

FEDERAL COLLEGE OF HORTICULTURE, DADIN KOWA, GOMBE STATE
INVITATION TO BID FOR 2017 CAPITAL PROJECTS

(1.0) INTRODUCTION:

In compliance with the requirement of the Public Procurement Act 2007 and extant regulations on procurement of goods, works and services by the Federal Government Ministries and Parastatals, the Federal College of Horticulture, Dadin Kowa, an Institution under the Federal Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development hereby invites interested and credible companies to submit pre-qualification and bids documents as prelude to the procurement and execution of various College capital projects for the 2017 fiscal year.

(2.0) SCOPE OF WORK:

The scope of work includes the following;

Lot 1: Construction of 500 capacity Auditorium

Lot 2: Construction of one storey departmental complex to accommodate lecture rooms, laboratories, offices and a herbarium.

Lot 3: Furnishing of Administrative Block

Lot 4: Procurement and installation of ICT Facilities (Computers, printers, photocopiers, scanners, accessories and internet connection

Lot 5: Construction of 300 capacity hostel

Lot 6: Procurement of inputs and implements for farm operations

Lot 7: Procurement of laboratory equipment and consumables for newly introduced Animal Health Laboratory.

Lot 8: Procurement and installation of solar irrigation facilities

Lot 9: (a -f): Supply and distribution of quality grains and vegetable seeds to farmers in six (6) states of the North East.

Lot 10 a: Construction of maize and rice milling plants in Gombe State

Lot 10 b: Construction of maize and rice milling plants in Bauchi State

Lot 11a: Procurement and Installation of maize and rice mills in Gombe State

Lot 11b: Procurement and installation of maize and rice mills in Bauchi State

Lot 12a: Procurement of spare parts for rice and maize mills in Gombe State

Lot 12b: Procurement of spare parts for rice and maize mills in Bauchi State

(3.0) ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA:

The under listed documents must be submitted along with Bid documents, failure to comply may lead to disqualification;

(3.1) Evidence of registration with Corporate Affairs Commission (CAC) and Article of Association

(3.2) Evidence of current tax clearance certificate for three years

(3.3) Evidence of registration with Bureau for Public Procurement as provided in Part II Section 5b of the Public Procurement Act, 2007

(3.4) Evidence of compliance with Pension Reform Act, 2014 by inclusion of compliance certificate

(3.5) Evidence of registration with Nigerian Social Insurance Trust Fund (NSITF)

(3.6) Evidence of compliance with the Industrial Training Fund (ITF) Amendment Act, 2011 by inclusion of Compliance Letter from ITF.

(3.7) Company profile with list of key staff, Curriculum Vitae, Competence, Educational qualification, experience and registration with professional bodies

(3.8) Evidence of similar projects undertaken in the past, including scope of the project, location, contract form, evidence of successful completion, final valuation and certificate (s) of completion.

(3.9) Evidence of possession of relevant equipment for the project

(3.10) Evidence of current audited account of the company for three years 2014, 2015, 2016).

(3.11) Evidence of financial capability/reference letter from a reputable bank.

(3.12) Sworn affidavit that the company is not bankrupt (b) None of the Directors is an ex-convict or bankrupt (c) None of the Directors is a staff of the College.

(3.13) Company's full contact address, GSM phone numbers and email address.

(4.0) COLLECTION OF TENDER DOCUMENTS:

Tender documents can be collected from;

The Office of the Head of Procurement,

Federal College of Horticulture, Dadin Kowa, Gombe State as from Monday 17th July, 2017.

Interested Contractors are to pick tender documents upon payment of non -refundable fees of twenty thousand naira (N20,000)only for Lots 3,4 6,7 and 8; and thirty thousand naira only (N30,000) for Lots 1,2,5,9 (a- f), 10a&b, 11a&b and 12 a&b.

All payments should made into the TSA account of the College

(5.0) SUBMISSION OF DOCUMENTS:

The technical and financial bids must be prepared as separate documents and package in sealed envelopes, clearly marked as either Technical or Financial and put together in a SINGLE (bigger) sealed envelope which should be marked with Lot details and addressed to:

The Provost

Federal College of Horticulture, Dadin Kowa, Gombe State.

The closing date for submission of bids is **on or before 12 noon of 21st August, 2017.**

(6.0) BID OPENING:

Bids will be opened at the Multipurpose Hall of the Federal College of Horticulture, Dadin Kowa, Gombe State by **12:00 noon of 21st August, 2017.** Only contractors whose technical bids fulfill the minimum requirements would have their financial bids considered.

(7.0) DISCLAIMER:

(7.1) This announcement is published for information purposes only and does not constitute an offer by the College, to transact with any party for projects nor does it constitute a commitment or obligation on the part of the College.

(7.2) The College will not be responsible for any cost or expenses incurred by interested Companies in connection with any response to the invitation or preparation and submission or response to any enquiry.

(7.3) The College is not bound to shortlist any bidder and reserve the right to annul the selection process at any time without incurring any liabilities and assigning any reason thereof.

Signed:

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