

INVITATION TO BID

MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY AND FISHERIES Climate-Resilient Rice Commercialization Sector Development Program (Rice-SDP)

(Additional Financing)
Grant no. 0818-CAM(EF)
RFQ No: AF-GD01/Rice-SDP(AF)/MAFF/NS/2022
wishes to Purchase Agricultural Machinery

1. The Royal Government of Cambodia (RGC) has received an additional financing from GAFSP administered by the Asian Development Bank toward the cost of Climate-Resilient Rice Commercialization Sector Development Program (Rice-SDP) – Additional Financing, and it intends to apply part of the proceeds of this additional financing to payments under a Contract **for Supply, Delivery and Installation of 22 units of Rice Seeders for 19 ACs and 3 agricultural stations, B 1 unit of Cleaning and Grading Machine for Balaing Agricultural Station.**
2. The goods are required by **12 weeks** from the date of contract signing.
3. Interested qualified eligible suppliers are invited to obtain a copy of the bidding documents free-of-charge from the address given below by submitting a written application. Except for the submission of a written application, there shall be no other conditions for obtaining the bidding documents.
4. To be considered eligible and qualified a bidder must
 - I. Be from a ADB member country
 - II. Have completed at least two contracts for supply of similar goods in the preceding 3 years of not less than 50% of the bid price in each contract.
 - III. Have completed contracts with a total cumulative value equal to at least two times the value of the bid price in the preceding 2 years.
 - IV. Not be under any notice of disbarment issued by the Government or ADB.
5. Bids must be delivered to the address given below at or before **3:00 pm on 14 December 2022**. Late bids will be rejected. Bids will be opened in public immediately thereafter at the address given below in the presence of the Bidders' representatives and the project's beneficiaries from the concerned local community who choose to attend shall be allowed to be present in person.
6. The Purchaser shall award the Contract to the Bidder whose offer has been determined to be the lowest evaluated bid and is substantially responsive to the Bidding Documents, provided further that the Bidder is determined to be qualified to perform the Contract satisfactorily.
7. All bids must be accompanied by a bid and performance securing declaration as described in the bidding documents. Any bid not accompanied by one will be

rejected as non-compliant

8. The address where the document may be inspected and obtained is:
National Implementation Office for Rice-SDP (MAFF-NIO),
General Directorate of Agriculture (GDA),
Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries,
#54B, Building B, 2nd Floor, Room B05, Sangkat Teuk Laak III,
Khan Toul Kork, Phnom Penh, Cambodia.
9. In case of any difficulty in obtaining the bidding documents, interested parties may contact in writing
 - (a) The Director
Department of Multilateral Cooperation
Ministry of Economy and Finance
New Building 2nd Floor, ST.92, Sangkat Wat Phnom
Khan Daun Penh, Phnom Penh, Cambodia.
 - (b) **HE. Kith Seng**
Project Director,
National Implementation Office for Rice-SDP (MAFF-NIO)
General Directorate of Agriculture (GDA)
Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries
#54B, Building B, 2nd Floor, Room B05, Sangkat Teuk Laak III,
Khan Toul Kork, Phnom Penh, Cambodia.
Email: kithseng@maff.gov.kh
10. The address for bid submission is
H.E. Kith Seng
Project Director
National Implementation Office for Rice-SDP (MAFF-NIO)
General Directorate of Agriculture (GDA)
Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries
#54B, Building B, 2nd Floor, Room B05, Sangkat Teuk Laak III,
Khan Toul Kork, Phnom Penh, Cambodia.
11. The Government of Cambodia and Asian Development Bank will declare a firm ineligible either indefinitely or for a stated period of time, to be awarded a contract financed by the Government of Cambodia and Asian Development Bank respectively, if it at any time determines that the firm has engaged in corrupt or fraudulent, coercive or collusive practices in competing for or in executing a contract
12. A complaint may be made by any party at any stage of the procurement process. The procedure is described in Instructions to Bid, Clause 21 of the Bidding Documents.