

It is hereby notified that sealed tenders in duplicate are invited for **Contract No. ED/2019/01, Tseung Kwan O Further Development—Infrastructure Works for Tseung Kwan O Stage I Landfill Site—Remaining Works (Public Works Programme Item No. 716CL)**. The works mainly comprises:—

- (1) a footbridge with a length of about 150 metres (m) and a width of about 6 m, over the Eastern Channel connecting TKO Area 68 and TKO Area 77;
- (2) a sewage pumping station, a pair of sewage rising mains of about 560 m long and associated sewage pipes at Lohas Park Road; and
- (3) The ancillary works include landscaping works, seawall modification, footpath construction, drainage and utilities works, and related electrical and mechanical works.

The works are anticipated to commence in first half of 2020 and will take about 30 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, 6 December 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 tropical cyclone warning signal No. 8 or above is hoisted, or a black rainstorm warning signal or 'extreme conditions after super typhoons' announced by the Government is/are in force at any time between 9.00 a.m. and 12.00 noon on Friday, 6 December 2019, the tender closing time will be postponed to 12.00 noon on the first working day after the tropical cyclone warning signal No. 8 is lowered, or the black rainstorm warning signal or the 'extreme conditions after super typhoons' announced by the Government has/have ceased to be in force. 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 Friday, 6 December 2019, 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>).

Forms of tenders and further particulars are obtainable from Mr. Ivan Tsang, Vice President, AECOM Asia Company Ltd. at 8th Floor, Tower 2, Grand Central Plaza, 138 Sha Tin Rural Committee Road, Sha Tin, New Territories, Hong Kong (Telephone No.: (852) 3922 9000, Fax No.: (852) 3922 9797, Email: ivan.tsang@aecom.com).

Selective tendering is adopted. Contractors on the Lists of Approved Contractors for Public Works in Group C (confirmed or on probation) under the Roads and Drainage Category and Port Works Category or joint ventures with participation of local and/or overseas contractors with the lead participant or the major shareholder being on the Lists of Approved Contractors for Public Works in Group C (confirmed or on probation) under the Roads and Drainage Category and Port Works Category who also meet the following qualification and other conditions for participation stipulated in the tender documents are invited to tender:

- i. the tenderer, or the lead participant/major shareholder in case of a joint venture tenderer, has completed at least 1 construction contract involving roads and drainage works, with an awarded contract value of not less than HK\$100 million, in or outside Hong Kong, within the past 15 years counting from the original date set for the close of tender;
- ii. the tenderer, or the lead participant/major shareholder in case of a joint venture tenderer, has completed at least 1 construction contract involving steel vehicular bridge or steel footbridge, in or outside Hong Kong, within the past 15 years counting from the original date set for the close of tender;
- iii. the tenderer, or the lead participant/major shareholder in case of a joint venture tenderer, has completed at least 1 construction contract involving piling works in marine

environment, in or outside Hong Kong, within the past 15 years counting from the original date set for the close of tender.

- iv. the tenderer, or the participant/shareholder in case of a joint venture tenderer, or tenderer's engaged subcontractor, has completed at least 1 construction contract involving Steel Grade S690QL steel plate of EN10025-6/relevant standard steel works, in or outside Hong Kong, within the past 15 years counting from the original date set for the close of tender.

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

Contractors not yet on the List of Approved Contractors for Public Works in Group C under the Roads and Drainage Category and Port Works Category may also submit a tender if they submit a request for participation together with a duly completed application for inclusion in the above-mentioned approved list/category by 5 November 2019 to Chief Engineer/E1, East Division 1, East Development Office, Civil Engineering Development Department, 8th Floor, South Tower, West Kowloon Government Offices, 11 Hoi Ting Road, Yau Ma Tei, Kowloon, Hong Kong, meet the qualifications and conditions for participation, and the application for inclusion is duly approved on or before the tender closing date. Details for making the application are available at:—

http://www.devb.gov.hk/en/construction_sector_matters/contractors/index.html

Contractors will be liable to have their names removed from the approved list(s) if they fail or refuse to implement an accepted tender.

The detailed requirements on the tenderer's qualifications and tender submission 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 with 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/iprod/#/scn00101>).

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