

	EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI)	EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FOR SUPPLY OF RAW MATERIALS
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BVI/WAR/03/2025-26 EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI) FOR INCLUSION IN THE BVI SUPPLIER DATABASE FOR THE SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF CHEMICALS, LABORATORY CONSUMABLES, REAGENTS, FILTERS AND PACKAGING MATERIALS TO BVI FOR A PERIOD OF 2 YEARS

1. Background

Botswana Vaccine Institute Limited (BVI) is a public company incorporated with limited liability according to the laws of Botswana on the 5th December 1979. BVI is a company wholly owned by the Botswana Government, mandated to manufacture livestock vaccines with specific focus on vaccines with economically devastating effects such as foot and mouth disease (FMD). The Company is controlled by a Board of Directors which is appointed by the Minister Lands and Agriculture.

2. Purpose

Botswana Vaccine Institute Limited (BVI) is in the process of procuring **raw materials (chemicals, Laboratory consumables reagents, filters, and packaging materials)** for purposes of supporting production.

BVI wishes to invite suitably capable and qualified local and international companies/joint ventures/partnerships/manufactures/authorised distributors dealing with medical, laboratory and pharmaceutical products to submit their Expression of Interest (EOI) to **Supply and deliver chemicals (including temperature sensitive chemicals), laboratory consumables, reagents, filters and packaging materials**. Interested companies should meet the pre-qualification requirements stated below.

3. Prequalification Requirements

- 3.1. Company Profile
- 3.2. Copy of company registration from CIPA or equivalent for foreign companies.
- 3.3. Identity documents of shareholders.
- 3.4. Proof of being a manufacture or an authorized dealer/distributor.
- 3.5. Capacity to maintain/hold adequate stock levels (warehousing). Indicate the size and location of the proposed warehouse. BVI reserves the right to conduct a site visit to assess the proposed facility. Indicate if the property is owned or leased.
- 3.6. Capacity to manage/handle temperature sensitive products. Demonstrate knowledge of handling international procurement of temperature sensitive products with different modes of transport. **(only for expression of interest for temperature sensitive products)**
- 3.7. Ability to ensure security and proper storage of material to avoid contamination, mix-ups and cross contamination as per GMP requirements.

- 3.8. Evidence of similar successfully executed supply and delivery in the past 5 years with at least 3 reference letters. Clearly indicate the date of delivery, full details of the supply and the name of the organisation supplied.
- 3.9. Materials Safety Data Sheets (MSDS), Certificate of Analysis (COA) for the proposed product(s) attached list.
- 3.10. Be registered with the relevant Public Procurement Regulatory Authority (PPRA) (for local companies):

BVI will pre-qualify suppliers based on assessment of the received EOI Submission, using the information requested above. The short-listed companies/joint ventures/partnerships/manufactures/authorised distributors will then be invited to tender for the supply by responding to the detailed invitation to tender (ITT) or Request for quotation should the need arise.

4. For a detailed list of the required raw materials please **refer to the attached annexture below.**

5. Submission

Applicants are expected to submit by hand **one (1) original copy** and four (4) copies for the Expression of Interest proposals in sealed envelopes clearly labelled **EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI) FOR INCLUSION IN THE BVI SUPPLIER DATABASE FOR THE SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF CHEMICALS, LABORATORY CONSUMABLES, REAGENTS, FILTERS AND PACKAGING MATERIALS TO BVI FOR A PERIOD OF 2 YEARS.**

The closing date is 15 October 2025 at 1000hrs

Location: BVI PROCUREMENT OFFICE

Physical address: Plot 6385/90, Lejara Road, Broadhurst industrial, Gaborone

6. Important Notice

This is not an invitation to tender/request for quotation/proposal. The procurement process will be followed to invite potential suppliers prequalified and deemed to be capable of delivering the required products.

Only prequalified applicants will be contacted to participate in the procurement process. Nothing in this advert shall be construed to be a commitment on the part of BVI.

Applicants are allowed to express their interest for any or all of the categories listed if they meet the requirements.

Clarifications pertaining to this call for Expression of Interest may be sought in writing at the Procurement Department during working hours from 0730hours to 1600hours through email address procurement@bvi.co.bw; Tel: +267 398 6716, five (5) days before closure of the EOI submission date.

Annexure:**LIST OF CHEMICALS, PACKAGING MATERIALS, LABORATORY CONSUMABLES, REAGENTS AND FILTERS**

DESCRIPTION	UNIT OF MEASURE	ANNUAL FORECAST	Category
Sodium Chloride (NaCL)	kg	50	Chemical
Potassium Chloride (KCl)	g	5000	Chemical
Phosphate Monopotassique (KH ₂ PO ₄)	g	3500	Chemical
Magnesium Chloride	g	3000	Chemical
Calcium Chloride Dihydrate (CaCl ₂ 2H ₂ O)	g	3500	Chemical
Di-Sodium Hydrogen Phosphate	g	21000	Chemical
Magnesium chloride hexahydrate	g	1000	Chemical
ACETIC ACID	Liter	20	Chemical
SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION 45%	UN	252	Chemical
D-C.I.P acid (25L)	UN	30	Chemical
Hyperox	UN	40	Chemical
LO-FOAM-KLOR (25L)	UN	40	Chemical
Contrad Solution	UN	20	Chemical
CHLOROFORM 2,5L	2.5l	100	Chemical
CITRIC ACID POWDER 500g	g	13000	Chemical
ETHANOL RECTIFIED 99,9%	Liter	500	Chemical
FORMALDEHYDE 2,5L 37-40%	Liter	200	Chemical
HYDROCHLORIC ACID 100ML	ml	100000	Chemical
MAGNESIUM SULFATE	g	6000	Chemical
SODIUM BICARBONATE 25KG	kg	50	Chemical
SODIUM HYDROXIDE PELLETS 500g	g	115500	Chemical
SODIUM THIOSULFATE 5KG	kg	100	Chemical
palmatic acid	g	300	Chemical

Oleic acid	g	300	Chemical
SOLID VACCINE COOLER BOX 40L	unit	3000	Packaging
SMALL VACCINE COOLER BOX	unit	200	Packaging
GOLD ALUMINIUM CAPS	unit	78000	Packaging
GEL PACK 400g	unit	36000	Packaging
Bottle Polypro 100 mlP-FL 100ML PP D13 NAT R	unit	380800	Packaging material
Bottle Polypro 300 ml P-FL 300ML PP D13 NAT SE	unit	260400	Packaging material
MICRO-PLATES 96 WELL NO 167008	box	100	Lab consumable
MICRO-PLATES ROUND BOTTOM	box	100	Lab consumable
TUBE EPPENDORF MICROTTEST 1.5ML	box	20	Lab consumable
TEST TUBES (HIMOLYTICS)	pak	50	Lab consumable
Paptout Bag	unit	2000	Lab consumable
Novaseptum P-POCHE STERILE 50ML + SEPTUM	unit	250	Lab consumable
P-MANIFOLD 4x50ML + PURGE	unit	1008	Lab consumable
Versilic Roll 25M (Silicone Tube 6x9) #-TUBE SILICONE D 6X 9 RL 25M	meter	125	Lab consumable
Versilic Roll 25M (Silicon Tube 8x14) #-TUBE SILICONE D 8X14 RL 25M	unit	5	Lab consumable
Versilic Roll 25M (Silicone Tube 10x16) #-TUBE SILICONE D 10X16 RL 25M	meter	200	Lab consumable

glycocolle (glycine)	g	3260	Reagent
sodium versenate (EDTA)	g	250	Reagent
nicotinamide	g	200	Reagent
pantothenate calcium	g	350	Reagent
pyridoxal HCl	g	350	Reagent
thiamine HCl	g	350	Reagent
riboflavin	g	300	Reagent

choline chloride	g	300	Reagent
biotin	g	400	Reagent
folic acid	g	1000	Reagent
trichloroacetic acid	g	9600	Reagent
metaphosphoric acid	g	4800	Reagent
ascorbic acid	g	6000	Reagent
SODIUM MERCUROTHIOLATE	g	300	Reagent
Sulphuric Acid (2N) ampoules	ml	1100	Reagent
O-PHENYLENEDIAMINE TABLETS	pak	15	Reagent
Tween 20	ml	1500	Reagent
Hydrogen Peroxide	ml	1000	Reagent
ADULT BOVINE SERUM	Liter	1000	Reagent
HORSE SERUM	ml	50000	Reagent
PEG POLYGLYKOL 10000S 20KG	kg	13440	Reagent
ZERO OXYGEN STD TABLETS	pkt	32	Reagent
AGAROSE TYPE II MEDIUM 25g	g	300	Reagent
STREPTOMYCIN SILPHATE SALT	g	500	Reagent
Glucose	G	25000	Reagent
PH 10,00 BUFFER SOLUTION	ml	6500	Reagent
SIGMA IRRADIATED TRYPSINE POWDER	g	1050	Reagent
PH 7,00 BUFFER SOLUTION	ml	6500	Reagent
PH 4,01 BUFFER SOLUTION	ml	6500	Reagent
RAW BOVINE SERUM	L	10800	Reagent
HYDRANAL COMPOSITE 1L	Liter	10	Reagent
PENICILLINE G 100g	g	200	Reagent
Glycerol	mL	400	Reagent
Red Phenol	G	800	Reagent
Trypan blue	ml	3000	Reagent
Sigma trypsin 2.5%	ml	10000	Reagent
Amido Black Stain	g	150	Reagent
SODIUM CARBONATE ANHYDRE	g	1000	Reagent
SODIUM AZIDE	g	1500	Reagent
Penicillin Streptomycin	g	1500	Reagent
L-Glutamine	g	1000	Reagent
CYSTINE -L	g	300	Reagent
TYROSINE	g	300	Reagent
L-arginine	g	300	Reagent
L-histidine	g	300	Reagent
L-Isoleucine	g	300	Reagent

L-Leucine	g	300	Reagent
L-lysine HCl	g	300	Reagent
L-Methionine	g	300	Reagent
L-Phelilalanine	g	300	Reagent
L-Threonine	g	300	Reagent
L-Tryptophan	g	300	Reagent
L-Valine	g	300	Reagent
Inositol	g	300	Reagent
Peptone heart brain infusion	ml	15500	Reagent
Proteoase peptone n3 (Difco)	g	2500	Reagent
Yeast extract	g	2100	Reagent
Irradiated skim milk	g	5000	Reagent
Cholesterol solution	g	200	Reagent
Betapropiolactone (BPL)	ml	8400	Reagent
Bromo-2Ethylamine Bromhydrate P-BROMOETHYLAMINE (BEA) FL	g	224000	Reagent
Gentamycin dose 50mg/L - dose 100LP-GENTA DOSE 50MG/L-DO PR 100L	unit	1792	Reagent
Sodium Glutamate	g	7000	Reagent
Invitrogen GMEM Media + Biotine Dose for 10 LitresP-GMEM+BIOTINE- DO PR 10L (Media)	unit	224	Reagent
Saccharose 15% en Tris Flacon 2L R-SACCHAROSE 15 % EN TRIS FL (QC)	L	48	Reagent
Saccharose 45% en Tris Flacon 2L R-SACCHAROSE 45% EN TRIS FL	L	54	Reagent
Lactalbumine hydrolysate = Edamin S IrradiatedP-HYDROLYSAT LACTAL C.C. IRR BD	kg	100	Reagent
Aervent Filter Sartofluor 0,2µm for Nalgen Bottle P-FIL BOIT 0,2SARTOFLUOR-500CM	unit	112	Filter
FILTER AB3U2-20Z7H4	unit	200	Filter
FILTER CP2073S03	unit	250	Filter
FILTER CVGL71TP3	unit	400	Filter
FILTER CVGL72TP3	unit	60	Filter
FILTER CVGL73TP3 DURAPORE	unit	450	Filter
FILTER CWSS74SO3 (3) MILLIGARD 40 INCH 02 UM	unit	300	Filter
FILTER CWSS73SO3 (3)	unit	150	Filter
CTGR71TP1 AERVENT 10"	unit	250	Filter
CTGR75SO1 AERVENT 5"	unit	120	Filter
HPPS 50	unit	100	Filter
CUNO FILTERS 60SP02A	unit	200	Filter
CUNO FILTERS - Z16MA30SP	unit	120	Filter
CUNO FILTERS - Z16MA60SP	unit	120	Filter
BAG FILTERS SIZE 2 POLYPROPELENE	unit	180	Filter

APST SILICONE TUBING APST-0375-0563K	ROLL	150	Filter
KA3JO25P6 2,5um FILTER	unit	20	Filter
KA3DBLP6 0,45um FILTER	unit	20	Filter
KA3DFLP6 0,2um FILTER	unit	20	Filter
KA3NFP6 KLEENPAK ULTIPOR 0.2µm/PALL Fluorodyne filter 0.2mµ	unit	30	Filter
TIPS 5-300ul ON TIP-RACK	BOX	80	Consumable
1000ul TIPS BLUE (1000	pak	100	Consumable
TISSUE CULTURE FLASK 150CM2	Box	20	Consumable
CUVETTES 2,5	PKT	300	Consumable
CENTRIFUGE TUBES 15ML	unit	120	Consumable
PLASTIC NALGENE BOTTLES 1L SQUARE	unit	600	Consumable
O2 MEMBRANE KIT T-96 3,1B P/N 52200024	PKT	45	Consumable
PROBE INPRO 6800/12/120 ELECTRODE	unit	6	Consumable
VACCINE COLD CHAIN MONITOR	BOX	100	Consumable
TEMPERATURE RECORDERS 5 DAY	unit	200	Consumable
TEMPERATURE RECORDERS 10 DAY	unit	200	Consumable
PIPETTE PLASTIC 5ML(200)	PKT	60	Consumable
PIPETTE PLASTIC 10 ML (500)	PKT	100	Consumable
PIPETTE PLASTIC 10ML (200)	PKT	100	Consumable
STERILE PIPETTE 25ML	PKT	80	Consumable
PIPETTE PLASTIC 1ML (500)	PKT	60	Consumable
PIPETTE PLASTIC 2ML (500)	PKT	60	Consumable
OHAUS pH probe ST310	each	9	Consumable
CENTRIFUGE TUBES 50ML	BOX	50	Consumable
CENTRIFUGE TUBES 9/16 X 31/2 INCH	BOX	15	Consumable
ROLLER BOTTLE 490CM2	BOX	50	Consumable
ROLLER BOTTLE 850CM2	BOX	130	Consumable
CATRIDGES - P/N LA2494566	unit	200	Consumable
CHART RECORDER UV PIC	unit	30	Consumable
CHESEL RECORDER CHARTER GD1289.	unit	200	Consumable
BACTINYL BAIN-MARIE	ml	25000	Disinfectant