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Notice for Inviting financial bids for sale of Pulses (whole)

Small Farmers' Agribusiness Consortium (SFAC), under the Department of Agriculture & Cooperation, Ministry of Agriculture, is offering pre-certified pulses (whole) for sale in the State of Maharashtra. Tentative quantity of Pulses (whole) available for sale is as below:

State	Crop	Maximum available quantity (in MT)
Maharashtra	Tur	3339MT
	Chana	31479 MT
	Urad	5.30 MT

Sealed financial bids are invited from bulk buyers / institutional buyers having necessary licenses of trading and statutory approvals for purchase of Pulses (whole) stock on "As is where is basis". Intended buyers shall have to submit their documents along with photocopy of necessary documents (trading licenses, VAT registration /Sales registration etc.).

1. INVITATION OF BIDS:

- a) SELLER: SFAC (Small Farmers Agri business Consortium) is the designated seller of Pulses (whole) in the State of Maharashtra.

Participation in bidding: Interested Pulses (whole) buyers, called bidders, shall send their bids in attached format along with signed and stamped tender documents directly to the **Small Farmers Agribusiness Consortium C/Vegetable Growers Association of India (VGAI)**, Icon Building, Opposite Nidan Hospital, Pune- Nashik Road, A/P- Narayangaon, Tal-Junnar, District Pune -411005, Maharashtra, along with the required information as mentioned in this bid document and Earnest Money.

- b) "Financial bid for sale of Pulses" must be written on envelope of the bid.
- c) Last date for submission of financial bid is at 1PM on 1st December, 2014
2. **PRE-REQUISITES FOR BIDDING**

Bidder means an individual or legal entity, who is interested to purchase the specified pulses (whole) as per the prescribed grade and quality. Bidders may contact the SFAC office for any clarification regarding quality of products, location of the warehouses, bidding process or any such query.

3. **CONTRACT SPECIFICATION**

Contract Specifications of Pulses (whole)Ex- Maharashtra are as follows:

Maximum available quantity (in MT)	34823 MT
Trading unit	1 MT
Price quote	per MT
Minimum trading quantity	100 MT
Earnest Money(Refundable)	5% of trade Value of the financial bid in form of Demand Draft in favour of Small Farmers' Agribusiness Consortium, New Delhi)/RTGS to Small Farmers' Agribusiness Consortium, Corporation Bank, Naraina Branch, New Delhi-28, Bank Account No. 084101601130015, IFSC Code-CORP0000841
Price quote	Ex- warehouse without VAT
Gross /net weight basis	Price quote is gross weight basis

4. **QUALITY PARAMETERS**

The quality specifications of Pulses (whole) are as follows:

(in percentage)

Special Characteristics	Moisture	Foreign matter		Other edible grains	Damaged/Immature Grains	Weevilled grains per cent by count
		Organic	Inorganic			
Tur/Arhar	12	0.75	0.25	2	5	2
Bengal Gram/Chana	12	0.75	0.25	3	5	2
Urad/Black Gram	12	0.75	0.25	3	5	2

5. WAREHOUSE DETAILS:

Sl.no.	Location	Name of Warehouse	Commodity	Qty (MT)
1	Akola	TEAM ONE LOGISTICS-1 , Survey No-72,Behind shivaji engineering college,National haighway,Bhabulgaon,Akola-444001	Tur	243.08
			Chana	1216.48
2	Akola	TEAM ONE LOGISTICS-2 , Survey No-72,Behind shivaji engineering college,National haighway,Bhabulgaon,Akola-444001	Chana	808.94
2	Akola	GST CORPORATION Godown No 2,Survey No;101/1A,At:-Mauje Kumbhari,near Laxmi Weight Bridge,Akola ,MIDC Phase-III,Akola-444001	Chana	2594.52
3	Malkapur	Ritayu warehouse, NH-6,Mundhada petrol pump Nandura road, Malkapur,Dist-Buldana	Tur	155.08
			Chana	517.04
4	Malkapur	Buldana Urban Co-operative Credit Society Warehouse, Malkapur, District Buldana, Maharashtra-443103	Chana	279.82
5	Yawatmal	U.C.Mor Warehouse No.-1 C.B Mor,at Post Lohara,Tal & Dist-Darwa Road,Yawatmal-11835	Chana	20.90
6	Yawatmal	U.C.Mor Warehouse No.-2 C.B Mor,at Post Lohara,Tal & Dist-Darwa Road,Yawatmal-11835	Chana	2042
7	Yawatmal	Shree Mahalaxmi Warehouse number 1, Godown No2&3,Near Sai Constriction Arni road Moza Kinhi ,Yawatmal-11835	Chana	572.70
8	Yawatmal	Shree Mahalaxmi Warehouse number 2 , Godown No2&3,Near Sai Constriction Arni road Moza Kinhi ,Yawatmal-11835	Chana	951.49
9	Yawatmal	Shree Mahalaxmi Warehouse number 3, Godown No2&3,Near Sai Constriction Arni road Moza Kinhi ,Yawatmal-11835	Chana	452.60
10	Dhamangaon	BULDANA URBAN CO-OPERATIVE CREDIT SOCIETY WAREHOUSE, Yawatmal Road, Dhamangaon Railway-444709, Maharashtra	Chana	3322.86
11	Latur	Radha Krishna Industries, Plot No E/14, MIDC,Latur,Pin 413512	Chana	483.89
12	Latur	Om Industries , Plot No: B-28, Additional MIDC, Latur	Tur	182.41
			Chana	1671.96

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13	Latur	Suraj Pandurang Mundada, Gat No. 249 (Part) At Bhoisamundrag, Kalamb Road, Latur Dist. Latur, Pin-413512	Chana	2313.58
14	Latur	Krishna industries, C-78 ADDITIONAL MIDC,Latur	Tur	342.40
			Chana	1006.90
15	Latur	Shubham Industries, Plot No.C-77,Additional MIDC,Latur	Tur	969.85
			Chana	1038.78
16	Latur	Gajraj Warehouse, Gajraj Warehouse,P-25,at -MIDC,Barshi road ta-Latur,Dist-Latur,Pin-413512	Tur	1071.16
			Chana	86.40
			Urad	5.39
17	Latur	Indryani warehouse, 64/4,Additional MIDC,Harangul (BK),Latur-413512	Tur	373.22
			Chana	232.40
18	Latur	Maharashtra State warehousing Corporation, A-1, MIDC, Latur	Chana	448.95
19	Latur	Ausa Warehouse Latur, C-59, Ausa MIDC Area, Taluka Ausa, Dist Latur	Chana	5494.53
20	Nanded	Narangal Seva sahkari Society Ltd, Vill-Narangal Tq.Degloor Dist - Nanded	Chana	571.71
21	Nanded	New Govind Ware House, New Govind Warehouse,Post Khanapur,Ta-Degloor,Dist-Nanded ,Pin-431717	Tur	1.96
	Nanded		Chana	1719.48
22	Nanded	Choudhary Ware House, Hokarna,Mukhed-Narsi rd,Mukhed,Tal-Mukhed,Dist: Nanded,Pin-431715	Chana	3631.20
			Total	34823.65

6. SAMPLING AND INSPECTION OF GOODS

The goods are kept at the NCDEX accredited warehouses (address mentioned above). The quality of goods is pre certified. In case the buyers /bidders are keen to verify the quality before participating in bid, they may contact warehouse manager with prior appointment, However , no sample will be provided. The participants may contact Mr. Jitendra Jain at 09970308101 or at jitendra.jain@nspot.in for the purpose of inspection of goods.

7. SUBMISSION OF BIDS

Prospective bidders may download the tender document from website: www.sfacindia.com

All Bidders are required to submit organization and EMD details in Annexure-1 and their lot-wise offers in annexure-2 along with signed and stamped bid documents on each page. Bidders are required to submit the copy of supporting document of annexure-1 also. **“Financial bid for sale of Pulses”** must be written on envelope of the bid and marked **to Small Farmers Agribusiness Consortium C/O Vegetable Growers Association of India (VGAI), Icon Building, Opposite Nidan Hospital, Pune- Nashik Road, A/P- Narayangaon, Tal-Junnar, District Pune -411005, Maharashtra. Local Contact Person- Mr Shri Ram Gadhve- Mob-09860208029,07588031777.**

In case EMD is deposited through RTGS, Bidder must get confirmation from SFAC at 011-26966039/09971797604

7. INTIMATION TO THE SUCCESSFUL BIDDER & COLLECTION OF SALE PROCEED

- i. Bids sent to **SFAC C/o VGAI** Office will be opened on 1st December, 2014 at 2.30 PM. Bidders may attend by issuing a letter of authorization to a representative. SFAC may restrict entry to the venue at its discretion.
- ii. If the earnest money (5% of quoted value of goods) is not received, the bid will not be accepted without any further recourse.
- iii. SFAC will forward confirmation to the successful bidder on the email id of the bidder as well as through telephone and registered post.
- iv. In case of successful bidders, EMD will be treated as “Security Deposit” until completion of the full transaction.
- v. In case of unsuccessful bidder, EMD will be returned within 7 days.
- vi. SFAC reserves the right to accept / reject the offer fully / partly without assigning any reason.

8. SETTLEMENT OF DELIVERY OBLIGATIONS

- i. Sale of the stock will be made on ex-godown delivery and as is where is basis against which 100 % of sale proceed has to be deposited within 5 working days from the date of bargain /award letter by means of Bank Draft/ Pay Order/RTGS drawn in favour of **Small Farmers’ Agribusiness Consortium** payable at **New Delhi**. Time is the essence of the contract and the stipulated time for taking delivery must be complied with.
- ii. The delivery of the stocks will be made ex-godown on cent percent weight basis on weighbridge only after receipt of the balance 100% payment by means of Bank Draft/RTGS within 05 days (excluding Sunday and bank holiday) from the date of

bargain/letter of award, failing which the bargain shall be cancelled and the 5% Earnest Money deposit would be forfeited in the absence of specific request for relaxation.

- iii. Bidders are also required to pay VAT or any other tax, as applicable in the State.
- iv. In case buyer fails to remit 100 % of sale proceeds within the above free period (05 days), on request by buyer, one week extension can be granted with a penalty interest of 12% p.a. In case the buyer could not make payment even within the above extended period, Earnest Money Deposit will be forfeited.
- v. Settlement of delivery of stock to the successful bidders will be through NCDEX Spot Exchange Ltd. which has been selected as Technical and Logistic Support Agency (TLSA), by the SFAC.
- vi. The bidder has to lift the commodities within 10 working days from the date of bargain/award letter. In case of non-lifting of the commodities within the specified days, the storage charge shall be levied to the bidder @ Rs.0.50 /- per bag per day. If party does not lift stocks within one month from the date of sale confirmation, SFAC, without giving any notice to the bidder, shall have the right to dispose of the goods at the sole risk and cost of the Buyer, and recover the differential amount if any, from the Buyer, after adjusting for the EMD /Security Deposit.

9. CHARGES

There shall be no transaction fee / charges payable by the buyer. However, buyers are required to pay lifting charges/ loading charges, weighing charges and other expenses, if any, at the warehouse location directly at the time of lifting delivery.

10. VALIDITY OF BID

Bid(s) must remain valid up to 15days from the date of bid opening.

11. DEFAULT MANAGEMENT:

- i. In case, successful bidder fails to pay or lift stock after acceptance of the offer within the stipulated period then the EMD shall stand forfeited.
- ii. The initial deposit of EMD shall not carry interest and will be refunded without interest to the unsuccessful bidders.

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12. FORCE MAJEURE

Should any of the force majeure circumstances, namely act of God, natural calamity, fire, Government of India Policy, restrictions(excluding any stock limits), strikes or lock-outs by workmen, war, military operations of any nature and blockades preventing the Seller/Buyer from wholly or partially carrying out their contractual obligations, the period stipulated for the performance of the Contract shall be extended for as long as these circumstances prevail, provided that, in the event of these circumstances continuing for more than three months, either party shall have the right to refuse to fulfill its contractual obligations without title to indemnification of any losses it may thereby sustain. The party unable to carry out its contractual obligations shall immediately advise the other party of the commencement and the termination of the circumstances preventing the performance of the contract. A certificate issued by the respective Chamber of Commerce shall be sufficient proof of the existence and duration of such circumstances.

13. ARBITRATION

Any dispute or difference in respect of any matter relating to or arising out of the Contract, if the same is not resolved amicably, will be settled at NEWDELHI in accordance with the Rules of Arbitration of Indian Council of Arbitration, New Delhi and the award made in pursuance thereof shall be final and binding on the parties. Indian laws will apply.

SFAC reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids including the highest bid wholly or partially or counter the bid(s) including right to increase or decrease the quantity without assigning any reasons thereof and the bidder shall not raise any dispute.

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Annexure-1

Bidder's Information:

(Printed on Bidder's Letterhead)

1	Name of the Organization	
2	Address	
3	# Registration No.	
4	# TIN & CST No.	
5	# Pan No.	
6	Contact Person Name	
7	Contact Address	
8	Landline No.	
9	Mobile No.	
10	Email Id	
11	EMD details	
12	Name of Bank	
13	Bank Account no.	
14	IFSC Code No.	

Date:

Signature of Authorized Signatory:

Seal of Organization:

(Note: # Self Attested photocopy supporting documents should be submitted with annexure-1)

Financial bid

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