

FEDERAL GOVERNMENT OF NIGERIA
FEDERAL MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT

**IFAD ASSISTED LIVELIHOOD IMPROVEMENT FAMILY ENTERPRISE IN THE
NIGER DELTA (LIFE-ND) PROJECT**
ABIA STATE PROJECT COORDINATING OFFICE (SPCO)

IFAD LOAN NO: 2000002120

REQUEST FOR BIDS

The Federal Government of Nigeria has received a loan of USD\$60 Million equivalent from the International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD) toward the cost of .the Livelihood Improvement Family Enterprise Project- Niger Delta (LIFE-ND), and intends to apply part of the proceeds for the procurement of Agricultural inputs and related services under this program. Specifically, the project will undertake the procurement of the following Agro inputs, which will include delivery and distribution to designated beneficiaries in participating LGAs and Communities within the state:

Lot Description	Bid Security	Qty.	Bid Validity	Delivery Period	Delivery Location
A Supply distribution of Cassava value Chain	Bid Security of N120,000.00	15nos Mobile cassava processing machines 63nos Cassava Stem multiolication 30uos Cassava marketing materials	. 120days	With in 21 days	Ohafia LGA Bende LGA Ukwa West LGA Obingwa South LGA

2	Supply of Input for-Homestead Vegetable (Mixed garden for Vulnerable Women and Youth	Bid Security of N120,000.00	90nos Seedlings, Fertilizers and other farm tools	120 days	Within 21 days	Ugwunagbo LGA Umuahia South LGA Isiala Ngwa South LGA
3	Supply of Input for Rice Value Chain	Bid Security of N120,000.00	Rice Marketing materials, Rice multiplication material	120 days	Within 30 days	Isialla Amaelu Ezeukwu Bnebe LGA Ossioma LGA
4	Supply of Input for Oil Palm Value chain.	Bid Security of N120,000.00	20nos Oil Palm marketing materials 30nos Kernel cracker machines	20 days	Within 21 days	Ugwimagbo LGA Umuahia South LGA Isiala Ngwa South LGA
5	Supply of Input for AgroChemical Spray Value Chain	Bid Security of N120,000.00	45nos Motorised Sprayers and accessories	120 days	Within 21 days	Ohafia LGA Bende LGA Ukwu West LGA
6	Supply of tools and Equipment for Mechanisation-Fabrication	Bid Security of N120,000.00	10nos Fabrication Equipment	120 days	Within 21 days	Ohafia LGA Bende LGA Ukwu West LGA

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All Procurements financed by the International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD) will be conducted through the procedures as specified in the IFAD Procurement Guidelines 2010 and IFAD procurement Handbook and are open to all eligible bidders as defined in the

guidelines.

(1) Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from the State Project Coordinator, Livelihood Improvement Family Enterprise Niger Delta (LIFE-ND) Project, ADP Premises, K/m 3 Umuahia/Okigwe Road Umuahia and inspect the bidding documents at the address given below, between the hours of 10.00am to 4.00pm Mondays to Fridays, except on, public holidays.

(2) A complete set of Bidding Documents in English 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 N20,000.00 (Twenty Thousand Naira only). The method of payment will be by certified Bank Draft in Favour of Abia State IFAD assisted Livelihood Improvement Family Enterprise Niger Delta (LIFE-ND) Project. The Bidding Documents can be collected by the representative of the Bidder on request.

(3) Bids must be delivered to the address below at **or before 10:00am local time on Tuesday 3 November, 2023**. Late Bids will not be accepted and will be rejected. Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders' or representatives, who choose to attend at the address below **on 3 November, 2023 at 12.00am local time**. Bids Nos 1-3 will be opened by **1.30am on the 3 November, 2023** while Bid Nos 4-6 will be opened by **12.00 noon on 3 November, 2023**. All bids must be accompanied by a Bid Security of as stated in the table above in local currency.

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(4) The address referred to above is:

The State Project Coordinator

ABIA STATE IFAD assisted Livelihood Improvement Family Enterprise Niger Delta (LIFE-

ND) Project,

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