



CALL FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI)

The Department of Agricultural Marketing and Cooperatives, Ministry of Agriculture and Forests would like to invite interested Bhutanese proponent(s) above the age of 18 to take over the operation of a cereal processing plant based at Lingmithang, Mongar. The details of the cereal processing plant is provided below:

Sl. No	Particulars	Details
1.	Processing plant structure	Single storey concrete building with dimension of 30m x 12.5m (length x width). 9 rooms with provision of office space, connected to electricity, water and accessible to road.
2.	Equipment and machineries with the plant	Mobile grain dryer, puff snack extruder, corn sheller (2 nos), hot air blowing conical dryer (2 nos), mini maize milling machine, hammering mill, sieving machine, multipurpose flour machine and final product (grit/kharang) packaging machine

Note: Preference shall be given to youth groups and cooperatives with experience in food processing from the six Eastern Dzongkhags of Mongar, Lhuentse, Tashigang, Tashiyangtse, Pemagatshel and S/Jongkhar. In case of no applicants, the same will be floated for aspiring private individuals/entrepreneurs. There will be a nominal lease rate and the cereal processing plant will be leased out for 3 years. The lease tenure may be extended for another term, subject to fulfillment of the set criteria.

The processing plant is ideally suitable for processing of maize and other cereal products. Interested proponent(s) can directly submit your EOI to the Head, RNR-Enterprise Development and Coordination Unit, DAMC @ kazeedeerinchen@gmail.com in the template provided below latest by 15th of August, 2022.



TEMPLATE

Date

The Director
 Department of Agricultural Marketing and Cooperatives
 Ministry of Agriculture and Forests
 Thimphu.

Subject : Expression of Interest

Dear Sir/Madam,

The undersigned would like to express our interest to take over and operate the cereal processing plant based at Lingmithang. Details of the proponent is provided below:

Name of the Group / Cooperative	No. of active members	Registered with DAMC? (Yes/No); Reg. No. & Date	Details of the group (Profile of the members, activities)	Experience in food processing? (Yes/No); Brief information)	A brief plan & way forward (if handed over to your group)

Thank you.

Signed

(Proponent details with contact number and email address)