

# REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

The National Development Agency (NDA) hereby Requests for Proposals from Civil Society Organisations (CSOs) that implement programmes and projects that address poverty and support vulnerable people in communities. The focus is specifically on agricultural projects; textile related projects; ECD and those that support persons with disabilities. CSOs must be registered and in operation for a minimum of three years.

## THE PROGRAMME

Pillar 1 Early Childhood Development – Nutrition programme

An ECD centre based nutrition programme designed to improve the nutritional status of children which contributes to their optimal growth and development. The ECD centre should be registered.

### **Pillar 2 Agriculture and Food Security**

The Agricultural project must be linked to the food and nutrition sector. Food and nutrition programme (crop and livestock) must amongst others ensure availability, accessibility and affordability of safe and nutritious food at national and household level. The programme must demonstrate an aspect of training and capacity in the sector.

#### Pillar 3Textile

The textile (sewing) programme should create job opportunities. This programme will therefore support related programmes (procurement of equipment, material, markets). The CSO must demonstrate how it will create job opportunities and a market for their product.

Pillar 4 Support to Persons with Disabilities

This Pillar is intended to support protective workshops and CSOs that run programmes for persons with disabilities as follows:

- Provide a workplace for all persons with disabilities;

- Develop the skills and abilities of persons with disabilities;

- Provide the necessary support which will allow them to find suitable employment or other forms of income generation

**Cross Cutting Issues** 

- 1. Women and children, persons with disabilities and youth not excluding men
- 2. Basic needs in the community
- 3. The environment
- 4. Access to markets

The CSOs should be in the position to demonstrate the capacity to:

- · Produce products that are ready for a market
- Create job opportunities through the funding
- Provide safety for beneficiaries

APPLICATION DOCUMENTS

The application documents and Terms of Reference are obtainable from the NDA website on www.nda.org.za or at the NDA National and Provincial Offices.

## SUBMISSION OF PROPOSALS

All proposals must be submitted at the National Offices of the NDA at the address below: -

• National Office: 26 Wellington Road, Parktown. Tel: (011) 018-5500. Attention Ms Boitumelo Molale

PROPOSALS SUBMISSION CLOSING DATE: 02 December 2022 @ 12h00.

PROPOSALS RECEIVED AFTER THE CLOSING DATE AND TIME WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED FOR CONSIDERATION.

Compulsory briefing session

A compulsory Information session to assist applicants with the proposals will be held as follows:-

Date	Time	Location
23 November 2022	10h00	Applicants who are interested in joining the briefing session MUST send their e-mail addresses to: boitumelom@nda.org.za by 17:00 on the 22 November 2022 so that a link can be sent to them for joining the Microsoft
		Teams meeting.
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