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Loan N°./Financing: 2741/BL-GY

Project: Road Network Upgrade and Expansion Program

Title: Upgrade and Rehabilitation of Sheriff Street – Mandela Avenue Expansion Project

Borrower/Bid No: LO-2741/2015/CW – 001



Specific Procurement Notice

(without Prequalification)

Invitation for Bids (IFB)

The Cooperative Republic of Guyana
Ministry of Public Infrastructure

Sheriff Street – Mandela Avenue Expansion Project, Region 4

Civil Works

Loan Contract No. 2741/BL-GY Road Network Upgrade and Expansion Program

Bid Number: LO-2741/2015/CW – 001

1. This invitation for bids follows the General Procurement Notice for this project that appeared on United Nations Development Business Online and referenced as **Development Business No. IDB601-05/15** posted, **8 of May, 2015**. The General Procurement Notice also appeared on the internet website of the Inter-American Development Bank.
2. The Co-operative Republic of Guyana has received a loan from the from the Inter-American Development Bank toward the cost of the Road Network Upgrade and Expansion Program and it intends to apply part of the proceeds of this to payments under the Contract for Upgrade and Rehabilitation of Sheriff Street – Mandela Avenue Expansion Project.
3. The Ministry of Public Infrastructure now invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for the Upgrade and Rehabilitation of Sheriff Street – Mandela Avenue Expansion Project. The scope of works for the Sheriff - Mandela road corridor includes pavement reconstruction, road and traffic safety elements, , structural works to bridge, culvert and other supporting infrastructure and drainage improvement Works. There are 4 bridges and more than 10 culverts identified for construction or expansion. The total length of roadway to be rehabilitated / constructed is 7km. Pavement Works will include the construction of a two-lane roadway with a median portioning the two lanes along Sheriff Street. For road safety, there will be the installation of road safety elements such as pedestrian overhead crossings, bus stops, road marking and signs, upgrade to traffic intersections and signalize intersections. Relocation of public utilities such as Water Transmission and Distribution Mains and Telephone lines will be executed with lead time by the public utility agencies. The delivery/construction period of the Roads Works Contract is Four Hundred and Ninety (490) Days.
4. Bidding will be conducted through the International Competitive Bidding (ICB) procedures specified in the Inter-American Development Bank's *Policies for the Procurement of Goods and Works financed by the Inter-American Development Bank GN-2349-9*, and is open to all bidders from Eligible Source Countries as defined in the Bidding Documents.
5. Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from the Ministry of Public Infrastructure, Works Services Group and inspect the Bidding Documents at **Address Nr.1** given below, between Monday to Thursday from 09:00 and 15:00 hours, and on Friday between 09:00 to 14:00 hours, Guyana Time. These Bidding Documents are available from **Wednesday, January 25, 2017**.

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6. Qualifications requirements include: Average Annual Construction Turnover, must have substantially completed one civil engineering project above a certain value and demonstrate access to liquid assets and/or credit facilities from a Financial Institution. Table 1 below details the specifics. Further details on qualification requirements are outlined in the Evaluation Criteria of the Bidding Documents. A margin of preference for national contractors/JVCAs shall **NOT** be applied.

Table 1 – Qualification Requirements Specifics

Tendered Lot/s	Average Annual Turnover	Civil Engineering Project	Access to Credit Facilities
Lot 1 only	US\$3.50M	US\$5.00M	US\$2.00M
Lot 2 only	US\$3.50M	US\$5.00M	US\$2.00M
Lot 3 only	US\$3.50M	US\$5.00M	US\$2.00M
Lot 4 only	US\$3.00M	US\$4.00M	US\$1.75M
Lot 5 only	US\$0.50M	US\$1.00M	US\$0.50M

7. A complete set of Bidding Documents in English may be purchased by interested bidders on the submission of a written application to the **address Nr. 1** below and upon payment of a non-refundable fee of or equivalent to GY\$10,000. The method of payment will be by Cash, Bank Draft or Manager's Cheque in favor of the Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Public Infrastructure. The Bidding Documents can be obtained at the Works Services Group.

8. Bids must be delivered to the **Address 2** below before **09:00hrs on Tuesday, March 14, 2017**. Electronic submission of bids is **NOT** permitted. Late bids will be rejected. Bids will be opened physically in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend in person at the **Address Nr. 2** below after **09:00hrs on Tuesday, March 14, 2017**.

9. All bids must be accompanied by a Bid Security according to table 2.

Table 1 – Bid Security

Tendered Lot/s	Bid Security
Lot 1 only	US\$78,000
Lot 2 only	US\$69,000
Lot 3 only	US\$78,000
Lot 4 only	US\$44,000
Lot 5 only	US\$24,000

10. The addresses referred to above are:

Address Nr. 1

The Coordinator,
Ministry of Public Infrastructure,
Fort Street
Kingston,
Tel: 592-226-0650
Email:
wsg@publicinfrastructure.gov.gy

Address Nr. 2

The Chairman,
National Procurement and Tender
Administration Board,
Main and Urquhart Streets,
Georgetown,
Guyana