

INVITATION TO TENDER

BRIDGES RECONSTRUCTION PROGRAMME (BRP)

The NATIONAL INFRASTRUCTURE DEVELOPMENT COMPANY LIMITED (NIDCO) in partnership with the Ministry of Works and Transport (MOWT), wishes to invite suitably qualified and experienced Contractors to bid for Six (6) tender packages under the Bridges Reconstruction Programme (BRP).

<input type="checkbox"/> ITT#2210/02 - CP 35 B1/37 SS Erin Road – Phase 2 Package D (Closing date: Thursday 3rd November, 2022)	<input type="checkbox"/> ITT#2210/03 - CP41 B1/1 Fondes Amandes Road, St. Ann's – Phase 3 Package E (Closing date: Thursday 3rd November, 2022)	<input type="checkbox"/> ITT#2210/04 - CP42 B1/1 Sam Boucaud Extension Road, Santa Cruz - Phase 3 Package E (Closing date: Thursday 3rd November, 2022)
<input type="checkbox"/> ITT#2210/05 - CP 43 B1/45 Paria Main Road, Toco - Phase 3 Package E (Closing date: Friday 4th November, 2022)	<input type="checkbox"/> ITT#2210/06 - CP46 B1/2 Caigual Road, Manzanilla - Phase 3 Package E (Closing date: Friday 4th November, 2022)	<input type="checkbox"/> ITT#2210/07 - CP52 B1/1 Tamana Road - Phase 3 Package F (Closing date: Friday 4th November, 2022)

SCOPE OF WORKS

The Scope of Works include diversions, reconstruction of existing bridges and box culverts, and associated roadworks, and ancillary works.

ELIGIBILITY

This Invitation to Tender (ITT) is open to all respondents who can demonstrate they have the experience, technical and financial expertise to provide the required services. Evaluation of proposals will be based on the following: **General Background & Experience, Financial Capacity, Construction Strategy and Resources, Similar Work Experience, Qualifications and Experience of Proposed Key Personnel.**

PURCHASE OF INVITATION TO TENDER (ITT)

Payment for the ITT is available from **Friday 7th October, 2022**, and must be made at any branch of the First Citizens Bank using the following information:

Bank: First Citizens Bank Limited **Account Number:** 1458435
Independence Square **Payee:** National Infrastructure Development Company Limited
Port of Spain

Upon payment of the non-refundable fee of TT\$3,000.00 (per tender) at the First Citizens Bank a copy of the receipt must be emailed to secretarytenders@nidco.co.tt identifying which tender, along with an email address to whom the ITT should be sent. Tenderers are advised to ensure that their bank receipt includes the name of the person or Company on whose behalf the fee is paid.

PRE-SUBMISSION MEETING

Prospective Tenderers are invited to a Pre-Submission Meeting scheduled for **Thursday 13th October, 2022 at 9:30a.m. via Zoom**. Site visits will be conducted on **Thursday 13th October and Friday 14th October, 2022**. (Interested/Prospective Tenderers are kindly asked to email secretarytenders@nidco.co.tt on or before **Wednesday 12th October, 2022** for Zoom details. Site Visits will follow immediately thereafter where it will be MANDATORY that all persons attending wear face masks.

SUBMISSION OF DOCUMENTS

The Two (2) Envelope System will be utilized. Completed Technical and Financial Proposals must be submitted **(One (1) Original, Three (3) Hard Copies and One (1) Electronic Copy) in separately sealed packages** clearly labelled:

Name of Company/Respondent
Name of ITT (Example: ITT#2210/02 - CP 35 B1/37 SS Erin Road –Phase 2 Package D)
TECHNICAL PROPOSAL / FINANCIAL PROPOSAL
Secretary, Tenders Committee
National Infrastructure Development Company Limited (NIDCO)
6B Don Miguel Road Extension, El Socorro Extension,
EL SOCORRO 280603, Trinidad and Tobago

and deposited in the Tender Box located in the lobby of NIDCO's offices on the Ground Floor, The Atrium, 6B Don Miguel Road Extension, El Socorro Extension, EL SOCORRO 280603, Trinidad and Tobago, W.I. **no later than 1:00 pm on Thursday 3rd November, 2022 and Friday 4th November, 2022 respectively. (SEE ITT CLOSING DETAILS ABOVE).** Proposals must NOT be emailed to NIDCO. Emailed submissions will result in disqualification.

Please note that the dimensions of the Tender Box slot are 4" High and 18" Wide. Please note that the Technical and Financial Proposals must be placed in separately sealed envelopes. Additionally, the electronic copy of the Technical Proposal must be in the Technical Envelope only, and the electronic copy of the Financial Proposal must be in the Financial Envelope only. Respondents are advised that the name of the company submitting the Proposal should be clearly marked on the envelopes.

Technical Submissions will be opened publicly on the same day of the closing at NIDCO's Head Office. A representative of the respondent may be present at the openings.

LIMITATIONS/RESERVATIONS

- NIDCO will not be responsible for any cost incurred by any prospective respondent in preparing their proposal and reserves the right to cancel the present notice in its entirety or even partially, without defraying any cost incurred by any respondent submitting a proposal.
- NIDCO reserves the right to reject proposals received unsigned, in unsealed envelopes or with alterations or erasures not initialed by respondent/s.
- Respondents are fully responsible for the submission of their Proposals and must satisfy themselves as to the nature of the project.
- NIDCO does not bind itself to accept any Proposal. NIDCO reserves the right to negotiate with and/or make a counter offer to all compliant respondents.
- NIDCO reserves the right to limit the number of projects, which may be awarded per contractor to a maximum of two (2) contracts throughout the Bridges Reconstruction Programme (BRP). This will be dependent on the assessment of the contractor's financial and resource capacity.

Late submissions will NOT be considered under any circumstances.

CLARIFICATION OF THE TENDER (no later than Thursday 27th October, 2022)

Enquiries, clarification, and further information regarding this tender can be obtained from: **Secretary, Tenders Committee, NIDCO, The Atrium, 6B Don Miguel Road Extension, El Socorro Extension, EL SOCORRO 280603, Trinidad and Tobago, W.I. Telephone: (868) 226-7900, 674-5593. Email: secretarytenders@nidco.co.tt**