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Feasibility Study and Pilot Framework Design for Cost-Effective Climate Resilient

**Housing in 2 Pilot Districts** 

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## 1 General point

## 1.1 Deviations from the General Implementing Rules

Point 4 "Specific contractual provisions" of these tender documents includes the administrative and contractual terms that apply to this public contract as a deviation of the 'General Implementing Rules of public contracts' (Royal Decree of 14 January 2013) or as a complement or an elaboration thereof.

## 1.2 Contracting authority

The contracting authority of this public contract is Enabel, Belgian development agency, further called "Enabel", public-law company with social purposes, with its registered office at Rue Haute 147, 1000 Brussels in Belgium (enterprise number 0264.814.354, RPM/RPR Brussels).

Enabel, supports the developing countries in the fight against poverty on behalf of the Belgian government. In addition to this public service mission, Enabel also performs services for other national and international organisations contributing to sustainable human development. Moreover, Enabel can also perform other development cooperation missions at the request of public interest organisations, and it can develop its own activities to contribute towards realization of its objectives. For this public contract, Enabel is represented by Representation of Enabel in Mozambique.

#### 1.3 Institutional framework of Enabel

The general reference framework under which Enabel operates is the Belgian Law of 19 March 2013 on Development Cooperation<sup>1</sup>, the Belgian Law of 21 December 1998 establishing the Belgian Technical Cooperation as a public-law company<sup>2</sup> as well as the Belgian Law of 23 November 2017<sup>3</sup> changing the name of the Belgian Technical Cooperation and defining the missions and functioning of Enabel, the Belgian development agency.

The following developments are also a leitmotiv in Enabel operations: We mention as main examples:

- In the field of international cooperation: The United Nations Sustainable Development Goals and the Paris Declaration on the harmonisation and alignment of aid are important touchstones.
- In the field of fighting corruption: The Law of 8 May 2007 approving the United Nations Convention against Corruption, adopted in New York on 31 October 2003<sup>4</sup>, as well as the Law of 10 February 1999 on the Suppression of Corruption transposing the Convention on Combating Bribery of Foreign Public Officials in International Business Transactions;
- In the field of Human Rights: The United Nations' Universal Declaration of Human Rights (1948) as well as the 8 basic conventions of the International Labour Organisation<sup>5</sup> on Freedom of Association (C. n°87), on the Right to Organise and Collective Bargaining (C. n°98), on Forced Labour (C. n°29 and 105), on Equal Remuneration and on Discrimination in Respect of Employment (C. n°100 and 111), on Minimum Age for Admission to Employment (C. n°138), on the Prohibition of the Worst Forms of Child Labour (C. n°182);

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Belgian Official Gazette of 26 March 2013

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Belgian Gazette of 30 December 1998

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Belgian Official Gazette of 11 December 2017

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Belgian Official Gazette of 18 November 2008

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> http://www.ilo.org/ilolex/english/convdisp1.htm.

- In the field of respecting the environment: The Climate Change Framework Convention in Paris, 12 December 2015;
- The first Management Contract concluded between Enabel and the Belgian Federal State, approved by the Royal Decree of 17 December 2017, that sets out the rules and the special conditions for the execution of public service tasks by Enabel on behalf of the Belgian State.

## 1.4 Rules governing the public contract

This public contract shall be governed by the Belgian law, among others:

- The Law of 17 June 2016 on public procurement<sup>6</sup>;
- The Law of 17 June 2013 on motivation, information and remedies in respect of public contracts and certain works, supply and service contracts<sup>7</sup>;
- The Royal Decree of 18 April 2017 concerning the award of public works, supply and service contracts in the classical sector<sup>8</sup>;
- The Royal Decree of 14 January 2013 establishing the General Implementing Rules of public contracts9;
- Circulars of the Prime Minister with regards to public contracts<sup>6</sup>;
- Enabel's Policy regarding sexual exploitation and abuse June 2019;
- Enabel's Policy regarding fraud and corruption risk management June 2019;
- Regulation (EU) 2016/679 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 27 April 2016 on the protection of natural persons regarding the processing of personal data and on the free movement of such data (General Data Protection Regulation 'GDPR'), and repealing Directive 95/46/EC.
- Law of 30 July 2018 on the protection of natural persons regarding the processing of personal data. All Belgian regulations on public contracts can be consulted on <a href="www.publicprocurement.be">www.publicprocurement.be</a>; Enabel's Code of Conduct and the policies mentioned above can be consulted on Enabel's website via <a href="https://www.enabel.be/who-we-are/integrity">https://www.enabel.be/who-we-are/integrity</a>

#### 1.5 Definitions

The following definitions shall be used for the purposes of this contract:

- <u>Contractor / service provider</u>: The tenderer to whom the contract is awarded;
- <u>Contracting authority</u>: Enabel, represented by the Resident Representative of Enabel in Mozambique;
- <u>Corrupt practices</u>: The offer of a bribe, gift, gratuity or commission to any person as an inducement or reward for performing or refraining from any act relating to the award of a contract or implementation of a contract already concluded with the contracting authority;
- <u>Days</u>: In the absence of any indication in this regard in the tender documents and the applicable regulations, all days should be interpreted as calendar days;

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> Belgian Official Gazette of 14 July 2016.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> Belgian Official Gazette of 21 June 2013.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> Belgian Official Gazette of 09 May 2017.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> Belgian Official Gazette of 14 February 2013.

- <u>General Implementing Rules</u>: Rules given in the Royal Decree of 14 January 2013 establishing the general rules for the performance of public contracts;
- <u>Litigation</u>: Court action;
- Technical specifications/Terms of Reference: A specification in a document defining the characteristics of a product or a service, such as the quality levels, the environmental and climate performance levels, the design for all kinds of needs, including access for people with disabilities, and the evaluation of conformity, the product performance, the use of the product, the safety or dimensions, as well as requirements applicable to the product as regards the name under which it is sold, the terminology, symbols, the testing and test methods, the packaging, the marking or labelling, instructions for use, the production processes and methods at any stage of the life cycle of the supply or service, as well as the evaluation and conformity procedures;
- <u>Tender</u>: The commitment of the tenderer to perform the public contract under the conditions that he has submitted;
- <u>Tenderer</u>: The economic operator that submits a tender;
- Tender documents: This document and its annexes and the documents it refers to;
- <u>Variant</u>: An alternative method for the design or the performance that is introduced either at the demand of the contracting authority, or at the initiative of the tenderer.
- Option: A minor and not strictly necessary element for the performance of the procurement contract, which is introduced either at the demand of the contracting authority, or at the initiative of the tenderer;
- <u>Subcontractor in the meaning of public procurement regulations</u>: The economic operator proposed by a tenderer or contractor to perform part of the contract. The subcontractor is understood as the economic operator with the capacity which the applicant or tenderer relies upon or to whom he entrusts all or part of his engagements.
- <u>Controller in the meaning of the GDPR</u>: The natural or legal person, public authority, agency or other body which, alone or jointly with others, determines the purposes and means of the processing of personal data.
- <u>Sub-contractor or processor in the meaning of the GDPR</u>: A natural or legal person, public authority, agency or other body which processes personal data on behalf of the controller.
- Recipient in the meaning of the GDPR: A natural or legal person, public authority, agency or another body, to which the personal data are disclosed, whether a third party or not.
- <u>Personal data</u>: Any information relating to an identified or identifiable natural person ('data subject'); an identifiable natural person is one who can be identified, directly or indirectly, in particular by reference to an identifier such as a name, an identification number, location data, an online identifier or to one or more factors specific to the physical, physiological, genetic, mental, economic, cultural or social identity of that natural person.

## 1.6 Processing of personal data by the contracting authority and confidentiality

#### 1.6.1 Processing of personal data by the contracting authority

The contracting authority undertakes to process the personal data that are communicated to it in response to the Call for Tenders with the greatest care, in accordance with legislation on the protection of personal data (General Data Protection Regulation, GDPR). Where the Belgian law of 30 July 2018 on the protection of natural persons with regard to the processing of personal data contains stricter provisions, the contracting authority will act in accordance with said law.

#### 1.6.2 Confidentiality

The tenderer or contractor and Enabel are bound to secrecy vis-à-vis third parties with regards to any confidential information obtained within the framework of this public contract and will only divulge such information to third parties after receiving the prior written consent of the other party. They will disclose this confidential information only among appointed parties involved in the assignment. They guarantee that said appointed parties will be adequately informed of their obligations in respect of the confidential nature of the information and that they shall comply therewith.

PRIVACY NOTICE OF ENABEL: Enabel takes your privacy serious. We undertake to protect and process your personal data with due care, transparently and in strict compliance with privacy protection legislation. See also: <a href="https://www.enabel.be/gdpr-privacy-notice">https://www.enabel.be/gdpr-privacy-notice</a>

## 1.7 Deontological obligations

- **1.7.1.** Any failure to comply with one or more of the deontological clauses may lead to the exclusion of the candidate, tenderer or contractor from other public procurement contracts for Enabel.
- 1.7.2. For the duration of the procurement contract, the contractor and his staff respect human rights and undertake not to go against political, cultural or religious customs of the beneficiary country. The tenderer or contractor is bound to respect fundamental labour standards, which are internationally agreed upon by the International Labour Organisation (ILO), namely the conventions on union freedom and collective bargaining, on the elimination of forced and obligatory labour, on the elimination of employment and professional discrimination and on the abolition of child labour.
- **1.7.3.** In accordance with Enabel's Policy regarding sexual exploitation and abuse, the contractor and his staff have the duty to behave in an irreproachable manner towards the beneficiaries of the projects and towards the local population in general. They must abstain from any acts that could be considered a form of sexual exploitation or abuse, and they must abide by the basic principles and guidelines laid down in this policy.
- **1.7.4.** Any attempt of a candidate or a tenderer to obtain confidential information, to proceed to illicit arrangements with competitors or to influence the evaluation committee or the contracting authority during the investigation, clarification, evaluation and comparison of tenders and candidate's procedure will lead to the rejection of the application or the tender.
- **1.7.5.** Moreover, in order to avoid any impression of risk of partiality or connivance in the follow-up and control of the performance of the procurement contract, it is strictly forbidden to the contractor to offer, directly or indirectly, gifts, meals or any other material or immaterial advantage, of whatever value, to agents of the contracting authority who are concerned, directly or indirectly, by the follow-up and/or control of the performance of the procurement contract, regardless of their hierarchical rank.

**1.7.6.** The contractor of the procurement contract commits to supply, upon the demand of the contracting authority, any supporting documents related to the performance conditions of the contract. The contracting authority will be allowed to proceed to any control, on paperwork or on site, which it considers necessary to collect evidence to support the presumption of unusual commercial expenditure. Depending on the gravity of the facts observed, the contractor having paid unusual commercial expenditure is liable to have its contract cancelled or to be permanently excluded from receiving funds.

**1.7.7.** In accordance with Enabel's Policy regarding sexual exploitation and abuse of June 2019 and Enabel's Policy regarding fraud and corruption risk management complaints relating to issues of integrity (fraud, corruption, etc.) must be sent to the Integrity desk via <a href="https://www.enabel.be/report-an-integrity-problem">https://www.enabel.be/report-an-integrity-problem</a>

## 1.8 Applicable law and competent court

## 1.9 The public contract must be performed and interpreted according to Belgian law.

The parties commit to sincerely perform their engagements to ensure the good performance of this contract.

In case of litigation or divergence of opinion between the contracting authority and the contractor, the parties will consult each other to find a solution.

If agreement is lacking, the Brussels courts are the only courts competent to resolve the matter. See also point 4.18 "Litigation (Art. 73)".

## 2 Object and scope of the contract

### 2.1 Type of contract

Public service contract for Feasibility Study and Pilot Framework Design for Cost-Effective Climate Resilient Housing in 2 Pilot Districts.

## 2.2 Object and scope of the contract

Public service contract for Feasibility Study and Pilot Framework Design for Cost-Effective Climate Resilient Housing in 2 Pilot Districts.

#### **2.3 Lots**

This tender is divided in two (2) lots. The tenderer can submit bud for one lot or the two lots:

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Lot 1 – Pilot district 1 – Mossuril district in Nampula Province;
Lot 2 – Pilot district 2 – Namacurra district in Zambezia Province;
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## 2.4 Duration

The contract commences upon award notification and has a duration of maximum 90 calendar days. This period encompasses the full scope of activities and reporting.

## 3 Procedure

#### 3.1 Award procedure

This contract is awarded in accordance with Article 42, §1, al. 1, 1°, a) of the Law of 17 June 2016 on public procurement via a Negotiated Procedure without Prior Publication.

#### 3.2 Publication

These tender documents are published on the Enabel website (www.enabel.be).

Interested economical operators that take note of these specifications via the Enabel website and that meet the conditions for participation in this contract are invited to tender.

#### 3.3 Information

The awarding of this contract is coordinated by Mrs. Lidia Uamusse – Public Procurement Assistant of Enabel in Mozambique. Throughout this procedure, all contacts between the contracting authority and the (possible) tenderers about the present contract will exclusively pass through this service / this person. (Possible) tenderers are prohibited to contact the contracting authority any other way with regards to this contract, unless otherwise stipulated in these tender documents.

**Until 6 days** before the deadline to submit a bid, tenderers may ask questions about these Tender Specifications and the public contract. Questions will be in writing to Mrs. Lidia Uamusse (lidia.uamusse@enabel.be) cc tendersmoz@enabel.be

They will be answered in the order received.

Until the notification of the award decision, no information shall be provided about the evolution of the procedure.

The tenderer is supposed to submit his tender after reading and considering any corrections made to the contract notice or the tender documents that are published on the Enabel website or that are sent to him by e-mail.

In accordance with Article 81 of the Royal Decree of 18 April 2017, the tenderer is required to report immediately any gap, error or omission in the tender documents that precludes him from establishing his price or compare tenders, within 10 days at the latest before the deadline for receipt of tenders.

## 3.4 Tender

## 3.4.1 Data to be included in the tender

The tender of the tenderer will consist of the physically separate sections mentioned below (see point 6 "Forms"):

- 1. Form 6.1: Identification form;
- 2. Form 6.2: Financial identification;
- 3. Form 6.3: Declaration on honour exclusion criteria;
- 4. Form 6.4: Integrity statement for the tenderer;
- 5. Power of Attorney;
- 6. Updated certification of registration
- 7. The document certifying that the tenderer is in order with the payment of social contributions;

- 8. The document certifying that the tenderer is in order with the payment of taxes.
- 9. Form 6.9: List of the main similar services and certificates associated.
- 10. Form 6.10: Financial offer & Tender form.
- 11. Form 6.11: Technical offer:

The tenderer is strongly advised to use the tender forms in annex (see point 6 "Forms"). When not using this form, he is fully responsible for the perfect concordance between the documents he has used and the form.

The tender and the annexes to the tender form are drawn up in English or Portuguese.

By submitting a tender, the tenderer automatically renounces to his own general or specific sales conditions.

The tenderer clearly designates in his tender which information is confidential and/or relates to technical or business secrets and may therefore not be disseminated by the contracting authority.

## 3.4.2 Price determination

### All prices given in the tender form must obligatorily be quoted in euro.

This contract is a price-schedule contract, i.e. a contract in which only the unit prices for different phases are lump-sum prices.

According to Art. 37 of the Royal Decree of 18 April 2017, the contracting authority may for the purpose of verifying the prices carry out an audit involving all accounting documents and an on-site audit to check the correctness of the indications supplied.

#### 3.4.3 Elements included in the price

The service provider is supposed to have all necessary expenses included in its prices for the execution of the contract, including all fees and taxes of any kind generally burdening the services, except for value-added tax. The service provider should consider especially the following costs:

- Fees;
- Insurances, visas, communication expenses;
- Per diems and accommodation costs:
- Administrative and secretarial costs;
- The cost of documentation related to the services and possibly required by the contracting authority;
- The production and delivery of documents or pieces related to the execution of the services;
- Reception costs;
- All expenses, personnel costs, and material costs necessary for the execution of this contract;
- Remuneration as copyright fees;
- Purchase or rental from third parties of services necessary for the execution of the contract;
- Communication expenses (including internet), all costs and expenses of personnel or material necessary for the execution of this contract, remuneration as copyright fees, purchase or rental from third parties of services necessary for the execution of the contract.

## Notes: the following should not be included in price and will be directly covered by Enabel

- Any cost related to workshop organization.
- Any cost related to participation of institutional partner representatives such as INGD technicians during field missions.
- International and local travel costs.

International air transport will be reimbursed by ENABEL. Those costs should not be included in

the forfeit price. Those reimbursable expenses will be based on supporting documents. ENABEL approval before incurring the expense is always necessary. Otherwise, the expenditure cannot be reimbursed even with a supporting document:

• International air transport: Airline tickets for international flights between the expert's country of residence and the place of service provision are arranged and covered by the bidder (economy class ticket for the most economically advantageous route).

## Applicable WITHOLDING TAXES should be included in the price

## Additional information on withholding tax

- In the countries of operation, Enabel must almost always deduct local taxes from the income received by non-resident service providers, through a withholding tax.
- The unit price quoted by the tenderer in its tender must include any applicable tax, including the tax that will be deducted at source by Enabel (or another beneficiary of the framework agreement) at the time of payment of the invoice.
  - When the contract is performed, Enabel (or another beneficiary of the framework agreement) will deduct the tax from the amount invoiced by the service provider by means of a deduction of the percentage provided for (and defined by local legislation) (Withholding Tax).
  - In the case of an order originating from a representation or intervention abroad (outside the EU), the withholding tax will be applied to the totality of the services carried out by the service provider (without distinction between work at home or work in the country of intervention).
  - DOUBLE TAXATION CONVENTIONS
  - Tenderers' attention is drawn to the fact that some countries have signed double taxation treaties [e.g. between the tenderer's State of residence and the State of origin (or source, i.e. the State in which the income has its source and Enabel or one of the beneficiaries of this framework agreement has a representation or project outside the EU)].
  - If such an agreement applies, it is the responsibility of each tenderer to check what the legal effects of its application are and how this agreement will affect the taxes charged on the services.
  - The service provider who considers that he is entitled to benefit from a double taxation
    agreement must submit to the contracting authority the declaration for the
    exemption/reduction of withholding tax within five working days of receipt of the
    request setting out the details of the services expected.

## 3.4.4 Period of validity

Tenderers will be bound by their tenders for a period of **90 calendar days** from the deadline for the submission of tenders.

#### 3.5 Submission of tenders

Without prejudice to any variants, each tenderer may only submit one tender per contract.

The offer may be submitted in **English or Portuguese**. It is **NOT** necessary to submit an offer in both languages.

The tender and all accompanying documents must be numbered and signed (**original hand-written signature**) by the tenderer or his/her representative. The same applies to any alteration, deletion or note made to this document. The representative must clearly state that he/she is authorised to commit the tenderer. If the tenderer is a company / association without legal body status, formed by separate natural or legal persons (temporary group or temporary partnership), the tender must be signed by each of these persons.

The tenderer submits his tender as follows:

- One original and one copy of the completed tender will be submitted on paper. One copy
  must be submitted in one or more PDF files on a USB stick before 01/10/2025 at 12:00
  noon.
- It is submitted in a properly sealed envelope bearing the following information:
   Tender MOZ22005-10212

It may be submitted:

a) By courier

In this case, the sealed envelope is put in a second closed envelope addressed to:

Enabel in Mozambique

Av. Kenneth Kaunda, 264

Maputo, Mozambique

b) Delivered by hand with acknowledgement of receipt.

The service can be reached on working days during office hours, from 08:00 to 17:00 (Mozambican time).

#### NB: SUBMISSION OF TENDERS BY E-MAIL ARE PROHIBITED

Only offers received within the deadline will be considered, therefore it is the tenderer's responsibility to ensure that the offers are sent in due time.

Please note that the awarded tenderer will be required to send the hard copies of the complete tender.

#### 3.6 Amending or withdrawing tenders

To change or withdraw a tender already sent or submitted, a written statement is required, which shall be correctly signed by the tenderer or his/her representative.

The object ad the scope of the changes must be described in detail.

Any withdrawal shall be unconditional.

The withdrawal may also be communicated by fax or electronic means, provided that it is confirmed by registered letter deposited at the post office or against acknowledgement of receipt at the latest the day before the tender acceptance deadline.

#### 3.7 Opening of tenders

The tenders must be in the possession of the contracting authority before the final submission date and time specified in point 3.5 "Submission of tenders". The tenders shall be opened behind closed doors without the tenderers.

## 3.8 Evaluation of tenders

The tenderers attention is drawn to Art. 52 of the Law of 17 June 2016 (Prior participation of tenderers) and Art. 51 of the Royal Decree of 18 April 2017 (Conflicts of Interest - Tourniquet).

Any infringement of these measures which may be likely to distort the normal conditions of competition is punishable in accordance with the provisions of Art. 5 of the Law of 17 June 2016 on public procurement. In practice, this penalty consists either of rejecting the offer or of terminating the contract.

## 3.8.1 Exclusion grounds and selection criteria

#### **Exclusion grounds**

By submitting this tender, the tenderer certifies that he is not in any of the cases of exclusion listed in point 6.3 "Declaration on honour".

The tenderer will provide the required supporting document(s) regarding the exclusion criteria mentioned under point 6 "Forms" to the contracting authority at the latest upon contract awarding, namely the following:

- 1. Signed and dated **declaration of honour** form;
- Copies of the most recent documents showing the legal status and place of registration of the tenderer's headquarters (certificate of incorporation or registration...);
- The document certifying that the tenderer is in order with the payment of social contributions;
- 4. The document certifying that the tenderer is in order with the **payment of taxes**.

Pursuant to section 70 of the Law of 17 June 2016, any tenderer who is in one of the situations referred to in sections 67 or 69 of the Law of 17 June 2016 may provide evidence to show that the actions taken by him are sufficient to demonstrate his reliability despite the existence of a relevant ground for exclusion. If this evidence is considered sufficient by the contracting authority, the tenderer concerned is not excluded from the award procedure.

The contracting authority may also check whether there are grounds for exclusion for subcontractor(s) within the meaning of Articles 67 to 69 of the Law of Law of 17 June 2016.

#### 3.8.2 SELECTION CRITERIA

Before proceeding to the evaluation and the comparison of the tenders, the contracting authority examines their regularity regarding ToR and also minimum requirement:

By means of the documents requested in the 'Selection file', the tenderer must prove that he is sufficiently capable, from an economic, financial, as well as technical viewpoints, to successfully perform this public contract.

#### 1. References

The tenderer must demonstrate a proven track record in resilient housing design, disaster risk reduction, or climate-resilient infrastructure, by completing the table below providing details of at least 3 similar assignments for each lot in the past 3 years. These references should include the project name, execution dates, contract amount, name of the contracting entity (public or private bodies), a brief description of the work performed and its relevance to this consultancy.

Similar Services (References)												
Reference project	Contract amount	Date of Completion (from past 3years)	Name of the public or private bodies	Relevance for Present Consultancy								

## 2. Proposed Team - minimum criteria

To effectively carry out the feasibility assessment and pilot implementation of cost-effective resilient housing solutions in the two pilot districts, the consultancy is required to propose a team with combined expertise covering all essential functions necessary for both the study work and the pilot project framework development.

Below is the minimum proposed team composition, aligned with the required qualifications, to be demonstrated through CVs (EU format):

Team Leader / Resilient Housing Specialist

Role: Lead the consultancy, design methodology, oversee analysis, draft reports, and ensure integration of resilience, housing, and preparedness aspects.

- Degree in architecture, civil engineering, or related fields;
- Minimum 8 years of experience in resilient housing;
- Proven track record in leading similar work (assess, develop and pilot resilient housing solutions).
- Fluency in English.

Note:

- Additional members, with expertise aligned to specific project components, may be proposed to enhance team capacity.
- It is highly recommended to propose at least 1 team member with working proficiency in Portuguese.

#### 3.8.3 Award criteria

In accordance with Article 76 of the Royal Decree of April 18, 2017, on the award of public contracts in the traditional sectors, the contracting authority verifies the regularity of bids. Only regular bids will be taken into consideration and evaluated against the award criteria.

Each lot will be awarded to bidders who have not been excluded and who meet the qualitative selection criteria. Tenders will be ranked for each lot according to the following criteria:

## Award criteria (100 Points)

## • Evaluation and awarding criteria

The assessment of proposals will be conducted based on the following criteria, with a total of 100 points.

Criteria	Maximum Points	Details
1.Technical Proposal	70	Comprising Methodology and Work Plan
1.1. Methodology (maximum 5 pages)	40	The methodology will be evaluated based on:  - Clarity and structure of the proposal (5 points): The phases methodology is well-organized, showing logical sequence and linkages between phases and deliverables, as well as clearly written and easy to follow.  - Understanding of context and objectives (10 points): The proposal demonstrates strong understanding of the local context and project goals. Methodology and team composition are adequate to operate in Mozambican context.  - Adequacy of the proposed methodology (20 points): The methodology is appropriate, coherent, and aligned with the objectives. Adequacy of tools and approaches. Inclusion of gender, social inclusion, environmental sustainability, and policy alignment. Evidence of monitoring, learning, and adaptive mechanisms.  - Stakeholder engagement approach (5 points): The proposal outlines a meaningful and inclusive strategy to engage key stakeholders.
1.2. Work Plan (Gantt format)	30	The work plan will be evaluated based on:  - Quality and realism of the work plan (15 points): The work plan is logical, time-bound, and feasible given the scope and local conditions.  - Milestones and Responsibilities (15 points): Clearly defined project phases, deliverables, and role

		assignments	for	all	team	members	s, ensuring				
		comprehensi	ve cove	erage o	of all ex	pected deli	iverables.				
		Evaluation	based	on	the	most	economically				
n Drigo	30	advantageous	S	offe	r,	calculate	ed by:				
2. Price		Points for tender A = (lowest tender amount /									
		tender A amount) × 30									

## 3.9 Negotiations

Enabel reserves the right to negotiate within the limit allowed by the law.

## 3.10 Awarding the public contract

Each lot of the contract will be awarded to the (selected) tenderer who submitted the most advantageous, possibly improved, tender based on the criteria mentioned above. We need to point out though, that in conformity with Art. 85 of the Law of 17 June 2016, there is no obligation for the contracting authority to award the contract.

The contracting authority can renounce to award one or the two LOTS, either redo the procedure, if necessary, through another awarding procedure.

## 3.11 Concluding the contract

Pursuant to Art. 95 of the Royal Decree of 18 April 2017, the contract is formalized by the notification to the chosen tenderers of the approval of his tender. Notification is by registered letter, by fax or by any other electronic means in as far, in the latter two cases, the content of the notification be confirmed within five calendar days by registered letter.

So, the full contract agreement consists of a public contract awarded by Enabel to the chosen tenderer in accordance with the following documents, in the order of precedence:

- these tender documents and the annexes.
- the approved Best and Final Offer (BAFO) of the contractor and all its annexes.
- the notification of the award decision.
- if any, minutes of the information session and/or clarifications and/or the addendum.
- any later documents that are accepted and signed by both parties.

## 4 Specific contractual provisions

This chapter contains the specific contractual provisions that apply to this public contract as a deviation of the 'General Implementing Rules of public contracts' of the Royal Decree of 14 January 2013, or as a complement or an elaboration thereof. The numbering of the articles below (in parenthesis) follows the numbering of the General Implementing Rules articles. Unless indicated, the relevant provisions of the General Implementing Rules shall apply in full.

These tender documents do not derogate from Art. 25-33 of the General Implementing Rules (see point 4.8 "Performance bond (Art. 25-33)").

## 4.1 Definitions (Art. 2)

- Managing official: The official or any other person who manages and controls the performance of the contract;
- <u>Performance bond</u>: Financial guarantee given by the successful tenderer to cover its obligations until final and good performance of the contract;
- Acceptance: Observation by the contracting authority that the performance of all or part of the
  works, supplies or services is in compliance with good practice and with the terms and conditions
  of the contract;
- <u>Progress payment</u>: Payment of an instalment under the contract after service delivery is accepted;
- Advance: Payment of part of the contract before service delivery is accepted;
- <u>Amendment</u>: Agreement established between the contracting parties during contract performance in view of changing documents applicable to the contract.

#### 4.2 Correspondence with the service provider (Art. 10)

Notifications by the contracting authority are addressed to the domicile or to the registered office mentioned in the tender. The contracting authority allows the use of electronic means for the purpose of notification. Whether electronic means are used or not, when communicating, sharing and storing information, data must be kept complete and confidential.

#### 4.3 Managing official (Art. 11)

The managing official will be appointed in the award letter.

Once the contract is concluded, the managing official is the main contact point for the service provider. Any correspondence or any questions with regards to the performance of the contract shall be addressed to him/her, unless explicitly mentioned otherwise in these tender documents (see namely, "Payment" below).

The managing official is fully competent for the follow-up of the satisfactory performance of the contract, including issuing service orders, drawing up reports and states of affairs, approving the services and signing acceptance and failure report(s).

However, the signing of amendments or any other decision or agreement implying a deviation from the essential terms and conditions of the contract are not part of the competence of the managing official. For such decisions the contracting authority is represented as stipulated under point 1.2 "Contracting authority".

Under no circumstances is the managing official allowed to modify the terms and conditions (e.g., performance deadline, etc.) of the contract, even if the financial impact is nil or negative. Any commitment, change or agreement that deviates from the conditions in the tender documents and that has not been notified by the contracting authority, shall be considered null and void.

#### 4.4 Subcontractors (Art. 12-15)

The fact that the contractor entrusts all or part of his commitments to subcontractors does not release him of his responsibility towards the contracting authority. The latter does not recognize any contractual relation with these third parties.

The contractor remains, in any case, the only person liable towards the contracting authority. The contractor commits to having the contract performed by the persons indicated in the tender, except for force majeure. The persons mentioned or their replacements are all deemed to effectively be involved in the performance of the contract. Any replacements must be approved by the contracting authority.

When the contractor uses a subcontractor to carry out specific processing activities on behalf of the contracting authority, the same data protection obligations as those of the contractor are imposed on that subcontractor by contract or any other legal act.

In the same way, the contractor will respect and enforce to his subcontractors, the provisions of Regulation (EU) 2016/679 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 27 April 2016 on the protection of natural persons regarding the processing of personal data and on the free movement of such data (General Data Protection Regulation, GDPR). The contracting authority may conduct an audit of the processing carried out to validate compliance with this legislation.

### 4.5 Confidentiality (Art. 18)

The contractor and his employees are bound by a duty of reserve concerning the information which comes to their knowledge during performance of this contract. This information cannot under any circumstances be communicated to third parties without the written consent of the contracting authority. The contractor may, nevertheless, give this contract as a reference, if it indicates its status correctly (e.g. 'in performance') and that the contracting authority has not withdrawn this consent due to poor contract performance.

In accordance with Article 18 of the Royal Decree of 14 January 2013 establishing the general rules for public procurement, the tenderer undertakes to consider and process in a strictly confidential manner any information, all facts, any documents and/or any data, whatever their nature and support, which have been communicated to him, in any form and by any means, or to which he has access, directly or indirectly, in the context or on the occasion of this public contract. Confidential information covers the very existence of this public contract, without this list being limited.

Therefore, he undertakes to:

• Respect and enforce the strict confidentiality of these elements and to take all necessary precautions in order to preserve their secrecy (these precautions cannot in any case be inferior to those taken by the tenderer for the protection of his own confidential information);

- Consult, use and/or exploit, directly or indirectly, all of the above elements only to the extent strictly necessary to prepare and, if necessary, to carry out this public contract (particularly in accordance with the privacy legislation with respect to personal data processing);
- Not reproduce, distribute, disclose, transmit or otherwise make available to third parties the
  above elements, in whole or in part, and in any form, unless having obtained prior and written
  consent of the contracting authority;
- Return, at the first request of the contracting authority, the above elements;
- In general, not disclose directly or indirectly to third parties, whether for advertising or any other reason, the content of this public contract.

## 4.6 Protection of personal data

## 4.6.1 Processing of personal data by the contracting authority

The contracting authority undertakes to process the personal data that are communicated to it in response to the Call for Tenders with the greatest care, in accordance with legislation on the protection of personal data (General Data Protection Regulation, GDPR). Where the Belgian law of 30 July 2018 on the protection of natural persons regarding the processing of personal data contains stricter provisions, the contracting authority will act in accordance with said law.

## 4.6.2 Processing of Personal Data by a Subcontractor

During contract performance, the contractor may process personal data of the contracting authority or in execution of a legal obligation.

For any processing of personal data carried out in connection with this public contract, the contractor is required to comply with Regulation (EU) 2016/679 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 27 April 2016 on the protection of natural persons with regard to the processing of personal data and on the free movement of such data (GDPR) and the Belgian law of 30 July 2018 on the protection of natural persons with regard to the processing of personal data.

By simply participating in the contracting process, the tenderer certifies that he will strictly comply with the obligations of the GDPR for any processing of personal data conducted in connection with that public contract.

Given the public contract, it is to be considered that the contracting authority and the contractor will each be responsible, individually, for the processing.

#### 4.7 Intellectual property (Art. 19-23)

The contracting authority do not acquire the intellectual property rights created, developed or used during performance of the contract.

#### 4.8 Performance bond (Art. 25-33)

Not applicable for this tender.

#### 4.9 Conformity of performance (Art. 34)

The works, supplies and services must comply in all respects with the contract documents. Even in the absence of technical specifications in contract documents, the works, supplies and services must comply in all respects with good practice.

## 4.10 Changes to the procurement contract (Art. 37 to 38/19)

## 4.10.1 The value of the change is minimal (38/4)

The contracting authority has the right to change the initial tender unilaterally, if the following conditions are respected:

- 1° the scope of the contract remains unaltered.
- 2° the modification is limited to 10 % of the initial awarded amount.

The essential terms and conditions can only be modified with reasons, to be mentioned in an amendment.

## 4.10.2 Adjusting the prices (Art. 38/7)

For this procurement contract, price reviews are not permitted.

# 4.10.3 Indemnities following the suspensions ordered by the contracting authority during performance (Art. 38/12)

<u>The contracting authority</u> reserves the right to suspend the performance of the procurement contract for a given period, mainly when it considers that the procurement contract cannot be performed without inconvenience at that time.

The performance period is extended by the period of delay caused by this suspension, provided that the contractual performance period has not expired. If it has expired, the return of fines for late performance will be agreed.

When activities are suspended, based on this clause, the contractor is required to take all necessary precautions, at his expense, to protect the services already performed and the materials from potential damage caused by unfavourable weather conditions, theft or other malicious acts.

The contractor has a right to damages for suspensions ordered by the contracting authority when:

- The suspension lasts in total longer than one twentieth of the performance time and at least ten working days or two calendar weeks, depending on whether the performance time is expressed in working days or calendar days.
- The suspension is not due to unfavourable weather conditions;
- The suspension occurred during the contract performance period.

Within thirty days of their occurrence or the date on which the contractor or the contracting authority would normally have become aware of them, the contractor reports the facts or circumstances succinctly to the contracting authority and describes precisely their impact on the progress and cost of the procurement contract.

#### 4.10.4 Unforeseen circumstances (Art. 38/9)

As a rule, the contractor is not entitled to any modification of the contractual terms due to circumstances of which the contracting authority was unaware.

A decision of the Belgian State to suspend cooperation with a partner country is deemed to be unforeseeable circumstances within the meaning of this article. Should the Belgian State break off or cease activities which implies therefore the financing of this procurement contract, Enabel will do everything reasonable to agree a maximum compensation figure.

#### 4.11 Preliminary technical acceptance (Art. 41-42)

The contracting authority reserves the right to demand an activity report at any time of the activity to the service provider (meetings held, summary of results, problems encountered, and problems solved, deviation from the planning and deviations from the ToR).

## 4.12 Performance modalities (Art. 146 and seq.)

## 4.12.1 Implementation period (Art. 147)

The period of implementation for these services **are maximum 90 days** (ideally 60) starting the day after the awarding of the tender (awarding letter).

#### 4.12.2 Place where the services shall be performed (Art. 149)

The services shall be performed at the addresses mentioned in the terms of references.

## 4.12.3 Evaluation of the services performed

If during contract performance irregularities are found, the contractor shall be notified about this immediately by fax or e-mail, which shall be confirmed consequently. The contractor is bound to perform the non-complying services again.

When the services have been performed, the quality and conformity of the services shall be evaluated. A report of this evaluation shall be drawn up. The original copy of this report will be sent to the contractor. Any services that have not been performed correctly or in conformity shall be started again.

#### 4.12.4 Liability of the service provider (Art. 152-153)

The service provider takes the full responsibility for mistakes and deficiencies in the services provided. Moreover, the service provider shall guarantee the contracting authority against any claims for compensation for which he is liable towards third parties due to late performance of the services or due to failure of the service provider.

#### 4.13 Zero tolerance sexual exploitation and abuse

In application of Enabel's Policy regarding sexual exploitation and abuse of June 2019 there will be zero tolerance towards any misconduct that could impact the professional credibility of the tenderer.

#### 4.14 Means of action of the contracting authority (Art. 44-51 and 154-155)

Failure of the contractor is not only related to services themselves but also to the whole of his obligations.

In order to avoid any impression of risk of partiality or connivance in the follow-up and control of the performance of the contract, it is strictly forbidden to the contractor to offer, directly or indirectly,

gifts, meals or any other material or immaterial advantage, of whatever value, to the employees of the contracting authority who are concerned, directly or indirectly, by the follow-up and/or control of the performance of the contract, regardless of their hierarchical position.

In case of violation, the contracting authority can impose a set fine to the contractor for each violation, which can be to up to three times the amount obtained by adding up the (estimated) values of the advantage offered to the employee and of the advantage that the successful tenderer hoped to obtain by offering the advantage to the employee. The contracting authority can decide independently about the application and the amount of this fine.

This term is without prejudice to the possible application of other measures as of right provided in the General Implementing Rules, namely the unilateral termination of the contract and /or the exclusion of contracts of the contracting authority for a determined duration.

## 4.14.1 Failure of performance (Art. 44)

The contractor is in failure of performance of the contract:

- When services are not performed in accordance with the conditions defined by the contract documents;
- At any time, when the performance is not conducted in such a way that it can be fully completed at the dates set;
- When the contractor does not follow written orders, which are given in due form by the contracting authority.

Any failure to comply with the provisions of the contract, including the non-observance of orders of the contracting authority, shall be recorded in a 'failure report', a copy of which shall be sent immediately to the successful tenderer by registered letter or equivalent.

The contractor shall repair the deficiencies without any delay. He can assert his right of defence by registered letter addressed to the contracting authority within fifteen calendar days from the date of dispatch of the 'failure report'. His silence is considered, after this period, as an acknowledgement of the facts recorded.

Any deficiencies found on his part render the contractor liable for one or more of the measures provided for in Art. 45 to 49 and 154 and 155.

#### 4.14.2 Fines for delay (Art. 46-154)

Fines for delay are not related to penalties provided under Art. 45. They shall be due, without the need for notice, simply by the expiry of the implementation period without the issuing of a report, and they shall be automatically applied for the total number of days of delay.

Notwithstanding the application of fines for delay, the contractor shall continue to guarantee the contracting authority against any claims for compensation for which it may be liable to third parties due to the delay in performance of the contract.

#### 4.14.3 Measures as of right (Art. 47-155)

§ 1 When upon the expiration of the deadline given in Art. 44, § 2 for asserting his right of defence the successful tenderer has remained inactive or has presented means that are considered unjustified by the contracting authority, the latter may apply the measures as of right described in paragraph 2.

However, the contracting authority may apply measures as of right without waiting for the expiration of the deadline given in Art. 44, § 2, when the successful tenderer has explicitly recognized the deficiencies found.

§ 2 The measures as of right are:

- 1° Unilateral termination of the contract. In this case the entire bond, or if no bond has been posted an equivalent amount, is acquired as of right by the contracting authority as lump sum damages. This measure excludes the application of any fine for delay in performance in respect of the terminated part of the contract;
- 2° Performance under own management of all or part of the non-performed contract;
- 3° Conclusion of one or more replacement contracts with one or more third parties for all or part of the contract remaining to be performed.

The measures referred to in 1°, 2° and 3° shall be taken at the expense and risk of the defaulting contractor. However, any fines or penalties imposed during the performance of a replacement contract shall be borne by the new successful tenderer.

### 4.15 Invoicing and payment of services (Art. 66-72 and 160)

The amount owed to the contractor must be paid within 30 calendar days with effect from the expiry of the verification period (see point 4.16 "Acceptance of the services performed"), and provided that the contracting authority possesses, at the same time, the duly established invoice.

All final invoices must be sent to: <a href="mailto:invoice.moz@enabel.be">invoice.moz@enabel.be</a> , with the Managing Official's email address in copy. Each invoice must include:

The attached Purchase Order (PO) number. Invoices without this PO number will not be processed.

The corresponding delivery notes or acceptance report signed by the Managing Official.

The contractor shall send one copy of the invoice with a copy of the contract acceptance report to the following address:

The invoice shall be in Euros (should the tenderer have a Euro bank account) or MZN (should the tenderer have a Metical bank account). Payment will be by bank transfer only. 20% of the tender amount advance may be asked by the contractor after awarding. Proportional partial payment will be made after acceptance of each phase.

## **Schedule of payments**

The service provider will be paid based on the results

PAYMENTS INSTALMENTS: Payment instalments will follow the following arrangements for each lot:

Phases	Conditionality	Amount percentage
Phase I	Submission and approval of deliverables of Phase I	20%
Phase II, III and IV	Submission and approval of deliverables of Phase II, III and IV	40%
Phase V	Submission and approval of deliverables of Phase V	40%

#### 4.16 Acceptance of the services performed

The services shall be only accepted after fulfilling requirements and after technical acceptance(s). The value of the services performed will be invoiced by the successful bidder after acceptance by Enabel of related deliveries.

#### 4.17 End of the contract (Art. 64-65, 150 and 156-157)

A representative of the contracting authority shall closely follow up the contract during performance (see point 4.3 "Managing official (Art. 11)").

## 4.18 Litigation (Art. 73)

This contract and all legal consequence that might ensue fall fully within the scope of Belgian law. In case of litigation or divergence of opinion between the contracting authority and the contractor, the parties will consult each other to find a solution. If agreement is lacking, the competent courts of Brussels shall have exclusive jurisdiction over any dispute arising from the performance of this contract. French or Dutch are the languages of proceedings.

The contracting authority shall in no case be held liable for any damage caused to persons or property as a direct or indirect consequence of the activities required for the performance of this contract. The contractor guarantees the contracting authority against any claims for compensation by third parties in this respect. In case of "litigation", i.e. court actions, correspondence must (also) be sent to the following address:

Enabel, Public-law Company with social purposes Legal unit of the Logistics and Acquisitions service (L&A) To the attention of Ms. Inge Janssens Rue Haute 147, 1000 Brussels, Belgium.

## 5 Terms of reference

## 5.1 Context and Background

## Mozambique's Housing Vulnerability to Climate Disasters

Mozambique is one of Africa's most disaster-prone countries due to its exposure to cyclones, floods, and droughts. Over the last 40 years, the frequency and intensity of these events have increased, causing widespread destruction, slowing development, and resulting in the loss of lives and livelihoods. Today, 60% of the population and 40% of the national GDP are exposed to multiple hazards each year.

Poor land management and the prevalence of non-resilient housing make the situation worse, especially in high-risk zones. The 2024/2025 cyclone season saw three successive storms—Dikeledi, Chido, and Jude—devastating homes across Cabo Delgado, Nampula, Zambézia, and Niassa. In a single season, over 579,000 households were affected, with more than 107,000 houses destroyed—more than in the previous five years combined.

This escalating damage highlights the urgent need for long-term strategies to reduce risks, save lives, and limit displacement. The situation reflects the priorities of SDG 9 and aligns with Mozambique's Master Plan for Disaster Risk Reduction (2017–2030), both of which promote resilient, affordable infrastructure.

### **About the Tender**

Enabel's 2023–2028 cooperation programme in Mozambique (€25 million) supports climate resilience and energy transition, focusing on inclusive public services in disaster preparedness, water, energy, and waste. It promotes multi-stakeholder engagement to ensure alignment with national priorities and global climate goals.

Under the **Loss and Damage** component, the programme will pilot actions in three districts to strengthen community preparedness to disasters. This includes the piloting of resilient, cost-effective housing in one/two of these districts.

The study will identify practical housing solutions tailored to high-risk areas, aiming to reduce damage, deaths, and displacement. It will inform scalable strategies, ensuring cultural relevance, affordability, and adaptability to local needs.

## Enabel's Mozambique portfolio (2023-2028)

The Belgian-Mozambique Cooperation Strategy 2023-2027, validated by the Belgian Minister of Cooperation in July 2022, addresses the growing climate vulnerability of Mozambique, marked by increasingly intense and frequent extreme weather events.

**General Objective:** The portfolio aims to support and institutionally strengthen Mozambique so that the transition to a climate-resilient and low-carbon economy can be achieved in an inclusive way with consideration of vulnerable communities in both rural and urban areas.

**Specific Objective:** Mozambican authorities and communities, including women, youth, and other vulnerable groups, are strengthened to actively engage together in a —cross-sectoral coordination, specifically focusing on improved climate proofed public services, enabling policies and initiatives for energy transition.

#### **Portfolio Structure:**

The portfolio consists of three interconnected and complementary interventions:

- **1. Intervention 1 Climate Resilience and Energy Transition (CRET):** This is the heart of the portfolio with five components:
  - **a.** Result 1: Policy Dialogue on Climate Resilience and Energy Transition: Improve policy formulation, adoption, and implementation by the Government of Mozambique (GoM), local authorities, communities, and civil society for climate resilience and just energy transition.
  - **b.** Result 2: Losses & Damages: Design and implement climate-resilient and low-carbon plans and budgets focused on anticipating losses and damages.
  - **c. Result 3: Access to Energy:** Enhance access to sustainable and clean public energy services, especially in off-grid areas.
  - **d. Result 4: Access to Water:** Improve the sustainability of climate-resilient drinking water supply and solar-powered irrigation systems in rural areas.
  - **e. Result 5: Waste Management and Circular Economy:** Implement sustainable waste management and promote a circular economy with involvement from government bodies and civil society.
- 2. Intervention 2 STEP: Strengthen capacities and act as a catalyst for mobilizing climate finance for national priorities, aligning closely with the main intervention.
- 3. Intervention 3 Debt for Climate Swap (D4CS): Provide additional funding to support the losses and damages component of the first intervention.

For actions related to Loss and Damage (CRET/Result2 and D4CS), Enabel's support aligns with Mozambique's Master Plan for Disaster Risk Reduction 2017–2030, which aims to mainstream disaster and climate resilience into public planning, budgeting, and investments.

As part of this effort, Enabel will implement a pilot initiative in three districts and two river basins (Meluli and Namacurra) to:

- Strengthen local capacities for risk prevention and adaptive strategies;
- Fund on-the-ground resilience investments through integrated planning;
- Promote dissemination and uptake of early warning systems among communities and local institutions

#### **Key partners**

**INGD** – National Institute for Disaster Risk Management and Reduction

The leading government agency responsible for coordinating national disaster risk reduction and climate resilience initiatives. One of its key mandates is to promote the construction of infrastructure resilient to natural hazards and climate-related phenomena.

#### **INAM - National Institute of Meteorology**

Mozambique's official meteorological authority, responsible for the collection, analysis, and dissemination of climate and weather data for public safety and sustainable development.

#### **DNGRH -** National Directorate of Water Resources Management

An agency of the Ministry of Public Works, Housing and Water Resources, DNGRH manages national water resources to ensure equitable and sustainable use across sectors.

### 5.2 General Objective

To contribute to reducing disaster-related losses and displacement in high-risk districts by promoting resilient, affordable housing solutions and household-level preparedness mechanisms tailored to local contexts.

## 5.3 Specific Objectives

To design and validate feasible, context-appropriate, and resilient housing and preparedness solutions that strengthen disaster risk reduction and climate resilience in selected districts of Mozambique, aligned with INGD and Enabel programme priorities.

#### This includes:

- To assess existing housing typologies, preparedness mechanisms, vulnerabilities, and local construction practices in the target district(s).
- To identify, evaluate, and validate resilient housing models and preparedness options
  that are technically sound, culturally appropriate, gender-sensitive, and socially
  inclusive.
- To co-develop a pilot framework with stakeholders and communities that includes design, costed action plan, capacity building, and monitoring mechanisms.
- To generate actionable recommendations for institutional uptake, policy integration, and future scale-up.

## 5.4 Expected Results

For each lot/district, the expected results are:

- 1. Evidence-based diagnostic on existing housing vulnerabilities, disaster risks, housing practices, preparedness gaps, construction techniques and materials, and enabling conditions in the selected district.
- 2. Comparative analysis of feasible housing and preparedness solutions, including costbenefit, local material use, supply chain considerations, and cultural relevance.
- 3. Shortlist of resilient housing models and preparedness mechanisms with direct inputs from communities and key stakeholders, ensuring alignment with local needs, priorities, and adoption potential.
- 4. A structured and costed pilot framework, ready for institutional validation, including technical designs, preparedness features, delivery modalities, local supply chain strategies, capacity-building needs, community engagement approaches, and cost estimates.

## **5.5** Methodology

For each lot/district, the proposed methodology should be structured around the following four phases:

#### Phase I: Stakeholder Consultation, Desk Review, and Tools Development

- Engage key stakeholders (Enabel, INGD DICORD, and relevant partners) to validate methodology and workplan, clarify expectations, and align priorities.
- Conduct a desk review of relevant studies, assessments, technical standards, policy documents, and other relevant documentation from INGD and other institutions.

- Pre-map existing vulnerabilities, potential local materials, and actors to interact with.
- Develop field tools (e.g. interview guides, diagnostic templates, risk and technical assessment checklists).

#### Deliverables:

- Inception report with validated methodology and work plan;
- Stakeholder mapping and engagement plan;
- Field data collection tools.

## Phase II: Field Diagnostic and Contextual Analysis

- Conduct joint field mission to the selected district with INGD and local partners.
- Assess housing typologies, settlement vulnerability, land use, and environmental constraints.
- Analyse preparedness mechanisms (e.g. evacuation access, shelters, early warning signage) and community level risk awareness.
- Map construction practices, materials, skills, and supply chains.

#### Deliverables:

- District diagnostic report;
- Summary of vulnerabilities, preparedness gaps, and contextual factors.

## Phase III: Solutions identification and Feasibility Analysis

- Develop locally adapted resilient housing and preparedness solutions.
- Conduct a multi-criteria evaluation including technical resilience, cultural
  appropriateness, affordability and supply chain feasibility, gendered usage and social
  inclusion, environmental sustainability.
- Conduct cost-benefit analysis and barrier/enabler mapping for adoption and scaleup.

#### Deliverables:

- Comparative analysis of housing and preparedness solutions;
- Cost-benefit and feasibility matrix;
- Draft shortlist of prioritized solutions.

## **Phase IV: Participatory Validation**

- Present findings and proposed solutions to communities, INGD, and key stakeholders.
- Gather structured feedback.
- Adjust recommendations based on acceptability, risks, preferences, and trade-offs identified.

#### **Deliverables:**

- Summary report of feedback and adjustments made;
- Revised shortlist of housing models and preparedness mechanisms.

## **Phase V: Pilot Framework and Recommendations**

- Develop a pilot framework including:
  - Objectives and outcomes;
  - o Pilot locations and beneficiary selection criteria;

- Selected housing models and preparedness features;
- o Roles and responsibilities of stakeholders;
- Required capacity-building and training for builders, artisans, and authorities.
- o Monitoring, learning, and adaptive feedback mechanisms.
- Prepare a costed action plan and timeline for implementation.
- Present the final framework and recommendations to Enabel, INGD, and partners for institutional validation.

#### **Deliverables:**

- Pilot framework document (technical annexes, implementation plan, M&E outline);
- Costed action plan with timeline and stakeholder roles;
- Final feasibility report integrating findings, validated recommendations, and annexes.

## 5.6 Estimated work load

The "man/days" figures provided below are indicative estimates. The selected contractor is responsible for preparing a detailed work plan that effectively allocates resources to carry out all required activities across the specified phases, in accordance with the scope outlined in this contract. The total remuneration will be a lump-sum fee encompassing all services and deliverables necessary to successfully complete the feasibility study and ensure the project's objectives are achieved.

Lot	Workload in days								
Lot	Field	Office							
Lot 1 – Mossuril District – Nampula Province	15	20							
Lot 2 – Namacurra District – Zambezia Province	15	20							

## 5.7 Prices

Description	Unit	Unit price in Euro (Excl. VAT)
	Lump sum	
Lot 1 – Mossuril district in Nampula Province		
Lot 2 – Namacurra district in Zambezia Province	Lump sum	
TOTAL	Lump sum	

The service provider is supposed to have all necessary expenses included in its prices for the execution of the contract, including all fees and taxes of any kind generally burdening the services, except for value-added tax. The service provider should consider especially the following costs:

- Fees:
- Insurances, visas, communication expenses;
- International and local travel costs;
- Per diems and accommodation costs;
- Administrative and secretarial costs;

- The cost of documentation related to the services and possibly required by the contracting authority;
- The production and delivery of documents or pieces related to the execution of the services;
- Reception costs;
- All expenses, personnel costs, and material costs necessary for the execution of this contract;
- Remuneration as copyright fees;
- Purchase or rental from third parties of services necessary for the execution of the contract;
- Communication expenses (including internet);
- all costs and expenses of personnel or material necessary for the execution of this
  contract, remuneration as copyright fees, purchase or rental from third parties of services
  necessary for the execution of the contract.

#### Notes:

- Any cost related to participation of institutional partner representatives such as INGD technicians during field missions should not be included in price and will be directly covered by Enabel.
- Any cost related to organization of workshop (space and catering), if required, will be directly covered by Enabel, based on Terms of Reference shared by service provider.

## 6 Forms

## 6.1 Identification forms (6.1.1 or 6.1.2 or 6.1.3, depending on your status)

## 6.1.1 Natural person

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I. PERSONAL DATA		
FAMILY NAME(S)①		
FIRST NAME(S)(1)		
DATE OF BIRTH		
DD MM YYYY		
PLACE OF BIRTH COUNTRY (CITY, VILLAGE)	OF BIF	ктн
TYPE OF	IDENTITY DOCUME	ENT
IDENTITY CARD PASSPORT DRIVING LICEN	NCE② OTHER③	
ISSUING COUNTRY		
IDENTITY DOCUMENT NUMBER		
PERSONAL IDENTIFICATION NUMBER®		
PERMANENT PRIVATE ADDRESS		
POSTCODE P.O. BOX	СІТУ	
REGION(5)	COUNTRY	
PRIVATE PHONE		
PRIVATE E-MAIL		
II. BUSINESS DATA	If YES, please provide business data and attach copie	es of
	the official supporting documents.	
Do you run your own business without a separate legal personality (e.g. sole traders, self-employed etc.) and you provide as such services to the	BUSINESS NAME	
Commission, other Institutions, Agencies and EU-Bodies?	(if applicable)	
YES NO	VAT NUMBER	
	REGISTRATION NUMBER	
	PLACE OF REGISTRATION: CITY	
	COUNTRY	
DATE	SIGNATURE	

As indicated on the official document.

② Accepted only for Great Britain, Ireland, Denmark, Sweden, Finland, Norway, Iceland, Canada, United States and Australia.

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lacktriangledown See table with corresponding denominations by country.

To be completed with Region, State or Province by non EU countries only, excluding EFTA and candidate countri

#### 6.1.2 Public law body 1

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OFFICIAL					NAME@
ABBREVIATION					
MAIN REGISTRATION	NUMBER(3)				
SECONDARY REGISTR. (if applicable)	ATION NUMBER				
PLACE			OF		MAIN
REGISTRATION		CITY		COUNTRY	
DATE	OF			MAIN	REGISTRATION
		DD	MM	YYYY	
VAT NUMBER					
OFFICIAL					ADDRESS
POSTCODE	P.O. BOX			CITY	
COUNTRY				PHONE	
E-MAIL					
		STAMP			
DATE					
SIGNATURE O REPRESENTATIVE	F AUTHORISED				
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① Public law body WITH LEGAL PERSONALITY, meaning a public entity being able to represent itself and act in its own name, i.e. being capable of suing or being sued, acquiring and disposing of property, entering into contracts. This legal status is confirmed by the official legal act establishing the entity (a law, a decree, etc.).

<sup>(2)</sup> National denomination and its translation in EN or FR if existing.

 $<sup>\</sup>begin{tabular}{ll} \hline \textbf{3} & \textbf{Registration number in the national register of the entity.} \\ \hline \end{tabular}$ 

## **6.2** Financial identification

BANKING DETAILS				
ACCOUNT NAME 10				
IBAN/ACCOUNT NUMBER <sup>11</sup>				
NIB				
CURRENCY				
BIC/SWIFT CODE				
BANK NAME				
	<u> </u>			
ADDRESS OF BANK BRAN	СН			
STREET & NUMBER				
TOWN/CITY		POST CODE		
COUNTRY				
ACCOUNT HOLDER'S DAT AS DECLARED TO THE BANK				
ACCOUNT HOLDER				
STREET & NUMBER				
TOWN/CITY		POST CODE		1
COUNTRY		I		
SIGNATURE OF ACCOUNT HO	OLDER (Obli	gatory)	DATE (Obligato	ry)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>10</sup> This does not refer to the type of account. The account name is usually the one of the account holder. However, the account holder may have chosen a different name to its bank account.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>11</sup> Fill in the IBAN Code (International Bank Account Number) if it exists in the country where your bank is established.

#### 6.3 Declaration on honour - exclusion criteria

Hereby, I / we, acting as legal representative(s) of above-mentioned tenderer, declare that the tenderer does not find himself in one of the following situations:

- 1) The tenderer or one of its 'directors [1]' was found guilty following a conviction by final judgement for one of the following offences:
  - 1° involvement in a criminal organisation
  - 2° corruption
  - 3° fraud
  - 4° terrorist offences, offences linked related to terrorist activities or incitement to commit such offence, collusion or attempt to commit such an offence
  - 5° money laundering or terrorist financing
  - 6° child labour and other trafficking in human beings
  - 7° employment of foreign citizens under illegal status
  - 8° creating a shell company.
- 2) The counterparty which fails to fulfil his obligations relating to the payment of taxes or social security contributions for an amount in excess of EUR 3 000, except if the counterparty can demonstrate that a contracting authority owes him one or more unquestionable and due debts which are free of all foreseeable liabilities. These debts are at least of an amount equal to the one for which he is late in paying outstanding tax or social charges.
- 3) The counterparty who is in a state of bankruptcy, liquidation, cessation of activities, judicial reorganisation or has admitted bankruptcy or is the subject of a liquidation procedure or judicial reorganisation, or in any similar situation resulting from a procedure of the same kind existing under other national regulations;
- 4) When Enabel can demonstrate by any appropriate means that the counterparty or any of its directors has committed serious professional misconduct which calls into question his integrity.

Are also considered such serious professional misconduct:

- a. A breach of Enabel's Policy regarding sexual exploitation and abuse June 2019
- A breach of Enabel's Policy regarding fraud and corruption risk management June 2019
- c. A breach of a regulatory provision in applicable local legislation regarding sexual harassment in the workplace
- d. The counterparty was seriously guilty of misrepresentation or false documents when providing the information required for verification of the absence of grounds for exclusion or the satisfaction of the selection criteria, or concealed this information
- e. Where Enabel has sufficient plausible evidence to conclude that the counterparty has committed acts, entered into agreements or entered into arrangements to distort competition

The presence of this counterparty on one of Enabel's exclusion lists as a result of such an act/agreement/arrangement is considered to be sufficiently plausible an element.

5) When a conflict of interest cannot be remedied by other, less intrusive measures;

- 6) When significant or persistent failures by the counterparty were detected during the execution of an essential obligation incumbent on him in the framework of a previous contract, a previous contract placed with another contracting authority, when these failures have given rise to measures as of right, damages or another comparable sanction.
  - Also, failures to respect applicable obligations regarding environmental, social and labour rights, national law, labour agreements or international provisions on environmental, social and labour rights are considered 'significant'.
  - The presence of the counterparty on the exclusion list of Enabel because of such a failure serves as evidence.
- 7) Restrictive measures have been taken vis-à-vis the counterparty with a view of ending violations of international peace and security such as terrorism, human-rights violations, the destabilisation of sovereign states and de proliferation of weapons of mass destruction.
  - The counterparty or one of its directors are on the lists of persons, groups or entities submitted by the United Nations, the European Union and Belgium for financial sanctions:

For the United Nations, the lists can be consulted at the following address:

 $\underline{https://finances.belgium.be/fr/tresorerie/sanctions-financieres/sanctions-internationales-nations-unies}$ 

For the European Union, the lists can be consulted at the following address:

https://finances.belgium.be/fr/tresorerie/sanctions-financieres/sanctions-europ%C3%Agennes-ue

https://eeas.europa.eu/headquarters/headquarters-homepage/8442/consolidated-list-sanctions en

https://eeas.europa.eu/sites/eeas/files/restrictive measures-2017-01-17-clean.pdf For Belgium:

https://finances.belgium.be/fr/sur le spf/structure et services/administrations generale s/tr%C3%A9sorerie/contr%C3%B4le-des-instruments-1-2

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#### 6.4 Integrity statement for the tenderers

Hereby, I / we, acting as legal representative(s) of above-mentioned tenderer, declare the following:

- Neither members of administration or employees, or any person or legal person with whom
  the tenderer has concluded an agreement in view of performing the public contract, may
  obtain or accept from a third party, for themselves of for any other person or legal person, an
  advantage appreciable in cash (for instance, gifts, bonuses or any other kind of benefits),
  directly or indirectly related to the activities of the person concerned for the account of Enabel.
- The board members, staff members or their partners have no financial or other interests in the businesses, organisations, etc. that have a direct or indirect link with Enabel (which could, for instance, bring about a conflict of interests).
- I have / we have read and understood the articles about deontology and anti-corruption included in the Tender Documents (see 1.7.), as well as *Enabel's Policy regarding sexual exploitation and abuse* of June 2019 and *Enabel's Policy regarding fraud and corruption risk management* of June 2019 and I / we declare fully endorsing and respecting these articles.

If above-mentioned public contract is awarded to the tenderer, I/we declare, moreover, agreeing with the following provisions:

- In order to avoid any impression of risk of partiality or connivance in the follow-up and control of the performance of the public contract, it is strictly forbidden to the public contractor (i.e. members of the administration and workers) to offer, directly or indirectly, gifts, meals or any other material or immaterial advantage, of whatever value, to the employees of Enabel who are concerned, directly or indirectly, by the follow-up and/or control of the performance of the public contract, regardless of their hierarchical rank.
- Any (public) contract will be terminated, once it appears that contract awarding or contract
  performance would have involved the obtaining or the offering of the above-mentioned
  advantages appreciable in cash.
- Any failure to comply with one or more of the deontological clauses will be considered as a serious professional misconduct which will lead to the exclusion of the contractor from this and other public contracts for Enabel.
- The public contractor commits to supply, upon the demand of the contracting authority, any supporting documents related to the performance conditions of the contract. The contracting authority will be allowed to proceed to any control, on paperwork or on site, which it considers necessary to collect evidence to support the presumption of unusual commercial expenditure.

Finally, the tenderer takes cognisance of the fact that Enabel reserves the right to lodge a complaint with the competent legal instances for all facts going against this statement and that all administrative and other costs resulting are borne by the tenderer.

Signature	preceded	by 'read	and	approved',	in	writing,	and	indication	of	name	and	function	of the
person sig	ning:												

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#### 6.5 Power of attorney

The tenderer shall include in his tender the **power of attorney empowering the person signing the tender** on behalf of the company, joint venture or consortium.

In case of a **joint venture**, the joint tender must specify the role of each member of the tendering party. A group leader must be designated and the power of attorney must be completed accordingly.

## 6.6 Certification of registration and / or legal status

The tenderer shall include in his tender copies of the most recent documents<sup>12</sup> showing the **legal status** and **place of registration** of the tenderer's headquarters (certificate of incorporation or registration...).

## 6.7 Certification of clearance with regards to the payments of social security contributions

The tenderer shall include in his tender a **recent certification**<sup>12</sup> from the competent authority stating that he is **in order with its obligations with regards to the payments of social security contributions** that apply by law in the country of establishment.

## 6.8 Certification of clearance with regards to the payments of applicable taxes

The tenderer shall include in his tender a **recent certification**<sup>12</sup> (up to 1 year) from the competent authority stating that the tender is **in order with the payment of applicable taxes** that apply by law in the country of establishment.

### 6.9 Financial offer & tender form

By submitting this tender, the tenderer commits to performing this public contract in conformity with the provisions of the Tender Specifications and explicitly declares accepting all conditions listed in the Tender Specifications and renounces any derogatory provisions such as his own general sales conditions.

The service provider is supposed to have **included in its prices**, both unit and overall, all fees and taxes of any kind generally burdening the services, except for value-added tax. All the following expenses are the responsibility of the service provider, including:

- Fees.
- Local travel, insurance, visas, communication expenses.
- Per diems and accommodation costs.
- Administrative and secretarial costs.
- The cost of documentation related to the services and possibly required by the contracting authority.
- The production and delivery of documents or pieces related to the execution of the services.
- Reception costs.
- All expenses, personnel costs, and material costs necessary for the execution of this contract.
- Remuneration as copyright fees.
- Purchase or rental from third parties of services necessary for the execution of the contract.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>12</sup> In case of a joint venture, the certificate must be submitted for all members of the tendering party.

- Communications expenses (including internet), all costs and expenses of personnel or material necessary for the execution of this contract, remuneration as copyright fees, purchase or rental from third parties of services necessary for the execution of the contract. International air transport will be **reimbursed by ENABEL.** Those costs should not be included in the forfeit price. Those reimbursable expenses will be based on supporting documents. ENABEL approval before incurring the expense is always necessary. Otherwise, the expenditure cannot be reimbursed even with a supporting document:
- International air transport: Airline tickets for international flights between the expert's country of residence and the place of service provision are arranged and covered by the bidder (economy class ticket for the most economically advantageous route).

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- Fees:
- Local travel, insurance, visas, communication expenses;
- Per diems and accommodation costs;
- Administrative and secretarial costs;
- The cost of documentation related to the services and possibly required by the contracting authority;
- The production and delivery of documents or pieces related to the execution of the services;
- Reception costs;
- All expenses, personnel costs, and material costs necessary for the execution of this contract;
- Remuneration as copyright fees;
- Purchase or rental from third parties of services necessary for the execution of the contract.
- But also communication expenses (including internet), all costs and expenses of personnel or
  material necessary for the execution of this contract, remuneration as copyright fees, purchase
  or rental from third parties of services necessary for the execution of the contract.
- Applicable WHITHOLDING TAXES

#### Additional information on withholding tax

- In the countries of operation, Enabel must almost always deduct local taxes from the income received by non-resident service providers, through a withholding tax.
- The unit price quoted by the tenderer in its tender must include any applicable tax, including the tax that will be deducted at source by Enabel (or another beneficiary of the framework agreement) at the time of payment of the invoice.
  - When the contract is performed, Enabel (or another beneficiary of the framework agreement) will deduct the tax from the amount invoiced by the service provider by means of a deduction of the percentage provided for (and defined by local legislation) (Withholding Tax).
  - In the case of an order originating from a representation or intervention abroad (outside the EU), the withholding tax will be applied to the totality of the services carried out by the service provider (without distinction between work at home or work in the country of intervention).
  - DOUBLE TAXATION CONVENTIONS
  - Tenderers' attention is drawn to the fact that some countries have signed double taxation treaties [e.g. between the tenderer's State of residence and the State of origin (or source, i.e. the State in which the income has its source and Enabel or one of the beneficiaries of this framework agreement has a representation or project outside the EU)].
  - If such an agreement applies, it is the responsibility of each tenderer to check what the legal effects of its application are and how this agreement will affect the taxes charged on the services.

• The service provider who considers that he is entitled to benefit from a double taxation agreement must submit to the contracting authority the declaration for the exemption/reduction of withholding tax within five working days of receipt of the request setting out the details of the services expected.

For the financial offer, the proponent will have to fill in the following table:

Description	Unit	Unit price in Euro (Excl. VAT)
	Lump	
	sum	
Lot 1 – Mossuril district in Nampula Province		
	Lump	
	sum	
Lot 2 – Namacurra district in Zambezia Province		
	Lump	
TOTAL	sum	

ATTENTION!	
-The tenderer must include in his price the applicable WITHOLDDING TAX	
-The tenderer must submit prices in EURO	

Name and first name:
Duly authorised to sign this tender on behalf of:
Place and date:
Signature: