INVITATION FOR BIDS (IFB)

DISTRICT SECRETARIAT, AMPARA,

Supply, Delivery, Installation, Testing and Commissioning of One (01) No. 6.5 Ton Paddy Dryer Machine and One (01) No. 3.5 Ton Paddy Dryer Machine, complete with all necessary accessories, at Panankadu, Alavadivembu

The **Chairman of the Department Procurement Committee**, District Secretariat, Ampara, on behalf of the **Ministry of Rural Development, Social Security and Community Empowerment**, invites sealed bids from eligible and qualified bidders for the supply and delivery of good mentioned below table under the **Prajashakthi – National Movement to Eradicate Poverty Programme – 2026.**

Title of Procurement	Supply, Delivery, Installation, Testing and Commissioning of One (01) No. 6.5 Ton Paddy Dryer Machine and One (01) No. 3.5 Ton Paddy Dryer Machine, complete with all necessary accessories, at Panankadu, Alayadivembu
Bid Issuing Period	02.11.2026 to 1611.2026 between 09.00 hrs. and 15.00 hrs.
Non-Refundable Fee	Rs. 5,000.00
Bid Closing	On or before 17.11.2026 at 2.30 p.m.
Bid Opening	17.11.2026 at 2.30 p.m. soon after bid open
Source of Funds	Ministry of Rural Development, Social Security and Community Empowerment – Prajashakthi
Bid Security Amount & Validity Up To	Rs. 199,000.00 & Validity Up To 16.03..2027

Bidding will be conducted through the Limited National Competitive Bidding (LNCB) procedure.

3. Eligibility

To be eligible for contracts bidders must not have been blacklisted

3.1 Bidders for contracts exceeding Rs. 5 million shall be registered with the Register of Public Contracts, Sri Lanka, in terms of the Public Contracts Act No. 3 of 1987, and shall submit a valid Certificate of Registration together with the bid.

5. Bids shall remain valid for 91 days. Each bid shall be accompanied by a Bid Security as mentioned above.

6. Complete Procurement Documents for each Contract, in English, may be purchased by interested Bidders upon submission of a written application to the Chief Accountant, District Secretariat, Ampara, during the respective bid issuing period stated above, upon payment of Rs 5000.00 non-refundable fee. Payment shall be made in cash.

7. Bids shall be delivered to the District Secretary, District Secretariat, Ampara, on or before 17.11.2026 at 2.30 p.m.. Late bids will be rejected. Bids will be opened immediately after the closing time at the District Secretariat, Ampara, in the presence of the Bidders' representatives who choose to attend.

8. A pre-bid meeting will be held at 10.00 hrs. on 11.11..2026 at the District Secretariat, Ampara.

9. The decision of the Procurement Committee shall be final in respect of the award of the Contracts. In the event of any discrepancy between translations, the English version shall prevail.

10. Interested eligible Bidders may obtain further information from the Accounts Unit, District Secretariat, Ampara, during office hours (09.00–16.00 hrs.) at the following telephone numbers: 063 222 2233 / 063 222 4458.

District Secretary
Chairman
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District Secretariat, Ampara

Anupama Mangala Wickramarachchi
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Ampara District