PUBLICATION OF AWARD OF CONTRACT FOR CONSULTING SERVICES
FOR PROJECTS FINANCED BY THE AFRICAN DEVELOPMENT BANK

INFORMATION NOTICE

Publication date : NA
Country : Egypt.
Executing Agency : Social Fund For Development (SFD).
Name of Project/Study : An Index-Based Crop Insurance Pilot Study for The Horticulture Sector in Egypt, With a focus on Upper Egypt Financed under the FAPA Grant Agribusiness Lending Subcomponent as a part of The Rural Income and Economic Enhancement project (RIEEP)

Loan/Grant Number : 5700155001001 FAPA grant
Name of Request for Proposals (RFP) : N/A

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Technical Proposals opening date: June 20, 2012
Financial Proposals opening date: June 20, 2012
Date of approval by the Bank of the draft negotiated Contract : September 30, 2012.

Name of Selected Consultant : PlaNet Finance Group (PlaNet Guarantee)
Nationality : France.
Address : 44, rue de Prony, 75017 Paris, France and represented in Egypt at 1, El Sad El Aly Square Dokki, Giza.

Contract Award Price : U.S. $ 169,939.-- (Only One Hundred & Sixty Nine Thousands Nine Hundred & Thirty Nine U.S. Dollars
Contract Start date : 24/10/2012.
Contract Duration : 18 months.

Summary of Scope of Contract Awarded : The primary objective of this assignment is to develop and pilot a micro-insurance product for small holder farmers in the horticulture sector which would enable them to increase their investments and improve their access to credit, by mitigating their risks.

The specific objectives of the assignment include the following:

- Conducting a feasibility study for an index-based crop insurance product in horticulture
- Raising awareness on the concept of crop insurance as a risk management tool for micro and small entrepreneurs in the agriculture sector
- Developing an index-based crop insurance product to meet the specific needs of the small holder farmers in upper Egypt and piloting it in a select geographical area.
Total Number of Proposals Received: N/A
For each Consultant: N/A

N.B.: Any consultant who wishes to ascertain the grounds on which its proposal was not selected, should request an explanation from the Executing Agency. In any event, the Bank reserves the right to review any complaint of a bidder at any time following the award.