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MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE, REPUBLIC OF LIBERIA
SMALLHOLDER AGRICULTURE TRANSFORMATION AND AGRIBUSINESS
REVITALIZATION PROJECT (STAR-P)**

**1st Floor LIBSUCO Building Japan Freeway (Formerly Somalia Drive),
Gardnersville – Monrovia, Liberia**

Ref: LR-PMU-MOA-306865-GO-RFB

Procurement Title: Supply and Delivery of Farming Tools, Protective Gear and Farming Equipment

Following the issuance of the Request for Bid (RFB) **Supply and Delivery of Farming Tools, Protective Gear and Farming Equipment**, three suppliers asked questions and STAR-P's response is indicated below:

#	Suppliers' Query	STAR-P's Response
1	<p>Please provide more detailed material/sizes for Lot 1 and Lot 3 items.</p> <p>Lot 1: Farming Tools viz Hoes, Shovels, Sickles, Files are available in different sizes, shapes and weights with or without handle.</p> <p>Lot 3: Protective Gears viz. Rain boots, Rain Suits and Hand Gloves are available in different material and sizes</p>	<p align="center">Refer to ADDENDUM #1</p>
	<p>Please inform the</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. sizes of rain boots, required 2. Dimensions of the Rain Suits in cm 3. Length of Hand Gloves Required and the material of Hand gloves. 	<p align="center">Refer to ADDENDUM #1</p>
	<p>ITB 14.8 (a)(iii), (b)(ii) and (c)(v) Final Destination (Project Site): <i>Ministry of Agriculture County Warehouses in STAR-P operational counties (Bomi, Gbarpolu, Grand Cape Mount, Lofa, Grand Gedeh, Margibi, Nimba, Sinoe and Maryland Counties)</i></p> <p>Please provide detail distribution plan so that we can make a good offer accordingly.</p>	<p>Suppliers are required to provide all- inclusive cost including transportation to the targeted counties from the Supplier's warehouse in Monrovia. Google Maps provide the estimated km from Monrovia to each of the respective counties capitol.</p>
	<p>GCC 16.1 Payment for Goods supplied from abroad: Payment of foreign currency portion shall be made in <i>United States Dollars</i> in the following manner: 100% Payment will be made to the supplier upon satisfactory completion and delivery of the goods. Payment shall be made within thirty (30) days of presentation of claim supported by a certificate from the Purchaser declaring that the Goods have been delivered and that all other contracted Services have been performed. We suggest to change to following terms:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 80% payment by Letter of Credit against shipment documents- Invoice, Bill of Lading. Packing list • 20% payment within 30 days of presentation of claim supported by a certificate from the Purchaser declaring that the Goods have been delivered and that all other contracted Services have been performed 	<p>The responsive bidder will coordinate with the Technical Team of MOA/Purchaser and ensure that all the goods are delivered as per the contract agreement and the acceptance certificate is issued to the responsive bidder before payment is made. However, Advance Payment of not more than Ten (10) percent of the Contract Price shall be paid within thirty (30) days of signing of the Contract, and upon submission of claim and a bank guarantee for equivalent amount valid until the Goods are delivered and in the form provided in the bidding document or another form acceptable to the Purchaser.</p>



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ADDENDUM #1

To

REQUEST FOR BID

For

**SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF FARMING TOOLS; PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT AND
FARMING EQUIPMENT**

Addendum Date: September 6, 2022	RFB No: LR-PMU-MOA-306865-GO-RFB
RFB Issued Date: August 17, 2022	Project Name: Smallholder Agriculture Transformation And Agribusiness Revitalization Project (STAR-P)
Country: Liberia	Funding Agency: World Bank/IDA/Project ID: P160945
City/Locality: Monrovia	Purchaser: Ministry of Agriculture, Program Implementation Unit

The following are changes to the above-mentioned Request for Bid (RFB):

1. **Schedule of Requirements, Item No.3, page 77 of the bidding document: Technical Specifications** of the RFB is hereby deleted and replaced with Appendix 1 attached hereto.

2. Suppliers may request additional information at the address below:

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3. All other sections and paragraphs of the subject Request for Bid: RFB No: **LR-PMU-MOA-306865-GO-RFB** remain unchanged.

Yours Sincerely,


Galah Toto

National Program Coordinator

STAR-P/RETRAP

Ministry of Agriculture/World Bank/IFAD/PIU

APPENDIX 1

Technical Specifications

SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF FARMING TOOLS, PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT AND FARMING EQUIPMENT

Line Item N°	Description of Goods	TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS
Lot 1		
1.	Regular hoes	hoe H304cock 2.5LBS weight :1.1kg Material : fierce steel
2.	Cutlasses	Cutlass curve M208A size:19" Material : body:fierce steel +handle:wooden) thickness : 1.6mm
3.	Shovels (with handle)	shovels head weight :900g Material : fierce steel / with stick 1.2m eagle brand Material : A quality wooden handle
4.	Diggers (with handle)	digger weight :2.0kg Material : fierce steel
5	Sickles	Curved blade, length 300mm or 12", lacquered. Handle length: 100mm or 4"; Blade thickness 2.5mm, with a spike to key in the handle; Wooden handle: No chips, rough surface, holes or knots. Smooth surface; Pressed carbon steel, hardened and tempered; hardened throughout the entire blade, but normalized for the handle insert; Quality: No dents, no cracks, no broken teeth
6	Files	flat file size:10" about weight :273g Material : fierce steel
7	Measuring tape	measuring tape meter :100m Material: ABS plastic shell; high strength impact resistance; with steel rule belt, high resistance to wear, precise raisings; the crank handle take it easy
Lot 3		
1	Rain Boots	rain boot regular, size:39-45 app. weight:1.46kg /40 app weight:1.57kg /41app. weight:1.64kg /42 app. weight:1.65kg /43 app. weight:1.74kg /44 app. weight:1.78kg/45 weight:1.89kg/46 app. weight:1.89kg /shoes height::38cm width:10.7cm bottom height:2.6cm Material :PVC
2	Rain suits	Rain suite size:XL-80*134 weight1203g/XXL-82*136 weight:1242g /XXXL-84*138 weight:1401g Material: CLOTH
3	Hand gloves	Glove size:10" (length:24cm width:12cm) app.weight:200g Material:(cowhide chemical fiber)