**Section II: Schedule of Requirements**

**eSourcing reference:** ITB/2019/9299

1. **Summary of Requirements**

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| **Line item/ lot N°** | **Description of goods** | **Quantity** |
| 1 | CERs Gold Standard | 262,402 |
| 2 | CERs generated from projects with additional documented co-benefits for women **and** Gold Standard certified | 10,000 |

-CER = Certified Emission Reductions = Carbon credit generated by a CDM project and corresponds to one tonne of CO2 equivalent (CO2e).

-CDM = Clean Development Mechanism

**B. Detailed technical specifications**

**The following requirements must be met by the CERs offered in each lot and will be part of the evaluation of offers (minimum requirements):**

Offsets shall be purchased as issued Certified Emission Reductions (CERs) from registered Clean Development Mechanism (CDM) projects.

All projects offered must be described in your offer. Complete the information required in the table below - one table for each project you offer.

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| PROJECT TITLE AND CDM REFERENCE NUMBER |  |
| PROJECT COUNTRY |  |
| SECTORIAL SCOPE |  |
| PROJECT DESCRIPTION |  |
| AMOUNT OF CREDITS AVAILABLE UNDER PROJECT |  |
| PROJECT OFFERED UNDER LOT (both lots can be selected) | Lot 1                                  Lot 2 |
| GENERATION TIME FRAME FOR AVAILABLE CREDITS |  |
| OUTLINE OF SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT CO-BENEFITS |  |
| ADDITIONAL CERTIFICATION IF AVAILABLE |  |

Eligibility/Minimum requirements applicable to all lots:

* 1. CERs generated through HFC or other industrial gas destruction projects with no additional benefits apart from reducing GHG emissions will not be considered eligible for this procurement;

* 1. CERs generated through large hydro (20 MW generation capacity or above) projects will not be considered eligible for this procurement.

* 1. CERs generated from projects based on fossil fuel energy generation (including related efficiencies) will not be considered eligible for this procurement. Exempted from this limitation are projects based on fuel switch away from or substituting fossil fuels, which are eligible.

* 1. Credits should be generated not earlier than 2016 and issued at the time of receipt of the purchase order latest.

Specific requirements applicable to lot 2:

* Projects must provide evidence of additional sustainable development co-benefits in terms of directly improving the lives of women and/or providing empowerment of women affected by the project activity (for instance, through provision of and improvements in access to education and training for women; enhancement of the position of women in society; etc.)
* To be considered for lot 2 of this tender, the sustainable development co-benefits must stem from project activities themselves, and not from charitable activities that have no direct link to the project activities.

Other requirements:

* The selected supplier will provide, upon request of UNOPS and/or its partners, an official offsetting certificate stating the amount of CERs purchased, the originating projects, and the operations/time period/events that have been associated with these offset with the purpose of achieving its climate neutrality.

UNOPS reserves the right to vary the quantity of the CERs in the measure of 30%, without any change in the unit prices or other terms and conditions of the ITB. In case UNOPS or its partners request variations in excess of 30%, there will not be an obligation to maintain the unit price.

Partner agencies will be made aware of the result of this tendering exercise and may contact the awarded supplier(s) to purchase CERs. UNOPS does not guarantee any contact or purchase on behalf of partner agencies.

UNOPS will accept partial bids, if a bidder does not offer the whole quantity of CERs under a lot.

* 1. **Delivery requirements and Comparative Data Table**

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| **UNOPS Requirements** | |
| **Delivery place and time** | The supplier/trader must ensure that the CERs purchased by UNOPS or on behalf of its clients are available and will be cancelled and retired from circulation within 1 week from the date of signing the contract. Proof of cancellation / evidence and a screen shot of a Registry confirming the credits cancelation on behalf of UNOPS or each of its client’s organisations shall be sent to the relevant organisation. |
| **Consignee details** | UNOPS or its client (to be communicated at time of order) |
| **UNOPS Right to vary requirements** | UNOPS reserves the right to vary the quantity of the CERs in the measure of +/-30%, without any change in the unit prices or other terms and conditions of the ITB. |