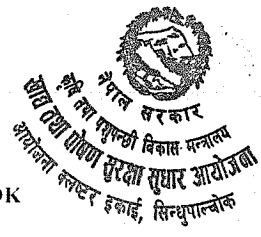




Government of Nepal  
Ministry of Agriculture and Livestock Development  
**Food and Nutrition Security Enhancement Project**  
Project Cluster Unit, Chautara, Sindhupalchok



**Invitation for Bids for the Procurement of Potato Seeds**


Contract Identification No: NP-MOAD-312545-GO-RFB-SINDHUPALCHOK  
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Name of the Development Partner: The World Bank  
GAFSP Grant No TF-A8013

1. Government of Nepal has received a grant from GAFSP through International Development Association towards the cost of **Food and Nutrition Security Enhancement Project (FANSEP)** and intends to apply part of the funds to cover eligible payments under the Contract for **Procurement of Potato Seeds** sharing the cost of 85% from PCU, Sindhupalchok and 15% from seeds recipient farmer groups. Bidding is open to all eligible Bidders from all countries as defined in the World Bank's Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers, July 2016 (Revised Nov 2017).
2. The **Food and Nutrition Security Enhancement Project** invites sealed Bids from eligible Bidders for the **Procurement of Potato seeds, 45.5 Metric Tons** in weight of **Rojita variety** *under* National competitive bidding-single stage Single Envelope procedures.
3. Eligible Bidders may obtain further information and see the bid document at the office of Food and Nutrition Security Enhancement Project, Project Cluster Unit, Chautara Sindhupalchok, +977-011-620086, fansep.sindhupalchok@gmail.com during the office hours at the address given below or may visit [www.fansep.moald.gov.np](http://www.fansep.moald.gov.np)
4. A complete set of bidding documents in English may be purchased from the office of Food and Nutrition Security Enhancement Project, PCU, Chautara, Sindhupalchowk and the office Treasury and Accounts Control Office, Sindhupalchok by eligible Bidders on the submission of a written application, along with the certified copy of company/firm registration certificate, and upon payment of a non-refundable fee of Nrs. **3,000.00 (In words: NRs. Three thousand only) till Oct 19, 2022 during office hours.**
5. **Information to deposit the cost of bidding document in Bank:**
6. **Name of the Bank:** Nepal Bank Ltd., Chautara Branch Office Code no. : **312002703**,
7. Name of the Office: Project Cluster Unit, Sindhupalchok (FANSEP)
8. Account no.: **0010100000001001001**, Rajaswa (revenue) Shirshak no.: 14229.
9. Sealed bids must be submitted to the office address as below by hand/courier on or before 12.00 hours (NST) on Oct 20, 2022. Bids received after this deadline will be rejected.
10. The bids will be opened in the presence of Bidders' representatives who choose to attend at 14:00 hrs on Oct 20, 2022 at the office of Food and Nutrition Security Enhancement Project, PCU, Chautara, Sindhupalchok. Bids must be valid for a period of 90 days from the date of bid opening and must be accompanied by a bid security of NRs. 115000.00 (In words One lakh Fifteen Thousand only), which shall be valid for 30 days beyond the validity period of the bid (i.e. 17 January 2023) or bidder can deposit bid security amount in Deposit Account no: 05701000002003000001 ( District Treasury Controller Office, Sindhupalchok) of Nepal Bank Ltd, Chautara branch, Office code: 312002703 (FANSEP, PCU, CHAUTARA).
11. If the last date of purchasing and/or submission falls on a government holiday, then the next working day shall be considered as the last date. In such case the validity period of the **bid and** bid security shall remain the same as specified for the original last date of bid submission.
12. The project reserves the right to accept or reject the bids without assigning reason, whatsoever.
13. The name and identification of the contracts (*packages/Lots*) are as follows:

S.N	Name of Items and Quantity	Required Bid Security in NRs.
1	Potato seeds, Rojita Variety (45.5 mt)	115,000.00 (One lakh Fifteen Thousand only)

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