



Consultant Wanted **URGENT** Agricultural Cooperative Capacity Index (ACCI)

Farmers and Nature Net Association (FNN) is a local, non-profit farmer organization, which was established in 2003 and officially registered at the Ministry of Interior on March 10th, 2006. FNN represents a network and acts as an umbrella to represent and serve the interests of self-help associations, agricultural cooperatives, and provides technical assistances on capacity building, market linkages and access to finance. In general, the majority members of FNN are subsistence farmers, who are poor living in the rural communities.

With funding supporting Danchurch Aid (DCA), FNN is implementing the project namely "Accelerating Value Chains for Agricultural Cooperatives in Cambodia (AVACOOB)" from January 2020 to December 2020 and covering in 32 agricultural cooperatives within 6 provinces (Takeo, Kampong speu, Kampong Chhnang, Pursat, Siem Reap and Kampong Thom provinces).

The overall objective of the project: Increased income for agriculture cooperative and producer group through producing market -driven and climate friendly agriculture products, engaging value chain and enhancing entrepreneurship.

The specific objectives of the project:

- Developed and strengthened the capacities of agricultural cooperatives to promote family commercial and climate friendly agriculture farming practices,
- Increased capacity of agricultural cooperative leaders and members especially, women on entrepreneurship and
- Improved enabling environment to support value chains and agricultural development.

In order to know what type of services we should be strengthening to ACs, FNN regarding AVACOOB project need to know their capacity levels in different core competencies. Thus, the AC Capacity Index Tool would be developed. The tool will use as a framework to assess levels of growth that each AC has achieved in a specific period of time. It is also meant to facilitate reflective discussions among AC leaders and FNN to be aware of their current level of competencies and strategize on how to keep moving forward.

With this regard, we are looking a qualified consultant to design ACCI Tool and provide training and coaching to project staff on how to use the tool and facilitate this tool with farmers especially leaders of ACs.

The applicant should be an organization/institute or individual with at least 10 years' experience in designing M&E tools and organization development especially AC development.

Interested candidate, please submit CV & Cover Letter, proposed budget before 19th December 2020 by using contact detail. Only shortlisted will notified.

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Note: ToR will be provided as per request!