



Invitation for Bids

Date:	12 November 2018
Grant No. and Title:	0401-CAM: Rural Roads Improvement Project II
Contract No. and Title:	RRIP II-MRD-EQ12: Supply and Installation of 40 Irrigation Solar Pump Systems in 5 Mekong Islands (including training and technical Support) in Kampong Cham and Tbong Khmum Provinces with power ranging from around 2kW to 11kW
Deadline for Submission of Bids:	11 December 2018 at 09:00 hours (Cambodia time)

1. The **Royal Government of Cambodia (RGC)** through The Ministry of Rural Development (MRD) has received financing from the **Asian Development Bank (ADB)** toward the cost of **Rural Roads Improvement Project II (RRIP II)**. Part of this financing will be used for payments under the Contract named above. This contract will be jointly financed by the Nordic Development Fund (NDF). The eligibility rules and procedures of ADB will govern the bidding process.

2. The **Project Implementation Unit, Ministry of Rural Development (MRD)** invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for the ***Supply and Installation of 40 Irrigation Solar Pump Systems in 5 Mekong Islands (including training and technical Support) in Kampong Cham and Tbong Khmum Provinces with power ranging from around 2kW to 11kW***. The systems include solar panels, fixed and mobile stands and racks, power cables, submersible DC and AC pumps, solar pump controllers, and Pump Discharge rigid PVC Pipes and lay flat PVC Hoses.

3. **National Competitive Bidding** will be conducted in accordance with ADB's [Single-Stage: One-Envelope](#) bidding procedure and is open to all bidders from eligible countries as described in the Bidding Document.

4. Only eligible Bidders with the following key qualifications should participate in this bidding:

- Satisfactorily completed at least two (2) contracts for supply of similar goods in the preceding three (3) years of not less than 50% of the bid price.
- Completed contracts in the total cumulative amount equal to at least two (2) times the value of the bid price in the preceding two (2) years.
- If the Manufacturer of the offered goods is a different entity from the Bidder, the Manufacturer has experience of at least three (3) years in the manufacturing of similar goods.
- The Bidder has availability of liquid assets through either:
 - access to a line of credit or cash in bank account of an amount at least 50% of the bid price, net of other contractual commitments; or

- credit terms with vendors specifically for the goods to be supplied under the contract, and valid for at least six (6) months after the deadline date for submission of bids specified in ITB Clause 21.

5. To obtain further information and inspect the Bidding Documents, Bidders should contact the address mentioned below (paragraph 10) from Monday to Friday during office hours from 8:00–11:30 hours in the morning and 14:30–17:03 hours in the afternoon.

6. A complete set of Bidding Documents in English may be purchased by interested Bidders upon submission of a written application to the address below (paragraph 10) and upon payment of a non-refundable fee of USD 100.00 or Riel 400,000.00. The method of payment will be in cash. The Bidding Document will be collected in person at the discretion of Bidder. Other than payment of the non-refundable fee specified above, there shall be no other conditions for the purchase of the Bidding Documents.

7. In case of any difficulty in purchasing the Bidding Documents in person, interested parties may contact in writing H.E. CHAN Darong, Project Director at Ministry of Rural Development, Corner of Road #169 and Russian Federation Blvd, Phnom Penh, CAMBODIA, Tel: (855) 12 599 599, Fax: (855) 23 885 746 and also send a copy of the communication to:

- the Director, Department of Cooperation and Debt Management, Ministry of Economy and Finance located at St. 92, Sangkat Wat Phnom, Khan Daun Penh, Phnom Penh, Cambodia, and
- Cambodia Resident Mission, Asian Development Bank, 29 Suramarit Blvd (S. 268), Sangkat Chaktomuk, Khan Daun Penh, Phnom Penh, Cambodia.

8. Bids must be delivered to the address below (paragraph 10) **on or before 09:00 hours (Cambodia time) on 11 December 2018**. Late bids will be rejected. Bids will be opened on 09:15 hours (Cambodia time) on 11 December 2018 in the presence of the Bidders' representatives who choose to attend in person at the address below (paragraph 10).

9. All bids shall be accompanied by a Bid Securing Declaration as described in the Instructions to Bidders.

10. The address referred to above is as follows:

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