



Provision of Consultancy Services on “Development of database of Livestock value chain actors in Uganda

Background

The East African Community (EAC) is the regional intergovernmental organisation of the Republics of Burundi, Kenya, Rwanda, South Sudan, the United Republic of Tanzania, and the Republic of Uganda, with its headquarters in Arusha, Tanzania. The African Union Interafrican Bureau for Animal Resources (AU-IBAR) is a specialized technical office of the Department of Rural Economy and Agriculture of the African Union Commission. AU-IBAR’s mandate is to support and coordinate the utilization of livestock, fisheries and wildlife as resources for both human wellbeing and economic development in the member states of the African Union. Working with the East African Community (EAC) Secretariat and with financial support from the European Union (EU) through the Reinforcing Veterinary Governance in Africa (VET-GOV) Programme, wishes to recruit the services of a local consultant to document all the key Livestock stakeholders in Uganda for improved livestock development in the country. The consultant will be engaged for 20 working days under the general supervision of the EAC Secretariat and AU-IBAR.

Objective:

Development of database of livestock value chain actors in Uganda.

Scope the Assignment

The consultant will be expected to develop a questionnaire to capture salient information from all actors:

- (i) Identify and document all livestock value chains in Uganda.
- (ii) Identify the value chain actors for each livestock value chain;
- (iii) Develop a soft and hard copy of the information database for other actors based on the following:

- **For individuals, full Names, Gender, Age, Level of education ;**
- **For Individuals/ Companies/ Groups/etc:**
 - Type of value chain activity undertaken (eg primary production, processing, marketing, Consumer, etc);
 - When the activity started, its capacity, how it is operating, successes, problems and challenges, how they are being addressed, assistance required, future plans e.t.c;
 - Location of premises (farm, Processing Plant, Marketing facility, Supplier of Medicines and Biologicals etc);
 - Full Contact (Telephone, Mob, E-mail, Website, P.O. Box #, etc); and
 - Any other relevant information.

Duration and conditions of consultancy

The total duration of the consultancy will be 20 working days spread over a three months' period starting from date of the last signature to this agreement. The consultant will be expected to prepare his or her own methodology for conducting the assignment and prepare a proposed time table of activities for discussion and approval by the EAC Livestock Officer/VetGov Coordinator in collaboration with AU-IBAR.

Duty station

The duty station will be AU-IBAR Nairobi Kenya.

Payment

Payment of the consultancy fee will be according to the AU Rules and Guidelines.

Experts' qualifications

Education:

A Basic degree in Veterinary Medicine/ Agriculture/Animal Production and Masters' in Agricultural / Livestock Economics or Marketing

Experience:

- At least 10 years of experience in livestock Production/Economics;
- Proven experience and knowledge of value chain development;
- Good oral and written communication and computer skills with proficiency in the English (spoken and written); and
- Demonstrated ability to work in multi-cultural and multi-disciplinary team of experts and networking with different types of stakeholders at different levels.

Deliverables.

An Inception Report presented to the EAC/AU-IBAR Team;
A final consultancy Report.; and
A catalogue (in Both HARD and SOFT COPIES) of Value Chain actors Livestock Value chain in Uganda.

Submission

Submit application and updated CV to:
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