

**GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY**  
**DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE**  
**O/o ADDL. DIRECTOR OF AGRICULTURE (LUP&QC)**  
**THATTANCHAVIDY, PUDUCHERRY-09**

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No. 878-A/Agri/ADA (LUP&QC)/STL/SHC/2019-20

Date:02.08.2019

**LIMITED TENDER**

**Sir,**

**Sub:** Agri-ADA (LUP&QC) – Quotation for “Soil Sample Collection 2019” in Farmers’ field in Puducherry and Karaikal regions of U.T. of Puducherry under Soil Health Card Programme of NMSA. – Called for – Requested – Reg.

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This Office implements Soil Health Card (SHC) Scheme by collecting Soil Samples, analyzing them, entering data in Soil Health Card Portal of Govt. of India and distribution of Soil Health Card to Farmers. As done in last year, it is proposed to collect soil samples and creating awareness among the farmers regarding Soil Health Card by way of outsourcing.

2.In this context, I am to request to quote your lowest rate for “Soil Sample Collection” in farmer’s field in Puducherry and Karaikal regions of U.T. of Puducherry under Soil Health Card Programme with the following criteria.

1. Collection of Soil Samples from the farmers Field covering all Re-survey numbers in all villages (using village map of Department of Revenue) of Puducherry and Karaikal in a scientific manner using GPS.
- 2.Geographical information system should be used for soil samples collection from individual farmers holdings with homogeneous soil.
3. A minimum of 3500 samples should be collected from individual farmers holdings
- 4.A minimum of 20 awareness programme (15 awareness programme in Puducherry and 5 in Karaikal) covering most of the Uzhavar Udaviyagam shall be conducted on soil samples collection and importance of soil health card.
- 5.Samples collected shall invariably kept in the Kada cloth bag provided by the Department with the farmers details.
- 6.Previous experience in soil samples collection is an added criteria.
- 7.Only skilled persons should be deployed for soil sample collection.
- 8.The work should be completed on or before 21.02.2019.
- 9.Compliance Report after completion of work shall be submitted.
- 10.The rate quoted should be per sample basis and valid till 31<sup>st</sup> March 2020.



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