

GOVERNMENT OF GILGIT-BALTISTAN OFFICE OF THE PROJECT DIRECTOR INTER-REGIONAL CONNECTIVITY

BETWEEN BALTISTAN DIVISION & DIAMER-ASTORE DIVISION

ASTORE-SKARDU ROAD (ASR)

Dated: 20th June, 2025

No.PD-GASSR/IB/2024-25/ 50

INVITATION TO BID

- 1. The Employer, Communication & Works Department (C&WD) Gilgit-Baltistan through Project Director has received the approval of funds from the Government of Pakistan through PSDP and it is intended that part of the proceeds of the funds will be applied to eligible payments under the Contract for the construction of a project namely "Inter-Regional Connectivity between Baltistan Division and Diamer-Astore Division (Construction / Metaling of Road from Gorikote Astore to Shagarthang Skardu)". Bidding is open to all eligible Bidders.
- 2. The Employer invites sealed bids, under Single Stage-Two Envelope bidding procedure, from eligible firms or persons licensed by the Pakistan Engineering Council in the appropriate category and having specialized codes for the Works. A foreign bidder is entitled to bid only in a joint venture with a Pakistani constructor in accordance with the relevant provisions of PEC bye-laws.
- 3. The estimated cost and other brief of the work is as under;

Sr. No.	Contract No	Engineer's Estimate / TS Cost (Rs. Million)	Minimum PEC Category & Code Required	Bid Security / Earnest Money (Rs. Million)	Completion Period
1	PD-GASSR/ IB/2024-25(4)	3,535.966	For Individual Bidder: Category: C-B For JV: Lead Firm Category C-B, JV Member Category C-1 Code: CE-01, CE-02 & CE-10 for individual bidder & each member of JV	160.000	03 Years

- 4. Eligible Bidders may obtain further information, inspect and acquire the Bidding Documents from the Office of the Employer, at <u>Project Director Office</u>, <u>Main JSR</u>, <u>Opposite Cadet College</u>, <u>Hoto</u>, <u>Tehsil Gamba</u>, <u>Skardu</u>. <u>Mobile</u>: 0346-7888848, e-mail: yawarxen@gmail.com.
- 5. A complete set of Bidding Documents may be purchased by an interested bidder on submission of a written application addressed to the Project Director along with the copy of valid PEC License having the required Category & Code mentioned above and upon payment of a non-refundable fee of Rs. 40,000/- (Forty Thousand PKR).
- 6. The Employer intends to hold a pre-bid meeting with the prospective bidders on 11th July 2025, at 11:00 am (PST) in the Conference Room of the Secretary C&W Office, C&W Secretariat, Khazana Road Gilgit.
- 7. The Technical Bid must be accompanied by a Bid Security of the amount mentioned above in the form of CDR or Bank Guarantee from a Scheduled Bank in Pakistan in favor of the Project Director IRC, Astore-Skardu Road (ASR).
- 8. The complete set of Bids (Technical & Financial) must be delivered to the <u>Office of the Secretary C&W</u>, <u>C&W Secretariat</u>, <u>Khazana Road</u>, <u>Gilgit</u> at or before 11:00 am (PST), on 17th July 2025. Bids will be opened at 11:30 am (PST) on the same day, in the presence of the bidder's representatives who choose to attend at the same address.
- 9. The Employer reserves the right to accept or reject any bid or proposal at any time prior to the acceptance of bid or proposal as per GB-PPRA Rule-36.
- 10. This Invitation to Bid is also available on the GB-PPRA website (www.gbppra.gov.pk).

[Engr. Yawar Abbas]

Project Director

IRC, ASTORE-SKARDU ROAD (ASR)

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- 1. The Additional Chief Secretary (Dev), Gilgit-Baltsiatn
- 2. The Secretary, Communication & Works Department, GB

7. The Managing Director, GB-PPRA

- 4. The Director, Press Information Department, GB
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