

GOVERNMENT OF THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF BANGLADESH

Directorate General of Food

Modern Food Storage Facilities Project (MFSP)

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Date: 28/03/2021

Invitation for Bids

Country: Bangladesh

Project name: Modern Food Storage Facilities Project (MFSP)

Credit No.: IDA 52650-BD

Contract Title: Construction of steel silo for wheat at Khulna.

Reference No.: Package W-25

1. The Government of Bangladesh has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the Modern Food Storage Facilities Project (MFSP), and intends to apply part of the proceeds toward payments under the contract mentioned above.
 2. The Project Director, MFSP, Directorate General of Food now invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for construction of steel silo for wheat.
 3. Bidding will be conducted through the International Competitive Bidding procedures as specified in the World Bank's Guidelines for Procurement of Goods, Works, and Non-Consulting Services under IBRD Loans and IDA Credits and Grants, January 2011 ("Procurement Guidelines"), and is open to all eligible bidders as defined in the bidding document. In addition, please refer to paragraphs 1.6 and 1.7 setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest.
 4. Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information and inspect the bidding documents from the website www.mfsp.gov.bd and may contact the procuring entity during office hours.
 5. A complete set of bidding documents in English may be purchased by eligible bidders through either one of the following two methods:
 - (i) Bidders themselves or through their local agent can arrange to collect a hardcopy of the bidding documents from the Employer's office address shown below during working hours by submitting in original a written application and Bank Draft/Pay Order in favor of Director General of Food for payment of a non-refundable fee of BDT 10,000 (Taka Ten Thousand only) or USD 120 (USD One hundred twenty only).
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- (ii) Bidders can download an electronic copy (in PDF format) of the bidding documents from the website www.mfsp.gov.bd for use in the preparation and submission of bids. In this case, bidders should promptly submit through email to the Employer's email address shown below, an electronic copy of the written application along with an electronic copy of Bank draft or Pay Order in favor of Director General of Food for payment of a non-refundable fee of BDT 10,000 (Taka Ten Thousand only) or USD 120 (USD One hundred twenty only). The originals of the written application and the Bank Draft/Pay Order should be submitted by bidders to the Employer's address below so as to be delivered to the Employer as soon as possible but in any case before the bid submission deadline specified below. Within 2 working days of receiving the original of the written application and Bank Draft/Pay Order, the Employer shall confirm receipt by sending an email to the bidder at the bidder's email address indicated in the written application. In case the Employer's confirmation email is not received, the bidder should check with the Employer through email to ensure that the original written application and Bank Draft/Pay Order were delivered to the Employer.
6. A pre-bid meeting will be held on **April 8, 2021 at 11:00 hour (Bangladesh Standard Time) via WebEx/Meet**. The link to the videoconference will be sent *7 calendar days before the specified date of pre-bid meeting* through email to all prospective bidders who purchased the bidding documents.
 7. Bids must be delivered to the address below on or before **May 11, 2021 12:00 hour (Bangladesh Standard Time)**. Electronic bidding will not be permitted. Late bids will be rejected. Bids will be publicly opened in the presence of the bidders' designated representatives and anyone who choose to attend at the address below on the same day of submission deadline at 12:30 hour. In addition, the bid opening meeting will be telecast live through videoconference and the link to the videoconference will be sent *7 calendar days before the specified date of bid opening* through email to all prospective bidders who purchased the bidding documents and who may choose to attend the meeting virtually.
 8. All bids must be accompanied by a Bid Security of **BDT 40,000,000 (Taka Forty million only) or USD 472,000 (US Dollar Four hundred seventy two thousand only)**.

The address referred to above is:

Project Director

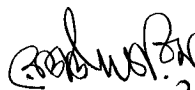
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