

Republic of the Philippines DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS CENTRAL OFFICE

Manila



LETTER OF INVITATION

Invitation No.:

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Date:

18 November 2024

Loan No.:

PHL-26

Deadline for submission: 16 January 2025

SEUNG-WOO PARK

Chairman, DOHWA Engineering Co., Ltd.

DOHWA Engineering Co., Ltd., in Joint Venture with Yooshin Engineering Corporation, and Seoyoung Engineering Co., Ltd.

438 Samseong-ro, Gangnam-gu, Seoul, South Korea 06178

Dear Mr. Park:

- 1. The Government of the Philippines through the Department of Finance (DOF) (hereinafter referred to as the "Borrower") has applied for a loan from the Export-Import Bank of Korea (hereinafter referred) and the "Bank") from the resources of the Economic Development Cooperation Fund (hereinafter referred to as "EDCF") of the Republic of Korea in the amount of USD 111,426,607.00 toward the cost of the Detailed Engineering Design, Preparation of Bidding Documents, Construction Supervision, and Post-Construction Supervision of the Samar Pacific Coastal Road II Project (Laoang II Bridge and Calomotan Bridge) (hereinafter referred to as the "Project"), and intends to apply a portion of the proceeds of this loan to payments under the contract for which this Letter of Invitation is issued.
- 2. The terms and conditions of the contract and payments by the Bank, therefore, shall be subject in all respects to the terms and conditions of the Loan Agreement, including the Guidelines for the Employment of Consultants under the EDCF Loan (the Guidelines). Except as the Bank may specially otherwise agree, no party other than the Borrower shall derive any rights from the Loan Agreement or have any claim to the loan proceeds.
- 3. The Department of Public Works and Highways on behalf of the Borrower now invites proposals to provide the necessary consulting services for the Project. More details on the services are provided in the Terms of Reference (Section 5).
- 4. This Request for Proposals (RFP) has been addressed to the following shortlisted Consultants:
 - Joint Venture of DOHWA Engineering Co., Ltd., Yooshin Engineering Corporation, i. and Seoyoung Engineering Co., Ltd.
 - Joint Venture of KYONG-HO Engineering & Architects Co., Ltd., KCIeng Co., Ltd., ii. Dasan Consultants Co., Ltd., and Kunhwa Engineering & Consulting Co., Ltd.
 - iii. Joint Venture of SOOSUNG Engineering Co., Ltd., Korea Engineering Consultants Corporation, and BANDI Consultants Co., Ltd.
 - Joint Venture of DONGSUNG Engineering Co., Ltd., Dong Myeong Engineering iv.

Website: https://www.dpwh.gov.ph @ Tel. No(s).: 5304-3000 / (02) 165-02



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Consultants & Architecture Co., Ltd., and JINWOO Engineering Korea Co., Ltd.

v. Joint Venture of Kyong Dong Engineering Co., Ltd., SAMBO Engineering Co., Ltd., and Cheil Engineering Co., Ltd.

You are therefore invited to submit technical and financial proposals for the consulting services of which details are provided in the Terms of Reference. It is not permissible to transfer this invitation to any other firm.

We (the Client) shall make available to all shortlisted Consultants the feasibility study (F/S) of the Project upon the issuance of this Letter of Invitation. Notwithstanding, if you have not received access to the feasibility study (F/S) of the Project, you can request access to the F/S by submitting a request in writing or standard electronic means at the following address:

Address: Room 502-A, 5th Floor Bonifacio Drive, Port Area, Manila, Philippines

Telephone: +632-5304-3488

Email: ayapana.eric@dpwh.gov.ph cc: obja-an.mary grace@dpwh.gov.ph

Contact person: Undersecretary Eric A. Ayapana

Upon receipt of your request, we (the Client) shall respond and make the F/S available for you immediately. If such response or provision of F/S is unreasonably withheld or delayed, the Bank is entitled to provide you with the F/S upon your written request delivered to the Bank.

- 5. A firm will be selected under the Quality-Based Selection (QBS) method and procedures described in this RFP, in accordance with the Guidelines.
- 6. The RFP includes the following documents:

Section 1 - Letter of Invitation

Section 2 - Instructions to Consultants (including Data Sheet)

Section 3 - Technical Proposal - Standard Forms

Section 4 - Financial Proposal - Standard Forms

Section 5 - Terms of Reference

Section 6 – Standard Forms of Contract (Lump-sum)

Section 7 - Criteria for Evaluation of Technical Proposals of Consultants

- 7. Please inform us by **25 November 2024** in writing or standard electronic means at the following address: Room 502-A, 5th Floor Bonifacio Drive, Port Area, Manila, Philippines, with telephone numbers +632-5304-3023 and +632-5304-3488, email ayapana.eric@dpwh.gov.ph, cc: obja-an.mary_grace@dpwh.gov.ph, and the contact person/conference coordinator Undersecretary Eric A. Ayapana, upon receipt:
 - (a) that you received the Letter of Invitation; and
 - (b) whether you will submit a proposal alone or in association.
- 8. Please take note that award of contract shall be made only after the loan has become effective, otherwise, no award shall take place. Hence, this invitation shall not be construed as a commitment for an award of contract for the herein consulting services.

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Very truly yours,

ERICA AYAPANA

Undersecretary for Operations in Charge of Convergence Projects Chairman, Bids and Awards Committee for Consulting Services (BACCS)