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Invitation for Bids (IFB)

Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia Eastern Africa Agricultural Productivity Project **IDA 4567-ET**

Supply & Delivery of ICT & Network Equipment IFB 1.3/NCB/4567-ET

- 1. This Invitation for Bids follows the General Procurement Notice for this project that appeared on World Bank web page published on December 2010.
- 2. The Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia has received a credit from the International Development Association towards the cost of Eastern Africa Agricultural Productivity Project, and it intends to apply part of the proceeds of this credit to payments under the contract for the supply & delivery of ICT & network equipment.
- 3. The Ethiopian Institute of Agricultural Research now invites sealed bids from eligible and qualified bidders for the supply & delivery of ICT & network Equipment as described below:

Lot No.	Lot description		Unit of measurement	Quantity
Lot l	Computer with accessories & other related office equipment	Laptop	Pcs	19
		Desktop	Pcs	48
		Server	Pcs	7
		Printer	Pcs	4
		Photocopy machine	Pcs	2
		LCD projector	Pcs	4
		UPS	Pcs	47
Lot 2	Network equipment	Wireless Access Point	Pcs	26
		UTP cable	Roll	2
		Switch (8 port)	Pcs	6
		Switch (24 port)	Pcs	2
		RJ 45	Pcs	200
		Fiber Optic	Meter	300
		Gibx	Pcs	6
		Fiber Patch Panel	Pcs	6

- 4. Bidding will be conducted through the National Competitive Bidding (NCB) procedures specified in the World Bank's guidelines: Procurement under IBRD Loans and IDA Credits and are open to all bidders from eligible source countries as defined in the guidelines.
- 5. Interested eligible bidders may obtain further information from EAAPP Coordination Office, Procurement Unit, eaapp.procurement@gmail.com and may inspect the bidding documents at the address given below from Monday-Friday 9:00-12:00 morning & 2:00-5:00 afternoon.
- 6. Qualification requirements include: technical, financial, & legal documents. A margin of preference for certain goods manufactured domestically "shall not" be applied. Additional details are provided in the bidding documents.
- 7. 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 nonrefundable fee of three hundred (300) Birr. The method of payment will be in cashiers' cheek or in cash.
- 8. Bids must be delivered to the address below on or before March 15, 2013, 2:00 P.M. Electronic bidding will not be permitted. Late bids will be rejected. Bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders' representatives who choose to attend in person at the address below on March 25, 2013 at 2:30 P.M. All bids must be accompanied by a "Bid Security" or "Bid Securing Declaration," of forty thousand (40,000) Birr for Lot one & twenty thousand (20,000) Birr for Lot two or an equivalent amount in a freely convertible currency.
- 9. The address referred to above is:

Attention: Project Procurement Unit Address: Bole Sub City Wereda 17, Kebele 12/13 B-03, room no. 27 or 25 City: Addis Ababa

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