

# INVITATION TO TENDER

## FABRICATION AND INSTALLATION OF A PEDESTRIAN WALKOVER IN THE VICINITY OF CIPRIANI LABOUR COLLEGE

The National Infrastructure Development Company Limited (**NIDCO**) on behalf of the Ministry of Works and Infrastructure as part of the East West Corridor Transportation Project wishes to invite suitably qualified and experienced contractors to submit tenders for the Fabrication and Installation of a Pedestrian Walkover in the vicinity of the Cipriani Labour College.

### DESCRIPTION OF WORK

The walkover structure is to be 53.2m long, 3.2m wide, crossing over the Eastbound lanes, Westbound lanes and South frontage road along the Churchill Roosevelt Highway (CRH), in the vicinity of the playing field east of the Cipriani College of Labour and Cooperative Studies. Walkway ramps are to be provided for safe access to and from the walkover.

The walkway is of truss fabrication using structural steel I-beam sections, with a solid steel chequered plate deck. All structural steel work, joints and fastenings are to be sandblasted, primed, epoxy coated and painted "Capris Blue".

### ELIGIBILITY

Submission of tenders is open to all local contractors that can demonstrate that they have the expertise, experience, and financial resources in projects of similar size and type as outlined in the Invitation to Tender. Evaluation of tenders will be based on requirements including: Equipment and Personnel; Procedures; Quality Assurance and Health and Safety; Past Experience and References and Financial Capability.

### PURCHASE OF BID PACKAGE

The bid package may be viewed and/or purchased between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 3:30 p.m., Monday to Friday from **Friday 28<sup>th</sup> August 2015** upon payment of a **non-refundable** fee of TT\$ 1,000.00 payable **ONLY by certified cheque to NIDCO**.

### PRE-BID MEETING

Prospective contractors are invited to a pre-bid meeting on **Wednesday 9<sup>nd</sup> September at 11:00 a.m.** at NIDCO's Head Office at #3 Melbourne Street, Port of Spain.

### SUBMISSION AND OPENING OF PROPOSALS

The One Envelope System will be utilised. Completed Technical and Financial tenders must be submitted (One Original, One Copy and an Electronic Copy) in sealed packages clearly labelled:

**INVITATION TO TENDER # 1508/08**  
**FABRICATION AND INSTALLATION OF A PEDESTRIAN WALKOVER IN THE VICINITY OF CIPRIANI LABOUR COLLEGE**  
**Secretary, Tenders Committee**  
**National Infrastructure Development Company Limited (NIDCO)**  
**No. 3 Melbourne Street**  
**Port of Spain**

and deposited in **Tender Box No. 3** located on the First Floor at NIDCO's Head Office, No. 3 Melbourne Street, Port of Spain **no later than 1:00 p.m. on Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> September 2015.**

**Please note that the dimensions of the Tender Box slot are 4 inches high x 18 inches wide.**

**Please note that the Technical and Financial Proposals should be placed in the same envelope.**

**Tenderers are advised that the name of the company submitting the Tender should be clearly marked on the envelope**

Submissions will be opened publicly on the same day at NIDCO's office. A representative of the company/joint venture may be present at the opening.

### LIMITATIONS/RESERVATIONS

**NIDCO** will not be responsible for any cost incurred by any prospective bidder in preparing their tender and reserves the right to cancel the present notice in its entirety or even partially, without defraying any cost incurred by any Tenderer submitting a tender.

**NIDCO** reserves the right to reject applications received unsigned, in unsealed envelopes or with alterations or erasures not initialed by prospective bidder/s. Tenderers are fully responsible for the submission of their tender and must satisfy themselves as to the nature of the project.

**NIDCO** does not bind itself to accept any tender. **NIDCO** reserves the right to negotiate with and/or make a counter offer to all qualified contractors.

**Late submissions will NOT be considered under any circumstances.**

### CLARIFICATION OF THE DOCUMENT

Enquiries, clarification, and further information regarding this tender may be obtained from:-

**Secretary, Tenders Committee**  
**National Infrastructure Development Company Limited**  
**No. 3 Melbourne Street**  
**Port of Spain**

**Telephone: (868) 624-5593/6289/6478**

**Or can be e-mailed to the attention of:**

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