



## **Request for Bids Procurement of Goods and Related Services National Competitive Bidding (NCB)**

**September 25, 2023**

**Re: PROCUREMENT OF OUTBOARD ENGINES FOR FISHERFOLKS – SAEP.G.18**

1. The **Government of Grenada** has received financing from the International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD) and intends to apply a part of the proceeds of the financing to this purchase. The use of any IFAD financing shall be subject to IFAD's approval, pursuant to the terms and conditions of the financing agreement, as well as IFAD's rules, policies and procedures. IFAD and its officials, agents and employees shall be held harmless from and against all suits, proceedings, claims, demands, losses and liability of any kind or nature brought by any party in connection with **Climate Smart Agriculture & Rural Enterprise Programme (SAEP)**.
2. The **Climate Smart Agriculture & Rural Enterprise Programme (SAEP)** is a six-year (2018-2024) programme co-funded by the Government of Grenada (GOG), the International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD) and the Caribbean Development Bank (CDB). **SAEP's** development goal is to contribute to the reduction of poverty and vulnerability of men and women in rural communities in the tri-island state of Grenada.

SAEP is implemented through two (2) main Components namely: Entrepreneurship and Business Development (Component 1) and Climate Smart Agriculture (Component 2). Outcome Two: Climate Smart Agriculture is focused on farmers having increased their sustainability through Climate Smart Agriculture (CSA) Awareness, Climate Smart Sustainable Fishing (CSSF) Awareness, Grant Financing, CSA Extension Support, Marketing, and information on Nutrition. This CSA Component is being implemented by the Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry and Lands (MOAL), Fisheries Department and the Ministry of Carriacou and Petite Martinique Affairs (MCPMA).

3. This invitation for bids (IFB) follows the general procurement notice that appeared in the Grenada Informer Newspaper on August 24, 2023 on the IFAD website and on the United Nations Development Business website (UNDB) on August 24, 2023.
4. The purchaser now invites sealed bids from eligible entities (bidders) for the provision of **Fourteen (14) Outboard Engines, St. George's, Grenada, by February 29, 2024**. More details on these goods and related services are provided in the schedule of requirements in this bidding document.

5. This IFB is open to all eligible bidders who wish to respond. Subject to restrictions noted in the bidding document, eligible entities may associate with other bidders to enhance their capacity to successfully carry out the procurement.
6. Bidding will be conducted using the **national competitive bidding (NCB)** method, the evaluation procedure for which is described in this bidding document, in accordance with the IFAD Procurement Handbook which is provided at [www.ifad.org/project-procurement](http://www.ifad.org/project-procurement). The NCB process, as described, will include a review and verification of qualifications and past performance, including a reference check, prior to the contract award.
7. Please note that a pre-bid conference **will not** be held as described in the bid data sheet (BDS), Section III of the bidding document.
8. Bidders interested in submitting a bid shall purchase the bidding document against payment of a non-refundable fee of **\$150.00 Eastern Caribbean Currency**. Bidding documents can be obtained by sending an e-mail or letter, giving full contact details of the bidder, to the following point of contact. This will ensure that the bidders receive updates regarding this bidding document.

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9. Bids must be delivered to the address and in the manner specified in the bid data sheet – instructions to bidders 23.2, no later than **November 2, 2023 at 3:00 p.m.**
10. Bidders shall be aware that late bids will not be accepted under any circumstance and will be returned unopened at the written request and cost of the bidder. All bids must be accompanied by a bid security or bid-securing declaration (as required) in the manner and amount specified in the bid data sheet.
11. Please note that electronic bids **shall not** be accepted.

Yours sincerely,

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