

Invitation for Bids (IFB)

**SRI LANKA RAILWAYS**

**PROCUREMENT FOR DISSOLVED GASES – OXYGEN, ACETYLENE, NITROGEN, CARBON DIOXIDE, MAINTENANCE OF CYLINDER VALVES AND REFUNDABLE DEPOSITS FOR EMPTY CYLINDER FOR A PERIOD OF ONE YEAR**

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1. The Chairman, Department Procurement Committee (Major) on behalf of Sri Lanka Railways, Railway Head Quarters, P.O. Box 355, Colombo, Sri Lanka will receive sealed bids from eligible and qualified bidders for the supply of Dissolved Gases Acetylene, Nitrogen Carbon Dioxide and Maintenance of Cylinder Valves & Refundable Deposit for Empty Cylinder.
2. Bidding will be conducted through National Competitive Bidding (NCB) procedure.
3. Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information and inspect the Bidding Documents at the address given below on working days from **22/05/2026** until **09/06/2026** from 9.00am to 3.00pm

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Railway Procurement Sub Department,  
Olcott Mawatha, Colombo 10, Sri Lanka.  
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Website : [www.railway.gov.lk](http://www.railway.gov.lk)

4. Bidder should have manufacturing plants for Oxygen, Acetylene, Nitrogen and Maintenance of Cylinder Valves.  
The bidder shall forward the following details with the offer.  
(a) Testing method and quality assurance procedure followed by the manufacturer and the distributor to ensure safety of cylinder valves and handling of (filling) of flammable gases including standards used shall be provided along with the offer.  
(b) Current customer list and average quantity of supply per month to each customer shall be provided.
5. A complete set of Bidding Documents in English Language may be purchased by interested bidders on the submission of a written application to the address of the Office of the Railway Procurement Sub Department, Olcott Mawatha, Colombo 10, Sri Lanka from **22/05/2026** to **09/06/2026** up to **3.00 p.m.** on payment of a non-refundable procurement fee of **Rs.4,850/-** only.
6. All bids must be accompanied by a Bid security. Amount of Bid security shall be **Rs. 500,000.00** and shall be an unconditional guarantee issued by Bank operating in Sri Lanka and approved by the Central Bank of Sri Lanka.
7. Bids must be delivered to the address below on or before **2.00 p.m.** on **10/06/2026** and the bids will be opened immediately after closing of the bids. Bidders or their authorized representatives are requested to be present at the opening of the bids. Late bids will not be accepted.

The Chairman,  
Department Procurement Committee (Major),  
Office of the Procurement Sub Department,  
Sri Lanka Railways,  
Olcott Mawatha, Colombo 10.

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