

Contractual Agreement
Between
Rural Reconstruction Nepal (RRN)
And
Czechglobe, Global Change Research Center

This agreement has been entered into force between Rural Reconstruction Nepal herein after referred to as RRN and Czechglobe, Global Change Research Center herein after referred to as “consultant” whose contact address is Belidia, Czech, Nepal, 'cudlin.c@czechglobe.cz' **for mapping of pro-organic farming areas in selected six wards of Dolakha, District, Nepal**

The consultant shall work in line with the following objectives.

1. General Objective:

- a. Mapping of pro-organic farming areas in selected six wards of Dolakha District, Nepal.

2. Key assignments of the work:

- a. Determine the potential organic farming areas in the project VDCs (6 wards namely: Boach, Lankuridanda, Magapauwa, Katakuti, Busafeda and Dudhpokhari in Dolakha district) at least by using following tools and methods:
- b. Using geospatial tools for the identification of the suitable lands for organic farming based on different criteria like topography, geology, soil quality, drainage, and land use intensity of the project areas
- c. Using GIS (Multi-Criteria Suitability Analysis) to identify the organic farming areas
- d. Using Sentinel-2 Geographic Information System - the optical imaging for land services to obtain data about soil, water and vegetation cover for landscape analyses

3. Key Deliverables:

- a. Determine the potential organic farming areas in the project VDCs (6 wards namely in Dolakha district)
- b. Determine the status of agro-ecosystems (biomass, humidity, etc.)
- c. Analysis of morphological, geological and pedagogical data in relation to major crops for organic farming
- d. Climate predictions in the selected 6 wards

4. Time frame

The assigned task should be completed within 30 days after signing the contract.

5. Payment and benefits

Gross payment for the consultant will be US\$ 12000 (Maximum. NRs 1,344,000; US\$ 1 = NRs. 112)

6. Payment modality

Payment will be on an installment basis. It will be divided on an equal two installments.

Installment	%	Basis of release
1 st	50%	During Signing the Contract
2 nd	50%	After submission of final report

7. Liability and obligations

- RRN shall not be liable for compensation for any damage that may be incurred by the consultant as a resultant of his work employment in the said project under this contract.

- Whenever the consultant is not able to do work properly, the consultant will convey in written to RRN the reasons for the non-performance and the non-compliance and accordingly RRN decide upon the same.

8. Termination of the contract

RRN has the right to terminate the contract by giving a written notice to the consultant in the case the any of the following is applicable.

- RRN judges that completion of work cannot be expected within the time set forth and in accordance with the time schedule submitted by the consultant and approved by RRN due to causes applicable to the consultant.
- The consultant does not suspend the work without prior approval from RRN and justified reasons after the effective date of this contract.
- The consultant violates any provision of this contract and does not rectify it within three days after consultant has received notice of breach of contract from RRN.

9. Assignment of subcontractor

The consultant shall not allow other consultants for this work.

10. Doubts or unspecified items

Any doubts in connection with this contract agreement or anything not specified in these documents shall be determined amicably by mutual agreement from both parties (RRN and the consultant).

11. Maintenance of confidentiality

Consultant shall not disclose any matter, information or documents which may come to his knowledge or possession by reason of his participation under this contract except in so far as the matter, information documents may serve as the basis for educational reports or publications research projects or presentations and for which the consultant has received RRN's prior approval.

12. Validity of the agreement

This contract shall enter in to effect from 23nd Aug 2019 and shall remain effective until the date of final report 23 Sept 2019.

In witness whereof, the parties through their respective representatives, have hereon to affixed their signatures.

For and behalf of RRN

For and behalf of the Czechglobe

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Executive Director
RRN

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