
Zanzibar Fisheries Company (ZAFICO)

INVITATION FOR TENDER

29/10/2024

**REF: PROCUREMENT OF ONE 10 TONS FREEZER
TRUCK TZA-2000001519-0287-G-ICB**

1. The Government of the United Republic of Tanzania has received financing from the International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD) towards the cost of Agriculture and Fisheries Development Programme (AFP) Loan no. 200001519 and intends to apply part of the financing for the purchase of these goods. The use of any IFAD financing shall be subject to IFAD's approval, pursuant to the terms and conditions of the financing agreement, as well as IFAD's rules, policies and procedures. IFAD and its officials, agents and employees shall be held harmless from and against all suits, proceedings, claims, demands, losses and liability of any kind or nature brought by any party in connection with Agriculture and Fisheries Development Programme (AFDP).
2. The Agriculture and Fisheries Development Programme (AFDP) includes overall objective to "contribute to inclusive food systems for improved livelihoods, food security, nutrition and resilience". In this regard, its development objective is to "enhance sustainable productivity, climate resilience and commercialization of selected crop seeds, fisheries and aquaculture", while devoting particular attention to women empowerment and youth participation. This will be measured by four core indicators, namely: (i) Percentage of target households reporting increased average annual net income by 30 percent; (ii) Percentage of households reporting an average 25 percent increase in production of maize, beans, sunflower, seaweed and fish; (iii) at least 60 percent of women 15-49 years of age who consume at least 5 out of 10 food groups; and (iv) at least 40 percent of households reporting adoption of environmentally sustainable and climate-resilient technologies and practices.
3. This invitation for bids (IFB) follows the general procurement notice that appeared on the IFAD website and on the United Nations Development Business website (UNDB) on 9th September 2023.
4. The purchaser now invites sealed bids from eligible entities (bidders) for the provision of Procurement of one ten tons freezer truck - at ZAFICO - Zanzibar for a Delivery Period of three months.. More details on these goods and related services are in provided in the schedule of requirements in this bidding document.
5. This IFB is open to all eligible bidders who wish to respond. Bidder's interested in submitting a bid shall purchase the bidding document against payment of a non - refundable fee on any convertible currency equivalent to Tanzania shilling 100.000/= Bidding document can be obtained by a letter, giving full contact details of the bidder to the following point of contact this will ensure that the bidders received updated regarding this bidding document.
6. The goods and related services, and the contract expected to be awarded Procurement of one ten tons freezer truck - at ZAFICO – Zanzibar.

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7. Bidding will be conducted using the INTERNATIONAL COMPETITIVE BIDDING (IC) method, the evaluation procedure for which is described in this bidding document, in accordance with the IFAD procurement handbook which is provided on the FAD website www.ifad.org/project-procurement. The ICB process, as described, will include a review and verification of qualifications and past performance, including a reference check. prior to the contract award.
 8. Please note that a pre-bid conference will not be held as described in the bid data sheet BDS. Section III of the bidding document.
 9. Bids must be delivered to the address below and in the manner specified in the BDS ITB 25 no later than Friday, 13th December. 2024. 14:30 pm local time at ZAFICO Conference Room No 402, Fourth Floor.
 10. Bidders should be aware that late bids will not be accepted under any circumstances and will be returned unopened to the bidder. All bids must be accompanied by a bid security (as required) in the manner and amount specified in the bid data sheet Bank Guarantee in an acceptable form in the amount of Tanzania shillina 11,692,740/= or freely convertible currencies in case of foreign Tenderers worth of Tender Security - Bank Guarantee.
 11. Please note that electronic bids shall not be accepted.

**Yours sincerely,
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