

C.A.A.B. Scpa
Società Consortile per Azioni "Centro Agro Alimentare di Bologna"
Head office in Bologna (Italy) - via Paolo Canali 1
Company's capital amounting to € 51.941.871,31
Register of Companies of Bologna, number 02538910379

Call announcement for the selection and the ranking of concessionaries, and subsequent assignment of the Fruit and Vegetables Market's sites – located in the Producers' Pavilion – of the Agri-Food Centre of Bologna

AWARDING ADMINISTRATION

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OBJECT:

1. Selection through public process of economic operators, **agricultural entrepreneurs and top specialities' traders** (i.e. truffles, mushrooms, berries, seeds, etc) to be admitted as fruit and vegetables wholesalers into the Fruit and Vegetables Market – sites located in the Producers' Pavilion – of the Agri-Food Centre of Bologna;
2. Award of the concession contract of the sites **located in the Producers' Pavilion** and devoted to fruit and vegetables' wholesale trade

Location: Fruit and Vegetables Market of the Agri-Food Centre of Bologna, via Paolo Canali 1, Bologna (Italy).

Duration of the concession contract: 6 years, renewable for the same period, for a maximum of 12 years, starting from the 1st January 2012.

OFFER: one unconditioned offer, having as object the request to be recognised as an economic operator (*Applications must be completed and submitted only in Italian*)

Point 4. letter A) of the call for the selection and the ranking of sellers

Point 4. letter B) of the call for the award of the sites' concession contract

Deposit and warranty requested:

Bank guarantee for the offer submitted: see point 5) in the call text

Bank guarantee for the final offer: see attachment C1) in the call text

Requirements to apply:

In the first instance, agricultural entrepreneurs as referred to in art. 2135 of the Italian Civil Code; secondly, commercial firms focussed on fruit and vegetables' and/or top specialities' trade (i.e. truffles, mushrooms, early fruit and vegetables, etc) and temporary groupings of enterprises. Applicants must be registered in the Register of Companies of the competent chamber of commerce (or equivalent according to the applicant's national law), otherwise they will be excluded from the selection process.

Concession fee: see specific attachment C1) of the call text.

Kind of procedure: open call

Criteria of selection: parameters and evaluation of the technical report as described in point 4. of the call text.

Deadline for visiting the sites:

30th September 2011 at 13.00

Deadline for the delivery of the offers:

14th October 2011 at 13.00

Applicants will be bound to the terms of the submitted offer for a minimum period of 180 days, starting from the date of delivery of the applications.

Date, time and location of applications' acknowledgment:

20th October 2011 at 14.00 in public session at the Head Office of the CAAB Scpa

Further information

The person in charge of the procedure is the Managing Director of the CAAB Spca, Dr. Alessandro Bonfiglioli (phone +39 051 2860301, fax +39 051 2860345). The call text and related attachments are available at the CAAB Secretary in Bologna (Italy), via Paolo Canali 1. They can be also downloaded from the CAAB website (www.caab.it).

Bologna, 1st August 2011

THE PRESIDENT
Prof. Avv. Alberto Maffei Alberti