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RFQ No: 01/TNIAMP/AGRI/MDU/PHASE-IV/GOODS/2024-25

**PROCUREMENT OF GOODS
THROUGH
REQUEST FOR QUOTATION
(RFQ)/SHOPPING PROCEDURES**

August 2024

REQUEST FOR QUOTATIONS
Procurement of Goods under RFQ/Shopping Procedures
Procurement Notice

Purchaser: Joint Director of Agriculture, Madurai

Contract title: Procurement of Seeds for IPT Demonstrations

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Date: .08.2024

1. The Government of India has received financing from the World Bank in various currencies towards the cost of the Tamil Nadu Irrigated Agriculture Modernization Project and intends to apply part of the proceeds towards eligible payments under the contract for which this request for quotations is issued. The Joint Director of Agriculture, Madurai invites quotations from eligible bidders for the following goods.

Sl. No.	Brief Description of the Goods	Specifications	Unit & Quantity	Delivery Period	Place of Delivery	Installation Requirement if any
I.	Seeds					
1	Greenmanure (Danicha) C/TFL - certified seed	Pure seed (Minimum) 98% Germination (Minimum) 75% Moisture (Minimum) 9%	36400 kg	Within 15 Days from receipt of supply order/award of contract	As per list enclosed	Not applicable
2	Paddy (C - certified seed)	Pure Seed (minimum) 98% Germination (minimum) 80% Moisture (Maximum) 13 %	7280 kg	Within 15 Days from receipt of supply order/award of contract	As per list enclosed	Not applicable
3	Rice fallow Pulses- Blackgram VBN-8 (C - certified seed)	Pure Seed (minimum) 98% Germination (minimum) 75% Moisture (Maximum) 9% ODV-20 Nos/Kg	18200 kg	Within 15 Days from receipt of supply order/award of contract	As per list enclosed	Not applicable

2. The Bidders may submit Quotations for any or all items.
3. This e-Procurement notice includes the terms and conditions applicable to submission of quotations; criteria for qualification, evaluation, and for award of supply order(s); and relevant forms to be filled by the bidders. Implementing Agency has not issued a separate RFQ document for this purchase. The e-Procurement notice including the terms and conditions etc. can be downloaded free of cost by logging on to the website <https://tntenders.gov.in>. The bidders would be required to register in the website which is free of cost.
4. For submission of Quotation, the Bidder is required to have Digital Signature Certificate (DSC) from one of the Certifying Authorities authorized by Government of India for issuing DSC. Bidders can see the list of licensed CA's from the link (www.cca.gov.in). Bidders who have not obtained the user ID and password for participating in e-procurement in this Project, may obtain the same from the website:
5. Quotations shall be submitted on <https://tntenders.gov.in> on or before 10.00 am on 08.09.2024. Any quotation or modifications to quotation received outside e-procurement system will not be considered. The electronic bidding system would not allow late submission of quotations. The Quotations will be opened online on 09.09.2024 at 11.00 am, this can also be viewed by the bidders online. The electronic summary of quotation opening will be generated and uploaded online.
6. If the Purchaser's office happens to be closed on the date of opening of the Quotations as specified, the Quotations will be opened on the next working day at the same time.
7. Other details can be seen in the RFQ document. The Purchaser shall not be held liable for any delays due to system failure beyond its control. A Bidder requiring any clarification of the RFQ Document may notify the Purchaser online or may visit the office of the Purchaser at the address given below.

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Date: 23.08.2024

Terms and Conditions

1. **Eligibility:** A Bidder (a) shall not participate in more than one Quotation; (b) shall not have conflict of interest as defined in the Bank's Procurement Regulations; and (c) should not have been (i) temporarily suspended or debarred by the World Bank Group in compliance with the Bank's Anti-Corruption Guidelines and its Sanctions Framework
2. **Clarifications & Amendments:** If the Purchaser receives any request for clarification of this RFQ Document, it will upload its response together with any amendment to this document, on the e-procurement portal for information of all Bidders. Bidders should check on the e-procurement system, for any amendments to the terms and conditions.
3. **The Quotation shall comprise the following:**
 - (a) Letter of Quotation;
 - (b) Delivery Period Offered: List of Goods & Related Services indicating Bidder's offered delivery period in the prescribed Form;
 - (c) Technical Specifications: confirmation that the offered Goods and Related Services conform to the required specifications;
 - (d) Evidence in accordance with Clause 6 establishing Bidder's qualifications to perform the contract, if its quotation is accepted;
 - (e) Performance Statement¹ of supplies of similar goods made during the last 3 years, in the prescribed Format;
 - (f) Complete address and contact details of the Bidder having the following information:
 - Name of Firm
 - Address for communication
 - Telephone No(s): Office
 - Mobile Number
 - Facsimile (FAX) No.
 - Electronic Mail Identification (E-mail ID)
 - (g) Price Schedule (Quotation)

4. Quotation Prices

- a) The contract shall be for the full quantity for all items or for full quantity of each item, as specified in the Price Quotation Form.
- b) All duties, taxes and other levies payable on the raw materials and components shall be included in the total price.
- c) GST and any other taxes, which will be payable on the goods at the time of invoicing in connection with the sale, shall be shown separately. If these are

only stated to be extra, such quotations are liable to be rejected. Wherever these taxes are not shown, these will be assumed to have been included in the quoted price.

- d) The rates quoted by the bidder shall be fixed for the duration of the contract and shall not be subject to adjustment on any account.
 - e) The Prices shall be quoted in Indian Rupees only.
5. **Conformity of Goods:** Bidder shall furnish, documentary evidence that the Goods conform to the technical specifications and standards, as relevant for example catalogue, warranty/ guarantee etc. of the manufacturer
6. **Qualification of the Bidder:**
- (a) Bidder should have supplied goods of similar type (& capacity) at least 100% quantity during the previous financial years.
 - (b) Bidder should possess a valid license permission issued by the competent authority.
 - (c) The average annual turnover of the bidder calculated during the last three financial years should be minimum of five crores.
 - (d) The bidder should possess previous financial years participation in tenders for supply of similar items and should have been a successful tenderer and made 100 percent supplies.
The quotation shall comprise of Evidence establishing Bidder's qualifications to perform the contract, if its quotation is accepted. The bidder should submit the performance statement of supplies of similar goods made during the previous financial year in the prescribed format.
 - (e) Details of supplies made during the previous financial years shall be submitted in the specified Proforma.
 - (f) Supplies for any particular item in each quotation should be from one manufacturer only. Quotations offering supplies from different manufacturers for the same item in the quotation will be treated as non-responsive.
7. **Validity of Quotation:** Quotation shall remain valid for a period not less than 15 days after the deadline date specified for submission.
8. **Signing of Quotations:** The name and position held by each person signing the quotation and related documents must be typed or printed below the signature.
9. **Quotation Submission:** The Letter of Quotation shall be filled, signed and submitted along with the Price Schedules that shall be furnished using the Forms available in this document.
10. **Opening and Evaluation of Quotations:** The Quotations will be opened on the specified date, time and place.
- (a) The Purchaser shall examine the quotation to determine whether the quotation (a) has been properly signed (Clause 8); b) meets the eligibility criteria (Clause 1); (c) conforms to all terms, conditions, technical specifications,

warranty/guarantee etc.; and (d) the bidder has accepted the delivery schedule (Purchaser's Requirement Form 1).

- (b) Only Quotations that are substantially responsive to the RFQ document, and meet all Qualification Criteria shall qualify.
- (c) The evaluation shall be based on the total price of Goods and Related services at project site including GST and any other taxes, which will be payable on the finished goods at the time of invoicing.

11. **Award of contract:** The Purchaser will award the contract to the bidder whose quotation has been determined to be substantially responsive and who has offered the lowest evaluated quotation price.

- (a) Notwithstanding the above, the Purchaser reserves the right to accept or reject any quotations and to cancel the bidding process and reject all quotations at any time prior to the award of contract.
- (b) The bidder whose quotation is accepted will be notified of the award of contract by the Purchaser prior to expiration of the quotation validity period. The terms of the accepted offer shall be incorporated in the supply order (sample form attached).
- (c) 100% Payment shall be made immediately/or within 15days after delivery of the goods. Payment of GST and other taxes payable for the goods at the time of invoicing, although already included in the total cost, will be at actual or the rate/amount of these taxes specified in the supply order, whichever is lower.
- (d) Normal commercial warranty/ guarantee shall be applicable to the supplied goods.

Quotation Forms

Letter of Quotation

RFQ No.:

Our Reference: No..... Dated.....

To:
(Purchaser's name and address)

Subject: Supply of.....

Sir,

1. We, the undersigned, hereby submit our Quotation. In submitting our Quotation, we make the following declarations:

- (a) **No reservations:** We have examined and have no reservations to the RFQ Document;
- (b) **Conformity:** We offer to supply in conformity with the RFQ Document and in accordance with the Delivery Schedules specified in the Schedule of Requirements the following Goods and Related Services
- (c) The total price of our Quotation, including any unconditional discounts offered is:
Total price of the Quotation
- (d) **Commissions, gratuities and fees:** We have paid, or will pay the following commissions, gratuities, or fees with respect to the Bidding process or execution of the Contract: *[insert complete name of each Recipient, its full address, the reason for which each commission or gratuity was paid and the amount and currency of each such commission or gratuity. If none has been paid or is to be paid, indicate "none."]*
- (e) **Quotation Validity Period:** Our Quotation shall be valid for the period of 15 days, from the deadline fixed for the Quotation submission;
- (f) **Eligibility:** We meet the eligibility requirements and have no conflict of interest, we are not participating in more than one quotation in this bidding process, and we have not been temporarily suspended or debarred by the World Bank.
- (e) **Fraud and Corruption:** We hereby certify that we have taken steps to ensure that no person acting for us or on our behalf will engage in any type of corrupt, fraudulent, collusive, coercive, or obstructive practices.

Yours faithfully,

Authorized Signature

Name & Title of Signatory _____

In the capacity of *[insert legal capacity of person signing the Letter of Quotation]*

Name of Bidder _____

Address _____

Dated on _____ day of _____, _____ *[insert date of signing]*

FORMAT OF QUOTATION

Sl. No.	Description of Goods	Specifications	Qty.	Unit	Quoted Unit Rate ² at destination in Rs.	*Total Price per line item at Destination - inclusive of discounts, all taxes and duties	
						³ GST and similar other taxes applicable on finished Goods/ Services	In Figures In Words
1							
2							
3							
4							
5							
6							
7							
8							
9							
10							
TOTAL including all taxes and duties							

² Any unconditional discounts if offered, shall be specified in this column along with the unit rates.

³ Indicate each applicable tax separately.

Note: Evaluation shall be done for each item separately **OR** for all items together [Purchaser to insert one of the two options and delete the other. Information given here should be in consonance with the same information given in the RFQ and in Clause 13]
**Payment of GST and other taxes payable for the goods at the time of invoicing, although already included in the total cost, will be at actuals or the rate/amount of these taxes specified in the supply order, whichever is lower.*

We agree to supply the above goods in accordance with the technical specifications for a total contract price (including all taxes and duties) of Rs.(Amount in figures) (Rs... amount in words) within the period specified in the Request for Quotations.

We also confirm that the normal commercial warranty/guarantee ofmonths shall apply to the offered goods.

We hereby certify that we have taken steps to ensure that no person acting for us or on our behalf has engaged in corrupt, fraudulent, collusive, coercive, or obstructive practices (as defined in the prevailing World Bank's sanctions procedures) in competing for or in performing the Contract.

Signature of Bidder

PROFORMA FOR PERFORMANCE STATEMENT

RFQ No. _____ Date of opening _____ Time _____ Hours _____

Name of the Bidder _____

<u>Order placed by</u> (full address of Purchaser)	<u>Order No.</u> and date	<u>Description and</u> quantity of ordered Goods/ equipment	<u>Value of order</u>	<u>Date of completion of</u> delivery	<u>In case of Equipment, state</u> if the equipment been satisfactorily functioning? (Attach a certificate from the Purchaser/Consignee)
	1				
	2			As per contract	
	3			5	
	4			6	
	5			Actual	
	6			8	

Signature and seal of the Bidder

Purchaser's Requirement

I. LIST OF GOODS & RELATED SERVICES AND DELIVERY PERIOD

Line Item	Description of Goods and Related Services	Quantity	Physical unit	Final Destination (Project site)	Desired Delivery Period for completion of supply from the date of the Contract	Bidder's offered Delivery Period
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
I.	SEED					
1	Green Manure	7200	Kg	AEC MADURAI EAST	15 days	
		7200	Kg	AEC MADURAI WEST		
		6000	Kg	AEC VADIPATTI		
		6000	Kg	AEC ALANGANALLUR		
		2000	Kg	AEC THIRUMANGALAM		
		6000	Kg	AEC CHELLAMPATTI		
		2000	Kg	AEC SEDAPATTI		
	Total	36400				
2	Paddy	1440	Kg	AEC MADURAI EAST	15 days	
		1440	Kg	AEC MADURAI WEST		
		1200	Kg	AEC VADIPATTI		
		1200	Kg	AEC ALANGANALLUR		
		400	Kg	AEC THIRUMANGALAM		
		1200	Kg	AEC CHELLAMPATTI		
		400	Kg	AEC SEDAPATTI		
	Total	7280				
3	RFP-Pulses	3600	Kg	AEC MADURAI EAST	15 days	
		3600	Kg	AEC MADURAI WEST		
		3000	Kg	AEC VADIPATTI		

	3000	Kg	AEC ALANGANALLUR
	1000	Kg	AEC THIRUMANGALAM
	3000	Kg	AEC CHELLAMPATTI
	1000	Kg	AEC SEDAPATTI
Total	18200		

Note:

1. All details should be filled in by Purchaser except for Colum 7.
2. Delivery Period offered by the Bidder should be filled in Column 7 by the Bidder.

2. Technical Specifications

Detailed Technical Specifications and Standards and scope of services

Quality check test result for all the required certified seeds included in this RFQ are needed from a notified Laboratory of Tamil Nadu should be attached at the time of supply of goods.

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