

**Invitation for Bid**  
(National Competitive Bidding - NCB)

SIERRA LEONE AGRIBUSINESS & RICE VALUE CHAIN SUPPORT PROJECT (SLARIS)  
MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FORESTRY (MAF).

1. **Requirement:** SUPPLY & DELIVERY OF FERTILIZERS AND RELATED ITEMS FOR SLARIS

2. **Bid & Contract No:** MAF/SLARIS/FER/NCB/003/2022

3. **Date of Issue:** 26<sup>th</sup> August 2022

4. The Sierra Leone Agribusiness and Rice value Chain Support Project of the Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry (MAF) has received a Grant from the African Development Fund (AfDB) towards the Sierra Leone Agribusiness and Rice Development Project (SLARIS) and it is intended that part of the proceeds of this grant will be utilized for the procurement of Fertilizer and related items as summarized below:

**5. Description of Goods:**

No.	Description	Qty	Bid Security Amount (NSLL)	Estimated Delivery Period After Award
1	NPK 15:15:15 & Urea (46%) - 50kg bags	Lot	23, 000.00	Within one (1) week
2	Selective & Non – Selective Herbicide (liters)			
3	Rice bag sowing rope - bundles			
4	Seed treatment chemical -(phostoxin) - cartoon			
5	Pesticide (sharpshooter) - liters			
6	Apron XL seed treatment - liters			
7	Jute Bags -pieces			

6. Bidding is open to all competent National Contractors with all valid business registration documents issued by the Government of Sierra Leone.

7. Interested bidders may obtain further information and inspect the bidding document at the office of the Project Manager, Sierra Leone Agribusiness and Rice value Chain Support Project (SLARIS), MoA Building, Moyamba. between 9.00AM and 3PM on week days (**Monday to Friday only – excluding public holidays**).

Email: [kakuaboy@gmail.com](mailto:kakuaboy@gmail.com) and [chriskebbie84@gmail.com](mailto:chriskebbie84@gmail.com).

Tel: +232 76 364800, +232 79 453004.

8. Bidding documents shall be purchased upon payment of a non-refundable fee of NSLL **800.00** (eight hundred new Leones). All payments for the purchase of the Bidding document should be made to the SLARIS Bank Account with details below:

<b>Bank Name:</b>	Rokel Commercial Bank
<b>Account Name:</b>	Sierra Leone Agribusiness and Rice value Chain Support Project (SLARiS)
<b>Account No:</b>	02-01-1011970
<b>BBan No:</b>	002001002101197079
<b>Address:</b>	25/27 Siaka Stevens Street, Freetown, Sierra Leone
<b>Ref:</b>	Fertilizer & Related Items for SLAR

9. SLARiS upon receipt of proof of payment, shall provide both printed and electronics copies to the purchaser as may be required.

**10. Every Bidders is required to quote for all items or none.**

11. Bids MUST be clearly marked and delivered to the address below on or before ***12 Noon of Tuesday, 13<sup>th</sup> September 2022 – Sierra Leone Time.***

The Project Manager

Sierra Leone Agribusiness and Rice Value Chain Support Project (SLARiS)

Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry Building, Moyamba, Sierra Leone.

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Tel: +232 76364800/+232 79 453004

12. The Bidder shall submit with its bid the following additional documents:

- a) Bid Security amount of ***SLL 23, 000.00*** from a reputable Commercial Bank
- b) Completed Bid Form;
- c) *Each offer to include brand name/make/country of origin (where applicable) for each item offered*
- d) Compliance with the SLARiS delivery Schedule.
- e) Evidence of at least two (2) same/similar contracts successfully completed in the last five (5) years in a form of copy of signed Contracts/certification letter from the Contracting institutions or related.
- f) Audited Financial Statement for the past three (3) previous years
- g) Business Registration Certificate;
- h) A Certified True Copy of Valid Tax Clearance Certificate from the National Revenue Authority (NRA)
- i) A Certified True Copy of National Social Security and Insurance Trust (NASSIT) Clearance Certificate

13. Bids will be publicly opened on ***Tuesday, 13<sup>th</sup> September 2022 at 12:15 PM***, in the presence of the bidders' designated representatives and anyone who chooses to attend, at the address below. Please note, Late bid (s) will be rejected and returned unopened by SLARiS.

14. Sierra Leone Agribusiness and Rice Value Chain Support Project (SLARiS)

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