**Invitation for Bids**

Dated: 30th September, 2019

The **Office of the Director, Mango Research Institute, Multan** has received budget from Punjab Agricultural Research Board under the PARB project titled: “Nutrition Enhancement of Crops, Fruits, Vegetables and Their Products Under Climate Change Scenario” (PARB Project No 904). It is intended that part of the proceeds of this budget will be applied to payments under the contract for supply of following items:

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<td>Procurement of Near Infrared (NIR) Spectrometer</td>
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<td>Handheld Produce Quality Tester</td>
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2. Director Mango/Team Leader PARB Project No. 904/Component-VII, invites separate sealed bids for the supply of above mentioned items from original manufacturers/authorized dealers/distributers.

3. Bidding shall be conducted through Open Competitive Bidding (Single Stage-Two Envelope) procedures specified in the Punjab Procurement Rules-2014 (amended 2016), and is open to all eligible bidders as defined in the bidding document.

4. Interested eligible bidders may obtain bidding documents during office hours after payment of Rs. 250/- for each item from Office of the Director/ Team Leader PARB Project No. 904, Mango Research Institute, Old Shujabad Road, Multan.

5. The provisions in the Instructions to Bidders and in the General Conditions of Contract are the provisions of the Bidding Documents.

6. Sealed Bids must be delivered to the above office on or before 09:30 pm on 18-10-2019. Technical Proposals must be accompanied by a Bid Security as mentioned above in the form of CDR, Pay Order or Demand Draft duly issued from a Scheduled Bank of Pakistan.

7. Bids will be opened in the presence of bidder’s representatives who choose to attend at 10:00 a.m. in the Office of the Director, Mango Research Institute, Old Shujabad Road, Multan on the same date.

8. The bidders are requested to give their best and final prices (inclusive of all applicable Taxes) as no negotiations are expected.

9. Taxes will be deducted as per applicable government rates. The Bidders must be on Active Taxpayers’ List (ATL) of Federal Board of Revenue (FBR) for Income Tax and General Sales Tax. NTN and Sales Tax registration certificate must be provided with the Technical Proposal.

10. Verified bill of lading, import duty/custom duty paid etc. should be provided at the time of supply.

11. This advertisement is also available on www.aari.punjab.gov.pk and http://www.ppra.punjab.gov.pk

12. For obtaining any further information or clarifications, please contact the person named below:

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