

Government of Nepal
Ministry of Infrastructure Development
Department of Roads
Bridge Branch
Chakupat, Lalitpur

Notice for Amendment and Extension of Bid Submission Deadline

(6th Extension and 5th Addendum)

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The Department of Roads, Bridge Branch had invited bids under National Competitive Bidding (Single Stage–Two Envelope) Procedure for the procurement of Modular Bridges under Contract No. **BB-337011324-Goods-082/83-01, Supply and Delivery of Modular Bridges**. The deadline for submission of bids was extended for the fifth time, and the final date for submission of bids is on 7th Ashoj 2083 (September 23, 2026).

The Public Procurement Monitoring Office (PPMO) has revised the Standard Bidding Documents (SBD) for Procurement of Goods under National Competitive Bidding (NCB) in accordance with the prevailing provisions of the Public Procurement Rules, 2064, as amended. The revised SBDs have been issued pursuant to the Secretary-level decision of the PPMO dated 2083/05/29.

Accordingly, the bidding documents previously issued for this procurement are hereby amended to incorporate the applicable provisions of the revised SBD for Procurement of Goods under NCB, Single-stage: Two Envelope (1S2E) Bidding Procedure, as applicable to this procurement.

S.N.	Contract Name and Contract No.	Deadline for Submission of Bids	Opening of Technical Bids	Place of Submission
1	BB-337011324-Goods-082/83-01, Supply and Delivery of Modular Bridges	14 th Ashoj 2083 (September 30, 2026), at 12: 00 (NST)	14 th Ashoj 2083 (September 30, 2026), at 14: 00 (NST)	Department of Roads, Bridge Branch, Chakupat, Lalitpur, Nepal

In accordance with ITB Clause 9 of the Bidding Document, the following amendments are hereby made to the Bidding Document for the mentioned procurement. These amendments shall form an integral part of the Bidding Document and shall be read in conjunction with all other provisions thereof.

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Invitation for Bids		
Invitation for Bids (5)	A complete set of Bidding Documents may be purchased from the office Bridge Branch, Chakupat, Lalitpur by eligible Bidders on the submission of a written application, along with the copy of company/firm registration certificate, and upon payment of a non-refundable fee of NPR 20000.00 till B.S. 2083-06-06 (2026-09-22) during office hours.	A complete set of Bidding Documents may be purchased from the office Bridge Branch, Chakupat, Lalitpur by eligible Bidders on the submission of a written application, along with the copy of company/firm registration certificate, and upon payment of a non-refundable fee of NPR 20000.00 till B.S. 2083-06-13 (2026-09-29) during office hours.
Invitation for Bids (7)	Sealed bids must be submitted to the office Bridge Branch's office, Chakupat, Lalitpur by hand/courier on or before 12:00 hrs. on B.S. 2083-06-07 (2026-09-23). Bids received after this deadline will be rejected.	Sealed bids must be submitted to the office Bridge Branch's office, Chakupat, Lalitpur by mail/hand/courier on or before 12:00 hrs. on B.S. 2083-06-14 (2026-09-30). Bids received after this deadline will be rejected.
Invitation for Bids (8)	The bids will be opened in the presence of Bidders' representatives who choose to attend	The bids will be opened in the presence of Bidders' representatives

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	at 14:00 hrs. on B.B.S. 2083-06-07 (2026-09-23) at the office of Bridge Branch, Department of Roads. Bids must be valid for a period of 120 days from the bid submission deadline and must be accompanied by a bid security, amounting to a minimum of NPR. 1,10,00,000.00, which shall be valid for 30 days beyond the validity period of the bid (i.e. B.S. 2083-11-09) (2027-02-21).	who choose to attend at 14:00 hrs. on B.B.S. 2083-06-14 (2026-09-30) at the office of Bridge Branch, Department of Roads. Bids must be valid for a period of 120 days from the bid submission deadline and must be accompanied by a bid security, amounting to a minimum of NPR. 1,10,00,000.00, which shall be valid for 30 days beyond the validity period of the bid (i.e. B.S. 2083-11-16) (2027-02-28).
Section I: Instructions to Bidders (ITB)		
37 Domestic Goods to be procured	37.1 In the evaluation of bids, preference shall be given to domestically manufactured goods where the price difference between the domestic goods and the imported goods does not exceed fifteen percent (15%). The procedure for calculating domestic preference shall be as Per BDS.	37.1 If the price of domestic goods, are higher up to fifteen percent (15%) than that of goods manufactured in foreign countries, the domestic goods shall be preferred in the evaluation of the Bids.
	37.2 For granting such preference pursuant to 37.1, the bidder must submit the country of origin issued by competent authority stating that the value added of the goods in Nepal is more than 30 percent.	37.2 If the bid closest to the Average Bid Price is a bid offering foreign goods, the next closest bid offering domestic goods that is up to 15% more expensive than the bid offering foreign goods shall be selected for award.
	No Provisions	37.3 For granting such preference pursuant to 37.1, the bidder must submit the country of origin issued by competent authority stating that the value added of the goods in Nepal is more than 30 percent.
38.Evaluation and Comparison of Price Bids	38.1 The Purchaser shall evaluate all the bid prices of the substantially responsive bids in accordance with ITB 38.3. The Purchaser shall determine the Average Bid Price of all the substantially responsive Bids. The Bid Price which is closest to the Average Bid Price AND is not substantially higher than the cost estimate shall be selected for awarding the contract. In case two or more Bid Prices are determined to be equally closest to the Average Bid Price, the Bid Price which is below the Average Bid Price shall be selected for awarding the contract	38.1 To evaluate a Price Bid, the Purchaser shall only use all the criteria and methodologies defined in this Clause and in Section III, Evaluation and Qualification Criteria. No other criteria or methodology shall be permitted.
38.Evaluation and Comparison of Price Bids	38.2 To evaluate a Price Bid, the Purchaser shall only use all the criteria and methodologies defined in this Clause and in Section III, Evaluation and Qualification Criteria. No other criteria or methodology shall be permitted.	38.2 To evaluate a Price Bid, the Purchaser shall consider the following: a. the bid price as quoted in accordance with ITB 15 as specified in BDS;

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		b. adjustment for correction of arithmetic errors in accordance with ITB 36.1; c. adjustment due to discounts offered in accordance with ITB 15.7; d. adjustment for nonmaterial nonconformities in accordance with ITB 33.3; and e. adjustment due to application of the evaluation criteria specified in the BDS from amongst those set out in Section III (Evaluation and Qualification Criteria). These criteria may include factors related to the characteristics, performance, and terms and conditions of purchase of the Goods and Related Services which shall be expressed to the extent practicable in monetary terms to facilitate comparison of bids unless otherwise specified in Section III. f. adjustment due to the application of a margin of preference in accordance with ITB clause 37.
38.Evaluation and Comparison of Price Bids	38.3 To evaluate a Price Bid, the Purchaser shall consider the following: a. the bid price as quoted in accordance with ITB 15 as specified in BDS; b. adjustment for correction of arithmetic errors in accordance with ITB 36.1; c. adjustment due to discounts offered in accordance with ITB 15.7; d. adjustment for nonmaterial nonconformities in accordance with ITB 33.3; and e. adjustment due to application of the evaluation criteria specified in the BDS from amongst those set out in Section III (Evaluation and Qualification Criteria). These criteria may include factors related to the characteristics, performance, and terms and conditions of purchase of the Goods and Related Services which shall be expressed to the extent practicable in monetary terms to facilitate comparison of bids unless otherwise specified in Section III. f. adjustment due to the application of a margin of preference in accordance with ITB clause 37.	38.3 The Purchaser shall evaluate all the bid prices of the substantially responsive bids in accordance with ITB 38.2. If the evaluated Bid Price of the Bidder is more than 30 (thirty) percent below or substantially higher than the cost estimate, the Purchaser shall reject the Bid as non-responsive. The Purchaser shall determine the Average Bid Price of all the substantially responsive Bids. The Bid Price which is closest to the Average Bid Price <u>AND is not substantially higher than the cost estimate</u> shall be selected for awarding the contract.

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38.Evaluation and Comparison of Price Bids	38.6 In Case, a corruption case is being filed to Court against the Natural Person or Board of Director of the firm/institution /company or any partner of JV, such Natural Person or Board of Director of the firm/institution /company or any partner of JV such bidder's bid shall be excluded from the evaluation, if public entity receives instruction from Government of Nepal.	38.6 Notwithstanding ITB 38.3, if all the Bids evaluated are substantially higher than the cost estimate, the purchaser may negotiate with the bidder who submitted the lowest evaluated substantially responsive Bid to propose a lump sum discount rate in order to bring the bid price within the approved cost estimate. However, no change in the substance of the bid is permitted during the negotiations.
38.Evaluation and Comparison of Price Bids	38.7 If all the Bids evaluated are substantially higher than the cost estimate, the employer may negotiate with the bidder whose evaluated Bid Price is closest to the cost estimate to propose a lump sum discount rate in order to bring the bid price within the approved cost estimate. However, no change in the substance of the bid is permitted during the negotiations.	38.7 If no agreement can be reached as per ITB 38.6, the purchaser shall cancel the procurement proceedings.
38.Evaluation and Comparison of Price Bids	38.8 While evaluating the Bid Price as per ITB 38.1, if the Bid Price of two or more Bidders is found to be equal, the Purchaser shall select the bid for awarding the contract by drawing of lots in presence of Bidders' designated representatives who choose to attend in date, time and place as notified by the Purchaser in writing to the concerned bidders. The Bidders' representatives who are present shall be requested to sign a record evidencing their attendance. The omission of a Bidder's signature on the record or the absence of a Bidder during the drawing of lots shall not invalidate the contents and the effect of the record. The method of drawing lots shall be determined by the Purchaser.	38.8 While evaluating the Bid Price as per ITB 38.3, if the Bid Price of two or more Bidders is found to be equal, the Purchaser shall select the bid for awarding the contract by drawing of lots in presence of Bidders' designated representatives who choose to attend in date, time and place as notified by the Purchaser in writing to the concerned bidders. The Bidders' representatives who are present shall be requested to sign a record evidencing their attendance. The omission of a Bidder's signature on the record or the absence of a Bidder during the drawing of lots shall not invalidate the contents and the effect of the record. The method of drawing lots shall be determined by the Purchaser.
Section II: Bid Data Sheet		
ITB 21.1	The bid must be accompanied by bid security, amounting to a minimum of NRs 1,10,00,000 which shall be valid for minimum 30 days beyond the bid validity period [B.S. 2083-11-09].	The bid must be accompanied by bid security, amounting to a minimum of NRs 1,10,00,000 which shall be valid for minimum 30 days beyond the bid validity period [B.S. 2083-11-16].

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	A bid security issued by foreign bank, which must be counter guaranteed by an "A" class commercial bank in Nepal acceptable to the purchaser	A bid security issued by foreign bank, which must be counter guaranteed by an "A" class commercial bank in Nepal acceptable to the purchaser
ITB 23.1	Bidders shall have the option of submitting their bids <i>by hand/Courier</i> .	Bidders shall have the option of submitting their bids <i>by Mail/hand/Courier</i> .
ITB 24.1	The deadline for bid submission is: Date: B.S. 2083-06-07 (2026-09-23) Time: 12:00 Hours, Nepal Standard Time (NST)	The deadline for bid submission is: Date: B.S. 2083-06-14 (2026-09-30) Time: 12:00 Hours, Nepal Standard Time (NST)
ITB 27.1	The Technical bid opening shall take place at: Date: B.S. 2083-06-07 (2026-09-23) Time: 14:00 Hours, Nepal Standard Time (NST) Place: Chakupat, Lalitpur	The Technical bid opening shall take place at: Date: B.S. 2083-06-14 (2026-09-30) Time: 14:00 Hours, Nepal Standard Time (NST) Place: Chakupat, Lalitpur
ITB 37.1	In the case of granting preference, responsive bids shall be classified into the following two groups: Group A: Bids offering Goods manufactured in Nepal; and Group B: Bids offering Imported Goods. A single Average Evaluated Bid Price (AEBP) shall be calculated using the evaluated bid prices of all responsive bids from both Group A and Group B, determined in accordance with ITB 38. The responsive bid from each group whose evaluated bid price is closest to the Average Evaluated Bid Price shall be identified. If the evaluated bid price of the responsive bid identified from Group A does not exceed the evaluated bid price of the responsive bid identified from Group B by more than fifteen percent (15%), the contract shall be awarded to the bidder from Group A. Otherwise, the contract shall be awarded to the bidder from Group B.	No Provision
General Condition of Contract		
3. Fraud and Corruption	3.4 The Purchaser shall be prosecuted for offenses under prevailing criminal laws, if the contractor: (i) Misuses the Advance Payment or payments received from the Purchaser; (ii) Receives payment by submitting false information or documents; (iii) Abandons the works before completion; (iv) Commits a serious violation of the contract; or (v) Causes loss or damage to the Purchaser.	3.4 The Supplier shall be prosecuted for offenses under prevailing criminal laws, if the contractor: (i) Misuses the Advance Payment or payments received from the Purchaser; (ii) Receives payment by submitting false information or documents; (iii) Abandons the works before completion; (iv) Commits a serious violation of the contract; or

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		(v) Causes loss or damage to the Purchaser.
33 Extensions of Time	33.1 If at any time during performance of the Contract, the Supplier or its Subcontractors should encounter conditions impeding timely delivery of the Goods or completion of Related Services pursuant to GCC Clause 11, the Supplier shall promptly, and at least twenty-one (21) days before the expiry of procurement contract, notify the Purchaser in writing of the delay, its likely duration, and its cause. As soon as practicable after receipt of the Supplier's notice, the Purchaser shall evaluate the situation and may at its discretion extend the Supplier's time for performance, in which case the extension shall be ratified by the parties by amendment of the Contract.	33.1 If at any time during performance of the Contract, the Supplier or its Subcontractors should encounter conditions impeding timely delivery of the Goods or completion of Related Services pursuant to GCC Clause 11, the Supplier shall promptly, and at least twenty-one (21) days before the expiry of procurement contract, notify the Purchaser in writing of the delay, its likely duration, and its cause. Within the contract period, the Purchaser shall evaluate the situation and may at its discretion extend the Supplier's time for performance, in which case the extension shall be ratified by the parties by amendment of the Contract.
34 Termination 34.1 Termination for Default (a)	No Provision	(v) The supplier fails to submit Performance Security, Advanced Payment Guarantee (if any) and Insurance Policy documents with extended validity within the time prescribed pursuant to GCC 33.3.



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It is hereby notified that the Department of Roads, Bridge Branch has amended the Bidding Documents and extended the bid submission deadline for the procurement of “Supply and Delivery of Modular Bridges” under Contract No. BB-337011324-Goods-082/83-01, IFB No. DOR-BB-01-082/83, invited through the National Competitive Bidding (Single Stage–Two Envelope) procedure.

Interested bidders are advised to refer to the detailed notice, amendments and other relevant information available on the Department of Roads website: <https://dor.gov.np/home/notices>.

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