

Call for Proposals EUROPEAID/128167/ACT/BD – Monga Mitigation Project

Questions and Answers

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Sl no.	Questions/Queries	Answers/Clarifications
1	Whether daily wage rate of Taka 100 can be increased to Taka 150 (2 nd bullet point of 2.1.3 of Guidelines for grant applicants)?	The daily wage rate can be up to Taka 150.
2	Criteria for small marginal farmer?	Own less than 50 decimal of land.
3	Whether fisherman falls under the definition of small marginal farmers?	Yes, fishermen, complying with above criteria fall under the definition of small marginal farmers.
4	Submission of budget	The applicants only require completion of the "All Years" column of the budget template (Annex B of Guidelines for grant applicants) as no implementation in subsequent year is foreseen. Please see footnote 2 of the budget annex.
5	Currency to be quoted (5 th row of page 2 of Grant Application Form)	The cost of action must be quoted in EURO (not in TAKA, national currency of Bangladesh).
6	Whether cost of monitoring of activities beyond implementation period can be included in the proposal (Paragraph 1.2 of Guidelines for grant applicants)?	The cost of monitoring of activities beyond the implementation period is to be covered solely from the resources of the applicant and the cost of action shall not include cost for any activity beyond the implementation period.
7	Whether international NGO having agreement with Government of Bangladesh on establishment and operation in Bangladesh but not registered with NGOAB can participate in cfp EuropeAid/128167?	Please refer to 8 th bullet point of 2.1.1: Eligibility of applicants of "Guidelines for grant applicants".
8	Guidelines mention the requirement of proven track record of management of one project with minimum value of 1 million euro. Whether this value can be reduced or this amount could be the summation of projects with value below 1 million euro?	No. The time constraint of 3 months implementation period for a 2 million euro project needs involvement of experienced and well established organization having the demonstrated capacity to successfully deal with large size projects.