**Wellbeing and Resilience within Rural Communities in Tajikistan (WRRC) PROJECT**

Tender for SUPPLY OF BUILDING MATERIALS AND THE CONSTRUCTION OF 9 SOLAR GREENHOUSES FOR WOMEN PRODUCTION GROUPS & SCHOOLS

**Organization Background**

Set up in 1976, *Geres* is an international development NGO which works to improve the living conditions of the poorest and tackle climate change and its impacts. As a grassroots actor, *Geres* considers the energy transition as a major lever in all its actions. In order to drive societal change, *Geres* promotes the development and dissemination of innovative and local solutions, supports climate-energy policies and actions and encourages everyone to commit to Climate Solidarity by taking action and supporting vulnerable populations.

In Central Asia, *Geres* has been working in the sphere of **energy poverty** and **access** thereof, **energy efficiency in building, bioclimatic solutions in the agricultural sector** & overall better **(natural) resource management**, employing inclusive market-based approaches and access to finance.

In Tajikistan, *Geres* has held a permanent representation office since 2011 working in bioclimatic solutions (solar passive greenhouses and cellars) for the small-scale agriculture sector and in energy-efficient construction (thermal retrofitting and Low Energy Consumption Houses) with the support of various donors such as AFD, EU, Foundation Abbé Pierre, British Embassy, etc.

In 2022 Geres expanded its work into Rasht valley, to enhance the well-being and resilience of remote communities facing harsh winter conditions. The work is funded by the EU and carried out in partnership with international and local organizations. Geres expertise contributes to energy-efficient construction, thermal rehabilitation of schools and promotion of energy efficiency in communities. In parallel, the upgrades of rural infrastructure for improved agricultural practices are implemented with the construction of passive solar greenhouses and efficient bioclimatic storage units as well as the rehabilitation of existing solutions.

**Description Of The Present Call**

As part of the WRRC project, 9 solar greenhouses for Women Production Groups & schools will be constructed in Tojikobod, Rasht and Lakhsh. The list of works to be conducted is prepared by Geres experts who will be working closely with the contractor winning the bid. Geres is seeking a contractor for the entire project including supply, delivery of building materials and execution of works.

**Geres** is pleased to invite all interested qualified companies to submit bids for:

**“Supply of building materials and the construction of 9 solar greenhouses for Women Production Groups & schools in Tojikobod, Rasht and Lakhsh, Tajikistan”**

This tender will be implemented in the framework of the "Welbeing and Resilience within rural communities in Tajikistan (WRRC)" project, funded by the European Union.

All the envelopes containing the bid documents sealed with indication **“Tender for supply of building materials and the construction of 9 solar greenhouses for Women Production Groups & schools”** must be delivered to the following address, not later than 17:00 GMT+5, May 23, 2024:

Akademics Rajabovs str. 7, Dushanbe, Tajikistan, post index 734000, where the tender opening ceremony is held.

Prices of materials including delivery costs to Tojikobod, Rasht and Lakhsh the costs of works must be indicated in TJS in the Bill of Quantities. VAT must be shown separately.

**Note:** The following documents must be included in the envelope along with the proposal for participation in the tender. In the absence of the following documents, commercial offers WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED:

* Legal documents certifying the status of the tenderer (copy of a valid license on performing the business activities of the company, certificate of registration, Tax Identification Number (TIN))
* Delivery time, payment procedure and validity period of the offer.
* Letters of recommendation from 3 organizations with which the company worked for the last 3 years (to be indicated in the form 4.2 of the tender dossier)
* A copy of the certificate from the local tax authorities in the absence of any debts (for the last 3 months; the winner of the tender will be requested to provide the original copy of the certificate).
* Bank details of the participant.
* Address, contact phone number and e-mail address of the company (on the envelope).

Time schedule:

• Announcement date – 25/04/2024

• Opening date of tender offers – 24/05/2024

• Contract notice - 31/05/2024

If you are interested in participating in the tender, in case of any questions, please contact Geres Tajikistan by the following e-mail: tajikistan@geres.eu

For a full package of tender dossier, please follow the below link below:

[Tender announcement package](https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1qGTQ5K8IRTxpbDzJk3FjgYMsJzlBsqGM?usp=sharing)

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