



**FEDERAL MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEVELOPMENT (FMA&RD)**  
*in collaboration with*  
**FEDERAL MINISTRY OF FINANCE (FMoF)**

**CONCESSION OF 33 SILO COMPLEXES IN NIGERIA**

**REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST**

The Federal Government of Nigeria through the Federal Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development (FMA&RD) in collaboration with the Public Private Partnership (PPP) Unit of the Federal Ministry of Finance (FMoF) hereby announce this invitation to prospective investor/operators to express interest in the operation and management of 33 Silo complexes located in Nigeria.

The Federal Government of Nigeria (FGN) has invested substantially in the development of Silo Complexes across the country under the Strategic Grain Reserve Programme. The storage capacity of the Silo Complexes ranges from 11,000 to 100,000 metric tons with a total combined storage capacity of 1.3 million metric tons

With the impressive output of grains being recorded under the implementation of the current Agricultural Transformation Agenda, the FGN is considering the option of partnering with the private sector in the management and operations of the Silo Complexes which hitherto have been the responsibility of the Strategic Grains Reserve Department of the FMA&RD. It is expected that private sector participation in the management of the Silos will improve efficiency and capacity.

In light of the foregoing, the Federal Government of Nigeria through the FMA&RD and the Federal Ministry of Finance has embarked upon the project to concession the 33 Silo Complexes. The FMA&RD as the owner of the Silo infrastructure will be the project sponsor and granting authority for this concession.

The concessions will be procured via competitive bidding, following a two-stage bid process: a pre-qualification stage and a proposal stage. In order to participate in the tender, interested applicants are requested to register at [www.nigeriasilostransactions.com](http://www.nigeriasilostransactions.com), where they will also be able to submit queries and access documentation.

**Method of Application/Submission of EOIs:**

Prospective bidders are required to download the submission forms from [www.nigeriasilostransactions.com](http://www.nigeriasilostransactions.com) and submit the completed forms, along with the necessary supporting documents.

Expressions of Interest at the cost of prospective bidders must be submitted in six copies (one original and five (5) hard copies) in a sealed envelope clearly marked **“EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST FOR THE CONCESSION OF 33 SILO COMPLEXES”**. Upon receipt of Expressions of Interest (EOI), FMARD and FMoF shall evaluate and pre-qualify applicants for a subsequent Request for Proposals.

**The expressions of interests should be delivered not later than 15:00 hrs on Tuesday, November 18, 2014 at the following address:**

The Director,  
Strategic Grains Reserve Department  
Federal Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development  
Plot 590, NAIC Building  
Zon e AO Central Area

P.M.B 135, Abuja, Nigeria

Investors/Operators will be selected in accordance with the procedures set out in the current PPP laws in Nigeria. Interested applicants may obtain further information at the address above from 9.00am to 4.00pm, Monday through Friday (except public holidays) from Director, Strategic Grains Reserve Department or e-mail: [info@nigeriasilostransactions.com](mailto:info@nigeriasilostransactions.com).

**Interested proponents Investors/Operators are kindly requested to note that:**

- Submission of EOIs shall be in English language only.
- Submission of EOIs through email will be rejected.
- Submission received after the deadline will be rejected
- Only short-listed Investors/Operators will be contacted.

The Silo locations and actual/expected capacities are as follows:

S/N	Location	State	Capacity MT
1.	Jahun	Jigawa	25,000
2.	Kaduna	Kaduna	25,000
3.	Gombe	Gombe	25,000
4.	Jos	Plateau	25,000
5.	Minna	Niger	25,000
6.	Ilorin	Kwara	25,000
7.	Lafiaji	Kwara	11,000
8.	Makurdi	Benue	25,000
9.	Ibadan	Oyo	25,000
10.	Akure	Ondo	25,000
11.	Irrua	Edo	25,000
12.	Ogoja	Cross-River	25,000
13.	Ezillo	Ebonyi	25,000
14.	Dutsin-man	Katsins	25,000
15.	Sokoto	Sokoto	25,000
16.	Bulasa	Kebbi	100,000
17.	Gwagwalada	FCT Abuja	100,000
18.	Ilesha	Osun	25,000
19.	Gusau	Zamfara	100,000
20.	Gaya	Kano	25,000
21.	Yola	Adamawa	25,000
22.	Bauchi	Bauchi	25,000
23.	Jalingo	Taraba	25,000
24.	Maidiguri	Borno	100,000
25.	Lafia	Nasarawa	25,000
26.	Ikenne	Ogun	25,000
27.	Ado-Ekiti	Ekiti	100,000
28.	Lokoja	Kogi	25,000
29.	Igbariam	Anambra	25,000
30.	Uyo	Akwa-Ibom	25,000
31.	Damaturu	Yobe	25,000
32.	Yenagoa	Bayelsa	100,000
33.	Okigwe	Imo	100,000