REMINDER

For the criteria to be met by interest groups to be effective users of the electronic System Database for PRDB reference prices.

The Directorate of Database and Market Study (DDBST) for the implementation of the IPARD Program has prepared and put into operation the Electronic System for Reference Price Database (PRDB System).

The operation of this System will make the procedures for determining reasonable prices for investments in the IPARD Programme more transparent and efficient by accelerating to the maximum the processing deadlines for applications to benefit from support from the IPARD Programme.

Their use by the bidding entities, which provide their items/assets/services in function of investments in the IPARD Programme, increases their investment opportunities in Albania.

The PRDB software consists of several independent operational associated applications (called “modules”). These database modules are not linked to the various Rural Development support measures, but are organized according to the type of expenditure:

* Machinery/equipment and lines
* Construction and Installation Works in three sections;
* Creation and restoration of orchards (Agricultural services), in two sections.

The PRDB system is accessible by the Entities who are interested in providing their items/assets/services in function of investments in the IPARD Program.

The PRDB system is also accessible to potential Applicants interested in receiving financial support from the IPARD Programme.

In order to cooperate with ARDA, the interested entities to compete to conclude a contract for the realization of the investments foreseen in the IPARD Program, must meet certain criteria.

First, subjects must be registered in the electronic System Price Reference Database (PRDB).

The right to register includes all entities that carry out their activity in the territory of the Republic of Albania, are registered with the QKB and have "Active" status, as well as foreign entities that are not registered with the QKB in Albania but carry out their activity according to their national legislation.

For foreign entities, which are not registered with the QKB in Albania, the investment areas should be provided for in the "Register of the firm" according to their national legislation and their status should be "Active".

The interested entities sign and send to ARDA a "Cooperation Agreement" (template) and the registration becomes effective upon signing by ARDA.