

Chief Secretariat - Southern Provincial Council
INVITATION FOR BIDS (IFB)
REHABILITATION OF ILWATHTHA ANICUT
CIVIL WORKS
(CSS/Works/NCB/2026/01)

01. The Chairman, Chief Secretary Procurement Committee, on behalf of the Secretary to the Ministry of Agriculture, Agrarian Development, Irrigation, Water Supply and Drainage, Food Supply and Distribution, Trade and Co-operative Development – Southern Province, hereby invites sealed bids from eligible and qualified bidders for the **Rehabilitation of Ilwaththa Anicut – Civil Works (Contract No. CSS/Works/NCB/2026/01)** located in the **Matara District, Southern Province**, as per the cost estimate described below.

Description	Estimated Cost (LKR)	Refundable Bid Security (LKR)	Construction Period (No. of Days)	Non-refundable Bidding Document Fee (LKR)
Rehabilitation of Ilwaththa Anicut - Civil Works (CSS/Works/NCB/2026/01)	221Mn (excluding VAT)	2,300,000.00	600	40,000.00

02. Bidding will be conducted through National Competitive Bidding (NCB) procedure.

03. Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from the officer indicated below and inspect the Procurement Documents at the address given below during working days from **16th March 2026 to 06th April 2026**.

Accountant (Procurement),
Procurement Management Division,
Chief Secretariat Southern Province, S.H. Dahanayaka Mawatha, Galle.
T.P. - 0914944016 / 0914946368
Fax - 0912246299
e-mail - procurementplan1@gmail.com

04. To be eligible for contract award, the successful bidder shall not have been blacklisted and shall meet the requirement of **CIDA registration in Grade C3 or above under the Irrigation and Drainage Canals specialty**.

05. Qualification requirements include: completion of works of a similar nature within the last five (5) years (with at least 70% completion), an average annual construction turnover of **Rs. 133 million**, liquid assets amounting to **Rs. 33 million**, and compliance with legal and other

specified requirements. A margin of preference for eligible locally produced goods **shall not be applied**. Additional details are provided in the Procurement Documents.

06. A **Pre-Bid meeting** will be held at **9.30 a.m. on 25th March 2026** at the **Chief Secretariat, Southern Province, S. H. Dahanayaka Mawatha, Galle**, and a **site visit will be arranged thereafter for interested bidders**.
07. A complete set of Procurement Documents in the **English language** may be purchased by interested bidders upon submission of a written request to the **Chief Secretary, Chief Secretariat – Southern Province, S. H. Dahanayaka Mawatha, Galle**, and upon payment of a **non-refundable fee of Rs. 40,000.00** to the **Shroff of the Chief Secretariat**, on working days from **16th March 2026 to 06th April 2026**, between **9.00 a.m. and 3.00 p.m.** Payments shall be made **in cash**.
08. All bids shall be accompanied by a **Bid Security of Rs. 2,300,000.00**, valid until **31.08.2026**, in favour of the **Chief Secretary, Southern Province**, issued by a **Commercial Bank certified by the Central Bank of Sri Lanka in the form of a Bank Guarantee**.

The **original cash receipt issued by the Accounts Division of the Chief Secretariat – Southern Province for the payment of the bidding document fee** should be submitted together with the bid.

Bid securities submitted in the form of **cheques or bank drafts will be rejected**.
09. Bids must be delivered **in duplicate** to the **Chairman, Chief Secretary Procurement Committee, Chief Secretariat, Southern Province, S. H. Dahanayaka Mawatha, Galle**, on or before **2.30 p.m. on 07.04.2026**. **Late bids will be rejected**.

Bids will be opened **immediately after the closing time** in the presence of bidders' representatives who choose to attend in person at the address given above.
10. Bids shall be valid up to **03.08.2026**
11. Please note that the decision of the Procurement Committee will be the final.
12. The **Procurement Notice will be published on the official website of the Chief Secretariat – Southern Province (www.cs.sp.gov.lk)**.

Chairman
Chief Secretary Procurement Committee
Chief Secretariat - Southern Province
S.H. Dahanayaka Mawatha
Galle