Time)
IFB No.:	WDDSP-PLAWD-IFB-CW10a

1. The Government of the Republic of the Philippines has received financing from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) toward the cost of the **Water District Development Sector Project**. Part of this financing will be used for payments under the contract named above. Bidding is open to Bidders from eligible source countries of the ADB.
2. The **Plaridel Water District** (the Employer) through the Local Water Utilities Administration (the "Procurement Agent"), invites sealed bids from eligible Bidders for the **design and construction of transmission and distribution lines, storage facility, generator set, power line extension and environmental safeguards** ("the Facilities").
3. **Open Competitive Bidding – National** will be conducted in accordance with ADB's Single- Stage: Two-Envelope procedure and is open to all Bidders from eligible source countries as described in the Bidding Document.
4. Only eligible Bidders with the following key qualifications should participate in this bidding:

Historical Contract Non-Performance

- Non-performance of a contract did not occur as a result of contractor default since 1 January 2015.

Financial Situation

- **Historical Financial Performance:** As a minimum, the Bidder's net worth for the last year calculated as the difference between total assets and total liabilities should be positive.
- **Average Annual Turnover:** Minimum average annual turnover of PhP240 Million calculated as total certified payments received for contracts in progress or completed, within the last three (3) years.
- **Financial Resources:** The Bidder must demonstrate that its financial resources, less its financial obligations for its current contract commitments meet or exceed the total requirement for the Subject Contract of PhP33 Million

Construction Experience

- **Contracts of Similar Size and Nature:** Participation as a contractor, JV partner, or subcontractor, in at least two contracts that have been successfully or substantially completed within the last ten (10) years (or Projects completed after 1 January 2009 will only be considered) and that are similar to the proposed contract, where the value of the Bidder's participation under each contract exceeds PhP140 Million. The similarity of the Bidder's participation shall be based on components given in the Employer's Requirements.
- **Experience in Key Activities:** a minimum experience in the last ten (10) years for the following:
 - Detailed Engineering Design of water supply system with pipelines, reservoirs, pumping station and electro-mechanical equipment;
 - Experience of at least one (1) construction contract of water transmission/ distribution pipeline with a diameter of at least five hundred (500) millimeters and 100 meters in length; and
 - Construction of water tanks/ reservoir with a minimum capacity of 1,000 cum.

The qualification criteria are more completely described in the Bidding Document.

5. Interested Bidders may obtain further information from Employer and inspect the Bidding Document at the address given below during office hours (8:00 - 16:00 hours).

For **clarification purposes** only, the Employer's address is:

Attention: **Ms. Rodieta Surio**
Head, BAC Secretariat
Plaridel Water District

Street address: A.C. Reyes St. Poblacion
City: Plaridel, Bulacan
ZIP code: 3004
Country: Philippines
Telephone: (044)-795-0102
Fax: (044)-760-0229
E-mail: plaridelwaterdistrictBAC2017@gmail.com

6. To purchase the Bidding Documents in English, eligible Bidders should:
- Write to the address above requesting for the Bidding Documents for the Design and Construction of Plaridel Water Supply System
 - Pay a nonrefundable fee of PhP25,000.00 by cash, cashier's check or manager's check.

Request for Bidding Document will be entertained during office hours (08:00 - 16:00 hours) from the date of posting but not later than the submission of bids.

It may also be downloaded free of charge from the website of the Philippine Government Electronic Procurement System (www.philgeps.gov.ph) and website of the Plaridel Water District (<http://plaridelwaterdistrict.ph/>) provided that Bidders shall pay the applicable fee for the Bidding Document not later than the submission of its bids.

7. The Employer will hold a Pre-Bid Conference on **12 October 2020 at 9:00 A.M (Manila Time)** which shall be open to prospective Bidders. Pre-bid Conference will be conducted face-to-face through video conferencing/webcasting, or similar technology. For more information please contact BAC Secretariat.
8. Bid(s) shall be delivered (and duly received by the BAC Secretariat):
- To the address above
 - **On or before the deadline: 26 October 2020; 1:00 P.M (Manila Time)**
 - Together with a Bid Securing Declaration

Bid Package number should be marked on the top left corner of the original and duplicate envelopes.

The Technical Proposal will be opened immediately after the deadline for bid submission in the presence of Bidders' representatives who choose to attend at the abovementioned address. Late bids shall not be accepted.

9. The Employer will not be responsible for any cost or expense incurred by Bidders in connection with the preparation or delivery of bids, including costs and expenses related to site visits.
10. The Employer reserves the right to reject any and all bids, declare a failure of bidding, or not award the contract at any time prior to contract award without thereby incurring any liability to the affected Bidder or Bidders.


MARIFAYE ERSANDO
BAC Chairperson