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**STUDY OF THE STATUS AND NATURE OF VARIABILITY IN FRESHWATER BIVALVES IN THE
WESTERN GHATS AND IDENTIFICATION OF SPECIES WITH COMMERCIAL VALUE**
Funded by NAIP, ICAR, Government of India (NAIP/C4/C3003/2008-09)

NATIONAL COMPETITIVE BIDDING
SHORT NOTICE FOR INVITATION OF BIDS FOR SUPPLY OF EQUIPMENTS

NCB No. 1

Date: 24.07.2009

1. On behalf of consortium leader namely, Mangalore University, Mangalagangothri for Sub-Project “**Study of the status and nature of variability in freshwater bivalves in the Western Ghats and identification of species with commercial value**” granted by National Agricultural Innovation Project component - 4 in Consortium mode, sealed bids/tenders are invited on prescribed bid form from the intending eligible bidders, manufactures or their authorized dealers by registered/courier/speed post/by hand for procurement of equipment of the following item:

Sl. No.	Description	Quantity
1	Gas chromatograph	1 no.

2. A complete set of bidding documents with terms and conditions, details of the specifications of above items and other details governing the supply can be obtained from the undersigned. This office will not be responsible for any postal delay or non-receipt of the tender form. The provisions of the Instructions to Bidders and in the General Conditions of contract are based on the provisions of the World Bank Standard Bidding Document - Procurement of Goods.

3. (a) Date of pre-bidding conference: 16th September, 2009.

(b) Date of commencement of issuing the bidding document: 14th September, 2009.

(c) Last date to collect bidding document: 13th October, 2009.

(e) Last date and time for receipt of completed bids in the office of The Consortium Principal Investigator, NAIP, ICAR Project, Department of Biosciences, Mangalore University, Mangalagangothri, Mangalore-574199: On or before 13th October, 2009, 17.30 hrs.

(f) Time and date of opening of bids: 14th October, 2009 at 15.00 hrs.

(g) Place of opening of bids: Office of the Consortium Principal Investigator, NAIP, ICAR Project, Department of Biosciences, Mangalore University, Mangalagangothri, Mangalore -574199

4. Each bid/tender form duly completed in all respects should reach this office in stipulated time as indicated. Bids will be opened in the presence of bidders or their representatives who choose to attend on the specified date and time.

5. In the event of the date specified for bid receipt and opening being declared as a closed holiday for purchaser's office, the due date for submission of bids and opening of bids will be the following working day at the appointed times.

6. Rates must include transport (FOR) at Mangalore University, Mangalagangothri, Karnataka and university will provide form C & D.

7. The bid incomplete in any respect, printed literature/ drawing/Users lists/ unsigned bid document received after due date and time, may be liable to be rejected and no correspondence on the subject will be entertained.

8. The right to accept or reject whole or part of the tender or all tenders without assigning any reasons thereof is reserved by the undersigned.

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