

Invitation for Bids (IFB)

Date of Issue: **November 16, 2012**
Contract Identification No: **IFB/SOFWMP/AF/05**
World Bank Loan/Credit No: **IDA Credit 4629-PAK**
World Bank Loan/Credit Name: **Sindh On Farm Water Management Project-
Additional Financing.**

1. The Islamic Republic of Pakistan, the "Borrower", has received a credit from the International Development Association towards the cost of Sindh On Farm Water Management Project-Additional Financing and intends to apply part of the funds to cover eligible payments under the Contract for Supply and Installation of Equipment for establishment of 30 Tunnel Cultivation Plots in Project Area i.e. Ghotki Feeder, Nara Canal and Left Bank Canal Area Water Boards. Bidding is open to all bidders from eligible source countries as defined in the *Guidelines: Procurement under IBRD Loans and IDA Credits*.
2. **Director General, Agricultural Engineering & Water Management Sindh Hyderabad Pakistan. Sindh, the "Employer"**, invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for Supply and Installation of Equipment for establishment of 30 Tunnel Cultivation Plots in **03 Area Water Boards**.
3. The Bids are divided into three (3) lots as per details given below and the Bidders are given an opportunity to submit the Bid for single or all lots.

Lot Nr.	Name of Area Water Board	Covered Area	Nos. of Tunnels	Bid Security (PKR)
01	Ghotki	3,000 sq.ft. for each Tunnel	10	The Bid security shall be deposited @2% of bid price.
02	Nara Canal	3,000 sq.ft. for each Tunnel	10	
03	Left Bank Feeder Canal	3,000 sq.ft. for each Tunnel	10	

4. **The works are to be completed in 150 days for one or more lots.**
5. Bidding documents and additional copies thereof may be purchased from the Employer's address Directorate General Agricultural Engineering & Water Management Sindh Hyderabad Pakistan Shahbaz Building Block-C, 2nd Floor, Hyderabad, Sindh Pakistan Telephone: 00 92 22 9200045 & 9200046 Facsimile number: 00 92 22 9200052. Electronic mail address: dg@aeWM.org for a non-refundable fee of Pakistan Rupees 2,000 payable through Demand Draft/ Pay Order in favour of Director General Agricultural Engineering & Water Management Sindh Hyderabad Pakistan for each set. Additional sets of documents may be purchased at same price. Interested bidders may obtain further information from the same address. Additional charges of Rupees 500 shall be payable if the document is required through courier.

6. Bids shall be valid for a period of **90 days** after Bid opening and must be accompanied by security of **2%** of the Bid price and shall be delivered to Director General Agricultural Engineering & Water Management Sindh Hyderabad Pakistan, on or before 12 noon Pakistan Standard time on **December 24, 2012**. *The Bids will be opened on same date at 12.30 p.m* in the presence of the bidder's representative who choose to attend in the committee room of Directorate General Agricultural Engineering & Water Management Sindh Shahbaz Building Block-C, *2nd Floor*, Hyderabad, Pakistan.
7. A pre-bid conference will be held at 1100 Hrs. Pakistan Standard time on **December 05, 2012**, at the office of the Director General Agricultural Engineering & Water Management Sindh Hyderabad Pakistan Shahbaz Building Block-C, 2nd Floor Hyderabad, Sindh Pakistan.
8. The purpose of the pre-bid conference will be to clarify issues and to answer questions on any matter that may be raised at that stage. All potential Bidders, those have obtained the Bidding Documents, are invited to attend.
9. The Bidders; at their own responsibility risk and costs are encouraged to visit and examine the site of Works and its surroundings and obtain all information that may be necessary for preparing the Bid and entering into a contract for construction of the Works.
10. All bidders shall be required to submit with their bids, qualification information specified in the bidding documents. This information shall be used to establish, through post-qualification, whether the bidder is qualified to perform the work.
11. Bids are required to be submitted on item rate basis (not on the basis of Composite Schedule of Rates with percentage premium) and the rates and amounts (Rupees in figures and words) must be filled by the bidder for each item in the Bill of Quantities and provide a total price. Non-compliance may result in rejection of the bid.
12. Bidders should give their best and final price in their bids as no negotiations are expected.
13. As provided in the bidding documents, bidders engaged in corrupt or fraudulent practices (including collusion/pooling) will be declared ineligible, either indefinitely or for a stated period of time, from being awarded a contract, financed by the World Bank.

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