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GENERAL PROCUREMENT NOTICE

COUNTRY- INDIA

NAME OF PROJECT- UTTARAKHAND DECENTRALIZED WATERSHED DEVELOPMENT PROJECT (GRAMYA)-II

SECTOR- AGRICULTURE

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The Govt. of Uttarakhand has applied for financing in the amount of US$ 100 million equivalent from the World Bank toward the cost of the Uttarakhand Decentralized Watershed Development Project (Gramya-II) with a total project cost of about US$ 140 million and it intends to apply part of the proceeds to payments for goods, works, related services and consulting services to be procured under this project. This project will be jointly financed by the Govt. of Uttarakhand and World Bank.

The project will include the following components A. Watershed Planning through Participatory Approach B. Rainfed area development with Water Source Sustainability C. Enhancing Livelihood Opportunities D. Consolidation of Gramya –I Activities E. Institutional Strengthening F. Project Coordination. The project will involve procurement of expert services for social mobilization of community members at the village level, project implementation as Partner NGOs, technical support for Agribusiness, External Monitoring and Evaluation and Financial Review. These procurements will be carried out by WMD in accordance with the World Banks procedures and guidelines.

Procurement of contracts financed by the World Bank will be conducted through the procedures as specified in the World Bank's Guidelines: Procurement under IBRD Loans and IDA Credits (January 2011), and is open to all eligible bidders as defined in the guidelines. Consulting services will be selected in accordance with the World Bank’s Guidelines: Selection and Employment of Consultants by World Bank Borrowers (January 2011).

Specific procurement notices for contracts to be bid under the World Bank's international competitive bidding (ICB) procedures and for contracts for consultancy services will be announced, as they become available, in UN Development Business and dgMarket and widely circulated National and International technical magazines, newspapers and trade publications.

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Prequalification of suppliers and contractors will be required for the following contracts-

1. Field NGOs (2 No.) for social mobilization services
2. Partner NGOs (2 to 4 Nos.) for project implementation
3. Agribusiness Support Agency (4 to 6 Nos.)
4. External Consultant for Monitoring and Evaluation

Interested eligible bidders who wish to be included on the mailing list to receive invitations to prequalify/bid under ICB procedures, and interested consultants who wish to receive a copy of advertisement requesting expressions of interest for consultancy contracts, or those requiring additional information, should contact the address below.

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