

INVITATION FOR BIDS (IFB)
DEMOCRATIC SOCIALIST REPUBLIC OF SRI LANKA
MINISTRY OF ENERGY
CEYLON PETROLEUM STORAGE TERMINALS LIMITED
REPLACEMENT OF PETROLEUM STORAGE TANK NO. 30 AND 31 AT
KOLONNAWA INSTALLATION SRI LANKA
CONTRACT NO: KPR/12/2026

The Chairman, High Level Procurement Committee (HLPC), on behalf of Ceylon Petroleum Storage Terminals Limited (CPSTL), Oil Installation, Kolonnawa, Wellampitiya, Sri Lanka, now invites sealed bids from eligible and qualified bidders for the above procurement as described below. The estimated project cost is LKR 1,447 million.

The works consist of procurement of required materials and construction of 1 No. 15,000 m³ and 1 No. 7,000 m³ steel, vertical, above ground storage tanks as per API Standard 650 Twelfth Edition, March 2013, including piling works, RCC raft foundations, cathodic protection system, Internal Floating Roof (IFR), connecting to existing product piping system, firefighting system, tank gauging system, oily water system and associated works. The construction period is 450 calendar days.

Bidding will be conducted through the **International Competitive Bidding** Procedure.

To be eligible for contract award, the successful bidder shall not have been blacklisted and shall meet the following requirements.

For domestic Bidders, **CIDA registration is required as follows;**

SPECIALTY	GRADE	PARTY
Heavy Steel Fabrication	EM1	Bidder or Partner in Charge of Joint Venture (JV)
Geotechnical Piling Board Cast Insitu (GP-B)	GP-B2 or above	Bidder or Partner in Charge of JV or Partner of JV

For foreign bidders, CIDA registration is not required at the Bid submission, but additional experience is required as per Procurement Document.

In case of foreign bidder is selected for contract award, particular bidder shall obtain temporary registration as a foreign contractor under Construction Industry Development Act No. 33 of 2014 and other required registrations under the laws of Sri Lanka.

Qualification requirements to qualify for contract award include,

- Average annual volume of construction work performed in last five years shall be at least LKR 1,736 million or equivalent amount in foreign currency.
- The minimum amount of liquid assets and/or credit facilities, net of other contractual commitments and exclusive of any advance payments, which may be made under the Contract, until the project is taken over by the CPSTL, shall be not less than LKR 290 million or equivalent amount in foreign currency

The experience of the Bidder/JV in “tank construction” and “piling work” during last ten years shall be as follows.

- a. To comply with this requirement, works cited should be at least 70% (financial value of the contract) complete.
- b. At least one project in each speciality for domestic bidder/ domestic partner of JV/ domestic JV while two projects in each speciality for foreign bidder/ foreign partner of JV.

Construction Component	Required Experience
Steel Tank Construction	Bidder or Partner in Charge of JV should possess experience as a main contractor in the construction of a nature and complexity similar to the Works (with a 10,000 m ³ combined total capacity or higher vertical, above-ground storage tanks as per API Standard 650 with Internal Floating Roof, maximum of two tanks in a single project) during last ten years
Tank foundation with piles	Bidder or Partner in Charge of JV or Partner of JV should possess experience in the construction of 600mm or higher diameter Bored Cast In situ piling work in to the bedrock

Interested parties may refer the Procurement document excluding drawings (only for viewing purpose) and obtain necessary information through the websites www.cpstl.lk / www.dgmarket.com and a complete set of Procurement Documents in English language may be purchased by interested bidders on the submission of a written application to the

address below until **29.04.2026** from 0900 hrs to 1400 hrs Sri Lanka local time (GMT+5:30) on any working day upon cash payment of a non-refundable fee of **LKR 130,000.00** or remittance of **USD 430** directly to the CPSTL bank account, details given below. All bank charges (foreign & local) shall be borne by bidder and proof of remittance (copy of TT) is required along with a written request before 14 days to the Bid closing date to issue the Procurement document by courier service. No liability will be borne by CPSTL on loss or late delivery. Procurement Document (excluding drawings) available in the web is only for viewing purpose and Bids shall be submitted using Hard Copy of the Procurement Document purchased from CPSTL

	Payment in LKR	Payment in USD
Non-refundable fee	LKR 130,000.00	USD 430
A/C Holder	Ceylon Petroleum Storage Terminals Limited, Oil Installation, Kolonnawa, Wellampitiya, Sri Lanka.	
A/C No	004-1-001-9-0208672	074733828 US\$
Bank & Branch	People's Bank Corporate Branch No. 91, All Ceylon Hindu Congress (ACHC) Building Sir Chittampalam A. Gardiner Mawatha Colombo 02, Sri Lanka	Bank of Ceylon Corporate Branch Head Office, Head Office Building No. 04, Bank of Ceylon Mawatha Colombo 01, Sri Lanka
SWIFT	PSBKLKLX	BCEYLKLX
Branch Code	004	7010

A pre-bid meeting will be held at 1000 hrs Sri Lanka local time (GMT+5:30) on **31.03.2026** at the office of DGM (Engineering and Support Services), Oil Installation, Kolonnawa, Sri Lanka. In case, the bidders are unable to participate the pre bid meeting, they can participate via **video conferencing method**. Interested parties who wish to participate in the Pre bid meeting shall send their request to email procure@cpstl.lk at or before **1400 hrs**. Sri Lanka local time (GMT+5:30) on **30.03.2026**.

Bids shall be submitted on the Procurement document issued by the Procurement Function - CPSTL and the original of the duly filled bids may be sent by post/courier under registered cover or sealed cover to reach the Chairman, High Level Procurement Committee (HLPC), C/o Manager Procurement, Ceylon Petroleum Storage Terminals Limited, Procurement Function, 01st Floor, New Building, Oil Installation, Kolonnawa, Wellampitiya, Sri Lanka or could be deposited in the tender box kept at the main entrance of CPSTL, on or before 1400 hrs. Sri Lanka local time (GMT+5:30) on **30.04.2026**. Late bids will be rejected.

Bids will be closed at 1400 hrs. Sri Lanka local time (GMT+5:30) on **30.04.2026** and will be opened immediately thereafter at the office of Manager (Procurement) in the presence of the authorized representatives of the bidders who chose to attend. Only one authorized member of respective bidder is allowed to participate /witness the tender opening procedure.

If bidders are unable to submit the original bids as specified, they may submit a scanned copy of the completed bid in **PDF format** via email to tenders@cpstl.lk to reach at or before **1400 hrs**. Sri Lanka local time (GMT+5:30) on **30.04.2026**. The original Bid Security, in the form of a Bank Guarantee or Bank Draft, shall be received by CPSTL on or before the bid closing and opening date and time specified above. The original bid document must be securely retained and submitted to the Manager Procurement upon request. Note that the original bid documents will be used solely for filing purposes and will not be used for verification against the electronic submission.

Bids shall be valid up to **22.10.2026**

All bids shall be accompanied by a Bid Security of **LKR 14,470,000.00** (Sri Lanka Rupees Fourteen Million Four Hundred Seventy Thousand only) or **USD 47,150.00** (US Dollars Forty-Seven Thousand One Hundred and Fifty Only). The Bid Security shall be valid up to **17.12.2026** from the date of bid closing.

The address referred to above is

**The Chairman, High Level Procurement Committee,
C/o Manager Procurement,
Ceylon Petroleum Storage Terminals Limited,
Procurement Function, New Building,
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