

INVITATION TO TENDER

BRIDGES RECONSTRUCTION PROGRAMME (BRP)

The NATIONAL INFRASTRUCTURE DEVELOPMENT COMPANY LIMITED (NIDCO) in partnership with the Ministry of Works and Transport (MOWT), invites suitably qualified and experienced Contractors to bid for **Two (2) tender packages** under the Bridges Reconstruction Programme (BRP).

SCOPE OF WORKS

The Scope of Works include diversions, reconstruction of existing bridges and box culverts, and associated foundations, approach roads, ancillary works and demolition works. Additional details of the works will be contained in the Terms of Reference.

ITT 2404/03 Bridges Reconstruction Programme
CP 44 B1/43 Paria Main Road (Shark River), Toco
(Closing date: **Wednesday 8th May, 2024**)

ITT 2404/04 Bridges Reconstruction Programme
CP40 B1/1 Eastern Main Road, South Quay
(Closing date: **Wednesday 8th May, 2024**)

ELIGIBILITY

The above Invitations to Tender (ITTs) are open to all respondents who can demonstrate that they have the experience, technical and financial expertise to provide the required services. Evaluation of proposals will be based on requirements including: **General Background & Experience, Financial Capacity, Construction Strategy and Resources, Similar Work Experience, Qualifications and Experience of Proposed Key Personnel.**

Following the proclamation of the Public Procurement and Disposal of Public Property Act (2015), Contractors who are desirous of providing goods, works or services to NIDCO, are advised that they must first, be registered with the Office of the Procurement Regulation (OPR) in this specific category. Any party seeking to participate in procurement proceedings must input information and upload relevant associated documentation into the Procurement Depository, in accordance with Section 29(1) of the Act. Section 26(3) of the Act, places full responsibility on the contractor to ensure the accuracy of the information provided.

For the above tenders, the relevant Line of Business is 72141107 Bridge construction and repair service.

INVITATION TO TENDER (ITT) DOCUMENTS

Interested/ Prospective Tenderers are kindly asked to email npo@nidco.co.tt identifying the relevant tender, along with an email address to whom the ITT should be sent.

PRE-SUBMISSION MEETING

Prospective Tenderers are invited to a Pre-Submission Meeting for both Tenders **which is scheduled for Thursday 11th April, 2024 at 10:00 a.m. via Microsoft Teams.** The site visit for ITT 2404/04 will be conducted on Thursday 11th April 2024 and the site visit for ITT 2404/03 will be conducted on Friday 12th April, 2024. (Interested/Prospective Tenderers are kindly asked to email npo@nidco.co.tt on or before Tuesday 9th April, 2024 for meeting details).

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# 2404/03 - CP#44- B1/43 Paria Main Road (Shark River), Toco.
TECHNICAL PROPOSAL / FINANCIAL PROPOSAL
The Named Procurement Officer
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, Don Miguel Road Extension, San Juan, Trinidad and Tobago, W.I. no later than 1:00 pm on Wednesday 8th May 2024. (see details above).

Please note that the dimensions of the Tender Box slot are 4" High and 18" Wide. Please also 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 at NIDCO's Head Office. A representative of the respondent may be present at the opening.

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 Wednesday 1st May, 2024

Enquiries, clarification, and further information regarding this tender can be obtained from:

Named Procurement Officer, 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: npo@nidco.co.tt