

# COMMISSION

## CALL FOR PROPOSALS

### EC-ASEAN COGEN programme phase III (COGEN 3)

#### Full-scale demonstration projects (FSDP) 2002

(2002/C 275/09)

#### 1. Publication reference

EuropeAid/114659/C/G.

commercial operation date (COD) or handing over date (HOD), whichever comes first but not later than 31 December 2004.

#### 2. Programme and financing source

EC-ASEAN COGEN programme phase III (COGEN 3).  
ALA/97/0464.

For details, see the 'Guidelines for applicants' referred to in point 12.

#### 3. Nature of activities, geographical area and project duration

(a) The objective of this COGEN 3 full-scale demonstration projects programme is to support the implementation of full-scale demonstration projects (FSDP). The FSDP demonstrate the technical reliability and economic viability of proven European Union (EU) co-generation technology to ASEAN end-users. The financial contribution from the European Commission (and the associated contractual obligations) ensures access to the actual technical and financial data of the project. This allows promotion of the performance of the technology, especially through site visits by other potential end-users. The FSDP must be a co-generation system, i.e. it is a combined production of electrical (or mechanical) and useful thermal energy from the same primary energy source. The FSDP must utilise fuels within the main categories of biomass, gas and coal:

- biomass and biogas,
- natural gas and liquefied petroleum gas (LPG),
- coal, lignite or peat.

The COGEN 3 FSDP programme is one activity in the overall COGEN 3 programme with the objective to enhance economic cooperation between EU and ASEAN through the implementation of clean and efficient co-generation technologies.

(b) Geographical area: The FSDP must be implemented in one of the ASEAN member states.

(c) Maximum project duration: The FSDP must be implemented within the COGEN 3 programme duration which ends on 31 December 2004. This implies that the co-generation projects must have reached

#### 4. Overall amount available for this call for proposals

The overall amount available is EUR 10 million.

#### 5. Maximum and minimum grant amounts

A grant will be up to a maximum of 15 % of the total eligible cost with a maximum limit of EUR 400 000. There is no minimum grant amount.

#### 6. Maximum number of grants to be awarded

There is no maximum number of grants to be awarded.

#### 7. Eligibility: who may apply

Partnership of ASEAN end-user and EU co-generation equipment supplier(s) may apply. This partnership should be a minimum of a buyer-seller relationship specifically entered into for the implementation of the project being proposed. The equipment eligible for financial contribution must be supplied by a European Union (EU) co-generation equipment supplier. The EU co-generation equipment supplier is defined as a legal or natural person in one of the EU Member States.

#### 8. Provisional notification date of results of the award process

Non eligible applicants will be notified by 12 March 2003. Successful applicants will be notified by 12 May 2003. The contract award notice will be published in 2003.

#### 9. Award criteria

The projects will be selected according to four main criteria: technical merits, commercial viability, environmental/national/social benefits and demonstration value/replicability. The award criteria are specified in the guidelines for applicants, point 2.3: Evaluation and selection of applications, mentioned in point 12.

## 10. Application format and details to be provided

Applications must be submitted using the **grant application form** attached to the guidelines for applicants mentioned in point 12, whose format and instructions must be strictly observed. For each application the following must be supplied by the applicant:

- **one signed paper original** of the application form and the supporting documents,
- **two paper copies** of the application form and the supporting document,
- **one electronic copy** (Word document) of the application form.

## 11. Deadline for applications

The deadline for reception of applications is **11 February 2003 at 16.00 local time Thailand**. Any application received by the contracting authority after this deadline will not be considered.

## 12. Detailed information

Detailed information on this call for proposals is contained in the guidelines for applicants, which is published together with this notice on the Internet website of the EuropeAid Cooperation Office:

[http://europa.eu.int/comm/europeaid/index\\_en.htm](http://europa.eu.int/comm/europeaid/index_en.htm)

or on the COGEN 3 Internet website:

<http://www.cogen3.net>

Guidelines for applicants can also be obtained by contacting:

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Any questions regarding this call for proposals should be sent by e-mail to [cogen3@cogen3.net](mailto:cogen3@cogen3.net), or faxed to (66-2) 524 53 96, including the publication reference (see point 1). In case of problems with faxing or e-mailing, tel. (66-2) 524 53 99.

Questions that may be relevant to other applicants, together with answers, will be published on the COGEN 3 Internet web page:

<http://www.cogen3.net>

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