



Invitation for Bids

Smallholder Agribusiness and Resilience Project (SARP)



Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock, Lands and irrigation

Procurement of goods, equipment, and machinery for the Dairy Development Program

Bid Ref. No. SARP/G/NCB/D-PL/2025/693

1. Sri Lanka has received financing from the International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD) and intends to apply a portion of the proceeds toward the procurement of goods, equipment, and machinery under the Resilience Dairy Development Program (RDDP), implemented through the SARP Project, to strengthen dairy farming and improve market accessibility in the Kurunegala, Puttalam, Matale, Vavuniya, and Anuradhapura Districts for selected beneficiaries
2. The SARP Project invites sealed bids from eligible and qualified bidders for the supply, delivery, and installation of items required for the Resilience Dairy Development Program. The table below provides details of the lot descriptions, item names, required quantities, and corresponding bid security amounts.

Lot Description.	Description of Item	Proposed Quantity	Amount of Bid Security (Rs.)
A	Solar-Powered Irrigation Water Pump	300	1,350,000.00
B	Solar-Hot Water System	05	40,000.00
C	Centralized Chilling Tank	06	175,000.00
D	Stainless Steel (SS) Milk Can (10 L)	1000	350,000.00
	Stainless Steel (SS) Milk Can (20 L)	500	
E	Dip Coolers	100	600,000.00
F	Chaff Cutter/ Grass Chopper	300	975,000.00
G	Milking Machine	200	800,000.00

3. This IFB is open to all eligible bidders who wish to respond and subject to restrictions noted in the bidding document. Further, interested eligible bidders may obtain more information from procurement division of SARP and also inspect the bidding document free of charge at the address given below in office hours at 9.00 am to 3.00 pm.
4. Bidding will be conducted using the **National Competitive Bidding (NCB)** method, the evaluation procedure for which is described in the bidding document, in accordance with the IFAD Procurement Handbook which is provided at 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.
5. Please note that the **pre-bid meeting/conference will be held on 14th November 2025 at 10:30 a.m. at the address below**, as specified in the Bid Data Sheet (BDS) under Section III of the Bid Document.
6. Bidders interested in submitting a bid, shall purchase the bidding document against payment of a **non-refundable fee of Rs. 12,500/= on or before 21th November 2025**.

7. Bidding documents can be obtained by sending an e-mail or letter, giving full contact details of the bidder, to the address given below. **The method of payment will be cash/bank transaction in favor of Secretary, Smallholder Agribusiness and Resilience Project, Ministry of Agriculture, Acc no. 7040662, BOC, Battaramulla branch.**
8. Bids shall be delivered to the address specified in the Bidding Data Sheet, Clause 23.1 of the Instructions to Bidders, **on or before 11:00 a.m. on 24th November 2025, and will be opened at 11:00 a.m. on the same day.** Please note that electronic submissions will not be accepted.
9. 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 as stated above table and detail in the bid data sheet.
10. The addresses referred above is

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