

Invitation for Bids (IFB)

REPUBLIC OF ARMENIA

INFRASTRUCTURE AND RURAL FINANCE SUPPORT PROGRAMME

GEF GRANT - 2000001401

Contract Title: Investments for landscape restoration interventions (in 8 Lots)

ICB No. GEF/ICB-2019/004

Date: March 22, 2022

1. The Republic of Armenia has received a GEF Grant from the IFAD towards the cost of Infrastructure and Rural Finance Support Programme and intends to apply part of the funds to cover eligible payments under the Contract for: **Investments for landscape restoration interventions (in 8 Lots), GEF/ICB-2019/004**; The number and identification of lots comprising this bidding process is:

Lot 1 – Landscape restoration in Brnakot 39 and Brnakot 14 polygons, GEF/ICB-2019/004-001;

Lot 2 – Landscape restoration in Shaghat/Mutsq 31 polygon, GEF/ICB-2019/004-002;

Lot 3 – Landscape restoration in Spandaryan 54, Spandaryan 55 and Spandaryan 56 polygons, GEF/ICB-2019/004-003;

Lot 4 – Landscape restoration in Shaqi 31, Shaqi 41 and Shaqi 44 polygons, GEF/ICB-2019/004-004;

Lot 5 – Landscape restoration in Tolors 8 and Tolors/Uyts 10 polygons, GEF/ICB-2019/004-005;

Lot 6 – Landscape restoration in Goris 16, Goris 19, Goris 33a and Goris 33b polygons, GEF/ICB-2019/004-006;

Lot 7 - Landscape restoration in Harzis 5 and Harzis 53 polygons, GEF/ICB-2019/004-007;

Lot 8 - Landscape restoration in Khndzoresk 1, Khndzoresk 12 and Khndzoresk 18 polygons, GEF/ICB-2019/004-008;

2. The “Rural Areas Economic Development Programme Implementation Unit” State Institution (hereinafter: “RAEDPIU” SI) invites sealed bids from interested and qualified bidders for the implementation of abovementioned works under the Contract.

Duration of Works is: 10 months.

3. Interested eligible Bidders may obtain detailed information and inspect the Bidding Documents by the address mentioned below, from Monday to Friday 9:00 – 18:00:

Rural Areas Economic Development Programme Implementation Unit

Address: 4, Tigran Mets Ave., 6-th floor

City Zip code: Yerevan, 0010,

Country: Republic of Armenia

Phone #: 37410 – 546-510-138;

E-mail: procurement@raed.am;

4. A complete set of bidding documents in English/Armenian may be purchased by interested eligible bidders upon the submission of a written application to the address below and upon payment of a nonrefundable fee of US\$ 20 or AMD 10,000. The method of payment will be: deposit on the bank account mentioned below. Bidding Documents and all consequent Amendments and clarifications (if any) will be posted on the free accessed website (procurement@raed.am) and the “RAEDPIU” SI takes no responsibility for missing or incorrect or/and incomplete downloading of those by the prospective bidders.

5. Qualification requirements include:

Please, refer to Bidding Documents Section III – Evaluation and Qualification Criteria.

6. Bids must be delivered to the address below at or before 10 May 2022, 15:00 (local time). Electronic bidding shall not be permitted. Late bids will be rejected and returned to the Bidders unopened. Bids will be opened physically in the presence of the bidders’ representatives who choose to attend in person at the address below at 10 May 2022, 15:00 (local time).

7. Bidding will be conducted through the International Competitive Bidding (ICB) procedures method specified in the IFAD Procurement Guidelines 2010 and Procurement Manual 2010. Bidding is open to all bidders from Eligible Source Countries as defined in the Bidding Documents.

8. All bids shall be accompanied by a Bid Security of:

Lot 1 – US\$ 1,000; Lot 2 – US\$ 750; Lot 3 – US\$ 320; Lot 4 – US\$ 1,330; Lot 5 – US\$ 1,200; Lot 6 – US\$ 1,800; Lot 7 - US\$ 2,370; Lot 8 - US\$ 2,080;

9. The address (es) referred to above is(are):

Rural Areas Economic Development Programme Implementation Unit

Address: 4, Tigran Mets Ave., 6-th floor

Attention: Ashot Vardanyan, director

City Zip code: Yerevan, 0010,

Country: Republic of Armenia

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