**Request for Expression of Interest (REoI) to all FPOs/FPCs/SHGs/POPIs/Cooperative of the state of Andhra Pradesh for operation and maintenance of the Primary Processing Centres set up in different Agricultural Markets across the state**

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRAPRADESH**

**AGRICULTURAL MARKETING DEPARTMENT**

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**(2019-2020)**

**Key Dates**

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| **Sl. No** | **Description** | **Date** | **Time** |
| 1 | Release of REOI | 27/01/2020 | 5.30 pm |
| 2 | General discussion meeting at Department of Agricultural Marketing, Gunturm, GoAP  (To discuss the opportunity of setting up processing centre and attending concerns of the participants) | 01/02/2020 | 3:00 pm |
| 3 | Last Date for receipt of EOI | 07/02/2020 | 4:00 pm |
| 4 | Release of the RFP document | To be intimated late |  |

**REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (REOI) FOR OPERATING AND MAINTAINING THE PRIMARY PROCESSING CENTRES SETUP BY AGRICULTURAL MARKETING DEPARTMENT ACROSS THE AGRICULTURE MARKETS IN THE STATE**

Agricultural Marketing Department is inviting Expression of interest from FPOs (Farmer Producer Organisation)/ FPCs (Farmers Producer Companies)/ SHGs (Special Help Groups)/ POPIs (Producers Organisation Promoting Institutions/ Cooperatives of the state of Andhra Pradesh, for operating and maintating the **Primary Processing Centres (PPCs)set up in Agricultural Markets by Department of Agricultural Marketing**across the state.

All the interested parties(FPOs/FPCs/SHGs/POPIs) which are into **Agricuture Processing or have capabilities in Agriculture Processing**can show their expression of interest by submitting the application as per the format specified in Annexure Ialong with the the relevant documents.

**The Agricultural Marketing Department will conduct a meeting with the applicants to communicate further course of action and to understanding their current operations and concerns.**

**About Department of Agricultural Marketing Andhra Pradesh**

The Department of Agricultural Marketing was established on 01-02-1962 in Andhra Pradesh duly bifurcating from the Agriculture Department to enforce the provisions of the Agricultural Produce Markets Act and other schemes of the Government. A comprehensive Andhra Pradesh (Agricultural Produce & Livestock) Markets Act has come into force from 18-11-1966.

The Department carries out various functions through the Agriculture Market Committees (AMCs) which are local bodies established under the Act with their own Bye-laws. There are 191 AMCs constituted in the State to enforce the provisions of the Market Act. Market Yards (including sub yards) are 325.

The Department is involved in activities of providing marketing support to farmers and traders across the state of Andhra Pradesh. The department also carries out activities of storage and management of such commodity stored by farmers/ traders with the market yards as well as procuring and selling commodities at an opportune moment.

The Agricultural Marketing Department has always worked towards the welfare of the farming community by supporting farmers across the value chain and creating broader market access. The implementation of eNAM is a step towards that. The 22 Agriculture Markets are already under eNAM (National Agriculture Market) and 12 markets are nominated for eNAM implementation. With the implementation of eNAM, there would be more transparency in trade and farmers will have wider access to the market.

**About the current opportunity**

The Department with an objective of ensuring better price realization to farmers, is setting up the processing centres in different market yards across the state. **The Primary Processing Centres will be setup with the investment from the state or central govt.**, as the case may be, and will offer the primary sorting and grading services to the farmers at the competitive pricing. **The details of market yards and corresponding planned primary processing facilities is listed in Annexure-II**

To ensure that the farming community can reap the benefits of thisinitiative taken by the Department, it is decided to extend the proposal **for operation and maintenance of the processing centres primary to FPOs/FPCs/SHGs/POPIs/Cooperatives**

**The objective of REoI:**

The objective of releasing the current REoI is to understand **the capabilities and concens of FPOs/FPCs/SHGs/ POPIs inoperating and maintaining** the Primary Processing Centres.

The EoI will be followed by the release of an open RfP (Request for the Proposal). It is to be kindly noted that participating in EoI will not ensure that RfP will be released only to participating parties.

**Submission of Expression of Interest:**

For showing your interest, you are required to provide details pertaining to your organization as per Annexure-I. The interested **FPOs/FPCs/SHGs/POPIs**can sendthe information as per Annexure I in soft copy to [comm\_mktg@yahoo.com](mailto:comm_mktg@yahoo.com)and[seamp2017@gmail.com](mailto:seamp2017@gmail.com)

**Interested parties are also requested to attend a general discussion meeting with Commissioner of Department of Agricultural Marketing (CDAM) on 1stFeburary2020 , Saturday, 3:00 PM**

**Important Notes for bidders:**

1. Participating in EoI does not meanthat at the next stage RfP will be circulated to the participating agencies only.
2. For any clarification please contact the undersigned
3. Mr. J Chandra Mohan Reddy, Additional Director, DoAM, +91 91823 61131
4. Mr. Naresh Kumar, Consultant, +91 9310194782

**ANNEXURE I**

**Format for furnishing general information about the Vendor**

**(To be given in the letterhead of the Vendor)**

To

The Commissioner and Director of Agrl. Marketing,

Old Mirchi Market Yard,

Chuttugunta, Guntur-522004.

Sir,

We are herewith furnishing the following general information.

**FORM I**

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|  | Name of the Participating Entity |  |
|  | Address forcorrespondence |  |
|  | Name, address, telephone number and email of the contact person to whom all correspondenceinrespectofthistender should besent |  |
|  | Number of Farmers registered |  |
|  | Funding support or Promoting Instituion Tie up |  |
|  | The brief description of your organisation like objectives, primary operations, geography of operations, agricultural commodities being handled etc. |  |
|  | Date &Year of Establishment/ incorporation:   1. PANNumbers 2. GSTNumber\*\* |  |
|  | Number of years of experience in Operating any processing centre |  |
|  | Average Turnover in the last three years i.e. 206-17, 2017-18 and 2018-19 (In Cr. Rs.)\*\* |  |

*\*\* Self-attested copies of supporting documentation have to be submitted by Bidder*

**\*Please provide the other relevant information which bidder deemed to find necessary**

Certified that, the above information furnished is true and correct to the best of our knowledge andbelief.

Place:

Date:

Authorisedsignatory

**ANNEXURE II**

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| **S.No.** | **Name of the district** | **Name of Market Yard** | **Primary Commodity/**  **Commodities** |
|  | Ananthapur | Hindupur | Tamarind |
|  | Kalyandurg | Tamarind |
|  | Chittoor | Gurramkonda | Tomato |
|  | Kalikiri | Tomato |
|  | Palmaner | Tomato |
|  | Punganur | Tomato |
|  | Guntur | Dachepalli | Chili |
|  | Duggirala | Turmeric |
|  | Guntur | Red Chili |
|  | Tenali | Lemon |
|  | YSR Kadapa | Kadapa | Turmeric, Groundnut |
|  | Kurnool | Adoni | Groundnut, Cotton, Castor Seed |
|  | Kurnool | Groundnut, Castor Seed |
|  | Pattikonda | Tomato |
|  | Yemmiganur | Groundnut, Castor Seed |
|  | Nellore | Rapur | Lemon |
|  | West Godavari | Denduluru | Lemon |
|  | Gopalapuram | Lemon |

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| **S.No.** | **Commodity** | **Processing Requirement** |
| 1 | Tomato | Feeding and Sorting Machine, Washing, Sponging and Waxing Machines, Hot air drying, Size and colour graders etc. |
| 2 | Tamarind | Crusher, Pulper cum finisher, Deseeding Machine, Pulveriser, Packaging Machine etc. |
| 3 | Turmeric | Turmeric Boiler, Dryer, Cleaning and Polishing Machines, Grader etc. |
| 4 | Lemon | Feeding and sorting, Washing, Sponging Machine, Mechanical or Optical Size Grading Machine etc. |
| 5 | Groundnut | Pre Cleaning, Decorticator, Sortex, Roaster etc. |
| 6 | Castor Seed | Precleaning, Length Graders, Dehuller, oil extractor etc. |
| 7 | Red Chili | Optical Sorter, Precleaner, Length Grader |