GENERAL PROCUREMENT NOTICE

Albania Climate Resilience and Agriculture Development Project Albania / Agriculture and Agri-food sectors GENERAL PROCUREMENT NOTICE Loan No. 94890-AL Project ID No. P178715

The Government of Albania has received financing in the amount of US\$ 70 million equivalent from the World Bank toward the cost of the Climate Resilience and Agriculture Development Project, and it intends to apply part of the proceeds to payments for goods, works, non-consulting services and consulting services to be procured under this project.

The project will include the following components:

Component 1: Promoting Climate Smart Agriculture and Access to Markets;

Component 2: Enhancing Compliance with Food Safety and Quality Standards;

Component 3: Strengthening Evidence-based Analysis Capacity of MARD and Municipalities.

The goods, works, non-consulting services and consulting services to be procured through open international competitive procurement are:

Goods:

- Development and installation of IT platform (including HW, SW);
- Installing sensors in Pilot area 2,000 hectares;
- Drainage Pumping Stations upgrade and modernization;
- Design, supply and installation of Solar Panels in 27 Drainage Stations;
- Purchasing of equipment for Institute for Food Safety and Veterinary, etc.

Works:

- Civil works (Modernization of Drainage Systems) including installation of solar panels;
- Civil works for construction of facilities.

Consulting Services:

- Design and supervision consultancies (Modernization of Drainage Systems);
- Preparation of feasibility studies, environmental and social requirements, and detailed designs and construction supervision plans for all facilities.

Procurement of contracts financed by the World Bank will be conducted through the procedures as specified in the World Bank's *Procurement in Investment Project Financing Goods, Works, Non-Consulting and Consulting Services July 2016 Revised November 2017, August 2018 and November 2020 (Procurement Regulations)*, and is open to all eligible firms and individuals as defined in the *Procurement Regulations*. After project negotiations, the World Bank shall arrange the publication on its external website of the agreed initial procurement plan and all subsequent updates once it has provided a no objection.

Specific procurement notices for contracts subject to open international competitive procurement will be announced, as they become available, in <u>UN Development Business</u> online, on the World Bank's external website and <u>https://www.bujqesia.gov.al/projekti-gendrueshmeria-ndaj-klimes-dhe-zhvillimit-ne-bujqesi/</u>.

Prequalification/Initial Selection of suppliers and contractors will be required for the following contracts *Not Applicable*.

Interested eligible firms and individuals who would wish to be considered for the provision of goods, works, non-consulting services and consulting services for the above-mentioned project, or those requiring additional information, should contact the Borrower at the address below:

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