

Invitation for Bids (IFB)

UPPER TAMAKOSHI HYDROPOWER LIMITED (UTKHPL)

Date of First Publication : 20 December 2019
Name of Project : Rolwaling Khola Hydroelectric Project
Name of Contract : Construction of Mule Track from Lower Lamabagar to Rikhu Village
Contract Identification No : RKHEP/NCB/01-2076/77
Deadline for Submission : 20 January 2020

1. Upper Tamakoshi Hydropower Ltd. (UTKHPL) intends to apply a fund from national financial institutions towards the cost of the Rolwaling Khola Hydroelectric Project (RKHEP). It intends to apply part of the proceeds of this fund for payments under the contract for the Construction of Mule Track from Lower Lamabagar to Rikhu Village under Rolwaling Khola Hydroelectric Project (RKHEP). RKHEP is the second stage development of Upper Tamakoshi Hydroelectric Project (UTKHEP).
2. UTKHPL invites electronic bids from eligible bidders for the Construction of Mule Track about 2.2 km long under National Competitive Bidding – Single Stage Two Envelope Bidding Procedure.

The key qualification requirements for the works are as below:

- Minimum Average Annual Construction Turnover of NPR 70 Million calculated as total certified payments received for construction contracts in progress or completed, within the best three years out of the last 8 (Eight) years.
 - Participation as prime contractor in at least 1 (One) contract of Civil Engineering Construction in hilly areas within the last 8 (Eight) years with a value of at least NPR 54 Million that has been successfully or is substantially completed.
 - Construction experience in key activities executed within the last 8 years shall be as below:
 - Completion of at least 1 (One) Foot track construction having minimum width of 1m and length at least 1.5km within the last 8 (Eight) years as prime contractor.
- or
- Completion of at least 1 (One) Hill road construction having minimum width of 3m and length at least 1.5km within the last 8 (Eight) years as prime contractor.

3. Eligible Bidders may obtain further information and inspect the Bidding Document at the office of UKTHPL addressed given at the end of this IFB.
4. The Bidder shall inspect and/ or submit the bid by visiting electronic procurement portal <http://www.bolpatra.gov.np> of Public Procurement Monitoring Office (PPMO) of Nepal. Bidders must submit the bid from PPMO's e-GP system and shall deposit the non-refundable fee of bidding document in the revenue account given below and the scanned copy of the bank deposit voucher shall be uploaded at the time of e-bid submission.

The bid must be submitted on or before 20 January 2020, 12:00 Hrs, Nepal Standard Time (NST).

Fee of Bidding document: NPR 5,000

Name of the Bank: Nabil Bank Limited

Name of Office: Upper Tamakoshi Hydropower Ltd.

Office Account No 9701017500012

5. Pre-bid meeting will be held at the office of UTKHPL, Gyaneswor, Kathmandu, Nepal on 10 January 2020. It is strongly advised to bidders or their representatives to attend the pre-bid meeting, but it is not mandatory.
6. The bidders are required to visit the project Site and familiarize themselves with the local conditions. The cost incurred for the preparation of the bidding document and the Site visit will be solely at the expenses of the bidder.
7. The electronic bids must be submitted through PPMO website www.bolpatra.gov.np on or before 12:00 noon (Nepal Standard Time, NST) on 20 January 2020.
8. The bids will be opened in the presence of Bidders' representatives who choose to attend at 2:00 pm (NST) on 20 January 2020 at the office of UTKHPL, Gyaneswor, Kathmandu, Nepal. Bids must be valid for a period of 90 days after bid opening and must be accompanied by scanned copy of the bid security amounting to NPR 1,700,000 which shall be valid for 30 days beyond the validity period of the bid.
9. If the last date of submission falls on a government holiday, then the next working day shall be considered as the last date. In such case the validity period of the bid security shall remain the same as specified for the original last date of bid submission.
10. UTKHPL reserves the right to reject or accept any or all Bids partly or fully and to annul the bidding process and reject all bids without assigning any reason whatsoever.

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