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AUCTION NOTICE

The Public is hereby informed that the open public auction will be conducted on 14.06.2023 for usufructuary rights of plucking tea leaves for the period from 01st July, 2023 to 31st March, 2024 at Main Office Campus of ICAR - Indian Institute of Soil & Water Conservation, Research Centre, Theetukal, Fernhill P.O., Udhagamandalam at 11.00 am under the following Terms and Conditions;


TERMS & CONDITIONS:-

1. The total area(s) of the tea leaves to be plucked is 12.72 acres in various locations within the Centres' Research Farm, at Rees' Corner, Theetukal, Udhagamandalam. The auction for the entire area of 12.72 acres for the period from 01st July, 2023 to 31st March, 2024 is on auction as is where is basis.
2. The tea leaves may be harvested as per normal practice i.e. once in a fortnight and the plants should be maintained properly by tipping and leveling. All other instructions will be given by the I/c. Farm Supdt. / OIC (Farm) from time to time for better maintenance of the tea plantation.
3. The area(s) under Tea Orchard shall be well maintained by removing weeds and the debris from the plantation area(s). The tea plant should be fertilized twice in a year as per normal practice. Prior approval may be taken from the OIC (Farm) for arranging necessary advice and supervision.
4. If any disease is observed, the same should be reported to the OIC (Farm)/Farm Supdt. Necessary plant protection measures should be taken and the plants protected under the guidance of Scientists / Technical Officers of the Centre.
5. After completing weeding, fertilization or any other operations in tea plantations, necessary Certificate should be obtained from the I/c. Farm Supdt. / OIC (Farm) for satisfactory completion of works.
6. The harvesting of green tea leaves and its transport will be done by the successful bidder and labourers have to be arranged by him at his own cost. Plucking of green tea leaves will have to be done between 10.00 A.M. to 5.00 P.M. on working days only and produce shall be transported from the Main Gate after obtaining the authorised gate pass.

7. The tea plants and other experimental area(s) should not be damaged and if any damage is observed, the cost will be recovered from the successful bidder at the discretion of the undersigned. Cutting and carrying of any firewood and grasses is strictly prohibited
8. The interested persons may participate in the open auction after verifying the tea orchard in the Research Farm. The inspection may please be done during the working hours from 10.00 A.M. to 4.30 P.M. The OIC (Farm)/I/c. Farm Supdt. may please be contacted for further information.
9. E.M.D. of Rs.10000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand only) through Demand Draft favouring "Officer - in - Charge, CSWCRTI., Research Centre, Udhagamandalam" should be deposited which will be refunded to all except the successful bidder within a week. The Bank details are given below :

Account Name : The Officer - in - Charge,
Bank & Branch : State Bank of India, Udhagamandalam
Account Number : 10834905633
IFS Code : SBIN000891

10. The undersigned reserves the right to accept or reject the auction process without assigning any reason.
11. After inspection of auction material, no query regarding quality of leaves shall be entertained by the Centre.
12. The successful bidder should deposit 25 % of the bidden amount on the Spot and balance 75 % shall be remitted within 15 days. The bidder will be allowed to pluck the tea leaves only on receipt of 100 % of total value bidden.
13. The EMD of the successful bidder will be refunded after completion / expiry of contract. The official receipt issued for EMD by this Office is to be produced at time of refund of the EMD amount by this Office.
14. The interested participants have to produce Aadhar / PAN / or any relevant ID proofs at the time of registration.
15. The undersigned reserves the rights to terminate the contract at any time before expiry of contract period, if the tea plantations are not maintained properly and due to any other reasons which are not conducive.
16. If any of the conditions mentioned above is violated, the contract will be terminated and EMD and all other payments will be forfeited.


(P SUNDARAMBAL)
ACTING HEAD

ANNEXURE - I

Usufructuary rights of plucking tea leaves for the period 01st July, 2023 to
31st March, 2024

Block No.	Name of the Location	Extent (in acres)	Amount (₹)
1	<u>Area to be covered</u> Area near Cattleshed, Fruit Crop Area, Area Behind Meteorology Observatory, New Tea on Riser area, Batter Area, Crop Rotation Area, Area around T & T Experiment, Varietal Trial Area, Land Cover Area and Grades Tea Area at Research Farm, ICAR - IISWC, RC, Udhagamandalam	12.72	

Signature :

Address :

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Mobile / Phone Number :

Aadhaar No. :