Benefits

- Promotion of sustainable natural resource management
- Promotion of farmer to farmer learning exchange tours
- Establishment, strengthening and operationalizing innovation platforms
- Creation of effective channels for farmers to access markets and credit
- Production and multiplication of quality and adequate seeds of the relevant crop
- Production of dissemination and extension materials
- Mobilization of farmers and stakeholders for up-scaling of technologies

Type of activities will include but not limited to:

- Eligible actions to be supported

Call for Proposal guidelines. The target counties for each technology Lot (1-13) and Mombasa) depending on the business case that will be made as per the application. Actions must take place in one or more of the 45 counties (excluding Nairobi and Mombasa) and must be compliant with all national and local laws and regulations including but not limited to tax regulation, health and safety and environmental standards.

Actions can be implemented by one organization or multiple organizations in partnership with KALRO in the respective KALRO Institute/Centre. KALRO and her partners will provide and backstop the technological packages that have been developed by KALRO and its partners. Proposals that are innovative, and promote adoption of existing proven and climate smart technologies that are essential to carry it out. If that is the case, the lead applicant must justify the need for full financing. KALRO is not obliged to award all the funds under this call.

Who can apply?

In order to be eligible for a grant, the lead applicant must:

- be a legal person or an entity without legal personality or a natural person and be non-profit making and be a specific type of organisation such as: non-governmental organisations, public institutions such as a cooperative society or a farmer association, Common Interest group (CIG), Community based Organisation (CBO), farmer association, Common Interest group (CIG), Community based Organisation (NGO),
- be duly incorporated in Kenya and operating under the applicable Kenya Law;
- be compliant with all national and local laws and regulations including but not limited to tax regulation, health and safety and environmental standards;

Who can apply?

Any support requested must fall within the following range a) Minimum amount: Euro 50,000 and b) Maximum amount: Euro 60,000. Any grant requested must fall between the following minimum and maximum percentages of total eligible costs of the action: a) Minimum percentage: 50% of the total eligible costs of the action, b) Maximum percentage: 90% of the total eligible costs of the action.

Size of financial support

In order to be eligible for a grant, the lead applicant must:

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- be non-profit making
- be a specific type of organisation such as: non-governmental organisations, public institutions such as a cooperative society or a farmer association, Common Interest group (CIG), Community based Organisation (CBO), farmer association, Common Interest group (CIG), Community based Organisation (NGO),
- be duly incorporated in Kenya and operating under the applicable Kenya Law;
- be compliant with all national and local laws and regulations including but not limited to tax regulation, health and safety and environmental standards;

Applications must be submitted in one original and 3 copies in A4 size, bound.

Duration of Financial Support

The duration of financial support will be for a minimum of 24 months and a maximum of 36 months from the signature date of the contract. Subgrant will be disbursed based on a negotiated workplan, budget and milestone structure.

How to apply?

Applications must be submitted in one original and 3 copies in A4 size, each bound. The complete application form (ANNEX A1: concept note and ANNEX 2A: full application) along with a logical framework (ANNEX C) and organization data form (ANNEX F) must also be supplied in electronic format (Flash Disk as separate files but in a single folder). The electronic file must contain exactly the same content as the paper version enclosed. The checklist and the declaration by the lead applicant must be stapled separately and enclosed in the envelope as specified in the call for proposal guidelines (maximum of 3 applications per lot), each one has to be sent separately.

The outer envelope must bear the reference number and the title of the call for proposals, together with the title and number of the lot, the full name and address of the lead applicant and the number of the lot. Not to be opened before the opening session.

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