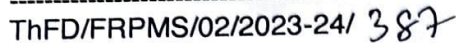


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THIMPHU



Date: 05/12/2023

NOTICFICATION ON OPEN AUCTION FOR TIMBER EXTRACTION

Divisional Forest Office, Thimphu will be conducting Open Auction for Timber Extraction on **13/12/2023** at the Division Forest Office, Thimphu at 1030 AM. All interested individuals/parties having valid logging license and registered with the DFO, Thimphu shall be allowed to participate in the auction and are invited to participate in the auction. Interested individuals/parties may inspect the the timber allotment sites at specified locations before the auction.

Those who wish to participate in the auction will have to register and submit **Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) of Nu. 5,000.00 (Ngultrum Five Thousand Only)** in either Cash Warrant or the Demand Draft, in favour of the Chief Forestry Officer, Divisional Forest Office -Thimphu on or before **0500 PM on 12/12/2023**. The EMD of the unsuccessful bidders will be returned after auction on the same day and the EMD of the successful bidder will be retained until the entire bid value is deposited. The successful bidder shall deposit 50% of the bid value on the day of the auction and the remaining 50% prior to issuance of coupe clearance by the concerned CFO.

Timber extraction areas shall be allotted to the eligible third party with highest bid value on “*lock, stock and barrel basis*” for extraction as per the Third Party allotment modality and the details of the timber extraction locations are as specified below:

Location	Species	Standing Volume (cft)	Contact Person	Contact No
Phuntshothang, Genekha	Mixed Conifer	13447.80	Range Officer, Khasadrapchu	17632066
Kuenselphodrang, Buddha Point	Blue Pine	2435.67	Range Officer, Thimphu	17553519
Tauding, Chamgang	Mixed Conifer	16448.00	Ranger, Chamgang	17868635


(Pema Wangda)
Chief Forestry Officer