

SPECIFICATION FOR PROCUREMENT OF 285 ANGORA GOATS FULLY SUSCEPTIBLE TO HEARTWATER

Bidders are kindly requested to submit a written quotation to Agricultural Research Council in accordance to the attached specifications and details below:

No	Description	Comply (Yes/No)	Details to Offer [To be completed by company]
1	Supply and delivery of 285 Heartwater susceptible Angora goats		
1.1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The goats MUST be fully susceptible for the tick transmitted Heartwater disease (<i>Ehrlichia ruminantium</i>, formally known as <i>Cowdria ruminantium</i>). 		
1.2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Heartwater (<i>Ehrlichia ruminantium</i>) disease is transmitted by the tick <i>Amblyomma hebraeum</i> (Bont tick). This means the goats must come from an area where the goats were never exposed to the tick <i>Amblyomma hebraeum</i> (eg. Graaff-Reinett...). 		
1.3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Suppliers are required to indicate on the response where the animals will be sourced from providing, from which district region. 		
1.4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A letter from the state veterinarian of the area declaring that the animals are not under any veterinary restrictions nor from areas where heartwater disease and <i>Amblyomma hebraeum</i> are present must accompany the goats. 		
1.5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> It must be goats from the Angora breed. 		
1.6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The goats must be 6-8 months old. 		
1.7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> It must be castrated male Angora goats (Wethers). 		
1.8	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sick or injured goats and goats in poor condition will not be accepted. 		
1.9	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All goats must be vaccinated against: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Pulpy kidney (Provide Proof) - Rift valley fever (Provide Proof) - Pasteurella (Provide Proof) 		

2	Transportation to different farm areas		
2.1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 60 Angora goats must be delivered to: Onderstepoort Veterinary Research 100 Old Soutpan Road Onderstepoort 0110 Gauteng Province 		
2.2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 75 Angora goats must be delivered ± 60 km from Grahamstown Eastern Cape Province <p>Delivery by 19 July 2021</p>		
2.3	<p>75 Angora goats must be delivered ± 60 km from Graaff-Reinet Eastern Cape Province</p> <p>Delivery by 19 July 2021</p>		
2.4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 75 Angora goats must be delivered ± 75 km from Queenstown Eastern Cape <p>Delivery by 19 July 2021</p>		
2.5	Using own livestock truck and / or trailer. Proof of transportation to be included with licensing documentation		
2.6	Compliance to Animal Diseases Act and Road Transport Act is essential, including other applicable legislation.		
2.7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The ARC will take Ownership of animals upon delivery at ARC- OVI. <i>N.B: The ARC-OVI will require two days (48 hours) following delivery to inspect the goats.</i> 		
2.8	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Permission from the relevant State Veterinarian for safe transportation of the animals to ARC-OVI. Permit to be submitted with delivery of goats. 		
3	ALL COSTS TO BE INCLUDED		

SPECIFICATION FOR PROCUREMENT OF 350 MERINO SHEEP FULLY SUSCEPTIBLE TO HEARTWATER

Bidders are kindly requested to submit a written quotation to Agricultural Research Council in accordance to the attached specifications and details below:

No	Description	Comply (Yes/No)	Details to Offer [To be completed by company]
1	Supply and delivery of 350 Heartwater susceptible Merino sheep		
1.1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The sheep MUST be fully susceptible for the tick transmitted Heartwater disease (<i>Ehrlichia ruminantium</i>, formally known as <i>Cowdria ruminantium</i>). 		
1.2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Heartwater (<i>Ehrlichia ruminantium</i>) disease is transmitted by the tick <i>Amblyomma hebraeum</i> (Bont tick). <p>This means the sheep must come from an area where the sheep were never exposed to the tick <i>Amblyomma hebraeum</i> (eg. Bethlehem district...).</p>		
1.3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Suppliers are required to indicate on the response where the animals will be sourced from, providing from which district region. 		
1.4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A letter from the state veterinarian of the area declaring that the animals are not under any veterinary restrictions nor from areas where heartwater disease and <i>Amblyomma hebraeum</i> are present must accompany the sheep. 		
1.5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> It must be sheep from the wool Merino breed. 		
1.6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The sheep must be 6-8 months old. 		
1.7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> It must be castrated male Merino sheep (Wethers). 		
1.8	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sick or injured sheep and sheep in poor condition will not be accepted 		
1.9	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All sheep must be vaccinated against: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Pulpy kidney (Provide Proof) - Rift valley fever (Provide Proof). - Pasteurella (Provide Proof) 		

2	Transportation to different Provinces		
2.1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 125 Merino Sheep must be delivered to: Onderstepoort Veterinary Research 100 Old Soutpan Road Onderstepoort 0110 Gauteng Province 		
2.2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 75 Merino Sheep must be delivered to: ± 200 km from Grahamstown Eastern Cape Province <p>Delivery by 19 July 2021</p>		
2.3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 75 Merino Sheep must be delivered to: ± 150 km from Belabela Limpopo Province <p>Delivery by 19 July 2021</p>		
2.4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 75 Merino Sheep must be delivered to: ± 150 km from Mafikeng North West Province <p>Delivery by 19 July 2021</p>		
2.5	Using own livestock truck and / or trailer. Proof of transportation to be included with licensing documentation		
2.6	Compliance to Animal Diseases Act and Road Transport Act is essential, including other applicable legislation.		
2.7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The ARC will take Ownership of animals upon delivery at ARC- OVI. <i>N.B: The ARC-OVI will require two days (48 hours) following delivery to inspect the sheep.</i> 		
2.8	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Permission from the relevant State Veterinarian for safe transportation of the animals to ARC-OVI. Permit to be submitted with delivery of sheep. 		
3	ALL COSTS TO BE INCLUDED		