



INVITATION

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST TO LEASE STATE LAND

IN LINE WITH THE STATE LAND LEASE AND DISPOSAL POLICY, THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND LAND REFORM INVITES POTENTIAL LESSEES TO APPLY TO LEASE THE FOLLOWING FARMS SITUATED IN JB MARKS LOCAL MUNICIPALITY.

1. REMAINING EXTENT OF GROOTBOS 149 IP MEASURING 713.0714 HECTARES FOR A PERIOD OF 30 YEARS. Ref: NWP-G-001

The farm is ideal for livestock farmers with demonstrable track records of achievement and success. The track records will be a key consideration in the initial selection and shortlisting of potential lessees.

1.1 QUALIFYING CRITERIA:

To qualify the applicant must meet the following requirement:

1. The applicant must be an African, Indian or Coloured South African Citizen;
2. The applicant must be 18 years or above;
3. Have experience in livestock farming or related business management experience and relevant capital/financial requirements
4. Spouses of Public Servants shall qualify
5. Preference will be given to smallholder or semi-commercial farmers who are women, youth and people with disabilities.
6. Preference will be given to residents of Dr. Kenneth Kaunda District.
7. Must have branding certificate

2. PORTION 5 OF THE FARM GROOTBOS 149 IP MEASURING 713.0715 HECTARES FOR A PERIOD OF 30 YEARS. Ref: NWP-G-002

The farm is ideal for livestock and crop farmers with demonstrable track records of achievement and success. The track records will be a key consideration in the initial selection and shortlisting of potential lessees.

2.1 QUALIFYING CRITERIA:

To qualify the applicant must meet the following requirement:

1. The applicant must be an African, Indian or Coloured South African Citizen;
2. The applicant must be 18 years or above;
3. Have experience in livestock and crop farming or related business management experience and relevant capital/financial requirements
4. Spouses of Public Servants shall qualify.
5. Preference will be given to Smallholder/ Semi commercial farmers within the Dr Kenneth Kaunda District.
6. Must have branding certificate and mechanization in good working condition (Tractor/s and or implements)

Selection and Approval Process:

1. Shortlisting and interview of the shortlisted candidates will be done by the District Beneficiary Selection Committee (DBSC).
2. Final approval for allocation rests with the National Land Acquisition and Allocation Control Committee (NLAACC) and concurrence by MCM.

Please Note:

1. Applicants who have previously applied to lease land in the district of Dr. Kenneth Kaunda, Department of Agriculture, Land Reform & Rural Development & are still not yet considered but meet the criteria mentioned above are also encouraged to apply.
2. Applicants who have benefited from Land Reform programmes previously will not be considered.
3. Public Servants do not qualify to lease state owned land.
4. Spouses of Public servants shall qualify
5. Only short listed candidates will be formally invited to participate in the selection process outlined above, as soon as the initial screening process is completed
6. Applicants who do not hear from the Department within 30 days of the closing date for applications, must assume that their application was unsuccessful
7. Applicant are not allowed to visit these farms until they have been advised by the Department
8. Please quote the reference number for the farm you are applying for.

Related Enquiries: Ms Mary Mothudi - Tel: 018 487 9420/ 071 856 0555 / Mr. TD Mashiloane -Tel:018 388 7020

SCM Related:
Ms Limakatso Makooa
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Application forms **MUST** be collected from 8h00 to 16:30 and submitted to the following address:

The Department of Rural Development and Land Reform,
P.C Pelser Building, Sixth Floor
Corner Anderson & Voortrekker Street
Klerksdorp

The Department of Rural Development and Land Reform reserves the right not to award.

Closing date & Time for application forms: **12 November 2020 at 11:00**