



Dhaka Bus Rapid Transit Company Limited

Road Transport and Highways Division

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Memo No: 35.06.0000.010.07.004.2023- 230

Date: 28 March 2024

Subject: Debar from participating in future bids of Dhaka BRT Company Limited for 01 (one) year.

Ref.: 1. IFB Ref. No. MD/GDSUTP (BRT, Gazipur-Airport) DBRT/ICB/AFD-05/DGD-01
2. Show Cause Memo No. 35.06.0000.000.07.006.2022-53, Dated: January 29, 2024.

A bid was invited via reference number-1, as mentioned above, for the procurement of 137 air-conditioned diesel-fueled standard (12-meter-long) buses under the Greater Dhaka Sustainable Urban Transport Project (BRT, Gazipur-Airport). In response, among the other bidders, Higer Bus Company Ltd. and Xiamen Golden Dragon Bus Co. Ltd. have participated in the bid and submitted a statement of integrity and eligibility. Subsequently, both companies agreed to the AFD Policy for Corrupt and Fraudulent Practices, in accordance with ITB 12.1 and Section 5.

2.0 It has been substantiated by an investigation that both Higer Bus Company Ltd. and Xiamen Golden Dragon Bus Co. Ltd. have submitted a false statement of integrity and eligibility. Both parties have concealed the conflict of interest between them. According to Instruction to Bidders (ITB) No. 4.3 of the bid document for the aforesaid procurement, "A bidder shall not have a conflict of interest. All bidders found to have a conflict of interest shall be disqualified."

3.0 A show cause notice was issued via ref. no. 35.06.0000.000.07.006.2022-53, dated January 29, 2024, asking to submit a reply within 15 days of the date of issue to the Show Cause Notice. You didn't submit any reply within the stipulated time.

4.0 Since Higer Bus Company Ltd. and Xiamen Golden Dragon Bus Co. Ltd. were involved in fraudulent practices in the procurement process of 137 nos. Air-conditioned diesel-fueled standard (12-meter-long) buses under the Greater Dhaka Sustainable Urban Transport Project (BRT, Gazipur-Airport), are hereby debarred from participating in future bids of Dhaka BRT Company Ltd., in individual capacity or as a joint venture, for a period of one (1) year from the date of issuing of this letter.

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