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ITT Queries and Responses

FACT Smallholder Mapping Study (P4F-0758)



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Query: Is there an expected budget?

Response: No specified budget.

Query: Is there an expected number of days for the work?

Response: The expected duration is 6 months.

Query: Is there any expectation for the number of countries to be included in the proposal?

Response: No expectation on the number of countries but ensuring geographic spread (multiple continents) across key smallholder producer countries in tropical forest areas will be beneficial.

Query: Should costs of official translations of the draft and final report be included in the proposed budget?

Response: The ITT details the need for both the draft and final report to be in several languages, thus needing to be translated. Therefore, these costs should be included in the proposed budget.

Query: Is more information available on how exactly the final report will be used by the FACT Secretariat and FACT governments?

Response: The final report will be used to support building the evidence base about current approaches to smallholder support within the context of forest-risk commodities, and in turn will facilitate consensus building between the FACT government members and inform the design and delivery of FACT Roadmap Smallholder action (ii). The timeline states the work should be completed within six months, but that preliminary finding will be shared and presented at COP27 (November 2022). The dissemination will be agreed with the FACT Smallholder Action Group members (who's first meeting will be end of this month) so we do not yet have agreement as to whether the report will be published external to FACT but this may be an option. The FACT Dialogue will be convened as long as is needed to deliver the Roadmap actions, after which is up to the decision of the working groups as what next steps may be pursued or not.

Query: Can I apply as an individual?

Response: Individuals can apply but will need to submit a proposal, as per the ITT document.