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## Notice of Request for Proposals

# Request for Proposals Works (EPC/Turnkey Contract)

**Employer:** *Governor of Uttar Pradesh through Chief Engineer, Externally Aided Projects, UP PWD, Lucknow (India)*

**Project:** *Uttar Pradesh Core Road Network Development Programme (UPCRNDP)*

**Contract title:**

*Up-gradation and Maintenance of Bahraich - Gonda section of SH-30, from Km 0.000 to Km 60.082*

**Country:** *India*

**Loan No.:** *8940 - IN*

**RFP No.:** *UPCRNDP/UPG/07/2022*

**Dated:** *01<sup>st</sup> August, 2022*

To: *[Proposer's name and address]*

1. The Government of India has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the *Uttar Pradesh Core Road Network Development Project*, and intends to apply part of the proceeds toward payments under the contract for *Up-gradation and Maintenance of Bahraich - Gonda section of SH-30, from Km 0.000 to Km 60.082*.
2. The Governor of Uttar Pradesh through Chief Engineer, Externally Aided Projects (Roads), UPPWD now invites online Proposals from the eligible Proposers for *Up-gradation and Maintenance of Bahraich - Gonda section of SH-30, from Km 0.000 to Km 60.082 in the State of Uttar Pradesh, India* as detailed in the Table below. Proposers are advised to note the clauses on eligibility (Section I Clause 4) and minimum qualification criteria (Section III – Evaluation and Qualification Criteria), to qualify for the award of the contract. In addition, please refer to paragraphs 3.14 and 3.15 of the “Procurement Regulations” setting forth the World Bank’s Policy on conflict of interest.
3. The procurement will be conducted through international competitive procurement using Request for Proposals (RFP) as specified in the World Bank’s “Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers” *Procurement in Investment Projects Financing, July 2016 revised 2018* (“Procurement Regulations”), and is open to all eligible Proposers.

4. Eligible Proposers may obtain further information from *Chief Engineer, Externally Aided Projects (Roads), UPPWD, Email ceeapuppwd@gmail.com* and inspect the RFP Document during office hours at the address given below.
5. The RFP Document in *English* is available online on <http://etender.up.nic.in> [under the organisation head “PWD – Externally Aided Project (World Bank Tenders)”] (website) from 05-08-2022 to 20-09-2022 (*dates*) for a nonrefundable fee as indicated in the table below. This fee is to be paid online on website <http://rajkosh.up.nic.in/PayWithoutReg.aspx> as per instructions given in PDS Clause 6.3.
6. A single-stage, two envelope RFP process will be used, and the Proposal will consist of (i) the Technical Part, without any reference to prices; and (ii) the Financial Part, as detailed in the RFP Document. The Technical and Financial Parts of the Proposals shall be submitted simultaneously online on <http://etender.up.nic.in>.
7. For submission of the proposals, the proposer is required to have Digital Signature Certificate (DSC) from one of the Certifying Authorities (CAs), authorized by Government of India for issuing DSC. Proposers can see the list of licenced CAs from the link ([www.cca.gov.in](http://www.cca.gov.in)). Aspiring proposers who have not obtained the user ID and password for participating in e-procurement in this Project, may obtain the same from the website: <http://etender.up.nic.in>. The Invitation for Proposals under UPCRNDP is published on this website. Any prospective proposer can logon to this website and view the Invitation for Proposals and can view the details of works for which proposals are invited. The prospective proposer can submit proposals online; however, the proposer is required to have enrolment/registration in the website and should have valid Digital Signature Certificate (DSC), for signing and encryption issued by a Certifying Authority licensed under Controller of Certifying Authorities of India, in the form of smart card/e-token. The DSC can be obtained from any authorized certifying agencies. The proposer should register in the web site <http://etender.up.nic.in> using the relevant option available
8. The Proposal, both the Technical Part and the Financial Part, must be submitted online on or before *15:00 hrs on 20-09-2022*. Any proposal or modifications to proposal (including discount) received outside e-procurement system will not be considered. The electronic bidding system would not allow any late submission of proposals. The “TECHNICAL PART” of the Proposals will be publicly opened online on the same day in the presence of the Proposers’ designated representatives and anyone who chooses to attend at the address below at 15:30 hours, and this could also be viewed by the proposers online. The “FINANCIAL PART” shall remain unopened in the e-procurement system until the second public Proposal opening for the financial part. If the office happens to be closed on the date of opening of the proposals as specified, the proposals will be opened on the next working day at the same time and venue.
9. All Proposals must be accompanied by a *Proposal-Securing Declaration*.
10. Attention is drawn to the Procurement Regulations requiring the Borrower to disclose information on the successful Proposer’s beneficial ownership, as part of the Contract Award Notice, using the Beneficial Ownership Disclosure Form as included in the RFP document.

11. Pre-proposal meeting will be held on 26<sup>th</sup> August 2022 at 15:00 hrs. at the office of Chief Engineer, Externally Aided Projects (Roads), UPPWD, Nirman Bhawan, 96, MG Marg, Lucknow-226 001 to clarify the issues and to answer questions on any matter that may be raised at that stage as stated in ITP Clause 7.4 of ‘Instructions to Proposers’ of the RFP. Proposers are advised to download the RFP document prior to the pre-proposal meeting in order for proposers to have a good understanding of the scope of the requirements under this contract for discussion and clarification at the pre-proposal meeting. The address (es) referred to above is (are):

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 Website: www.uppwd.gov.in  
 E-tendering portal: <http://etender.up.nic.in>

TABLE

Package No	Name of Work	Cost of Document Rs.	Period of Completion
1	2	3	4
UPCRNDP/UPG/ 07/2022	Up-gradation and Maintenance of Bahraich - Gonda section of SH- 30, from Km 0.000 to Km 60.082	Rs 5000. inclusive of GST	Construction Period – 730 days + Maintenance Period – 1826 days