



**Invitation to Tender
Works
E-Procurement Notice
(Two-Envelope e-Procurement tender Process without Prequalification)**

Employer: ASSAM ELECTRICITY GRID CORPORATION LIMITED.

Project: ASSAM INTRA-STATE TRANSMISSION SYSTEM ENHANCEMENT PROJECT.

Contract title: AUGMENTATION OF THE COMMUNICATION BACKBONE-REPLACEMENT OF THE EXISTING GROUND WIRE BY OPGW (636km) (Package-M)

Country: INDIA

Loan No. /Credit No. / Grant No.: 000302-IND

Tender No: AEGCL/MD/AIIB/PACKAGE-M/2020/02-M

Issued on: 31 /03/2020

1. The Government of India **has** applied for financing from the **Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank (AIIB)** towards the cost of the **Assam Intra-state Transmission System Enhancement Project**, and intends to apply part of the proceeds toward payments under the contract ¹for **Augmentation of the Communication Backbone-Replacement of the Existing Ground Wire by OPGW(636 km) (Package-M)**.
2. The Assam Electricity Grid Corporation Limited(AEGCL) now invites online Tenders from eligible Tenderers for ***“Design, Engineering, Manufacture, Assembly, Inspection, Testing at Manufacturer’s Works before Dispatch, Packing, Supply, Delivery at Site, Including Insurance During Transit, Subsequent Storage, Erection, Testing and Commissioning of OPGW by replacing the ground wire of existing 220KV and 132KV transmission lines and Terminal Communication Equipments in the existing Terminating 220KV and 132KV Grid Substations of AEGCL”*** on **“Turnkey Contract Basis”** as detailed in the Table below. The Tenderers may submit tenders for all of the Works indicated therein. Tenderers are advised to note the clauses on eligibility (Section 1 Clause 4), minimum qualification criteria (Section 3 – Evaluation and Qualification Criteria)to qualify for the award of the contract. In addition, please refer to paragraphs 4.4.1 and 4.4.2 of the “INTERIM OPERATIONAL DIRECTIVES ON Procurement Instructions for Recipient” setting forth the AIIB’s policy on conflict of interest.
3. Procurement will be conducted through National Competitive Tendering (NCT) method as specified in the AIIB’s “Procurement Instructions for Recipient, June 2016, and is open to all eligible Tenderers. Tenderers from India should, however, be registered with the Government of India or other State Governments/ Government of India, or State/ Central Government Undertakings. Tenderers, who are not registered as above, on the date of tendering, can also participate provided they get themselves registered by the time of contract signing, if they become successful tenderers².
4. Interested eligible Tenderers may obtain further information from O/o The Managing Director, Assam Electricity Grid Corporation Limited, Bijulee Bhawan, Paltan Bazar, Guwahati, Assam, India, Pin: 781001. E-mail: aibworks.aegcl@gmail.com and inspect the Tender document during office hours (09:30 to 1700 hours) at the address given below.



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OFFICE OF THE MANAGING DIRECTOR
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5. The tender document in English is available online on **31st March, 2020 in the e-procurement website (<https://assamtenders.gov.in>) to 29th May, 2020, 13:00 Hrs** for a nonrefundable fee³as indicated in the table below. The method of payment will be online in the e-procurement portal. Payment documents are to be submitted as per the procedure described in paragraph 9 below. Tenderers will be required to register in the website. The Tenderers would be responsible for ensuring that any addenda available on the website is also downloaded and incorporated.
6. For submission of the tenders, the Tenderer is required to have Digital Signature Certificate (DSC) from one of the Certifying Authorities (CAs), authorized by Government of India for issuing DSC. Tenderers can see the list of licensed CAs from the link (www.cca.gov.in). Aspiring Tenderers who have not obtained the user ID and password for participating in e-procurement in this Project, may obtain the same from the website: <https://assamtenders.gov.in>. A non-refundable fee of Rs. 30,000/-(inclusive of tax) US\$ 419 or equivalent amount in a freely convertible currency, is required to be paid. The method of payment will be online in the e-procurement portal. Payment documents are to be submitted as per the procedure described in paragraph 9 below.
7. Tender comprise two Parts, namely the Technical Part and the Financial (Price) Part, and both parts must be simultaneously submitted online on <https://assamtenders.gov.in> on or before **29th May, 2020, 13:00 Hrs**. Any tender or modifications to tender (including discount) received outside e-procurement system will not be considered. The electronic tendering system would not allow any late submission of tenders. The “TECHNICAL PART” of the Tenders will be publicly opened online on **30th May 2020 at 15:00 Hrs** in the presence of the Tenderers’ designated representatives and anyone who chooses to attend at the address below at 15:00⁴hours, and this could also be viewed by the Tenderers online. The “FINANCIAL PART” shall remain unopened in the e-procurement system until the second public Tender opening for the financial part. If the office happens to be closed on the date of opening of the tenders as specified, the tenders will be opened on the next working day at the same time and venue.
8. All Tenders must be accompanied by a Tender Security of the amount⁵specified for the Work in the table below, drawn in favour of Assam Electricity Grid Corporation Limited payable at Guwahati. Tender security will have to be in any one of the forms as specified in the tender document and shall have to be valid for 45 days beyond the validity of the tender. (The original tender security documents in approved form shall be submitted as per the procedure described in paragraph 9 below).
9. The Tenderers are required to submit (a) original payment documents towards the cost of tender document (Not required for online submission) and registration on e-procurement website (if applicable); (b) original tender security in approved form; and (c) original affidavit regarding correctness of information furnished with tender document, with address as H. Kakati, Project Director (AIB), O/o The Managing Director, AEGCL, Bijulee Bhawan, Paltan Bazar, Guwahati-781001, Assam, India one (1) hour prior to the Tender submission deadline given above, either by registered post/speed post/courier or by hand, failing which such tenders will be declared non-responsive, and will not be opened.
10. A pre-tender meeting⁶will be held on **29th April, 2020 at 14:00 hrs** at the O/o The Managing Director, AEGCL, Bijulee Bhawan, Paltan Bazar, Guwahati-781001, Assam, India to clarify the issues and to answer questions on any matter that may be raised at that stage as stated in ITB Clause 7.4 of ‘Instructions to Tenderers’ of the tender document. Tenderers are advised to download the tender document prior to the pre-tender meeting in order for tenderers to have a good understanding of the scope of the requirements under this contract for discussion and clarification at the pre-tender meeting.
11. Other details can be seen in the tender document. The Employer shall not be held liable for any delays due to system failure beyond its control. Even though the system will attempt to notify the tenderers of any tender



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updates, the Employer shall not be liable for any information not received by the tenderer. It is the Tenderers' responsibility to verify the website for the latest information related to this tender

12. The address (es) referred to above is (are):

Assam Electricity Grid Corporation Limited
Hitesh Kakati, Project Director (AIIB)
O/o The Managing Director, AEGCL, Bijulee Bhawan, Guwahati,
Assam, India, Pin: 781001.
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Email: aibworks.aegcl@gmail.com

TABLE

Package No	Name of Work	Tender Security * Rs. or US\$ (or equivalent amount in a freely convertible currency)	Cost of Document Rs. or US\$ (or equivalent amount in a freely convertible currency)	Period of Completion
1	2	3	4	5
Package M	Augmentation of the Communication Backbone- Replacement of the Existing Ground Wire by OPGW (636 km) (Package-M).	INR 1.25 Crore (Rupees One Crore and Twenty-Five Lakhs) only	Rs 30,000	36 months

Project Director (AIIB)
O/o The MD, AEGCL,
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