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**Lebanon-Beirut: Agricultural, forestry, horticultural, aquacultural and apicultural services  
2021/S 061-153389**

**Contract notice**

**Services**

**Legal Basis:**

Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 2018/1046

Procurement award procedure applying to European Union external actions financed from the general budget of the European Union and the European Development Fund (EDF)

**Section I: Contracting authority**

**I.1) Name and addresses**

Official name: Council for Development and Reconstruction — CDR/Economic and Social Fund for Development- ESFD

Postal address: Beirut Souks, Weygand Street, Bloc M, 3rd floor

Town: Beirut

NUTS code: LB Lebanon

Postal code: 11-1633

Country: Lebanon

Contact person: ESFD

E-mail: [proc@esfd.cdr.gov.lb](mailto:proc@esfd.cdr.gov.lb)

**Internet address(es):**

Main address: <http://esfd.cdr.gov.lb/>

**I.3) Communication**

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at: <https://etendering.ted.europa.eu/cft/cft-display.html?cftId=7528>

Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted to the abovementioned address

**I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

Ministry or any other national or federal authority, including their regional or local subdivisions

**I.5) Main activity**

General public services

**Section II: Object**

**II.1) Scope of the procurement**

**II.1.1) Title:**

Provision of Services to Address the Agricultural Pollution in the Litani River Basin (LRB)

Reference number: NEAR/BEY/2021/EA-RP/0001

**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

77000000 Agricultural, forestry, horticultural, aquacultural and apicultural services

**II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

**II.1.4) Short description:**

The contracting authority intends to implement agricultural interventions in the Litani River Basin (LRB) in order to address the pollution caused by the dominant agricultural practices. The uncontrolled quality and quantities of pesticides, insecticide, herbicides, and fertilisers, and the bad utilisation of animal fertilisers on agriculture lands result in both water and soil pollution. The contract scope consists of disseminating best agricultural practices, introducing alternative irrigation and production techniques (including agro-food processing), and on-the-job and plot-demonstration training modules. Strategies for involving youth in these activities will be devised to preserve the agricultural identity of the region and impact positively on social cohesion. Farmers and cooperatives will be supported to maintain their yields and to identify ways for scaling up and improving their production or reaching new markets.

II.1.5) **Estimated total value**

Value excluding VAT: 750 000.00 EUR

II.1.6) **Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: no

II.2) **Description**

II.2.2) **Additional CPV code(s)**

77000000 Agricultural, forestry, horticultural, aquacultural and apicultural services

II.2.3) **Place of performance**

NUTS code: LB Lebanon

Main site or place of performance:

Governorates of Bekaa, Baalbak\_Hermel, Nabatiyeh and South Lebanon- Lebanon (Near and Middle East).

II.2.4) **Description of the procurement:**

Provision of services to address the agricultural pollution in the Litani River Basin (LRB).

II.2.5) **Award criteria**

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.2.6) **Estimated value**

Value excluding VAT: 750 000.00 EUR

II.2.7) **Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Duration in months: 24

This contract is subject to renewal: no

II.2.9) **Information about the limits on the number of candidates to be invited**

Envisaged minimum number: 4

Maximum number: 8

II.2.10) **Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: no

II.2.11) **Information about options**

Options: no

II.2.13) **Information about European Union funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: yes

Identification of the project:

Local development programme along the Litani River Basin — Financing agreement: ENI/2017/040-299.

II.2.14) **Additional information**

Subsequent to the initial contract resulting from the current tender procedure, new services or works consisting in the repetition of similar services or works, up to the estimated amount of 0, may be entrusted to the initial

contractor by negotiated procedure without prior publication of a contract notice, provided the new services or works are in conformity with the same basic project.

### **Section III: Legal, economic, financial and technical information**

#### **III.1) Conditions for participation**

##### **III.1.1) Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers**

List and brief description of conditions:

See internet address provided in section I.3).

##### **III.1.2) Economic and financial standing**

List and brief description of selection criteria:

The economic and financial capacity required from the candidate or tenderer to perform the contract is detailed in the document 'Information to candidates and tenderers'.

##### **III.1.3) Technical and professional ability**

List and brief description of selection criteria:

The professional and technical capacity required from the candidate or tenderer to perform the contract is detailed in the document 'Information to candidates and tenderers'.

#### **III.2) Conditions related to the contract**

##### **III.2.2) Contract performance conditions:**

See internet address provided in section I.3).

### **Section IV: Procedure**

#### **IV.1) Description**

##### **IV.1.1) Type of procedure**

Restricted procedure

##### **IV.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system**

##### **IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)**

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: no

#### **IV.2) Administrative information**

##### **IV.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure**

Notice number in the OJ S: [2020/S 230-565737](#)

##### **IV.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate**

Date: 05/05/2021

Local time: 16:30

##### **IV.2.3) Estimated date of dispatch of invitations to tender or to participate to selected candidates**

Date: 31/05/2021

##### **IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted:**

English

##### **IV.2.6) Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender**

Duration in months: 3 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

### **Section VI: Complementary information**

#### **VI.1) Information about recurrence**

This is a recurrent procurement: no

#### **VI.2) Information about electronic workflows**

Electronic payment will be used

VI.3) **Additional information:**

See internet address provided in section I.3). For any additional information, please refer to the document 'Information to candidates and tenderers'.

VI.4) **Procedures for review**

VI.4.1) **Review body**

Official name: General Court of the European Union

Postal address: rue du Fort Niedergrünwald

Town: Luxembourg

Postal code: 2925

Country: Luxembourg

E-mail: [GC.Registry@curia.europa.eu](mailto:GC.Registry@curia.europa.eu)

Telephone: +352 4303-1

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VI.4.3) **Review procedure**

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures:

See internet address provided in section I.3).

VI.5) **Date of dispatch of this notice:**

24/03/2021