

Gas Transmission Company Limited (GTCL)
(A Company of Petrobangla)
Red Crescent Borak Tower (Level-6)
71-72 Old Elephant Road
Eskaton, Dhaka-1000
Bangladesh.

IFB NO: GTCL/B-RP/MP/001

Date: January 22, 2007

Invitation for Bid

The Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh has received loans from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) towards the cost of the Gas Transmission and Development Project and it is intended that a part of the funds will be applied to eligible payments under the contract for which this Bidding Document is issued.

The Gas Transmission Company Limited (GTCL) (herein after called Purchaser) now invites sealed Bids from eligible Bidders from member countries of the ADB for the supply and delivery of the API 5LX60, ERW 323.90 mm OD Corrosion Coated Line & others smaller dia. Pipes, API 5LGrade B 406.40 mm OD, ERW Casing Pipes For the Construction of 323.90 mm OD 53.00 km length High Pressure (1000 Psig) Natural Gas Transmission Pipeline from Bonpara to Rajshahi (Details and Specifications are provided in the Bidding Documents).

Delivery and services under the contract shall be completed with in 120 (One Twenty) days counting from 21 days after issuance of Commitment Letter by ADB.

International Competitive Bidding will be conducted in accordance with ADB's Single-Stage: Two-Envelope Bidding procedure and is open to all Bidders from eligible source countries (Details procedures are provided in the Bidding Documents).

Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information on the bid from and inspect the bidding documents at the following address:

Project Director,
Bonpara-Rajshahi Gas Transmission Pipeline Project
Gas Transmission Company Limited (GTCL)
Red Crescent Borak Tower(Level-6), 71-72 Old Elephant Road
Eskaton, Dhaka-1000, Bangladesh.
Tel: 880-2-8315616
Fax: 880-2-9358100

The Bidding Documents, in English language, may be purchased by interested bidders on the submission of a written application to the address above and upon payments of a non-refundable fee of US\$ 75.00 or Tk. 5,250.00 in the form of Pay Order/Demand Draft in favour of **Gas Transmission Company Limited** from January 29, 2007 during working hours on all working days. No Bid Document will be sold on the closing date of tender.

Bid must be delivered to the address above in accordance with the Instructions to Bidders at or before 11:00 hrs (Bangladesh Standard Time) on March 20, 2007.

Bid must be accompanied by a bid security of an amount Bangladeshi Taka 75,60,000.00 or US\$ 108,000.00 and must be delivered to Project Director, Bonpara-Rajshahi Gas Transmission Pipeline Project, GTCL. Late Bid shall be rejected. Bid will be opened at 11:30 hrs (Bangladesh Standard Time) on 20-03-2007 in presence of Bidder/Bidder's representatives who choose to attend. If the Bid can not be received and opened due to the unavoidable circumstances or holiday on scheduled date and time, Bid shall be opened at the same venue and time on the subsequent working day.

Purchaser will not be responsible for any costs or expenses incurred by Bidders in connection with the preparation or delivery of Bid.

Project Director
Bonpara-Rajshahi Gas Transmission Pipeline Project