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ADB Grant No.0534-LAO: Northern Rural Infrastructure Development Sector Project Additional Financing (NRI-AF)

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Publication of Award of Contract for Contract No NRI-AF-NCB-017

Detailed summary

Project name:	ADB Grant No 0534-LAO (SF): Northern Rural Infrastructure Development Sector Project-Additional Financing	
Package/contract name:	NRI-AF-NCB-017: Nam Tin2 Irrigation Rehabilitation in Houay Xay District, Bokeo Province	
Package value in Procurement Plan and Engineer's Estimate Cost	US\$ 1.102.727 and US\$ 1.565.042,64, respectively	
Bidding document issued date:	13 September 2021	
Selection and bid method:	National Competitive Bidding and 1 stage, 1envelope	
Pre-Bid Meeting & Site visit date:	Scheduled for 27 September 2021 and 29 September 2021, respectively, but did not conduct due to restriction of the Covid-19	
Bid closing and opening date:	13 October 2021 (original schedule), extended to 25 October 2021, at 09:15 hrs and 25 October 2021, at 09:30 hrs, respectively due to restriction of the Covid-19	
Number of bid sold and received:	Ten (10) and eight (08)	
The validity period of the bids:	120 days from 25 October 2021 to 21 February 2022	
The amount of Bid security and validity:	USD 31.300, valid until 21 March 2022	
Bid Evaluation Report signing date by EA, ADB's Approval date:	23 December 2021, 18 January 2022 and, respectively	
EA's approval and Contract signing date:	10 February 2022 and 15 February 2022, respectively	

Project Description: The Northern Rural Infrastructure Development Sector Project – Additional Financing was approved by the Asian Development Bank (ADB) on 31 May 2017. The project impact is improved rural household incomes in the four northern provinces of Bokeo, Louang-Namtha, Oudomxai, and Phongsali. The outcome is increased agricultural productivity in the four project provinces. There are four outputs (i) productivity-enhancing rural infrastructure constructed and rehabilitated; (ii) productivity-and impact enhancing initiatives adopted; (iii) capacity of national, provincial, and district agencies strengthened to enable a sector development approach; and (iv) efficient and effective delivery of subprojects and project management.

Name of Awarded Bidder	Quoted Bid Price (US\$)	Total Contract Price (US\$)	
Vilay Pattana Construction Sole Co., Ltd	1.239.045,65	1.239.045,65	
Reasons for contract awarded:	The lowest evaluated substantially responsive bid		

Evaluated Bidder (s)

Evaluated Bidder (s) Name of Evaluated Bidder(s)		Quoted Bid Price (US\$)	Reasons for Rejection of the Bids	
1	Sisaketh Construction Sole Co., Ltd	1.243.861,00	The bid was evaluated as the 2 nd rank.	
2	Khamfong group Sole Co., Ltd	1.564.981,24 (Discounted 13% of total bid price)	The bid was failure to comply with (i) Financial resource was negative because of omission of applicable references i.e., line of credit or bank account statement from commercial bank for proving this criterion; (ii) Specific Construction and Contract Management, only one applicable contract complied with the requirements; the BEC noted that the contract KDP-C2-ICB-CW-01-02-03 was not applicable and not relevant information; the contract No3 and No4 were not applicable because they are ongoing works; (iii) Construction Experience in key activities because of omission the applicable contracts for proving irrigation experiences.	
3	Chalernxay Construction Co., Ltd	1.301.374,75	The bid was evaluated as the 4 th rank.	
4	Xaylong Engineering & Irrigation Construction Sole Co., Ltd	1.282.104,57	The bid was evaluated as the 3 rd rank.	
5	Lienphonexay Construction Sole Co., Ltd	1.394.225,55	The bid was failure to comply with (i) bid security because your bid was omitted the bid security in accordance with ITB19.3- states that any bid not accompanied by a substantially responsive bid security shall be rejected; and (ii) because of omission of Covid-19 Specific Site Health and Safety Plan.	
6	Khounthavong Lao Construction Co., Ltd	1.399.999,99	The bid was evaluated as the 6th rank.	
7	Keovilay Construction-Irrigation Co., Ltd	1.320.310,74	The bid was evaluated as the 5 th rank.	

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