

Dated, Agartala, the 8th January'2014

NOTICE INVITING EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

Sub : Establishment of '**Centre of Excellence for Vegetables**' at Jumerdepha Govt. Orchard, in Sipahijala district, Tripura

The undersigned on behalf of the Governor of Tripura invites Expression of Interest (EOI) in sealed cover from well established and experienced EPC Firm / Registered agency / Company or any Agency competent in the line who have adequate experience, expertise in establishing '**Centre of Excellence for Vegetables**' on turnkey basis.

Scope of work

Sl.	Items	Dimensions (Approx)	Quantity (Approx)
1.	Land Development (Land leveling, fencing of the land, internal roads, drainage channel , gates, etc) Work		As per requirement
2.	Construction of Administrative Building	100m x 50m	1 Nos
3.	Construction of Farmers' Hostel	100m x 50m	1
4.	Construction of Guest House	50m x 25m	1
5.	Kisan Mela/Farmers' Fair Ground	100m x 50m	1
6.	Hi-tech greenhouse for nursery raising	62.5m x 32.0m (2000 m ²)	1 Nos.
7.	Naturally Ventilated Polyhouse (NVPH)	62.5m x 32.0m (2000 m ²)	3 Nos.
8.	Anti-insect Proof Net House (AIPNH)	62.5m x 8.0m (500 m ²)	6 Nos.
9.	Walk-in-tunnels	62.5 m x 8.0 m (500 m ²)	10 Nos.
10.	Plastic Low Tunnels	4000 m ²	As per requirement
11.	Automated Weather Station		1 Unit
12.	Vermi-compost Unit	650 sq. feet	1 Unit
13.	Solar Pumps	2-3 bhp	2 Nos.
14.	Irrigation System	Drip & Boom	As per requirement
15.	Other infrastructure		As per annexure
16.	Farm Equipment		As per annexure

The following eligibility criteria are essential:–

1. The Firm should have experience in the field of establishment of projects like Centre of Excellence for Vegetables/Fruits/Seed Processing Facility/ Model Floriculture Centre/ Model plug Nurseries etc.
2. Firms having experience in carrying out multi disciplinary works i.e in-house/ Joint venture capacity.
3. The Firms having annual turnover not less than 5 crores during last 3 years.
4. The Firm should be ISO certified Organization.
5. Infrastructure used should be ISI marked/ best quality.
6. The shortlisted Firm/ Firms will be required to participate in the pre bid conference to be arranged by the undersigned.
7. Inspection/monitoring will be made by the Departmental Officers/ Consultant Scientist/ ICAR Scientists during and after completion of the projects , at frequent intervals.
8. Inclusion of any item may be suggested by the intending Firm beyond the scope of work mentioned, if necessary.
9. Company Registration Certificate.
10. Current Income Tax Clearance Certificate and Service Tax Registration Certificate.
11. All documentary evidence should be notary attested.
12. Any legal dispute, if arises, will be settled at Agartala jurisdiction only.

EOI with all necessary documents as specified in the foregoing paras, should reach the Directorate of Horticulture & Soil Conservation, Paradise Choumuhani, Agartala -799001 not later than 5.00PM on 07/02/2014 and will be opened on the same date if possible. Any E.O.I received after the date & time mentioned above will not be considered and entertained.

This is not a request for Financial Offer. On the basis of EOIs received supported by credentials/documents required as indicated above, short-listing of the Firms suitable for execution of the above work will be made for onward action including invitation of Financial bids. The Director of Horticulture & Soil Conservation, Tripura reserves the right to accept or cancel, any or all of the EOIs, so received, without assigning any reason, whatsoever.

The Expression of Interest in details can also be seen at

<http://www.tenders.gov.in>

<http://www.tripurainfo.com>

<http://www.hortitripura.in>

**Director ,
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Copy to:-

1. The Resident Commissioner, Tripura Bhavan, Kautilly Marg, Chanakyapuri, NewDelhi-110021, with a request to display in the notice board for publication.
2. The Joint Resident Commissioner, Tripura Bhavan, 1- Pretoria Street, Kolkata-71 , with a request to display in the notice board for publication.
3. The Principal Secretary, Agriculture, Govt. of Tripura, Agartala for kind information.
4. The Director, Agriculture, Govt. of Tripura, Agartala for kind information.
5. The Director, ICA, Govt. of Tripura, Agartala along with 11 spare copies of EOIs with request to arrange publication (single insertion) in 3(three) nos leading local Dailies and 2(two) nos National Dailies (single insertion).
6. Sri Arun Debbarma (Nodal Officer), Joint Director of Agriculture, Dte. of Agriculture with a request for hosting the EOI on the official home page, **www.tenders.govt.in** for which a soft copy (CD Disc) is being sent from this end along with the EOI, with request to send an information indicating the date of uploading of the EOI in the web site.
7. General Manager(Marketing), M/S tripurainfo.com at H.G.B Road, Post Office Chaumohani adjacent to Tripura State Museum, Agartala (Phone No-0381-2380566) with a request for hosting the EOI on the official home pag , www.tripurainfo.com for which a soft copy is being sent from this end along with the EOI. He is requested to give a confirmation indicating the date of uploading of the NIT in the web site.

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Annexure

1. Other Infrastructure

- i Post Harvest Management unit
- ii Refrigeration van laboratory
- iii Water Storage Tank

2 Farm Equipment

- i Mulch laying machine
- ii Manual pruning tools
- iii Seed sowing machine
- iv Transplanting machine
- v Harvesting tools
- vi Grading and packing equipments
- vii Tractor
- viii Rotary tiller or power weeder
- ix Instant pH and EC meter
- x Tensiometer (10 in Nos.)
- xi Packing machine
- xii Other equipments like Disc Harrow, Rotavator, Tiller, Bed-maker etc.