



MINISTRY OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT



INVITATION FOR BIDS UNDER INTERNATIONAL COMPETITIVE BIDDING

PROJECT FOR THE RESTORATION OF LIVELIHOODS IN THE NORTHERN REGION (PRELNOR)

IFAD Loan No: 200000947 & ASAP Grant No. 200000324

INVITATION OF BIDS FOR THE SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF 50 (FIFTY) 2-WHEEL WALKING TRACTORS – PROCUREMENT REF: MOLG/PLNR/SUPLS/2017-2018/00123

The Government of Uganda received a loan from the International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD) and a Grant from the Adaptation for Smallholder Agriculture Programme (ASAP) to co-finance the Project for the Restoration of Livelihoods in the Northern Region (PRELNOR) in the districts of the Acholi Sub Region and as well as Adjumani. Part of the proceeds of this loan is to be utilized for the procurement of **50 (Fifty) 2-Wheel Walking Tractors** for the project sub counties in the **Districts of Gulu, Kitgum, Nwoya, Amuru, Pader, Lamwo, Agago, Omoro and Adjumani.**

Therefore the Ministry of Local Government now invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for the supply of **50 (Fifty) 2-Wheel Walking Tractors.** Bidding will be conducted in accordance with the International Competitive Bidding (ICB) of the World Bank procurement procedures.

Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from and inspect the bidding documents at the office of **Head of Procurement and Disposal Unit,** Ministry of Local Government during working hours. Information will also be published on the UN Business Development/dg market website (www.devbusiness.com).

A complete set of Bidding Documents may be purchased by interested bidders upon payment of a non-refundable fee of **UGX 100,000 (Uganda Shilling One Hundred Thousand only).** The method of payment will be a cash payment to the bank account of the Uganda Revenue Authority (URA). The banking slips shall be presented to the **Procurement and Disposal Unit (PDU) of Ministry of Local Government** and upon which bidders will be issued the bidding documents.

There shall be a pre-bid meeting on **24th August, 2018** at **11:00am** at procurement and Disposal Unit Ministry of Local Government.

Bidding documents must be inspected, and bids delivered to **The Head, Procurement and Disposal Unit (PDU) Ministry of Local Government, 6th Floor, Southern Wing, Workers**

House, by 21st September, 2018 at 12:00 Noon.

Bids must be accompanied by a bid security of **UGX 18,200,000 (Eighteen Million Two Hundred Thousand Uganda Shillings)** in the form of a **Bank Guarantee** from a reputable Bank strictly in accordance with the sample attached on page 107.

Bids shall remain valid up to **16th March, 2019.**

Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend at **12:10pm on 21st September, 2018** at the **Ministry of Local Government procurement and Disposal Unit, 6th Floor, Southern Wing, Workers House,**

The planned procurement schedule is as follows:

S/N	Activity	Planned timelines subject to change
01	Publishing of ICB Notice	9 th August, 2018
02	Bid Submission Closing Date	21 st September, 2018
03	Evaluation Process	Between 26 th September to 2 nd October 2018
04	Review of Evaluation Report and No Objection by IFAD	Between 9 th to 16 th October, 2018
05	Review of Evaluation Report by Contracts Committee	18 th October 2018
06	Display and Communication of Best Evaluated Bidder Notice	From 18 th October to 1 st November, 2018
07	Clearance by Solicitor General	Between 2 nd to 8 th November, 2018
08	Contract Signing	13 th November, 2018

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