CONTRACT NOTICE

CALL FOR TENDER: GENERAL INFORMATION

1) Name and address Contracting Authority

Official name: Italian Agency for Development Cooperation - Maputo (AICS - Maputo)
Postal address: Rua Damião de Góis 381Town: Maputo
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2) Title:

"Value Chain Analysis and Business Model development for the Manica Agro-Food Centre (CAAM)"

3) Main CPV[1] code:

73000000-2 Research and development services and related consultancy services.

Additional codes:

77100000-1 Agricultural services.

38000000-5 Laboratory, optical and precision equipment (excl. glasses).

4) Type of contract

Services.

5) Short description of the contract

Service contract for conducting studies and research activities in order to provide the Italian Agency for Development Cooperation (AICS) and the Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development (MADER) of Mozambique of all the necessary information needed for the publication of tender documents for the technical design of an Agri-Food Centre (with a quality lab annexed) in the Province of Manica.

The scope of activities to be performed, as detailed in annex II Terms of Reference, are:

a) to carry out studies and research activities, such as: economic and financial analysis, value chain analysis, stakeholder analysis, economic cost benefit analysis, investment scenarios, risk analysis, etc.

b) to develop the business model for the Manica Agro-Food Centre (CAAM), including the suggested governance model.

c) to develop the architectural sketch of the Manica Agro-Food Centre (CAAM),

6) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: **€ 350,000.00** Currency: EUR.

7) Type of Procedure

Open Procedure.

[1] The Common Procurement Vocabulary (CPV) is the mandatory reference nomenclature applicable to procurement contracts. The list of CPV codes is available on: http://simap.ted.europa.eu/en/web/simap/cpv

8) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

9) Place of performance

Geographical zone benefitting from the action: Manica Province, Mozambique. Some of the studies should include also Sofala and Tete Provinces in Mozambique (along the so called Beira Corridor). The capital Maputo should be included in the research activities.

10) Award Criteria

Best price-quality ratio, where price is not the only award criterion, and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

11) Additional information

Repetition of similar services/works

Provided they are in conformity with the basic project, new services or works consisting in the repetition of similar services or works, may be entrusted up to 10% of the initial contract to the initial contractor by negotiated procedure without prior publication of a contract notice.

12) Time limit for submission of tenders or requests to participate

Date: 23/06/2023
Local Time [Mozambique GMT+ 2 Hours]: 16:30

13) Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender

Duration in months: 90 days from the date stated for receipt of tender