



Expressions of Interest (EOI)

DEMOCRATIC SOCIALIST REPUBLIC OF SRI LANKA

Smallholder Agribusiness Partnerships Programme (SAPP)

Ministry of Agriculture

Selection and Registration of Consultancy firm/s for Conducting Baseline Surveys - 2021

Smallholder Agribusiness Partnership (SAPP) Programme is jointly funded by the Government of Sri Lanka (GOSL) and the International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD). The SAPP is designed to contribute to Sri Lanka's smallholders' poverty reduction and competitiveness. The programme development objective is to sustainably increase the income and quality of diet of 57,500 smallholder households involved in commercially-oriented production and marketing systems. The SAPP programme is instrumental to achieve GOSL priorities under the national policy framework on rural development through Public-Private-Producer-Partnerships (4Ps).

The Scope and Objective of the Assignment

The main purpose of the study is to gather baseline information which is needed to analyse and evaluate the existing socio economic status of the benefited households (either grant or micro loans or combination) through indicators. Specifically the baseline study will,

- a) Establish the baseline data/information of the benefited households by focusing on project impact indicators as stated in the SAPP Results Framework.
- b) Provide a comprehensive analysis of the baseline information establishing the current situation and identifying the needs, problems and potentials that can be addressed within the scope of proposed projects.

The Project Consultants Procurement Committee on behalf of the Smallholder Agribusiness Partnerships Programme ((SAPP) now invites eligible consultants to indicate their interest in providing the services. Interested Consultants/ Consultancy Firms must provide information indicating that they are qualified to perform the services.

The following factors are considered when shortlisting the organizations as qualified firms for calling proposals for specific assignments in the year 2021.

1. Business registration evidence
2. Experience of the firm
3. Experience of the firm in dealing with similar assignments (i.e. completion of Baseline Studies)
4. Team composition of the firm (at present)

Expressions of Interest (EOI) must be delivered to the address below by hand or by post on or before 2.30 p.m. on 1st February 2021.

Please mark "**Baseline Survey**" on the top of Left Hand Corner of the Envelop. Only the short listed consultants will be contacted for future assignments.

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