

**KERALA AGRICULTURAL UNIVERSITY**  
**College of Agriculture, Vellanikkara**  
**Department of Plant Physiology**  
**Kerala- 680 656, India**

No. Physiol/4-6/2021-22

Vellanikkara; Dtd. 05 Feb 2022

**QUOTATION NOTICE**

Competitive, sealed tenders/quotations are invited for the supply of Microtome and its accessories the details of which, with the conditions, are specified hereunder.

**Basic Features and Specification**

- **Microtome:**
  - Model : Spencer Type
  - Section thickness range : 1-50 microns
  - Section thickness setting : in steps of 1 microns
  - Vertical specimen stroke : 55 mm
  - max sectioning area : 32 mm
  - Knife length : 120 mm
  - Operation : manual
  - Adjustment with locks : Yes
  - Dimensions : 300x300x240 mm or higher
  - Weight : 35 kgs or higher
- Disposable blade set of microtome (pack of 50)
- Paraffin wax solid
- Hot plate with energy regulator for melting paraffin wax
- Metallic wax casting cube (6 pieces)
- Water bath for melting out wax melting

**CONDITIONS**

1. Specification: stated as above or better is acceptable
2. Warranty : Minimum of 1 year
3. Last date for accepting tender/quotations: **18 Feb 2021 at 11:00 am**  
**Opening 18 Feb 2021 at 11:30 am**
4. The offer stating the cost separately in Indian Rupees for the basic unit, accessories and optional, Taxes (at 5 % GST), discount, customs and excise duty, packing, forwarding, insurance and any other cost for its installation, should be sent to the undersigned in sealed cover.
5. The sealed cover containing the tender/quotation should be superscribed **“Tender/quotation for laboratory items”** and addressed and sent to, **The Dean, College of Agriculture, Vellanikkara, Thrissur 680656; mentioning Attn: Department of Plant Physiology.**
6. Leaflets/brochures of the equipment describing its features, applications, specifications, etc. should be provided along with tender/quotation.
7. ‘Quality products, prompt service, lasting warranty and easy access at reasonable cost for long years of trouble free performance’ is the prime concern in finalizing the tenders/quotations and utmost care will

be taken to ensure this at every stage and the decision of the purchase committee shall be final and binding.

8. The purchase committee reserves the authority to accept or reject any or all the tenders without assigning any reason.
9. Supply of inferior quality items and poor servicing from any firm/agency will be notified to all centres/officers of Kerala Agricultural University through emails to [announce@kau.in](mailto:announce@kau.in) and [teachers@kau.in](mailto:teachers@kau.in) cautioning all concerned in dealing with them. Action will be taken to blacklist them by the Kerala Agricultural University for future purchases. The details of blacklisted firms/agencies will be published in the official website of the station ([cohvka.kau.in/](http://cohvka.kau.in/)) and the Kerala Agricultural University ([www.kau.in](http://www.kau.in)) for information of all concerned. Individual cases will be further taken up with appropriate consumer grievance forums for redressal and compensation. All conditions of the Kerala Agricultural University/Kerala government tenders/quotations are applicable in this case also.
10. Further information can be had from the web site (<http://www.kau.in/tenders>) or from the office of the Dean, College of Agriculture, Vellanikkara.

Sd/-

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