



**THE GOVERNMENT OF KADUNA STATE
THE KADUNA STATE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FORESTRY**

**INVITATION TO TENDER FOR THE RE-CONSTRUCTION OF ROAD at NIMBIA
PLANTATION AND PROCUREMENT OF COMBINE HARVESTERS**

The Kaduna State Government, through the Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry, is desirous to re-construct a 1.5km laterite Road at Nimbia Plantation and procure combined harvesters in its drive to encourage mechanized farming,

In the light of these, the Ministry has caused detailed procurement documents to be prepared for the civil works and specifications for the equipment.

SCOPE OF WORKS:

1.0 Civil Works

Reconstruction of 1.5km laterite Road at Nimbia Plantation as detailed in the Bills of Civil Engineering Quantities.

2.0 Goods.

Procurement of Combine Harvesters, to technical specification in the Bidding Document

In view of the above, and in keeping with the requirement of the Kaduna State Public Procurement Law (PPL) interested qualified corporate entities are invited to submit prequalification documents and purchase bidding documents for any of or both of the procurements.

PRE-QUALIFICATION REQUIREMENTS.

All interested Firms/Companies should have at least, but not restricted to, the following:

- i. Certificate of Registration / incorporation with Corporate Affairs Commission
- ii. Evidence of Current Tax clearance for three years (2014, 2015 and 2016)
- iii. Current Certificate of Registration with Kaduna State Tenders Board
- iv. Current Registration of Business premises with Kaduna State Ministry of Commerce.
- v. Company Audited Accounts for three years (2014, 2015, and 2016)
- vi. Evidence of Financial Capability and Banking Support
- vii. Experience /Technical qualification and experience of key personnel.
- viii. Company profile with list of key personnel and their qualification/ experience.
- ix. Evidence of other similar verifiable projects successfully executed/completed within the last three (3) years.
- x. VAT Registration and Evidence of past VAT remittance at least in the last three years etc.
- xi. Any other relevant information that would be helpful in determining the Firms suitability for the works.

COLLECTION OF BID DOCUMENTS

Interested Contractors/Firms should collect Bid Documents from the Office of the Director of Forestry of the Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry, Kaduna State after showing evidence of payment of the sum of **N50,000.00** to the Kaduna State Government.

SUBMISSION

The prequalification/Tender shall be submitted in 6 copies fully paginated and signed, original and 5 copies each. The originals of prequalification and tender shall be sealed in an envelope and indicated '**Originals**'.

Four copies of prequalification document (**Technical bids**) together with completed document (**Financial bid**) with other supporting document shall be sealed in a second separate envelope marked "Technical" and "Financial" respectively.

Two of envelopes shall be sealed in a bigger outer envelope marked with the appropriate project title.

This shall be dropped into the Tender Box provided by the Ministry as usual.

The last set of copies of the prequalification and tender documents shall be so sealed in an envelope duly marked as here above but in addition shall have 'Control Bid' at the same right corner, but this shall be dropped into **Tender Control Box (TCB)** at the same place and time with other.

Each envelope should be clearly marked on the right top corner and titled, while the company name and address should be written at the back of the envelope. All the envelopes shall be addressed to:

**The Permanent Secretary,
Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry,
State Secretariat, Independence Way,
Kaduna**

Submission of documents shall be no later than 12 noon on Wednesday, 11th October 2017.

OPENING OF TENDER

All documents received from interested firm/Companies, except those dropped into the Tender Control Box, shall be opened immediately after the closure of receipt of bids in the presence of representatives of such Firms/Companies at 12:00 noon on the closing date of submission at the Conference Hall, Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry, State Secretariat, Independence Way, Kaduna.

GENERAL NOTICE

- a. Only bids that meets the pre-qualification requirements and found capable of executing the project(s) shall be considered.
- b. This advertisement shall not be construed as contract award or any commitment on the part of the Kaduna State Government or its agencies/Agents, nor shall it entitle any firm/institution to make any indemnity from Kaduna State Government or any of its Agencies/Agents by virtue of such Firms/Institutions and having responded to this advertisement.
- c. Response to this advertisement does not oblige the Kaduna State Government or any of its Agencies /Agents to consider responding Firms/Companies tender.
- d. Late submission will be rejected.
- e. Interested bidders may obtain further information at the address above from 8:00am-4:00 pm, Mondays-Fridays (except public holidays).
- f. Submission of Tender through e-mail or Fax will not be accepted.
- g. The Currency shall be the Nigerian Naira.
- h. The language shall be English

Signed: Hon. Commissioner
Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry