Invitation for Bids

Country: **REPUBLIC OF ARMENIA**

Name of the Project: **ARMENIA ROAD SAFETY IMPROVEMENT PROJECT**

Grant No.: FI Nº 91.498

Employer: Transport Project Implementation Organization SNCO

Contract Title: Procurement of Road Safety Works and Infrastructure Improvement of 9

Black Spots on H-8 Republican and M-5 Interstate Roads

Reference No.: TPIO FI 91.498/ NCB 2020-01

- 1. The Republic of Armenia has received financing from the NEIGHBOURHOOD INVESTMENT FACILITY toward the cost of the ARMENIA ROAD SAFETY IMPROVEMENT PROJECT and intends to apply part of the proceeds toward payments under the contract for: Procurement of Road Safety Works and Infrastructure Improvement of 9 Black Spots on H-8 Republican and M-5 Interstate Roads in three (3) lots.
- 2. The Transport Projects Implementation Organization (TPIO) SNCO now invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for Procurement of Road Safety Works and Infrastructure Improvement of 9 Black Spots on H-8 Republican and M-5 Interstate Roads in three (3) lots as provided below:

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LOT 1 – THREE BLACK SPOTS ON H8-3KM, H8-4KM AND M5-11KM ROADS
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L1.1. H-8, Yerevan – Artashat – Aigevan – M2 KM 3+000

L1.2. H-8, Yerevan – Artashat – Aigevan – M2 KM 4+000

L1.3. M-5, Yerevan – Armavir – Turkey border KM 11+000

LOT 2 - THREE BLACK SPOTS ON M5-16 KM, M5-20 KM AND M5-24 TO 26 KM ROAD

L2.1. M-5, Yerevan – Armavir – Turkey border KM 16+000

L2.2. M-5, Yerevan – Armavir – Turkey border KM 20+000

L2.3. M-5, Yerevan – Armavir – Turkey border KM 24+000 to 26+000

LOT 3 – THREE BLACK SPOTS ON M5-27 KM, M5-30 KM AND M5-44 KM ROAD

L3.1. M-5, Yerevan – Armavir – Turkey border KM 27+000

L3.2. M-5, Yerevan – Armavir – Turkey border KM 30+000

L3.3. M-5, Yerevan – Armavir – Turkey border KM 44+000

The Sites are located in North-West part of Ararat Valley.

The construction period is 8 (eight) months.

- 3. Bidders may bid for one or several Lots, as further defined in the bidding document. Bidders wishing to offer discounts in case they are awarded more than one contract will be allowed to do so with providing such discounts in the Letter of Bid.
- 4. Bidding will be conducted through the International Competitive Bidding procedures as specified in the World Bank's PROCUREMENT IN INVESTMENT PROJECT FINANCING Goods, Works, Non-Consulting and Consulting Services ("Procurement Guidelines"), and is open to all eligible bidders as defined in the Procurement Guidelines. In addition, please refer to paragraphs 1.6 and 1.7 setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest.
- 5. Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from: Transport Projects Implementation Organization (TPIO) SNCO, Christine Ghalechyan, christine.ghalechyan@tpio.am, and Hasmik Ordukhanyan, hasmik.ordukhanyan@tpio.am, and inspect the bidding documents during office hours from 10:00 to 17:00 hours at the address given below:

Address: 7th Floor, 4, Tigran Mets St., 0010, Yerevan, Armenia Telephone: +374 10 (0) 12 20 10 10; +374 10 (0) 12 20 10 09.

E-mail: christine.ghalechyan@tpio.am, hasmik.ordukhanyan@tpio.am

- 6. A complete set of bidding documents in *English* may be obtained by interested eligible bidders upon the submission of a written application to the address below. The document will be sent by *E-mail*.
- 7. Bids must be delivered to the address below on or before the time below:

Address: 7th Floor, 4, Tigran Mets St., 0010, Yerevan, Armenia

Date and time: 20 March, 2020.

Electronic bidding *will not* be permitted. Late bids will be rejected. Bids will be publicly opened in the presence of the bidders' designated representatives and anyone who choose to attend at the address below:

Address: 7th Floor, 4, Tigran Mets St., 0010, Yerevan, Armenia

Date and time: 20 March, 2020.

8. All bids must be accompanied by a *Bid Security* of:

Lot 1. AMD 3,000,000 (Three Million Armenian Drams);

Lot 2. AMD 6,000,000 (Six Million Armenian Drams);

Lot 3. AMD 4,000,000 (Four Million Armenian Drams).

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9. The address referred to above is:

"Transport Projects Implementation Organization" SNCO

Attn: Christine Ghalechyan, Acting General Director

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