India Pledges New Projects for Afghanistan

Afghanistan and India underscored the importance of peace through Chabahar port for strengthening trade and economic relations.

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Item Description

Rehabilitation of Road from Dowamand to Qalander Phase 1 Lot 1, Ch. 0-000 to Ch. 09-350km, (Gravel surface) Khost Province, South East Region

Ref. No

NPA/MOPW-W-2157/NCHR/ER/BID

Bid Security

The Bids must be accompanied with Bid Security in the form of a Bank Guarantee provided in the Bidding Documents at the amount of $ (5,000,000). Three million and six hundred thousand AIN (specified in ITB 17.2). The Bid security should be valid for 28 days after the Bid validity period i.e. 118 days beyond bid submission deadline.

Deadline for Bid Submission

11 September 2018, 10:00 AM (Kabul local time), Electronic submission of Bid is not allowed. Late bid will be rejected.

Address for Bid Submission

Administrative Office of the President, National Procurement Authority, Procurement Facilitation Directorate, First Floor, Conference Room, Pakistan Wheat, Kabul Afghanistan.

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Website

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Omanis Interested to Invest in Afghanistan

The Omani investors are interested in investing in multiple sectors in Afghanistan including processing of precious stones, a delegation of private sector from Oman said in Kabul on Friday.

The Omani investors have been invited by Afghan companies. The Omani delegation said they have visited Afghanistan to represent 20 companies in the country. Precious stones processing, sheep farming and dry fruit are the sectors in which Omani delegation said they can invest in as they have carried out assessments in this regard.

The idea is to invest in precious stones, especially in processing of emerald. Besides that, other parts, such as dry fruit, oil and gas are the sectors that are profitable in Afghanistan if we work on them," said Mansur al-Rindi, an Omani investor. "We are interested in those sectors if opportunities are provided."

There were, in total, 27 firms from Oman taking part in the Afghan Investment Fair,

US Cuts Military Training Programs for Pakistan

WASHINGTON: As the Trump administration refused to provide funds for training of Pakistani officers for the next academy year, the US military institutions are trying to fill the 60 slots they kept for cadets from Pakistan, Dawn.com said in a report on Saturday.

The fund for training Pakistan’s officers came from the US government’s International Military Education and Training Program (IMET) but no funds were made available for Pakistan for the...More on Pd.48

Ghor Orphanage Inmates Provided Cash Assistance

KABUL: A welfare organisation has provided 30,000 afghans in cash assistance to 47 orphaned children for education in western Ghor province.

Complete list of the benefactors was provided by the organisation’s head, told reporters here that they had delivered cash assistance to deserving children in 25 provinces of the country to encourage them to get education.

“The cash aid, a very small package, may not be meet their needs. But it is still helpful in encouraging orphaned students to get education and prevent them from getting involved in hard labour,” said Cail Ahmad Usmani, director of the...More on Pd.198

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