

July 23, 2025

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

Country: Republic of Tajikistan

Project: One Health for Pandemic Prevention Food Systems Resilience and Ecosystem Health in Central Asia

Grant No.: E452-TJ

Assignment Title: Public Health Coordinator

Reference No.: OHP/CS/INDV-2025/02

1. The Republic of Tajikistan has received financing from the International Development Association and International Bank for Reconstruction and Development toward the cost of the One Health for Pandemic Prevention Food Systems Resilience and Ecosystem Health in Central Asia and intends to apply part of the proceeds for consulting services.
2. The detailed Terms of Reference (TOR) for the assignment can be found at the following website:
https://aedpmu.tj/en/wp-content/uploads/2025/07/2.-terms-of-reference-for-public-health-coordinator_final.pdf
3. Qualification requirements for candidates are as follow:
 - i. University diploma (master's degree or its equivalent) in public health, epidemiology, or related fields or equivalent.
 - ii. A minimum of 5 years of public health experience, preferably related to the health emergencies within the public and/or private sector.
 - iii. To have experience with the World Bank or other donor organizations.
 - iv. Experience in coordination of project activities.
 - v. Good Computer skills: MS Word, MS Excel MS.

The State Institution "Agriculture Entrepreneurship Development" Project Management Unit now invites eligible specialists to indicate their interest in providing the services. Interested specialists must provide information

indicating that they are qualified to perform the services.

4. The attention of interested candidates is drawn to Section III, paragraphs, 3.14, 3.16, and 3.17 of the World Bank's "Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers" (July 2016, revised in February 2025) – Procurement in Investment Project Financing Goods, Works, Non-Consulting and Consulting Services ("Procurement Regulations"), setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest.
5. The selection will follow Open Competitive Selection of Individual Consultants in accordance with Section VI, paragraphs, 7.36 and 7.37 of Procurement Regulations.
6. Interested candidates should submit a cover letter (maximum two pages) and a detailed CV (maximum five pages) clearly outlining how they meet the required qualifications. The CV and cover letter must be submitted either by email to procurement.ohp@gmail.com, with **"Public Health Coordinator"** in the subject line, or delivered in person to the address provided below.
7. Additional information can be obtained at the address below during working hours, from 08:00 to 17:00.
8. The deadline for submission of resume and cover letter is August 6, 2025, by 17:00. Only complete applications will be considered.

**State Institution "Agriculture Entrepreneurship Development"
Project Management Unit**

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PROVISION OF AGRICULTURAL MACHINERY ATTACHMENTS TO VULNERABLE FARMERS IN KHATLON REGION CONTINUES SUCCESSFULLY

The agricultural sector is considered an important factor in ensuring food security of the country population, and the Government of the Republic of Tajikistan constantly takes the necessary measures for its development and progress.

This year, in order to further improve the material and technical base of vulnerable farms in the country, the State Institution "Agriculture Entrepreneurship Development" within the framework of the "Strengthening Resilience of the Agriculture Sector Project" is allocating a number of attachments units for agricultural machinery to vulnerable farms in the country.

Currently, the provision of vulnerable farms in the towns and districts of the Khatlon region with attachments for agricultural machinery continues successfully, and along with the delivery the institution specialists explain to the project beneficiaries the ways to install them correctly and use effectively.

Farmers (project beneficiaries), expressing gratitude to the Government of the Republic of Tajikistan for its ongoing support in providing access to new and modern equipment, set themselves the task of making every effort to increase crop yields and contribute to ensuring food security for the country population.



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TRAINING SEMINAR IN GORNO-BADAKHSHAN AUTONOMOUS OBLAST KHOROG TOWN WITHIN THE “SOIL DOCTOR” PROGRAM FRAMEWORK

This year, within the framework of the “Strengthening Resilience of the Agriculture Sector Project”, the State Institution “Agriculture Entrepreneurship Development” together with the Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO) of the United Nations in the Republic of Tajikistan conducts a training seminar “Soil doctor” throughout the country.

This time the training seminar was held in the GBAO Khorog town Executive Body of State Authority hall; during this seminar the scientists and specialists in the field of soil science discussed current issues of the sector.

The seminar with the participation of specialists in agriculture, particularly soil science, lasted two days (July 15 and 16). According to the plan, scientists working in this field, using modern equipment, identified the content of various elements in the soil and the actual condition of its structure, and presented the results to the participants

afterwards.

Deliverables on identifying the chemical and physical composition of soil, the status of soil structure and composition improvement covered a wide range of important topics through a series of presentations to implement strategies for training and integrated soil conservation.

The purpose of such training seminars is timely training of specialists in this field to solve existing problems, use modern technologies in the sector current activities, use the land efficiently, identify soil composition elements by modern equipment and further increase crop yields.

This event is intended for specialists in the field of soil science, who, using modern technologies, will be able to further improve their knowledge and skills, as well as to apply scientific achievements in practice.

During the workshop, participants offered effective solutions to key sector issues and explored the nuances of soil science and agrochemistry.

The end of the seminar was an interesting and memorable event for each participant. As a result of mastering the nuances of soil testing, the participants received a "Soil doctor" certificate.



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PUBLIC HEARINGS WITH PROJECT BENEFICIARIES IN GBAO TOWNS AND DISTRICTS ON THE GRIEVANCE REDRESS MECHANISM

The State Institution “Agriculture Entrepreneurship Development” pays special attention to the Government of the Republic of Tajikistan instructions and directives’ implementation and constantly takes necessary measures for the agricultural sector development.

The Institution specialists on social and environmental issues together with the staff of the public organization “Umedbakhsh” within the framework of the “Strengthening Resilience of the Agriculture Sector Project” work on ensuring transparency of the project activities and interaction with beneficiaries, as well as the grievance redress mechanism at the local and regional levels in the towns and districts of Gorno-Badakhshan Autonomous Oblast.

During the working visit to GBAO, in order to implement the Republic of Tajikistan Law “On appeals of individuals and legal entities”, the official document on environmental and

social issues, as well as grievance redress mechanism within this project framework, the executive bodies of state authorities of GBAO towns and districts established a commission, and the work in this direction continues with enthusiasm.

During the public hearings, experts on social and environmental issues of the Institution and employees of "Umedbakhsh" NGO address transparency issues of the "Strengthening Resilience of the Agriculture Sector Project" activities, the Grievance Redress Mechanism, as well as other current issues of the sector.

After the public hearings, the committee inspected information stands and boxes for beneficiary appeals, permanently active greenhouses, crop demonstration plots, wells and other facilities.

Farmers of GBAO towns and districts took active part in the public hearings and expressed satisfaction and gratitude to the Founder of Peace and National Unity, Leader of the Nation, President of the country esteemed Emomali Rahmon for the continuous support in the agricultural sector development.



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**Specific Procurement Notice
Request for Bids
Goods
(One-Envelope Bidding Process)**

Country: Republic of Tajikistan

Name of Project: Strengthening Resilience of the Agriculture Sector Project (SRASP)

Contract Title: "Procurement of 4 no. of pickups and 7 no. of light trucks for SUE "Variety seeds of vegetable crops of Tajikistan" and state center of seed sales in Dushanbe, Khatlon, RRS and Sughd regions packed in 2 lots".

Grant No.: D8600-TJ

RFB Reference No.: SRASP-RFB-G0-2025-05

The number and identification of lots (contracts) included in this request for proposals are listed below:

Lot# 1: SRASP-RFB-G0-2025-05-1 – Procurement of 4 no. of pickup vehicles for the state centers of seed sales for

Dushanbe, Khatlon, RRS, and Sughd.

Lot# 2: SRASP-RFB-G0-2025-05-2 – Procurement of 7 no. of light trucks for SUE “Variety seeds of vegetable crops of Tajikistan and state center of seed sales in Dushanbe, Khatlon, RRS and Sughd regions

1. The Government of Tajikistan has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the Strengthening Resilience of the Agriculture Sector Project (SRASP) and intends to apply part of the proceeds toward payments under the contract for Procurement of 4 no. of pickups and 7 no. of light trucks for SUE “Variety seeds of vegetable crops of Tajikistan” and state center of seed sales in Dushanbe, Khatlon, RRS and Sughd regions packed in 2 lots.
2. The State Institute “Agriculture Entrepreneurship Development” Project Management Unit now invites sealed Bids from eligible Bidders for Procurement of 4 no. of pickups and 7 no. of light trucks for SUE “Variety seeds of vegetable crops of Tajikistan” and state center of seed sales in Dushanbe, Khatlon, RRS and Sughd regions packed in 2 lots.
3. Bidding will be conducted through international competitive procurement using a Request for Bids (RFB) as specified in the World Bank’s “Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers” dated July 2016, revised September 2023 (“Procurement Regulations”) and is open to all eligible Bidders as defined in the Procurement Regulations.
4. Interested eligible Bidders may obtain further information from the State Institute “Agriculture Entrepreneurship Development” Project Management Unit and inspect the bidding document during office hours from 8:00 AM to 17:00 PM at the address given below.
5. The full package of bidding document in Russian may be obtained by interested Bidders upon the submission of an

official letter to the address below. The document will be sent by the AED PMU procurement email.

6. Bids must be delivered to the address below by **August 06, 2025 11:00 hrs.** Electronic Bidding will not be permitted. Late Bids will be rejected. Bids will be publicly opened in the presence of the Bidders' designated representatives and anyone who chooses to attend at the address below on **August 06, 2025 11:10 hrs.**

7. All Bids must be accompanied by a Bid Security of:

- Lot #1: TJS 35 000.00; (thirty-five thousand)
- Lot#2: TJS 50 000.00; (fifty thousand)

8. 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.

9. The address(es) referred to above is (are):

For the purpose of inquiries and receipt of tender documents:

To: Satori D.A. PMU Director

Address: 17 Bokhtar street, I.Somoni district, Dushanbe city

Office / Floor: 12th Floor

City: Dushanbe

Country: Tajikistan

E-mail: procurement.srasp@gmail.com

For the purpose of Bid submission and opening of the Bids:

State Committee on Investment and State Property Management of Republic of Tajikistan

Address: 27 Shohtemur street

Office / Floor: Office No. 9, 1st floor

City: Dushanbe

Country: Republic of Tajikistan

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Request for Quotation

Purchaser: State Institution "Agriculture Entrepreneurship Development" Project Management Unit

Project: Strengthening Resilience of the Agriculture Sector Project

Grant IDA №: TJ-D8600

Name of the Contract: Major repair of three store building of laboratory of State Entity Plant protection and agrochim in Sughd region B.Gafurov district.

Identification number: SRASP-RFQ-CW-2025-03

1. The Government of Tajikistan has received financing from the World Bank toward the cost of the Strengthening Resilience of the Agriculture Sector Project, and intends to apply part of the proceeds toward payments under the contract for «Major repair of three store building of laboratory of State Entity Plant protection and agrochim in Sughd region B.Gafurov district».
2. The State Institute "Agriculture Entrepreneurship Development" Project Management Unit (SI AED PMU) now invites sealed Bids from eligible Bidders for «Major repair of three store building of laboratory of State Entity Plant protection and agrochim in Sughd region B.Gafurov district».
3. Bidding will be conducted through using a Request for Quotations (RFQ) as specified in the World Bank's "Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers" July 2016, revised September 2023 Edition ("Procurement Regulations") and is open to all eligible Bidders as defined in the Procurement Regulations.
4. All Interested eligible bidders may obtain more detailed

information from the SI “AED” PMU and review the bidding documentation during working hours from 08.00 to 17.00 at the address below.

5. All interested eligible bidders can obtain a full package of RFQ in Russian by submitting an official letter to the address below. The RFQ can be obtained from the office of SI AED PMU located at the address below.
6. Bidders shall submit their quotation in hard copy and must be delivered to the address below before July 28, 2025 17:00. Late quotations will be rejected.
7. The address referred to above is:

For the purpose of inquiries, receipt and submission of tender documents:

To: **Satori D.A. – PMU Director**

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ACCESS OF FARMS TO AGRICULTURAL MACHINERY ATTACHMENTS UNDER THE PROJECT

This year, in order to improve the material and technical base of vulnerable farms in the country, the State Institution “Agriculture Entrepreneurship Development” within the “Strengthening Resilience of the Agriculture Sector Project”, has allocated 150 small-sized tractors with trailers to vulnerable farms across the country.

Additionally, to further improve the material and technical base of vulnerable farms in the country, the following types of agricultural machinery attachments will be procured and

distributed to vulnerable farms: double and five-hull ploughs, potato harvesters and potato diggers, boom and pneumatic sprayers, fertilizer spreaders, wheat harvester, disc harrow, grain and vegetable seeders, cultivators and semi-trailers for water transportation.

Currently, the distribution of agricultural machinery attachments has begun nationwide and initially 90 units of them were delivered to vulnerable farms in the GBAR (Gorno-Badakhshan Autonomous Region) towns and districts, and more than 20 units – to the Sino, Firdavsi and Shohmansur areas of Dushanbe.

The handover ceremony of transferring the agricultural machinery attachments was attended by a commission comprising representatives from the towns and districts' executive bodies of state authorities, who, according to the plan, will gradually transfer the attachments to vulnerable farms in the coming days.

Today, the farmers (project beneficiaries) are grateful for the Government of the Republic of Tajikistan consistent support and determined to work diligently to increase crop yields, thereby contributing to food security of the country population.



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Working Meeting on the “Strengthening Resilience of the Agriculture Sector Project” Implementation Progress

On July 10 this year, during the working visit for the “Strengthening Resilience of the Agriculture Sector Project” implementation, the specialists on social and environmental issues of the State Institution “Agriculture Entrepreneurship Development” held a working meeting with the Deputy Chairman of Gorno-Badakhshan Autonomous Region Amirbekzoda Habibullo.

During the meeting, the region deputy chairman paid special attention to agreeing and approving the action plan on raising awareness of the population, project beneficiaries and stakeholders, as well as to the issues of establishing the commissions on reviewing the complaints and suggestions mechanism in the field, repair and reconstruction of facilities, providing project beneficiaries with high quality certified seeds of agricultural crops, strengthening the material and technical base of vulnerable seed farms, construction of modern and permanently operating greenhouse in Shugnan district and other relevant sector issues.

At the end of the meeting, the responsible persons expressed their views on the implementation of the orders and instructions from the Government of the Republic of Tajikistan, especially the Founder of Peace and National Unity, the Leader of the Nation, the President of the country esteemed Emomali Rahmon on construction of modern agricultural facilities, efficient use of lands, strengthening of material and technical base of vulnerable farms.

