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INVITATION TO BID

Bid No.: DARD/RFP 01/2013: The Department of Agriculture invites proposals from interested, experienced and potential Implementing Agents (IA)/Service Providers to render technical support, planning, development of agricultural engineering designs and to ensure the implementation of an and off farm infrastructure development projects for the Free State Province. Implementing Agent(s)/Special Provider(s) will be expected to demonstrate the following key issues:

- Experience with massive infrastructure development and project management;
- Demonstrate ability to supervise construction of agriculture infrastructure material/equipment/facilities supply & installation;
- Understanding of procurement processes of agricultural inputs support in line with Department Supply Chain Management (SCM) policies and regulations;
- Ability to transfer skills & development and capacity building to clients and officials; and
- Experience in working with government, agricultural organizations, commercial and emerging farmers.

Bidders must comply with the following minimum requirements: failure to comply will lead to non-consideration of tender (non-responsive). Additional requirements will be stipulated in the bid document.

- Valid tax clearance certificate;
- Certified company registration certificate, trust certificate in case of a trust;
- Certified ID copies of directors;
- Certified B-BBEE certificate issued by accredited companies, those who do not submit their B-BBEE status do not qualify for Preference Points for B-BBEE but will not be disqualified;
- All bids must be sealed and marked with the bid number and description clearly as well as the company contact details;
- Bids shall remain valid for 90 (ninety) days after the closing date;
- Bidders must attach the following CIDB certificates for different projects: (a) 1GB, 1CE, (b) 2GB, 2GBPE, 1GBPE, 1CEPE, (c) 3GB, 3CE, 2GBPE, 2CEPE, (d) 4CE, 3GBPE, 3CEPE, (e) 5GB, 5CE, 4GBPE, 4CEPE, (f) 6GB, 6CE, 5GBPE, 5CEPE, (g) 8GB, 8CE, 7CEPE where applicable.

Bids may only be submitted on the original bid document that is issued by the Department of Agriculture and Rural Development or deposited into the designated tender box at Glen; Agricultural Institute, H Block Building and no telephonic, facsimile, email or late submission will be accepted.

Price and BBBEE Evaluation criteria: 90/10

Price	90 Points
BBBEE	10 Points

Technical/Functionality Threshold: 50%. Please note that any bidder who scores below 50% on technical / functionality will automatically be disqualified.

Bid should be submitted under the following arrangements;

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REQUIREMENTS/INFORMATION	DARD/RFT 01/2013
Compulsory Briefing Session	At Auditorium, Information Building, Glen, on Friday, 08 March 2013 at 09:00
Enquiries: <u>SCM and bid documents</u>	Ms NL Mngomezulu at 051 861 8538 / 072 320 9486
Enquiries: <u>Technical</u>	Dr TJ Masiteng – 051 861 8423/4 / 078 803 8537
Closing date	Monday, 25 March 2013 at 11:00 Glen: Agricultural Institute

Bid documents are obtainable from the Supply Chain Management office, H Block Building at Glen Agricultural Institute on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays and at Head Office ABSA building, corner Elizabeth and Aliwal Street, room 419 on week days from 8:00 to 15:00 at a non-refundable cost of R500 per document.

Banking details are as follows: Holder: FSPG Agriculture, Standard Bank Acc No. 240 323 181, Branch: 055 534 00 - Central, Ref: 0002 0250.

ME SS DHLAMINI
CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER
DATE:

MR MP THABETHE
ACCOUNTING OFFICER
DATE:

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Subscription Rates (payable in advance)

The subscription fee for the Free State Tender Bulletin (including all Extraordinary Free State Tender Bulletins) are as follows:

Subscription: (Over the Counter / E-Mail)

Price per copy	R 4.30
Half-yearly	R 106.00
Annually	R 212.00

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Price per copy	R 12.40
Half-yearly	R 307.90
Annually	R 615.80

Closing time for acceptance of copy

Stamps are not accepted

All advertisement must reach the Officer in Charge of the Free State Tender Bulletin **not later than 16:00, three working days** prior to the publication of the Bulletin. Advertisements received after that time will be held over for publication in the issue of the following week, or if desired by the advertiser, will be inserted in the current issue as a "Late Advertisement". In such case the advertisement must be delivered to the Officer in Charge **not later than 08:00 on the Tuesday** preceding the publication of the Bulletin and double rate will be charged for that advertisement.

A "Late Advertisement" will not be inserted as such without definite instructions from the advertiser.

Advertisement Rates

Notices required by Law to be inserted in the Tender-bulletin: **R27.90** per centimetre or portion thereof, single column.

NUMBERING OF TENDER BULLETIN

You are hereby informed that the numbering of the Provincial Gazette /Tender Bulletin and notice numbers will from 2010 coincide with the relevant financial year. In other words, the chronological numbering starting from one will commence on or after 1 April of every year.

VRYSTAAT TENDERBULLETIN

(Verskyn elke Vrydag)

Alle korrespondensie, advertensies, ens. moet aan die Beampte Belas met die Vrystaat Tender Bulletin, Posbus 517, Bloemfontein, geadresseer word. Gratis eksemplare van die Vrystaat Tender Bulletin óf uitknipsels van advertensies word NIE verskaf nie.

Intekengeld (vooruitbetaalbaar)

Die intekengeld vir die Vrystaat Tenderbulletin (insluitend alle Buitengewone Vrystaat Tender Bulletins) is soos volg:

Intekengeld: (Oor die Toonbank / E-Pos)

Prys per eksemplaar	R 4.30
Halfjaarliks	R 106.00
Jaarliks	R 212.00

Intekengeld: (Pos)

Prys per eksemplaar	R 12.40
Half-yearly	R 307.90
Jaarliks	R 615.80

Sluitingstyd vir die Aanname van Kopie

Seëls word nie aanvaar nie

Alle advertensies moet die Beampte Belas met die Vrystaat Tenderbulletin bereik **nie later nie as 16:00, drie werksdae** voordat die Bulletin uitgegee word. Advertensies wat na daardie tyd ontvang word, word oorgehou vir publikasie in die uitgawe van die volgende week, of as die adverteerder dit verlang, sal dit in die Bulletin wat op die pers is as 'n "Laat Advertensie" geplaas word. In sulke gevalle moet die advertensie aan die Beampte oorhandig word **nie later nie as 08:00 op die Dinsdag** van die week voordat die Bulletin gepubliseer word en dubbeltarief sal dié advertensie gevra word.

'n "Laat Advertensie" sal nie sonder definitiewe instruksies van die Adverteerder as sodanig geplaas word nie.

Advertensietariewe

Kennisgewings wat volgens Wet in die Tenderbulletin geplaas moet word: **R27.90** per sentimeter of deel daarvan, enkelkolom.

NOMMERING VAN TENDER BULLETIN

U word hiermee in kennis gestel dat die nommering van die Provinsiale Koerant / Tender Bulletin en kennisgewingnummers vanaf 2010 met die betrokke boekjaar sal ooreenstem. Met ander woorde, die kronologiese nommering beginnende met een, sal op of na 1 April van elke jaar begin.