SPECIFIC PROCUREMENT NOTICE

Request for Bids

(One-Envelope Bidding Process)

Country: KENYA

Name of Project: NATIONAL AGRICULTURAL VALUE CHAIN DEVELOPMENT PROJECT (NAVCDP)

Loan No: 70640-KE_

S/NO	CONTRACT DESCRIPTION	RFB REFERENCE NUMBER	BID SECURITY KES
1.	DESIGN, SUPPLY, DELIVERY, INSTALLATION, TESTING AND COMMISSIONING OF GRID-TIED SOLAR POWER SYSTEM AND CHILLING ACCESSORIES AT MERU CENTRAL DAIRY CO-OPERATIVE UNION LTD IN NTIMA EAST WARD, IMENTI NORTH SUBCOUNTY AND SIX COLLECTION CENTRES	KE-Meru County-558084-CW-RFB	2,795,599.00

1. The Government of Kenya (GoK) has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the National Agricultural Value Chain Development Project (NAVCDP), and intends to apply part of the proceeds toward payments under the contract for Design, Supply, Delivery, Installation, Testing and Commissioning of Grid-Tied Solar Power System and Chilling Accessories at Meru Central Dairy Co-Operative Union Ltd in Ntima East Ward, Imenti North Sub-County and six collection centres. For this contract, the Borrower shall process the payments using the Direct Payment disbursement method, as defined in the World Bank's Disbursement Guidelines for Investment Project Financing.

2. The **Department of Agriculture, Livestock & Fisheries**, County Government of Meru, and the **Meru Central Dairy Co-operative Union** invites sealed Bids from eligible Bidders for Design, Supply, Delivery, Installation, Testing and Commissioning Of Grid-Tied Solar Power System And Chilling Accessories At Meru Central Dairy Co-Operative Union Ltd In Ntima East Ward, Imenti North Sub-County and six collection centres that includes majorly steel structure works, grid-tied solarization works and chilling equipment.
3. . The Contract period will be **365** days.

4. Bidding will be conducted through national competitive procurement using a Request for Bids (RFB) as specified in the World Bank's "Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers" First Published July 2016 and Revised Fourth Edition November 2020 ("Procurement Regulations") and is open to all Bidders as defined in the Procurement Regulations.

5. Interested eligible Bidders may obtain further information from the County Government of Meru website www.meru.go.ke and inspect the Bidding document during office hours *0800 to 1700 hours East African Time (EAT)* at the address given below.
6. The bidding document in English may be viewed, inspected and obtained free of charge by interested eligible Bidders from the County Government of Meru website www.meru.go.ke.Public procurement information portal www.tenders.go.ke or world bank website www.worldbank.org
7. Bids must be delivered to the address below on or before **03rd December 2026 at 1100 Hours EAT**. Electronic Bidding **will not** be permitted. Late Bids will be rejected. Bids will be publicly opened in the presence of the Bidders' designated representatives at the address below on **03rd December 2026 at 1100 Hours EAT.**

8. All Bids must be accompanied by a Bid Security.

9. The employer shall conduct a **non-mandatory** pre bid meeting on **17th November 2026** at **10.00 am** at the Department of Agriculture, Livestock & fisheries Offices followed by a Pre-Tender Site Visit **immediately after to Meru Dairy Union main factory** and **the six collection centers.**

10. Attention is drawn to the Procurement Regulations requiring the Borrower to disclose information on the successful bidder's beneficial ownership, as part of the Contract Award Notice, using the Beneficial Ownership Disclosure Form as included in the bidding document.

11. The addressee referred to above is :

Chief Officer
Department of Agriculture, Livestock and fisheries
County Government of Meru
Po Box 120-60200
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Physical address: New County government headquarters next to Huduma center, procurement office, Ground floor

Attention:
The County Project Coordinator
National Agricultural Value Chain Development Project