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BELIZE
AGRICULTURAL SERVICES PROGRAM
Transport
SUPPLY OF VEHICLES
Loan 2220/OC-BL
BL – L1009

The Government of Belize (GOB) has received financing in the amount equivalent to US\$ 5,000,000 from the Inter-American Development Bank (IDB), and it intends to apply part of the proceeds to payments for the supply of 15 vehicles to be procured under the Agriculture Services Program. Selection of firms/bidders will be conducted through international competitive bidding procedures as specified in the IDB's <I>Policies for Procurement of Goods and Works Financed by the Inter-American Development Bank</I> (current edition) and is open to all eligible firms/bidders as defined in the policies. The contracts will be financed through the Agricultural Services Program (2220/OC-BL).

The main objective of this program is to strengthen the core public agricultural services that provide access to applied production technology corresponding to market opportunities, while reducing risk derived from threats to plant and animal health and food safety. This in turn will contribute to the broader goal to enhance the competitive productive base upon which Belizeans can increase their income.

The general objective is to support the MAF and the co-executing agencies in the execution of the Agricultural Services Program.

Interested eligible firms/bidders may obtain further information from the Agricultural Services Program – Project Executing Unit at the address below, during the office hours of 8:00 to 17:00, Monday through Thursday, and on Fridays from 8:00 to 16:30 hours till 6 December 2010.

A pre-bid meeting will be held on Friday, 12 November 2010 at 13:00 hours to address all final queries on the bidding document at the address listed below.

The bidding document, in English, is available in hard copies and electronically. The document can be obtained by the interested firms/bidders on the submission of a written application to the address below or in person.

All sealed bids must be delivered by 14:00 hours on Monday, 6 December 2010, to the following address:

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