INVITATION TO BID Ministry of Economy and Finance Program Management Office

Climate-Resilient Rice Commercialization Sector Development Program Loan 3006/3007/8271 and Grants 0349/0350-CAM

Construction of Paddy Drying and Storage Facilities and Supply and Installation of Equipment for Rice Mills in Battambang, Kampong Thom, and Prey Veng Province

IFQ No: CW-FAC1 (1,2&3)/RICE-SDP/MEF/NCB/2019/01 (Lot 1 to 3)

1. The Royal Government of Cambodia (RGC) has received a Loans 3006/3007 and Grants 0349/0350-CAM from the Asian Development Bank toward the cost of Climate-Resilient Rice Commercialization Sector Development Program, and it intends to apply part of the proceeds of this Loan and Grant to payments under the Contract for works as follow:

Number	Details of Lots	Est. Cost (US\$)
CW-FAC 1(1, 2&3)/RICE-	Lot 1: Construction of Paddy Drying and Storage Facilities and	1,986,000.0
SDP/MEF/NCB/2019/01 (Lot 1 to	Supply and Installation of Equipment for Rice Mill (1) in	
3) /Construction of Paddy Drying and Storage Facilities and Supply and Installation of Equipment for Rice Mills in Battambang, Kampong Thom, and Prey Veng province	Battambang Province	
	Lot 2: Construction of Paddy Drying and Storage Facilities and Supply and Installation of Equipment for Rice Mill (2) in Kampong Thom Province	1,992,000.0
	Lot 3: Construction of Paddy Drying and Storage Facilities and Supply and Installation of Equipment for Rice Mill (3) in Prey Veng Province	2,132,000.0

The Bidders may bids for one Lot or multiple Lots. The Bid Evaluation and Contract Awarded will be on a Lot-Wise-Basis.

- 2. The Ministry of Economy and Finance represented by the Program Management Office (PMO) now invites sealed bids from eligible and qualified bidders for Construction of Paddy Drying and Storage Facilities and Supply and Installation of Equipment for Rice Mills in Battambang, Kompong Thom, and Prey Veng Province. The construction period is 10 months as shown in the bidding document.
- 3. Procurement will be conducted through National Competitive Bidding Procedures as specified under the laws and regulations governing public procurement within the Kingdom of Cambodia, in accordance with the Procurement Manual for Externally Financed Project/Programs in Cambodia, Update Version May 2012 and in accordance with the Finance Agreement.
- 4. This invitation is open to all eligible bidders from eligible source countries as described in the bidding document.
- 5. Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from Ministry of Economy and Finance/Program Management Office (PMO), Rice-SDP, and inspect the Bidding Documents at the address given below **from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm** (Cambodia Standard Time), before the deadline of submission of bids.
- 6. Interested bidders' attention is drawn to Sub Clause 6.3 of the Instructions to Bidders and the Qualifications requirements in the bidding documents.
- 7. A complete set of Bidding Documents may be purchased by interested bidders on the submission of a written Application to the address below and upon payment of a non-refundable fee of US\$30. The method of payment will be cash. The Bidding Documents can be collected in person at the discretion of the bidder. Other than payment of non-refundable fee specified above, there are no other conditions for the purchase of the bidding documents
- 8. In case of any difficulty in the purchase of the bidding documents, prospective bidders may contact in writing

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and also send a copy of the communication to:

a. The Director General of General Department of International Cooperation and Debt Management of Ministry of Economy and Finance located at St. 92, Sangkat Wat Phnom, Khan Daun Penh, Phnom Penh, Cambodia, Tel/Fax: 855 23-428 424

- b. **Mr. Hem Chanthou**, Project Officer, ADB-Cambodia Resident Mission
- 29 Suramarit Blvd, St. 268, Sangkat Chaktomuk, Khan Daun Penh, Phnom Penh, CAMBODIA, Tel: (855) 23 215 805, Fax: (855) 23 215 807, Email: chem@adb.org
- 9. Bids must be delivered to the address given below on or before 10:00 a.m. on 7 February 2020. Electronic bidding shall not be permitted. Late bids will be rejected. Bids will be opened in the presence of the Bidders' representatives and the project's beneficiaries, public and the concerned local community who choose to attend shall be allowed to be present in person at the address given below at 10.00 a.m. on 7 February 2020.
- All bids shall be accompanied by a Bid Securing Declaration as described in the Instructions to Bidders
- 11. A Pre-Bid meeting will be conducted at 10:00 am on 17 January 2020 at the address given below.
- 12. The Government of Cambodia and/or the Funding Agency will respectively declare a firm ineligible either indefinitely or for a stated period of time, to be awarded a contract financed by the Government of Cambodia and/or the Funding Agency respectively, if it at any time determines that the firm has engaged in corrupt or fraudulent, coercive or collusive practices in competing for or in executing a contract.
- 13 The address referred to above is: The address for (i) obtaining of information (ii) collection of bidding document (iii) submission of bid document, and (iv) opening of bids:

Program Management Office (PMO), Rice-SDP, Supreme National Economic Council (ឧត្តមក្រុមប្រឹក្សាសេដ្ឋកិច្ចដាតិ), No.208A, Preah Norodom Blvd., Khan Chamkarmon, (ទល់មុខក្រសួងមហាផ្ទៃ)

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