

Invitation for Bids (IFB)

Project Title: Subproject of NDB Loan Jiangxi Natural Gas Transmission System Development Project - Jiangxi Province Natural Gas Pipeline Network and West Second Line Xinyu Unicom Line and Station Construction Project

Invitation for Bids No.: WKZB2226JXD100403

1. Bidding Conditions

1. 1. The Chinese government has obtained a loan from the New Development Bank to pay for Jiangxi Natural Gas Transmission System Development Project (18CN04) and plans to use part of the loan to pay for the qualified expenses under the Jiangxi Province Natural Gas Pipeline Network and West Second Line Xinyu Unicom Line and Station Construction Project (JX-TRQ-YX-W06). Bidding is open to eligible Bidders from member countries of New Development Bank.
1. 2. Minmetals International Tendering Co., Ltd. (hereinafter referred to as “Procurement Agent”) was entrusted by the purchaser Jiangxi Provincial Natural Gas Group Co., Ltd. Pipeline Branch, and now invites qualified bidders to submit a sealed bid for **Jiangxi Province Natural Gas Pipeline Network and West Second Line Xinyu Unicom Line and Station Construction Project.**

2. Project Instruction and Scope of bid

- 1) Line construction part: the total length of the line is 4.3km, the design pressure is 10MPa, and the pipe diameter is DN300 (including optical cable laying construction, water conservation construction, pigging, caliper measurement, pressure test, drying and nitrogen replacement, etc.);
- 2) The construction part of the station includes the expansion and reconstruction of Xinyu gas transmission station and Xinyu sub-transmission station (including general drawing, technology, automatic control communication, power supply and distribution, structure, fire protection, and other supporting systems);
- 3) The crossing part includes: directional drilling crossing 1 Shangxin Railway,

directional drilling crossing Kongmu River 1 and pipe jacking, large excavation crossing, etc.;

4) The quotation is subject to the bill of quantities.

3. Qualification Requirements for Bidder

3.1 Bidding is open to eligible Bidders from member countries of New Development Bank, who is legal person or other organization that has obtained the Bidding Documents and participated in the bid according to the requirements of Invitation for Bids.

3.2 Experience requirements:

The bidder has participated in the implementation of at least one completed contract from March 1, 2019 to the bid deadline (subject to the contract signing time), and the contract should also include the following key activities:

- 1) The diameter of the oil and natural gas long-distance pipeline construction is \geq DN300, the design pressure is \geq 10MPa, and the line length is \geq 4km;
- 2) The construction content of natural gas transmission station with design pressure \geq 10MPa.

3.3 Experience requirements: (directional drilling):

Bidders are required to have the following performance from March 1, 2019 to the deadline for bidding (subject to the time when the contract is signed):

At least one pipeline diameter \geq DN300mm and single crossing length \geq 1225m long-distance oil and gas pipeline directional drilling and crossing engineering construction performance.

3.4 The project manager to be dispatched to this project shall have no other construction in progress from the deadline for bidding to the date when the project is put into operation, and the project manager shall not be replaced during the entire construction process (except for force majeure and requirements of the developer). The proposed project manager should also have corresponding qualifications.

3.5 The technical person in charge to be dispatched to this project shall have corresponding qualifications.

3.6 The five major technical personnel to be dispatched to this project shall have corresponding qualifications.

3.7 The main personnel to be assigned for this project (referring to the project manager, technical

person in charge, and five major technical personnel) must be regular employees of the company, and should also meet the requirements in the bidding documents.

3.8 Financial requirements

The bidder shall provide the audit reports of the last three years or, if not required by the country in which they are located, financial statements that demonstrate a stable financial position. As a minimum requirement, bidders should meet.

- 1) the bidder shall satisfy that the difference between total assets and total liabilities for the last years should be positive.
- 2) The ratio of current assets to current liabilities of the bidder in each of the last three (3) years shall not be less than 1 or provide bank credit or credit line from bank with no less than CNY 12.25 million or equivalent foreign currency for this project;
- 3) the average annual turnover of the bidder in the last three years shall not be less than CNY40.82 million or equivalent foreign currency.

3.9 The project does not accept the form of a joint venture.

3.10 For domestic bidders, according to laws and regulations such as construction law and construction management regulations, shall have corresponding qualification for contracting the project.

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- The "equivalent foreign currency" in the above qualification conditions shall be converted according to the selling price of spot exchange first issued by the Bank of China on the date of issue of Invitation for Bids.
- " As on date, NDB member countries are Brazil, Russia, India, China, South Africa, United Arab Emirates, Uruguay, Bangladesh and Egypt.
- Government-owned enterprises may be permitted to participate at the same time only if they can establish that they: (A) are legally and financially autonomous; (B) operate under commercial law; and (C) are not a dependent agency of the Purchaser.

4. Acquisition of Bidding Documents

4.1. Location of Acquisition: Jiangxi public resources trading website (www.jxsggzy.cn) or

on-site registration with the procurement agent.

4. 2. Time of Acquisition: April 20th, 2022 to May 9th, 2022.

4. 3. Access of Acquisition:

a) Bidders who have already possessed CA digital certificate of Jiangxi public resources online trading system shall enter Jiangxi public resources trading platform electronic trading system to download bidding documents by themselves.

b) Bidders without the CA digital certificate could obtain the Bidding Document from the Procurement Agent by e mail or physically visiting the office of the Procurement Agent (no charges or fee are required to be paid). For e-mail and other contact details, see Article 8.

5. Submission of Bids

5. 1. The deadline for submission of bids (the deadline for bidding, the same below) is 9.30 a.m. May 10th, 2022 at the Fourth Bid Opening Room, fourth floor, Jiangxi Public Resources Trading Center.

5. 2. Bids that are overdue or not delivered to the designated place shall not be accepted by the purchaser.

6. Media for Publishing

The bidding announcement was also released on the Jiangxi Provincial Public Resource Trading Network, the electronic trading platform for mechanical and electrical products bidding, the website of the New Development Bank, and the Jiangxi Provincial State-owned Assets Supervision and Administration Commission's procurement and trading service platform for investment and supervision enterprises.

7. Bid Security

7. 1. Amount of Bid Security: RMB 200,000 yuan or equivalent US dollars.

7. 2. Payment Method: as specified in the Bidding Documents.

8. Channels and Ways of Raising Objections

The bidder may raise objections to the tenderer or the bidding agency according to the

requirements stated in the bidding documents or public announcements, or send a copy of the letter of objection raised to the tenderer or the bidding agency to the Jiangxi Provincial Development and Reform Commission (Foreign Investment Division), His email address is jxfgwwzc@drc.jiangxi.gov.cn.

9. Contact information

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