

GOVERNMENT OF TAMIL NADU

TAMIL NADU ROAD SECTOR PROJECT

INVITATION FOR BID (IFB)

FOR

Name of work: Performance Based Maintenance Contract for the maintenance of roads in Tamil Nadu - Package 1

CONTRACT No. TNRSP/PBMC - 1

Date: 17.2.2010.

NATIONAL COMPETITIVE BIDDING

1. The Government of India has applied for a loan from the International Bank for Reconstruction & Development towards the cost of **Tamil Nadu Road Sector Project** and intends for a part of the funds to cover eligible payments under the contracts for construction of works as detailed below. Bidding is open to all Bidders from eligible source countries as defined in the "*Guidelines: Procurement under IBRD Loans and Credits*". Bidders from India should be Special Class or equivalent Contractors, registered with the Government of Tamil Nadu, or other State Government/ Government of India, or State/Central Government undertakings. **Bidders are advised to note the minimum qualification criteria specified in Clause 4 of the Instructions to Bidders and Section III Evaluation and Qualification Criteria to qualify for the award of the contract.**
2. **The Project Director, TNRSP**, on behalf of Governor of Tamil Nadu authorise Chief Engineer (Works), TNRSP, Adyar, Chennai - 20 to invites bids for the construction of works detailed below.

Project Scope & Duration: To undertake Ordinary Maintenance, Initial Rectification Works, Periodic Maintenance Work, Minor Improvement Works and Emergency Works on select roads totalling approximately 296 Kilometres. The maintenance work will also include cross drainage works, minor work on bridges and roadside maintenance within the select road limits. The Ordinary Maintenance works will be carried out under performance based road maintenance on a lump sum basis paid monthly. Initial Rectification and Periodic Maintenance will be paid on measured quantity to the value of the Lump Sum and Minor Improvement Works will be paid on the basis of actual quantities of work completed. There is a requirement for specialized maintenance equipment and the contract obligation is for continuous input over a period of 5 years.

3. Bid documents may be purchased from the office of the **Chief Engineer (Works) TNRSP, Highways Department, TNHB complex, II Floor, # 48, Dr. Muthulakshmi Salai, Chennai-20 from 3.3.2010 to 6.4.2010** during office hours i.e., from 10:30 AM to 05:00 PM. (IST), for a non-refundable fee of Rs.10,000 plus Sales tax (for three sets) in the form of Demand Draft on any Scheduled Bank payable at Chennai and drawn in favour of the Divisional Engineer(H), TNRSP, Chennai-20. Interested bidders may obtain further information at the same address. Bidding documents can be downloaded free of cost from the website www.tenders.tn.gov.in Bidding documents requested by mail will be despatched by registered/speed post on payment of an extra amount of Rs 500. The **Chief Engineer (works) TNRSP** will not be held responsible for the postal delay if any, in the delivery of the documents or non-receipt of the same.

Bidders are strongly encouraged to purchase the bidding documents prior to the pre-bid meeting (refer Item 9 below) in order for bidders to have a good understanding of the scope of work under this contract for discussion and clarification at the pre-bid meeting.

4. Bids shall be valid for 120 days after the dead line date specified for submission.
5. Bids must be accompanied by security of the amount specified for the work in the table below, payable at Chennai and drawn in favour of the Divisional Engineer(H), TNRSP, Chennai-20 in the form of Demand Draft or if Bank Guarantee form is adopted it should be drawn in the favour of **Chief Engineer (works) TNRSP**. Bid security will have to be in any one of the forms as specified in the Bidding document and shall have to be valid for 45 days beyond the validity of the Bid.
6. Details of the roads, road lengths and Estimated Contract Value (ECV) are shown in the table 'Bidding Details' below:

Bidding Details
Performance Based Maintenance Contract (PBMC)

Package Number	Road.	Section	Length in km	ECV Rs (in lakhs)	Bid Security Rs (in lakhs)	Period
Package - 1	Thoppur - Mettur - Bhavani - Erode Road	Km 0/0 – 94/0	94.00	1968	65	5 years
	Omalar – Mechery Road	Km 0/0 - 14/6	14.60	276		
	Omalar - Sankari - Tiruchengode - Paramathi Road	Km 0/0 - 81/0	81.00	1237		
	Salem - Thirupattur - Vaniyambadi Road	Km 0/0 - 106/4	106.40	3050		

7. Joint ventures will be permitted.
8. **Bids must be delivered to the Office of the Chief Engineer (Works), TNRSP, Highways Department, TNHB Complex, II Floor, # 48, Dr. Muthulakshmi Salai, Chennai-20 on or before 14:00 hours (IST) on 7.4.2010** and will be opened on the same day by the **Chief Engineer (Works) TNRSP, Chennai-20** at 14:30 hours (IST) in the presence of Bidders or their representatives who choose to attend. If the office happens to be closed on the date of receipt of the bids as specified, the bids will be received and opened on the next working day at the same time and venue.
9. **Bidders are invited to attend a pre-bid meeting and workshop on 18.3.2010 and 19.3.2010 at 11:00 am and which is of 2 days duration, at the office of the Project Director TNRSP, Highways Department, TNHB Complex, II Floor, # 48, Dr. Muthulakshmi Salai, Chennai-20, India** to provide an overview on PBMC and clarify issues and to answer the questions on any matter that may be raised at that stage as stated in Clause 7.4 of 'Instructions to Bidders' of the bidding document.

Other details can be seen in the bidding documents.

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**The Chief Engineer (Works),
TNRSP, Adyar, Chennai – 20.**