

INVITATION TO BID



Republic of Liberia MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE

SMALLHOLDER AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTIVITY ENHANCEMENT AND COMMERCIALIZATIION (SAPEC) PROJECT

PROJECT No.: P-LR-A00-003 (Loan #: (5570155000001)

THE SUPPLY OF FERTILIZERS, HERBICIDES, INSECTICIDES, FUNGICIDES, CASSAVA CUTTINGS AND SOIL NUTRIENT SCANNERS

NCB NO.: LIB/SAPEC/PMU/GC/NCB/001/2020

NATIONAL COMPETITIVE BIDDING

- 1. This Invitation for Bids follows the General Procurement Notice for this Project that appeared in *Development Business*, with **Reference No. AFDB80-05/12** posted **11th May 2012**.
- 2. The Government of Liberia is implementing a project with grant resources from the Global Agriculture and Food Security Program (GAFSP) and a loan from the African Development Fund toward reducing rural poverty and household food insecurity by increasing income for smallholder farmers and rural entrepreneurs particularly women, youths and the physically challenged. The Government of Liberia intends to apply part of the proceeds to payments under the Contract for the **Supply of Fertilizers**, **Herbicides**, **Insecticides**, **Fungicides**, **Cassava Cuttings and Soil Nutrient Scanners in Contract No: LIB/SAPEC/PMU/GC/NCB/001/2020.**
- 3. The Program Management Unit (PMU) of the Ministry of Agriculture now invites sealed bids from eligible and qualified bidders for the **Supply of Fertilizers**, **Herbicides**, **Insecticides**, **Fungicides**, **Cassava Cuttings and Soil Nutrient Scanners in 3 Lots** as indicated below:

LOT 1: Supply of Fertilizers, Herbicides, Insecticides and Fungicides

Item	Description	U/M	Quantity
1	Glyphosate	Liter	1000
2	Butachlor + Propanil	Liter	1000
3	Fipronil	Liter	300
4	Lamda cyhalothrin	Liter	250

5	Cyfluthrin	Liter	300
6	Chlorpyrifos-Ethyl	Liter	200
7	Deltamethrin	Liter	400
8	Imidacloprid + Thiram	Sachets	35,000
9	Metalaxyl + Copper Oxide	Sachets	25,000
10	Mancozebe + Dimethomorphe	Sachets	25,000
11	Urea	Kg	100,000
12	NPK 15-15-15	Kg	160,000
13	Zinc Sulfate	Kg	25,000
14	Single Super Phosphate	Kg	25,000
15	Triple Super Phosphate	Kg	25,000
16	Muriate of Potash	Kg	50,000
17	Di Ammonium Phosphate	Kg	50,000

LOT 2: Cassava Cuttings

Item	Description	U/M	Quantity
1	Cassava Cuttings	Bundle	54,000

LOT 3: Soil Nutrient Scanners

Item	Description	U/M	Quantity
1	Soil Nutrient Scanner	Each	40
2	Annual unlimited license for soil nutrient scanner	Each	40

- **4.** Bidding will be conducted through **National Competitive Bidding (NCB)** in accordance with the African Development Bank's *Rules and Procedures for Procurement of Goods and Works* (May 2008 Edition, Revised July 2012) and is open to all bidders from eligible Regional and Non-Regional member countries, as defined in the Guidelines.
- **5.** Potential Bidders are permitted to submit bids for one or more lots which will result in independently separated contracts per Lot.

- **6.** Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from the **Smallholder Agricultural Productivity Enhancement and Commercialization (SAPEC)** Project through an email to <u>sapec-bidqueries@moa.gov.lr</u> and inspect the Bidding Documents at the address given below from 0900 hours 1600 hours each working day.
- 7. A complete set of Bidding Documents in **ENGLISH** may be purchased by interested bidders on the submission of a written Application to the address below at the offices of the **Smallholder Agricultural Productivity Enhancement and Commercialization (SAPEC) Project** for a non-refundable fee of **One Hundred United States Dollars (USD 100.00).** The method of payment will be by cash at the PMU offices located at Old LIBSUCO Compound, Bardnersville, Somalia Drive, Montserrado County, Liberia.
- 8. Bids must be delivered to the address below on or before **November 13, 2020 at the hour of 11:00 AM local time.** Electronic bidding **WILL NOT BE PERMITTED.** Late bids will be **rejected**. Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend in person at the address below in the **Conference Room of the PMU** on **November 13, 2020 at the hour of 12:00 PM local time.**
- 9. Partial bids are unacceptable. Interested bidders are to bid for a complete Lot. Awards will be granted on a complete lot basis.
- 9. The address(es) for submission purposes as referred to above is:

Attention: Project Coordinator
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and Commercialization (SAPEC) Project
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