

REQUEST FOR QUOTATION (RFQ)

Purchase and delivery of farm inputs to the Ndop and Babessi Councils of the North-west Region of Cameroon

RFQ Reference: RFQ/14/REC/UNDP/2022 Date: 09/03/2022

SECTION 1: REQUEST FOR QUOTATION (RFQ)

UNDP kindly requests your quotation for the Purchase and delivery of farm inputs to the Ndop and Babessi Councils of the North-west Region of Cameroon detailed in Annex 1 of this RFQ.

This Request for Quotation comprises the following documents:

Section 1: This request letter

Section 2: RFQ Instructions and Data Annex 1: Schedule of Requirements

Annex 2: Quotation Submission Form

Annex 3: Technical and Financial

When preparing your quotation, please be guided by the RFQ Instructions and Data. Please note that quotations must be submitted using Annex 2: Quotation Submission Form and Annex 3 Technical and Financial Offer, by the method and by the date and time indicated in Section 2. It is your responsibility to ensure that your quotation is submitted on or before the deadline. Quotations received after the submission deadline, for whatever reason, will not be considered for evaluation.

Thank you and we look forward to receiving your quotations.

Issued by:

Signature:

Name:

Alassane Ba

Title:

Deputy Resident Representative

Date:

09/03/2022



SECTION 2: RFQ INSTRUCTIONS AND DATA

Introduction	Bidders shall adhere to all the requirements of this RFQ, including any amendments made in writing by UNDP. This RFQ is conducted in accordance with the <u>UNDP Programme and Operations Policies and Procedures (POPP) on Contracts and Procurement</u>
	Any Bid submitted will be regarded as an offer by the Bidder and does not constitute or imply the acceptance of the Bid by UNDP. UNDP is under no obligation to award a contract to any Bidder as a result of this RFQ.
	UNDP reserves the right to cancel the procurement process at any stage without any liability of any kind for UNDP, upon notice to the bidders or publication of cancellation notice on UNDP website.
Deadline for	
the	20/03/2022
Submission of Quotation	If any doubt exists as to the time zone in which the quotation should be submitted, refer to http://www.timeanddate.com/worldclock/ .
	For eTendering submission - as indicated in eTendering system. Note that system time zone is in EST/EDT (New York) time zone.
Method of	Quotations must be submitted as follows:
Submission	⊠E-tendering
	File Format: PDF
	 File names must be maximum 60 characters long and must not contain any letter or special character other than from Latin alphabet/keyboard.
	 All files must be free of viruses and not corrupted.
	 Max. File Size per transmission: 25 MB
	 Multiple emails must be clearly identified by indicating in the subject line "email no. X ofY", and the final "email no. Y of Y.
	It is recommended that the entire Quotation be consolidated into as few attachments as possible.
	The bidder should receive an email acknowledging email receipt.
	[For eTendering method, click the link https://etendering.partneragencies.org and insert Event ID information]
	• CMR10#0000011834
	Detailed instructions on how to submit, modify or cancel a bid in the eTendering system are provided in the eTendering system Bidder User Guide and Instructional videos available on this link: http://www.undp.org/content/undp/en/home/operations/procurement/business/procurement-notices/resources/
Cost of preparation of quotation	UNDP shall not be responsible for any costs associated with a Supplier's preparation and submission of a quotation, regardless of the outcome or the manner of conducting the selection process.
Supplier Code of Conduct, Fraud, Corruption,	All prospective suppliers must read the United Nations Supplier Code of Conduct and acknowledge that it provides the minimum standards expected of suppliers to the UN. The Code of Conduct, which includes principles on labour, human rights, environment and ethical conduct may be foundat: https://www.un.org/Depts/ptd/about-us/un-supplier-code-conduct Moreover, UNDP strictly enforces a policy of zero tolerance on proscribed practices, including fraud, corruption, collusion, unethical or unprofessional practices, and obstruction of UNDP vendors and requires all bidders/vendors to observe the highest standard of ethics during the procurement process and contract implementation. UNDP's Anti-Fraud Policy can be found at



	http://www.undp.org/content/undp/en/home/operations/accountability/audit/office of audit a
	ndinvestigation.html#anti
Gifts and Hospitality	Bidders/vendors shall not offer gifts or hospitality of any kind to UNDP staff members including recreational trips to sporting or cultural events, theme parks or offers of holidays, transportation, or invitations to extravagant lunches, dinners or similar. In pursuance of this policy, UNDP: (a) Shall reject a bid if it determines that the selected bidder has engaged in any corrupt or fraudulent practices in competing for the contract in question; (b) Shall declare a vendor ineligible, either indefinitely or for a stated period, to be awarded a contract if at any time it determines that the vendor has engaged in any corrupt or fraudulent practices in competing for, or in executing a UNDPcontract.
Conflict of Interest	UNDP requires every prospective Supplier to avoid and prevent conflicts of interest, by disclosing to UNDP if you, or any of your affiliates or personnel, were involved in the preparation of the requirements, design, specifications, cost estimates, and other information used in this RFQ. Bidders shall strictly avoid conflicts with other assignments or their own interests, and act without consideration for future work. Bidders found to have a conflict of interest shall be disqualified. Bidders must disclose in their Bid their knowledge of the following: a) If the owners, part-owners, officers, directors, controlling shareholders, of the bidding entity or key personnel who are family members of UNDP staff involved in the procurement functions and/or the Government of the country or any Implementing Partner receiving goods and/or services under this RFQ. The eligibility of Bidders that are wholly or partly owned by the Government shall be subject to UNDP's further evaluation and review of various factors such as being registered, operated and managed as an independent business entity, the extent of Government ownership/share, receipt of subsidies, mandate and access to information in relation to this RFQ, among others. Conditions that may lead to undue advantage against other Bidders may result in the eventual rejection of the Bid.
General Conditions of	Any Purchase Order or contract that will be issued as a result of this RFQ shall be subject to the General Conditions of Contract
Contract	Select the applicable GTC:
	General Terms and Conditions / Special Conditions for Contract.
	General Terms and Conditions for de minimis contracts (services only, less than \$50,000)
	Applicable Terms and Conditions for Works Applicable Terms and Conditions and other provisions are available at UNDP/How-we-buy
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Special Conditions of Contract	☐ Cancellation of PO/Contract if the delivery/completion is delayed by [indicate number of days] ☐ Others [pls. specify]
Eligibility	A vendor who will be engaged by UNDP may not be suspended, debarred, or otherwise identified as ineligible by any UN Organization or the World Bank Group or any other international Organization. Vendors are therefore required to disclose to UNDP whether they are subject to any sanction or temporary suspension imposed by these organizations. Failure to do so may result in termination of any contract or PO subsequently issued to the vendor by UNDP. It is the Bidder's responsibility to ensure that its employees, joint venture members, sub-contractors,
	service providers, suppliers and/or their employees meet the eligibility requirements as established by UNDP.
	Bidders must have the legal capacity to enter a binding contract with UNDP and to deliver in the country, or through an authorized representative.
Currency of Quotation	Quotations shall be quoted in Francs CFA



Joint Venture, Consortiumor Association

If the Bidder is a group of legal entities that will form or have formed a Joint Venture (JV), Consortium or Association for the Bid, they shall confirm in their Bid that: (i) they have designated one party to act as a lead entity, duly vested with authority to legally bind the members of the JV, Consortium or Association jointly and severally, which shall be evidenced by a duly notarized Agreement among the legal entities, and submitted with the Bid; and (ii) if they are awarded the contract, the contract shall be entered into, by and between UNDP and the designated lead entity, who shall be acting for and on behalf of all the member entities comprising the joint venture, Consortium or Association.

	Refer to Clauses 19 – 24 under <u>Solicitation policy</u> for details on the applicable provisions on Joint Ventures, Consortium or Association.
Only one Bid	The Bidder (including the Lead Entity on behalf of the individual members of any Joint Venture, Consortium or Association) shall submit only one Bid, either in its own name or, if a joint venture, Consortium or Association, as the lead entity of such Joint Venture, Consortium or Association. Bids submitted by two (2) or more Bidders shall all be rejected if they are found to have any of the following: a) they have at least one controlling partner, director or shareholder in common; or b) any one of them receive or have received any direct or indirect subsidy from the other/s; or b) they have the same legal representative for purposes of this RFQ; or c) they have a relationship with each other, directly or through common third parties, that puts them in a position to have access to information about, or influence on the Bid of, another Bidder regarding this RFQ process; d) they are subcontractors to each other's Bid, or a subcontractor to one Bid also submits another Bid under its name as lead Bidder; or e) some key personnel proposed to be in the team of one Bidder participates in more than one Bid received for this RFQ process. This condition relating to the personnel, does not apply to subcontractors being included in more than one Bid.
Duties and taxes	Article II, Section 7, of the Convention on the Privileges and Immunities provides, inter alia, that the United Nations, including UNDP as a subsidiary organ of the General Assembly of the United Nations, is exempt from all direct taxes, except charges for public utility services, and is exempt from customs restrictions, duties, and charges of a similar nature in respect of articles imported or exported for its official use. All quotations shall be submitted net of any direct taxes and any other taxes and duties, unless otherwise specified below: All prices must: be inclusive of VAT and other applicable indirect taxes
	■be exclusive of VAT and other applicable indirect taxes
Language of	English or French
quotation Documentsto	Including documentation including catalogues, instructions and operating manuals.
be submitted	Bidders shall include the following documents in their quotation: Annex 2: Quotation Submission Form duly completed and signed Annex 3: Technical and Financial Offer duly completed and signed and inaccordance with the Schedule of Requirements in Annex 1
	Administrative criteria ⊠Company Profile. ⊠ Registration certificate; ⊠ Tax certificate (Attestation de non redevance); ⊠ A location plan of the tenderer, ⊠ Minimum number of years of experience in the professional sector: 05; Technical criteria ⊠ List and value of 05 projects performed for the last three (3) years plus client's contact (NB: e-
	mail address required) details who may be contacted for further information on those contracts; □ List and value of ongoing Projects with UNDP and other national/multi-national organization with contact details of clients and current completion ratio of each ongoing project; □ Statement of satisfactory Performance (Certificates) from the top three (3) clients in terms of Contract value in similar field; □ Delivery times; □ Does not have an ongoing commitment/contract with unfulfilled delivery times. □ Is not the subject of a claim by UNDP, United Nations agencies or any other international organizations because of its services over the last 02 years.
	☐ Other Click or tap here to enter text.
Quotation validity period	Quotations shall remain valid for 90 days from the deadline for the Submission of Quotation.
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Price variation	No price variation due to escalation, inflation, fluctuation in exchange rates, or any other market
variation	factors shall be accepted at any time during the validity of the quotation after the quotation has been received.
Partial Quotes	Not permitted
Alternative	⊠Not permitted
Quotes	□ Permitted
	If permitted, an alternative quote may be submitted only if a conforming quote to the RFQ requirements is submitted. Where the conditions for its acceptance are met, or justifications are clearly established, UNDP Maldives reserves the right to award a contract based on an alternative
	quote. If multiple/alternative quotes are being submitted, they must be clearly marked as "Main Quote" and "Alternative Quote"
Payment Terms	☐ 100% within 30 days after receipt of goods, works and/or services and submission of payment documentation.
	☑ Other: Payment milestones will be written into the contract.
Conditios for	☐ Passing Inspection [specify method, if possible] Complete Installation
Release of	☐ Passing all Testing [specify standard, if possible]
Payment	☐ Completion of Training on Operation and Maintenance [specify no. of trainees, and location of
	training, if possible
	☑ Written Acceptance of Goods, based on full compliance with RFQrequirements
	☐ Others [pls. specify]
Contact Person	E-mail address: procurement.cm@undp.org
for	(Written Queries Only) Any delay in UNDP's response shall be not used as a reason for extending
corresponde nce,	the deadline for submission, unless UNDP determines that such an extension is necessary and communicates a new deadline to the Proposers.
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and	
clarifications	
Clarifications	Requests for clarification from bidders will not be accepted any later than two (2) days before the submission deadline. Responses to request for clarification will be communicated via email and/or phone on or before -16/03/2022-
Evaluation method	⊠The Contract or Purchase Order will be awarded to the lowest price substantially compliant offer
	Other Click or tap here to enter text.
	One Proposer Only
Evaluation	⊠Full compliance with all requirements as specified in Annex 1
criteria	⊠Full acceptance of the General Conditions of Contract
	⊠Comprehensiveness of after-sales services
	⊠Earliest Delivery /shortest lead time
	□Others Click or tap here to enter text.
Right not to accept any quotation	UNDP is not bound to accept any quotation, nor award a contract or Purchase Order
Right to vary requirementat time of award	At the time of award of Contract or Purchase Order, UNDP Cameroun reserves the right to vary (increase or decrease) the quantity of services and/or goods, by up to a maximum twenty-five per cent (25%) of the total offer, without any change in the unit price or other terms and conditions. NB:

Type of	☐ Purchase Order
Contract to be awarded	☐ Contract Face Sheet (Goods and-or Services) (this template is also utilised for Long-Term Agreement) and if an LTA will be signed, specify the document that will trigger the call-off. E.g., PO,etc.)
	Contract for Works
	☐ Other Type/s of Contract [pls. specify]
Expecte date for contract award.	01/04/2022
Publication of Contract Award	UNDP will publish the contract awards valued at USD 100,000 and more on the websites of the CO and the corporate UNDP Web site.
Policies and procedures	This RFQ is conducted in accordance with <u>UNDP Programme</u> and Operations Policies and Procedures
UNGM registration	Any Contract resulting from this RFQ exercise will be subject to the supplier being registered at the appropriate level on the United Nations Global Marketplace (UNGM) website at www.ungm.org .
	The Bidder may still submit a quotation even if not registered with the UNGM, however, if the Bidder is selected for Contract award, the Bidder must register on the UNGM prior to contract signature.



ANNEX 1: SCHEDULE OF REQUIREMENTS

Delivery Requirements

	Delivery Requirements
Deadline	10 days after PO receipt or Contract signature.
Delivery Terms (INCOTERMS 2020)	
Customs clearance(must be linked to INCOTERM	⊠Not applicable Shall be done by: □ Name of organisation (where applicable) □ Supplier/bidder □ Freight Forwarder
Exact Address(es) of Delivery Location(s) - COUNCILS NW REGION - CAMEROON	
Distribution of shippingdocuments (if using freight forwarder)	Click or tap here to enter text.
Packing Requirements	Click or tap here to enter text.
Training on Operations and Maintenance	Click or tap here to enter text.
Warranty Period	N/A
After-sales service and local service support requirements	Click or tap here to enter text.
Preferred Mode of Transport	N/A



ANNEX 2: QUOTATION SUBMISSION FORM

Bidders are requested to complete this form, including the Company Profile and Bidder's Declaration, sign it and return it as part of their quotation along with Annex 3. Technical and Financial Offer. The Bidder shall fill in this form in accordance with the instructions indicated. No alterations to its format shall be permitted and no substitutions shall be accepted.

	Click or tap here to enter text.		
RFQ reference:	RFQ/14/REC/UNDP/2022	Date: Click or tap to enter a date.	

Company Profile

Item Description	Detail		
Legal name of bidder or Lead entity for IVs	Click or tap here to enter text.		
Legal Address, City, Country	Click or tap here to enter text.		
Website	Click or tap here to enter text.		
Year of Registration	Click or tap here to enter text.		
Legal structure	Choose an item.		
Are you a UNGM registeredvendor?	□ Yes □ No If yes, insert UNGM Vendor Number		
Quality Assurance Certification (e.g. ISO 9000 or Equivalent) (If yes, provide a Copy of the validCertificate):	□ Yes □ No		
Does your Company hold any accreditation such as ISO 14001 or ISO 14064 or equivalent related to the environment? (If yes, provide a Copy of the valid Certificate):	□ Yes □ No		
Does your Company have a written Statement of its Environmental Policy? (If yes, provide a Copy)	□ Yes □ No		
Does your organization demonstrate significant commitment to sustainability through some other means, for example internal company policy documents on women empowerment, renewable energies or membership of trade institutions promoting such issues (If yes, provide a Copy)	□ Yes □ No		



Is your company a member of the UN Global Compact Bank Information		Bank Name: Click or tap here to enter text. Bank Address: Click or tap here to enter text. IBAN: Click or tap here to enter text. SWIFT/BIC: Click or tap here to enter text. Account Currency: Click or tap here to enter text. Bank Account Number: Click or tap here to enter text.				
previous Recontracts Cont		Client & Contrac Reference tValue ntact Details cluding e- mail		Period of activity	Types of activities undertaken	
Bidder	's Decl	aration				
Yes	No					
		theRFQ Information	n and Data, Sche	dule of Require		erstand the RFQ, including ditions of Contract, and any und by them.
		I/We confirm that the Bidder has the necessary capacity, capability, and necessary licenses to fully meeto exceed the Requirements and will be available to deliver throughout the relevant Contract period.			vant Contract period.	
		Ethics: In submitting this Quote I/we warrant that the bidder: has not entered into any improper, illegal,				



:https://www.un.org/Depts/ptd/about-us/un-supplier-code-conduct and acknowledge that it

inducement, reward or benefit to any representative of the Buyer.

provides the minimum standards expected of suppliers to the UN.

Organisation's Point of Contact.

collusive or anti-competitive arrangements with any Competitor; has not directly or indirectly approached any representative of the Buyer (other than the Point of Contact) to lobby or solicit information in relation to the RFQ; has not attempted to influence, or provide any form of personal

I/We confirm to undertake not to engage in proscribed practices, , or any other unethical practice, withthe

UN or any other party, and to conduct business in a manner that averts any financial, operational, reputational or other undue risk to the UN and we have read the United Nations Supplier Code of Conduct

Conflict of interest: I/We warrant that the bidder has no actual, potential, or perceived Conflict of

Interest in submitting this Quote or entering a Contract to deliver the Requirements. Where a Conflict of Interest arises during the RFQ process the bidder will report it immediately to the Procuring

	Prohibitions, Sanctions: I/We hereby declare that our firm, its affiliates or subsidiaries or employees,
	including any JV/Consortium members or subcontractors or suppliers for any part of the contract is not
	under procurement prohibition by the United Nations, including but not limited to prohibitions derived
	from the Compendium of United Nations Security Council Sanctions Lists and have not been suspended,
	debarred, sanctioned or otherwise identified as ineligible by any UN Organization or the World Bank
	Group or any other international Organization.
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Yes	No	
	·	Bankruptcy: I/We have not declared bankruptcy, are not involved in bankruptcy or receivership proceedings, and there is no judgment or pending legal action against them that could impair their operations in the foreseeable future.
Ö		Offer Validity Period: I/We confirm that this Quote, including the price, remains open for acceptance for the Offer Validity.
		I/We understand and recognize that you are not bound to accept any Quotation you receive, and we certify that the goods offered in our Quotation are new and unused.
		By signing this declaration, the signatory below represents, warrants and agrees that he/she has been authorised by the Organization/s to make this declaration on its/their behalf.

Signature:_	
Name:	Click or tap here to enter text.
Title:	Click or top here to enter text.
Date:	Click or tap to enter a date.



ANNEX 3: TECHNICAL AND FINANCIAL OFFER - GOODS

Bidders are requested to complete this form, sign it and return it as part of their bid along with Annex 2: Quotation Submission Form. The Bidder shall fill in this form in accordance with the instructions indicated. No alterations to its format shall be permitted and no substitutions shall be accepted.

Name of Bidder:	Click or tap here to enter text.		
RFQ reference: RFQ/14/REC/UNDP/2022		Date: Click or tap to enter a date.	

Please use this table for your financial submission

QUANTITIES PER COUNCIL

ITEM	NDOP	BABESSI	TOTAL	P.U	P.T
	COUNCIL	COUNCIL	qty		
Maize seed (composite – Kasai /ATP)	1000	1000	2000		
Rice (Nerica 56, or 42)	1225	1225	2450		
Tomatoes (Rio Grande)	50	50	100		
NPK (20,10 10) maize	160	160	320		
Urea for maize	120	120	240		
NPK (20,10 10) for Rice	280	280	280		
Urea for Rice	70	70	140		
Poultry manure – for tomatoes	500	500	1000		
NPK (8-32-16 or 6-24-24,) tomato	20	20	40		
specific					
Insecticide (Cygone360 EC) for	25	25	50		
tomatoes					
Fungicide for tomatoes (Plantineb –	40	40	80		
80WP					
Point of delivery	NDOP	BABESSI			
	COUNCIL	COUNCIL			
TOTAL AI	MOUNT				

Technical Specifications for Goods:

1) SEED DISTRIBUTION RATES

	Seed Type	Market source	Seed rate (Kg/Ha)	Maximum seed to distribute (kg per farmer)	Maximum surface per farmer (Ha)
1	Maize (composite- Kasai, / ATP	Locally available	20-25	18-20	1
2	Tomato	Imported	0.4 to 0.5	0.1 to 0.125	0.25
3	Rice	local	35kg	35	1

II) Grains: Quality standards for emergency procurement - Based on FAO Quality Declared Seed (QDS)



CEREALS	Varietal purity ¹ (min. %)	Analytical purity ² (min. %)	Germination (min. %) ³	Moisture content (max. %) ⁴
Maize	98	98	80	13
Rice				

III) VEGETABLE SEED:

VEGETABLES	Varietal purity ¹ (Min. %)	Analytical purity ² (Min. %)	Gei (n	Moisture content	
	(**************************************		Local Tender	Internationa I Tender	
Tomato	98	98	75	80	8

S/N	ITEM	Units / Recommended packaging
1	Maize seed (composite – Kasai 60% and ATP 40% of total quantity)	Packets of 1kg
2	Rice (Nerica 56, or 42)	Packets of 1 kg
3	Tomatoes (Rio Grande)	Sachets of 50gms
4	NPK (20,10 10)	Bags of 50kg
5	Urea (46%) for maize	Bags of 50kg
6	Poultry manure – for tomatoes	Bags of 50kg - pure fowl droppings
7	NPK (8-32-16 or 6-24-24,) tomato specific	Bags of 50kg
8	Insecticide (Cygone360 EC) for tomatoes	1 litre container
9	Fungicide for tomatoes (Plantineb – 80WP	1 kg packet

Compliance with Requirements

	You Responses			
	Yes, we will comply	No, we cannot comply	If you cannot comply, pls. indicatecounter - offer	
Minimum Technical Specifications			Click or tap here to enter text.	
Delivery Term (INCOTERMS)			Click or tap here to enter text.	
Delivery Lead Time			Click or tap here to enter text.	
Warranty and After-Sales Requirements			Click or tap here to enter text.	
Validity of Quotation			Click or tap here to enter text.	
Payment terms			Click or tap here to enter text.	
Other requirements [pls. specify]			Click or tap here to enter text.	

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Other Information:

Estimated weight/volume/dimension of the Consignment:	Click or tap here to enter text.
Country/ies of Origin:	Click or tap here to enter text.
(if export licence required this must be submitted	·
if awarded the contract)	

I, the undersigned, certify that I am duly authorized t quotation is accepted.	o sign this quotation and bind the company below in event that the
Exact name and address of company	Authorized Signature:
Company NameClick or tap here to enter text.	Date:Click or tap here to enter text.
Address: Click or tap here to enter text.	Name:Click or tap here to enter text.
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