



BID NOTICE AND INVITATION TO BID

Promoting Agribusiness through Partnerships & Knowledge

Agribusiness Development Agency hereby invites proposals from suitably, qualified service providers to undertake the following services.

Bid Number - ADAB 01/2014: Contracting of service provider to undertake the implementation of the Amajuba and Zululand Grain Agro-Processing Hubs

Compulsory Site Briefing: (Directions/ GPS Coordinates)

30 May 2014 at 10:00am

Venue: Agribusiness Development Agency (ADA) Offices

5 Cascades Crescent, Cascades Office Park, Montrose, Pietermaritzburg

Contact Information: Tel. 033 – 347 8600 (during office hours)

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Bid documents will be available from Monday, 26 May 2014 at 08:00am; upon payment of a non refundable cash fee of **R 200.00** per set of document at ADA offices, 5 Cascades Crescent, Cascades Office Park, Montrose, Pietermaritzburg

Please note that Cheques and EFT payments will NOT be accepted as a form of payment for the bid documents.

Acceptable bid offers will be evaluated in terms of the applicable procurement legislation which is the 90/10 preference points system as per the Preferential Procurement Regulation of 2011 issued in terms of Procurement Policy Framework Act No. 5 of 2000 and/ or as set out in the bid document. The bidder's capability and suitability to provide the required goods/ service will be assessed on functionality.

Bids are to be completed in accordance with the conditions and rules contained in the bid documents or Terms of Reference and supporting documents must be placed in a sealed envelope and externally endorsed **WITH THE BID NUMBER, DESCRIPTION, CLOSING DATE OF THE BID AND ADDRESSED TO THE SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT, THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE BIDDING COMPANY MUST BE ENDORSED AT THE BACK OF THE ENVELOPE.**

Bid offers must be deposited or couriered into the **Bid Box** at the office of the Agribusiness Development Agency (ADA) 5 Cascades Crescent, Cascades Office Park, Montrose, Pietermaritzburg. Bid offers must be submitted before the closing date and time **17 June 2014 at 11:00 a.m.** Bid offers will be opened immediately thereafter, in public at ADA offices.

The Agency supports firms who comply with the national Initiatives for the advancement of HDI`s and support Black Economic Empowerment.

Bidders failing to adhere to the requirements as stipulated above will be disqualified. The entity reserves the right not to make an award. The lowest, or any bid will not necessary be accepted and the Board of Trustees reserves the right to accept any bid either in whole, or in part thereof.