

Country: GUYANA
Project: AIR TRANSPORTATION REFORM PROGRAMME
Sector: Airports
Objective: REHABILITATION OF THE ARRIVAL TERMINAL AT THE CHEDDI JAGAN INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT
Loan No. 1042 / SF-GY-2
Bid No. ATRP 1 / 2004 No. 1

The Government of Guyana has received financing from the Inter-American Development Bank (IDB) toward the cost of the Air Transport Reform Programme (ATRP). It is intended that part of the proceeds of this financing be applied to eligible payments under the contract for which this invitation for bids is issued.

The Government of Guyana, acting through the Ministry of Public Works and Communications (employer), now invites sealed bids from interested bidders from IDB's member countries for the rehabilitation of the arrival terminal at the Cheddi Jagan International Airport. The works include, among other things:

- New roof for the arrival terminal (plan area of approximately 21,772 ft²)
- Remodeling of the arrivals area (approximately 24,088 ft²)
- Extension of the arrivals area (approximately 2,522 ft²)

The employer invites bidders to present a complete and detailed bid for the works. The available budget for this project is US\$ 1.3 million.

Interested firms may obtain further information, including eligibility to participate, and may inspect the bidding documents at the first address below, as of 26 January 2004.

A complete set of bidding documents may be purchased upon submission of a written application to the same office, or in person between 0800 and 1600 hours, Monday through Friday (except public holidays), and upon payment of a non-refundable fee of US\$ 100 or G\$ 20,000.

The method of payment will be cash or bank draft payable to the Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Public Works and Communications. It will not be necessary to make the request in person to receive the documents, since these can be sent by mail or courier.

Due to airport security arrangements, a pre-bid site visit will be held on 19 February 2004 at 1000 hours to facilitate bidders to view the project site only. Bidders are asked to assemble in the Greeter's Hall of the Arrivals area at the Cheddi Jagan International Airport, Timehri. After this date, bidders will be allowed to visit the site by appointment only.

Valid GRA and NIS Certificates of Compliance must accompany bids for firms registered in Guyana. The post qualification questionnaire must be completed and submitted along with the bid.

All bids must be accompanied by a security, in an acceptable form, in the fixed amount of US\$ 25,000 or its equivalent in a freely convertible currency, and be placed in a sealed envelope, marked on the outside at the top right hand corner "Rehabilitation of the Arrival Terminal – CJIA BID, No. ATRP 1/2004 No. 1", addressed to the Chairman, Central Tender Board (second address below).

Bids must be placed in the tender box of the Central Tender Board before 0900 hours on Tuesday, 23 March 2004. It will not be necessary to submit bids in person since they may be sent by mail. However, the employer is not responsible for bids not received before the time and date specified. Late bids will be rejected and returned unopened. It is advisable that these bids be sent early to avoid transportation delays.

Bids will be opened in a public ceremony immediately after 0900 hours on Tuesday, 23 March 2004, in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend, in the Conference Room of the Central Tender Board, Ministry of Finance.

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