



Invitation for Bids

Modi Jalvidyut Company Limited

Upper Modi 'A' Hydroelectric Project

Invitation for Bids for the **Construction of Lot 1 – Civil and Hydro-mechanical Works of Upper Modi 'A' Hydroelectric Project under EPC Contract.**

Contract Identification No: **MJCL/UMA/ICB/079-80/ EPC-01**

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1. Modi Jalvidyut Company Limited (MJCL) is a subsidiary company of Nepal Electricity Authority (NEA) established to implement Upper Modi 'A' Hydroelectric Project and Upper Modi Hydroelectric Project. The financial closure of the projects are in progress with Nepalese bank and financial institutions. NEA and general public will finance the equity portion (30%) and consortium of Nepalese banks will finance the loan portion (70%). It is intended that the part of the proceeds of these financial resources will be applied to eligible payments under the Contract for which this invitation for bids notice has been issued.
2. Modi Jalvidyut Company Limited has allocated funds towards the cost of the Upper Modi 'A' Hydroelectric Project and intends to apply part of the funds to cover eligible payments under the Contract for MJCL/UMA/ICB/079-80/ EPC-01. Bidding is open to all eligible as per Section V of bidding document.
3. Modi Jalvidyut Company Limited invites electronic bids from eligible bidders for the **Construction of Lot 1 – Civil and Hydro-mechanical Works of Upper Modi 'A' Hydroelectric Project under EPC Contract** located in Gandaki Province, Kaski District, Nepal through Engineering, Procurement and Construction (EPC) mode under International Competitive Bidding (ICB) – Single Stage Two Envelope Bidding Procedures.
4. Only eligible bidders with the following key qualifications should participate in this bidding:
 - Minimum Average Annual Construction Turnover of the best Three (3) years within the last ten (10) years: **US\$16,000,000.00 (In Words: United State Dollar Sixteen Million Only)**
 - Minimum Work experience of similar size and nature: at least **one (1)** contract of Engineering, Procurement and Construction (EPC)/ Design Build/ Turnkey/ Item rate Contract type for hydropower project within the last ten (10) years with a value of at least **US\$ 17,000,000.00 (In Words: United State Dollar Seventeen Million Only)**
 - Concept paper for Understanding of the Project and Proposed Design.
5. The foreign Bidders are required to make Joint Venture (JV) with Nepalese firms.
6. Under the Single Stage, Two Envelope Procedure, Bidders are required to submit the Technical Bid and the Price Bid, as per the provision of **ITB 21** of the Bidding Document. The bid documents shall be duly signed on each page by the authorized personnel. The bid must have the same bidders' name in which the bidding documents have been purchased or paid for.

7. Eligible Bidders may obtain further information and inspect the Bidding Documents at the office of:

Name: Modi Jalvidyut Company Limited
Location: United World Trade Center, Tripureshwor, Kathmandu, Nepal
Telephone and facsimile numbers: 01- 5917167, 5917168, 5917169
Email address: uppermodi42@nea.org.np , uppermodi42@gmail.com

or may visit PPMO e-GP system www.bolpatra.gov.np/egp.

8. Bidders submitting their bid **electronically** shall download the bidding documents for e-submission from PPMO's e-GP system www.bolpatra.gov.np/egp. Bidders, submitting their bid electronically, should deposit the cost of bidding document in the company's account as specified below.

Information to deposit the cost of bidding document in Bank:

Beneficiary Name as per Bank:	Modi Jalvidyut Company Limited
Beneficiary address:	United World Trade Center, Tripureshwor
Beneficiary Country:	Nepal
Beneficiary City:	Kathmandu
Name of Office:	Modi Jalvidyut Company Limited, Upper Modi 'A' Hydroelectric Project
Office Account No. :	01000105200835
Office Code No.:	4111
Bank Name:	Everest Bank Limited, Teku Branch, Kathmandu, Nepal
Bank branch address:	Teku, Kathmandu
Bank Country:	Nepal
Bank City:	Kathmandu
Swift Code:	EVBLNPKA
Total Fees	20,000.00 Nepalese Rupees or US\$ 154.00
Note: The applicant has to bear the bank charges for the transfer of fees.	

9. Pre-bid meeting shall be held at **11:00 hour** on **August 25, 2023** at United World Trade Centre, Third Floor, Tripureshwor, Kathmandu
10. Electronic bids must be submitted through PPMO's e-GP system www.bolpatra.gov.np/egp on or before **12:00 hour** on **September 14, 2023**. Bids received after this deadline will be rejected.
11. The **bids** will be opened in the presence of Bidders' representatives who choose to attend at **14:00 hours September 14, 2023** in the office of **Modi Jalvidyut Company Limited, United**

World Trade Center, Tripureshwor, Kathmandu, Nepal.

12. Bids must be valid for a period of **One Hundred Twenty (120) days after bid opening** and must be accompanied by scanned copy of the bid security in pdf format amounting to a minimum of **US\$ 1,000,000.00 (In Words: United States Dollar One Million only)** which shall be valid for **Sixty (60) days beyond the validity period of the bid.**
13. If the last date of purchasing and /or submission falls on a government holiday, then the next working day shall be considered as the last date. In such case the validity period of the bid security shall remain the same as specified for the original last date of bid submission.
14. Any amendment in the Bid notice will be published in the PPMO official web site: <https://bolpatra.gov.np/egp/>.
15. Modi Jalvidyut Company Limited reserves the right to reject or accept any or all Bids partly or fully and to annul the bidding process and reject all bids without assigning any reason whatsoever.
16. Other mandatory information shall be as per Public Procurement Act (PPA), 2063.