

Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh
Office of the Project Director
Conversion of Existing Chattogram-Dohazari Meter Gauge Track
into Dual Gauge Track Project
Bangladesh Railway, Rail Bhaban, Dhaka-1000;

Invitation for Bids

Date	10 September 2026
Loan/Grant No. and Title	ADB Loan no. 4665-BAN and 4666-BAN(COL): South Asia Sub regional Economic Cooperation Chattogram-Dohazari Project
Contract No. and Title	Contract No. BR/ADB/30 MG DE Locomotives/2026, "Procurement of 30 Nos. Meter Gauge (MG) Diesel Electric (DE) Locomotives, Related Services including commissioning, trial run and Training"
Deadline for Submission of Bids	03 November 2026, 11.30 AM (Bangladesh Local Time)

1. The People's Republic of Bangladesh has received financing from the Asian Development Bank (ADB) toward the cost of "Procurement of 30 Nos. Meter Gauge (MG) Diesel Electric (DE) Locomotives, Related Services including commissioning, trial run and Training" and it intends to apply part of the proceeds of this financing to payments under the contract named above. Bidding is open to Bidders from eligible source countries of ADB.
2. The Bangladesh Railway ("the Purchaser") invites sealed bids from eligible Bidders for "Procurement of 30 Nos. Meter Gauge (MG) Diesel Electric (DE) Locomotives, Related Services including Commissioning, Trial run and Training".
3. Open competitive bidding will be conducted in accordance with ADB's Single stage: Two-Envelope procedure and is open to all Bidders from eligible countries as described in the Bidding Document.
4. Only eligible Bidders with the following key qualifications defined in the Bidding Document may participate in this bidding:

SN.	Required Qualification Criteria	Description
1	Experience requirement	The bidder shall have the experience of successful completion as main supplier within the last 10 years of at least Four contracts which three contract's total valued at US\$ 110 (one Hundred ten) Million or above and one contract minimum valued at US\$ 125 (One Hundred Twenty Five) Million in nature, and complexity similar to the scope of supply (Similar means Diesel Electric Locomotive, Electric Locomotive, DMU and EMU).
2	Financial requirement	Minimum average annual turnover of \$ 155 Million for over the last 5 (Five) years.

5. To obtain further information and inspect the Bidding Documents, Bidders should contact:

Attention: Md. Ashadul Haque, Project Director
Street address: 4/3, Abdul Gani Road, Dhaka-1000
Floor/Room number: 701
Country: Bangladesh
Email: pdctg_dhz@railway.gov.bd

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6. To purchase the Bidding Documents in English, eligible Bidders should:

- write to the address above requesting the Bidding Documents for Contract No: BR/ADB/30 MG DE Locomotives/2026, "Procurement of 30 Nos. Meter Gauge (MG) Diesel Electric (DE) Locomotives, Related Services including commissioning, trial run and Training".
- Pay a nonrefundable fee of BDT 10000.00 (Taka Ten thousand) only to be paid to Code no. 1422328 through A-Challan in favor of the office of the Director General, Bangladesh Railway (Office code: 1510301132267) by 02 November 2026.
- The bidding document should be picked up directly from the contract address above before 02 November 2026 during office hour (09 AM to 04 PM) by the bidder or authorized representative of the bidder. No bidding document will be sent by surface mail or courier for overseas delivery by the purchaser.

7. A Pre-Bid meeting will take place,

Date: 14 October 2026

Time: 11:00 hrs. (Bangladesh Standard Time)

Place: Room No. 825, Rail Bhaban, 4/3, Abdul Gani Road, Dhaka-1000, Bangladesh.

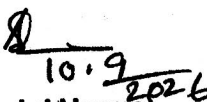
8. Deliver your bid:

- to the address Md. Ashadul Haque, Project Director, Conversion of Existing Chattogram-Dohazari MG Track into DG Track Project, Bangladesh Railway, Rail Bhabon (Room no-701), 16 Abdul Gani Road, Dhaka-1000;
- on or before the deadline 11.30 AM (Bangladesh Local Time) of 03 November. Late bid will be rejected; and
- together with a Bid Security/Bid-Securing Declaration as described in the Bidding Document.

9. Bids will be opened promptly after the deadline for bid submission in the presence of Bidders' representatives who choose to attend.

10. Bangladesh Railway will not be responsible for any cost or expenses incurred by bidders in connection with the preparation or delivery of Bid.

11. In the comparison of Bids, ADB's domestic preference scheme will not be applied.


(Md. Ashadul Haque)

Project Director

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