



SPECIAL BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE (SBAC) FOR NCC ACCESS ROADS

BIDDING FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF AIRPORT-NCC ACCESS ROAD (PHASE 1) BID BULLETIN NO. 4

This Bid Bulletin clarifies written queries received from prospective bidders from May 30, 2018 to June 1, 2018, and other matters relative to the Bidding for the Construction of Airport-NCC Access Road (Phase 1).

1. Queries/Questions by Prospective Bidders

	Issues Raised	Clarifications
1.	In reference to Electrical Drawing, Bid Bulletin No. 2, and Response to No. 2, we would like to clarify if the lateral Medium Voltage Distribution is not included to Electrical Contractor Scope of Work. Please Confirm.	Yes, medium voltage distribution is not included. Power will be provided primarily by other sources.
2.	Please provide detail drawings of Shear key for Sacobia Bridge.	Please refer to drawing No. P2SB-12.
3.	Please clarify how the Client address the issues on price index given PSA compared to the market value of the construction material which has direct cause on the unexpected rise of price especially on fuel, concrete, rebars, and other indent materials. Is the contractor allowed / granted a price escalation if the value of construction materials drastically change during execution compared to cost proposal during tender.	Price escalation is not allowed.
4.	The design you have issued to us is in 2D. Please issue us the information in either a Design Tin or Design Strings that are 3D.	Only 2D AutoCad files are available.
5.	From Bid Bulletin No. 3, Item No. 8. "Yes, the Consortium may use the experience of the foreign contractor to comply with the SLCC." Considering that SLCC is a technical eligibility requirement, as per 2016 IRR	The SBAC would like to draw the prospective bidders' attention to Section 23.1(b) Class "B" Document of the revised IRR of R.A. 9184 which states: "xxx The submission of Technical and Financial Eligibility Documents by any of the joint venture partner constitutes compliancexxx"
	of R.A. 9184, is the SLCC experience of Supplier/Financier in the Consortium	The SLCC is part of the Technical Documents. The SBAC emphasizes that, for a project such as the

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partnership legal and valid?	NCC-Airport Access Road, what is important to BCDA are the experience, equipment & financing capacity of the bidders. The bidders must be experienced in bridge construction and the equipment required for the project must be shown to be readily available for the Project. Thus, the SLCC experience of the supplier/financier in a JV/Consortium is perfectly legal and valid. The SBAC has consulted the GPPB on the matter and GPPB confirmed that the SLCC can be complied by any of the JV/Consortium partners.
6. If the process of authentication requires other procedures from offices apart from the embassy, before beginning processing at the embassy itself, will proof of application from such agency be sufficient to submit?	As a rule, the required authenticated documents must be submitted during the submission of bids. However, if they are not available during the submission of bids, certified true copies of said documents are admissible if supported by any documentary proof of application for authentication, such as official receipt (OR) for such application, provided further that, the authenticated documents are submitted by the bidder prior to award should the bidder be the winning bidder.
7. Given that total days for processing for each application of foreign contractors under PCAB is 30 days, and the application for a foreign Consortium / Joint Venture is 30 days, we humbly request for further extension of bid submission to 06 July 2018, so as to cover the 60-day period from the Pre-Bid Conference held on 03 May 2018.	No. The deadline for the submission of bids is at 12:00 noon on 14 June 2018.
8. Amendment on the detailed design drawings.	Replace drawing nos. P2SB-37, P2SB-38, P2SB-39, P2SB-41, P2SB-42, P2SB-43, P2SB-44, P2SB-45, P2SB-46, P2SB-47, P2SB-53, P2SB-62, P2SB-63, P2SB-64, P2SB-65, P2SB-66, P2SB-67, P2SB-68, P2SB-70, P2SB-72 and P2SB-74 with ATTACHMENT B.

Please be reminded that all queries after the release of this Bid Bulletin will not be entertained.

All provisions, conditions and statements in the bidding documents inconsistent with this Bid Bulletin are either modified or rendered ineffective, as the case may be.



The deadline for submission of bids is on 14 June 2018, at 12:00 noon.

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