

Invitation for Bids

Date:	28 February 2022
Loan No. and Title:	3861-GEO: East-West Highway (Shorapani-Argveta Section) Improvement Project
Contract No. and Title:	SARP/GD/OCB-01: Procurement of 38 Portable Scales
Deadline for Submission of Bids:	11 April 2022 at 16:00 hours local time

- 1. Georgia has applied for financing from the Asian Development Bank toward the cost of the **East-West Highway (Shorapani-Argveta Section) Improvement 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 Roads Department of the Ministry of Regional Development and Infrastructure of Georgia ("the Purchaser") invites sealed bids from eligible Bidders for Procurement of 38 Portable Scales.
- 3. **Open Competitive Bidding International** will be conducted in accordance with ADB's Single-Stage One Envelope bidding 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 (should a Bidder be a Joint Venture, the way how the below mentioned criteria will be applied is further detailed in the Bidding Documents):

History of Nonperforming Contracts: Nonperformance of a contract did not occur as a result of contractor default since 1 January 2015.

Contractual Experience: Successful completion as main supplier within the last three (3) years of at least two (2) contracts each valued at USD 310,000 (Three Hundred Ten Thousand United States Dollars) with nature, and complexity similar to the scope of supply described in Section 6 (Schedule of Supply).

Technical Experience: The Bidder shall demonstrate that the goods (Category) offered have:

- been in production for at least three (3) years;
- been sold a minimum of 100 units of similar type and specification over the last three
 (3) years; and
- been in operation for a minimum of three (3) years.

Production Capacity: The Bidder or manufacturer shall demonstrate that it can supply the type, size, and quantity of the goods as required by Purchaser in accordance with the Delivery and Completion Schedule in Section 6 (Schedule of Supply).

Historical Financial Performance: Submission of audited financial statements or, if not required by the law of the Bidder's country, other financial statements acceptable to the Purchaser, for the last 3 (three) years (2018, 2019, 2020) to demonstrate the current soundness of the Bidder's financial position. 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.

Size of Operation (Average Annual Turnover): Minimum average annual turnover of USD 582,000 (Five Hundred and Eighty Two Thousand United States Dollars) calculated as total payments received by the Bidder for contracts completed or under execution over the last 3 (three) years (2018, 2019, 2020).

Cash Flow Capacity: Availability of or access to liquid assets, lines of credit, and other finances sufficient to meet cash flow requirement which is USD 388,000 (Three Hundred Eighty Eight Thousand United States Dollars).

- 5. **Delivery Period:** Three (3) months after contract signing.
- 6. To obtain further information and inspect the Bidding Documents, Bidders should contact:

Ms. Salome Tsurtsumia

Address: 12, Al. Kazbegi Ave. 0160 Tbilisi, Georgia

Tel: (+995 32) 2 37 05 08 Fax: (+995 32) 2 37 66 03 Email: info@georoad.ge

- 7. To obtain the Bidding Documents in English, eligible Bidders should:
 - write to address above requesting the Bidding Documents for Procurement of 38 Portable Scales (SARP/GD/OCB-01); and
 - Bidding Documents will be provided in an electronic format, free of charge.

The document will be sent by e-mail. No liability will be accepted for delivery failure.

- 8. Deliver your bid:
 - to the Roads Department of the Ministry of Regional Development and Infrastructure of Georgia. Street address: Al. Kazbegi Avenue #12. Floor/Room number: IV Floor, Chancellery;
 - on or before April 11, 2022 at 16:00 hours;
 - together with a Bid Security as described in the Bidding Document.
- 9. Bids will be opened **immediately after the deadline** in the presence of Bidders' representatives who choose to attend at the address below:

Roads Department of the Ministry of Regional Development and Infrastructure of Georgia 12 12 Al. Kazbegi Avenue, 0160 Tbilisi, Georgia II Floor, Conference Hall

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