



Government of Nepal
Ministry of Energy, Water Resources and Irrigation
Department of Electricits Development
Budhi Ganga Hydropower Project
Invitation for Electronic Bids
Contract Identification No: BHP/ICB/LOT1-2022/23
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- Government of Nepal has reserved loans from the Saudi Fund for Development and Kuwait Fund for Arab Economic Development towards the cost of the Budhi Ganga Hydropower Project, and it intends to apply part of the funds to cover eligible payments under the contract for **Lot 1 - Civil and Hydro-mechanical Works (BHP/ICB/LOT1-2022/23)**. This contract will be jointly financed by GoN. Bidding will be governed by GoN/Development Partner's eligibility rules and procedures. Bidding is open to all eligible as per Section V of bidding document.
- Budhi Ganga Hydropower Project invites electronic bids from eligible bidders for
The construction of **Lot 1 - Civil and hydro-mechanical Works for the head works, waterways, powerhouse and ancillary structures of the Budhi Ganga Hydropower Station in Achham District** through Engineering Procurement Construction (EPC) mode under **International Competitive Bidding - Single Stage Two Envelope Bidding procedures**.
Only eligible bidders with the following key qualifications should participate in this bidding:
- Minimum Average Annual Construction Turnover of the best 3 years within the last 10 years: **USD 20 million**.
- Minimum Work experience of similar size and nature: One hydropower project of at least **20 MW** capacity with the contract value of at least **USD17.5 million**.
Concept paper for Understanding of the Project and Proposed Design.
- Under the Single Stage. Two Envelope Procedure, Bidders are required to submit the technical Bid and the Price Bid, as per the provision of 1TB 21 of the Bidding Document.
- Eligible Bidders may obtain further information and inspect the Bidding Documents at the office of Budhi Ganga Hydropower Project, Sanfebagar Municipality-10, Achham, Tel No. +977-9849637282 Email: info@bhp.gov.np. website: www.bhp.gov.np or may visit PPMO e-GP system www.bolpatra.gov.np/egp.
- Bidder submitting their bid electronically shall download the bidding documents for e-submission from PPMO's e-GP system www.bolpatra.gov.np/egp. Bidders, submitting their bid electronically, should deposit the cost of bidding document in the Project's Rajaswa (revenue) accounts as specified below:

Beneficiary Name as per Bank:	Budhi Ganga Hydropower Project
Beneficiary address:	Achham
Beneficiary Country:	Nepal
Beneficiary City:	Sanfebagar Municipality
Name of office:	Budhi Ganga Hydropower
Office Code No.:	308017201
Office Account No. :	100100200010000
Revenue No (Rajaswa Shirshak):	14229
Bank Name:	Rastriya Banijya Bank Limited
Bank Country:	Nepal
Swift Code:	RBBANPKA
Total Fees:	20,000 Nepali Rupees 175 USD
Note: The applicant has to bear the bank charges for the transfer of fees.	

- Pre-bid meeting shall be held at **Department of Electricity Development**, Sanogaucharan, Kathmandu. at **13:00 October 20,2022**.
- Electronic bids must be submitted through PPMO's e-GP system www.bolpatra.gov.np/egp on or before **12:00 on November 10,2022**. Bids received after this deadline will be rejected.
- The bids will be opened in the presence of Bidders' representatives who choose to attend at **13:00 on November 10, 2022** at the office of Budhi Ganga Hydropower Project. Sanfebagar Municipality -10, Achham. Bids must be valid for a period of **120 days** after bid opening and must be accompanied by scanned copy of the bid security in pdf format amounting to a minimum of NPR. 156,000,000,00 or USD 1,300,000,00 which shall be valid for 30 days beyond the validity period of the bid.
- If the last date of purchasing and /or submission falls on a government holiday, then the next working day shall be considered as the last date. In such case the validity period of the bid security shall remain the same as specified or the original last date of bid submission.