

It is hereby notified that sealed tenders in duplicate are invited for **Contract No. ED/2019/03 Tseung Kwan O—Lam Tin Tunnel Free-flow Tolling System**. The works comprises:—

- (1) design, supply, delivery, installation, testing and commissioning for the Data Acquisition System at Tseung Kwan O—Lam Tin Tunnel, Backend System serving the Free-flow Tolling System at Tseung Kwan O—Lam Tin Tunnel and other tolled roads/tunnels as specified, and associated works including utilities works, electrical and mechanical works, communication enhancement works and other related ancillary works; and
- (2) three-year Backend System expansion works.

The WORKS are scheduled to commence in December 2019 and will take about 54 months to complete.

Tenders must be clearly marked with the tender reference and the subject of the tender on the outside of the envelope (but should not bear any indication which may relate the tender to the tenderer) addressed to the Chairman, Central Tender Board, and placed in the Government Secretariat Tender Box, Lobby of the Public Entrance on the Ground Floor, East Wing, Central Government Offices, 2 Tim Mei Avenue, Tamar, Hong Kong before 12.00 noon (Hong Kong time) on Friday 15 November 2019. Tenders must be deposited in the tender box as specified in this tender notice ('Specified Tender Box') before the tender closing time. Late tenders and tenders not deposited in the Specified Tender Box will not be accepted. If a black rainstorm warning signal or tropical cyclone warning signal No. 8 or above is in effect at any time between 9.00 a.m. and 12.00 noon on Friday 15 November 2019, the tender closing time will be postponed to 12.00 noon on the first working day after the black rainstorm warning signal has ceased to be in effect or the tropical cyclone warning signal No. 8 is lowered. In case of blockage of the public access to the location of the Specified Tender Box at any time between 9.00 a.m. and 12.00 noon on the tender closing date, the Government will announce extension of the tender closing time until further notice. Following removal of the blockage, the Government will announce the extended tender closing time as soon as practicable. The above announcements will be made *via* press releases on the website on Information Services Department (<http://www.info.gov.hk/gia/general/today.htm>).

Form of tender and further particulars are obtainable from Ove Arup and Partners Hong Kong Limited at Level 5 Festival Walk, 80 Tat Chee Avenue, Kowloon Tong (Contact person: Ms. CHENG, Tel: (852) 2268 3540, Fax: (852) 2268 3956, Email: joan.cheng@arup.com)).

Open tendering is adopted. All interested contractors who meet the following requirement are invited to tender:—

The tenderer, or the major shareholder or lead participant in case of a joint venture tenderer, has completed at least one construction contract involving design, supply and installation of either Free-flow Tolling System (FFTS) (including the related-Backend System), Traffic Detector System (TDS) or Traffic Control and Surveillance System (TCSS), with awarded contract value of not less than HK\$50 million, in or outside Hong Kong, within the past 15 years. (counting back from and including the original date set for the close of tender).

The detailed requirements on the tenderer's qualification are stipulated in the tender documents.

This tender is covered by the Agreement on Government Procurement of the World Trade Organization and will not involve electronic auction. This notice also serves as a summary notice required under the Agreement on Government Procurement of the World Trade Organization.

A charge will be levied for delivery of tender documents where the delivery of tender documents is requested by a tenderer. A written request must be made.

The Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region does not bind itself to accept any tender irrespective of whether the tender is the lowest bid or where the assessment of tenders is based on a marking scheme or formula approach, the tender has the highest overall score.

The Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region reserves the right to negotiate with any tenderer about the terms of the offer.

Details of the award of this contract will be published in the Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region Gazette and made available on the Internet at (<https://pcms2.gld.gov.hk/notice2.html>).

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