

 **RFQ No: TLO-RFQ-020-2024**

**Request for Quotations (RFQ)**

**Provision of Transportation Services Rental Vehicle for Ghazni Province**

**Project Title: CARL**

**Issue on: 22nd Sept 2024**

**Closing on: 29th Sept 2024**

**Introduction:**

**The Liaison Office (TLO)**

The Liaison Office (TLO) is an independent Afghan non-governmental organization established in 2003 and seeking to improve local governance, stability, and security through systematic and institutionalized engagement with customary structures, local communities, and civil society groups. TLO’s main areas of activity are Research/Analysis using the do-no-harm approach; Dialogue Facilitation/Peacebuilding; Access to Justice; and livelihood improvement. In addition to the TLO headquarters in Kabul, the organization has a regional office in Paktia-Southeast, a provincial office in Khost, and multiple project offices across Afghanistan, with over 117 staff. Current and recent TLO funders include the United States Institute of Peace, USAID, the Open Society Institute, DAI (including projects contracted from USAID), and GIZ, along with the governments of Australia (AusAid), Germany, the Netherlands, Norway, Switzerland (SDC), Canada, UNHCR, Cordaid, UNICEF, SIDA and ECW.

**Activities/ Tasks**

Only Transportation/Logistic Companies should provide Hard Copies of Quotations for the supply of items listed below:

**Specifications:**

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| **SR#** | **Description** | **Qty** | **UoM** | **Unit Cost per Month (USD)** | **Total Cost per Month (USD)** |
| 1 | Transportation Service (Rental Vehicle) for Ghazni Province inside the city and travel to Districts Vehicle type (Toyota 4Runner – Model 2003/2008 or equivalent), with proper physical condition, updated registration documents, Driver with an updated driver license, Fuel and equipped with Spare Tire, Jack, Basic Tools, Jumper Cable, Small spare parts kits, a small amount of fluid (Gear oil, Engine oil). | 2 | Vehicle |  |  |
| 2 | Transportation Service (Rental Vehicle) for Ghazni Province inside the city and travel to Districts Vehicle type (Toyota Hilux – Model 2008/2014 or equivalent), with proper physical condition, updated registration documents, Driver with an updated driver license, Fuel and equipped with Spare Tire, Jack, Basic Tools, Jumper Cable, Small spare parts kits, a small amount of fluid (Gear oil, Engine oil). | 4 | Vehicle |  |  |
| 3 | Transportation Service (Rental Vehicle) for Ghazni Province inside the city and travel to Districts Vehicle type (Toyota Corolla – Model 2003/2008 or equivalent), with proper physical condition, updated registration documents, Driver with an updated driver license, Fuel and equipped with Spare Tire, Jack, Basic Tools, Jumper Cable, Small spare parts kits, a small amount of fluid (Gear oil, Engine oil). | 4 | Vehicle |  |  |
| **Sub Total in USD =** |  |

**Eligibility, Evaluation, and Requests for Information**

Only those companies that: (1) possess a valid business license; and (2) have a company in Kabul, Afghanistan are eligible to bid for this procurement. In order for their bids to be considered “responsive” and be evaluated for award, qualified Offers must:

1. Submit all information required below on or before the time/date mentioned.

2. Demonstrate the capability (supported by client references and/or literature) to meet the requirements specified in the Statement of Work.

3. Have a satisfactory record of Past Performance.

**Content and Format of Your Offer**

In order for TLO to conduct the most efficient analysis of Offers received, please format your response as follows:

 1. A letter of transmittal confirming:

* Your company’s status as a licensed firm with AISA/Ministry of Commerce or Kabul Municipality.
* Your company’s commitment to providing good quality items mentioned above to the address mentioned below.
* The validity of your proposal/Quotes for a minimum of thirty (30) calendar days. The letter must be signed by a person authorized to bind your company and negotiate on your company’s behalf.

2. A discussion of your approach to providing the required services. You must respond to ALL the requirements.

3. A description of your company’s capabilities to provide the required services, including evidence of financial responsibility and other Governmental Regulatory licenses.

4. A completed Price Proposal (see attached format). The successful offer will receive a fixed-price contract for the period stipulated in this RFQ. The fixed prices will remain in effect for the entire Period of Performance unless modified in writing by TLO.

Rates should be presented in **USD.**

**TIME FRAME**

The purpose of this RFQ is to identify and hire a vendor to provide the above-listed services.

**Service / Product Delivery and Payment Terms**:

* **Payment method:** The supplier will be paid through a bank Account/Cheque after satisfactory completion of each month's service to the TLO Kabul Office and confirmation by the related department. (no advance payment to the vendors)
* **Contract Period:** 4 Years (Duration Of Project)
* **Mode of Shipment:** N/A
* **Address:** Afghanistan, Ghazni (Jaghato, Zana Khan, Rashidan & Khogyani Districts)

**Submission of Quotation:**

The deadline for submission of sealed hard copies of offers is Sept 29th, 2024 / 02:00 PM Local Time. (Kabul, Afghanistan time) at the address provided below. **Please reference this (TLO-RFQ-020-2024)** on the sealed envelopes.

Offers received after the deadline may not be considered. Offers must be valid for a minimum of thirty (90) calendar days.

**Questions and Clarifications**

Any questions/clarifications should be submitted by email to **Khalid Noori** (khalid.noori@tlo-afghanistan.org) **Yama Aman** (yama.aman@tlo-afghanistan.org ) by 4:00 pm (Kabul, Afghanistan time) Sept 28th, 2024.

**Prices & Terms of Contract:**

Vendors must quote the price in **USD**. The price quotes shall be free of any tax (such as VAT)

1. The Liaison Office shall deduct the applicable tax **(currently 2%)** on any contract as required by Afghan Law and will make the direct deposit to the Da Afghanistan Bank if the supplier cannot provide the registration certificate or the registered certificate is against their business. If still awarded for the contract in this case (**7% tax)** will be deducted from the total amount of the contract and will be deposited to the Da Afghanistan Bank. As the tax withholding entity, The Liaison Office is required to remit the income tax amount withheld directly to the Ministry of Finance designated account.
2. Your quotation will be accepted, and payment will be proceeding as per your business title.
3. The Liaison Office is paying for any kind of supply and service; Account payee checks by the name of your company not by the name of the person (this is not an open check).
4. A penalty applies to the selected company in case of late delivery 0.5% per day.
5. You should have a Bank account according to your business title.
6. Your quotation should be signed and stamped.
7. The Liaison Office reserves the right to cancel this process without further notice to the vendors.

**Please Mark:**

**a) I certify that I’ve provided the quote and agree with your payment terms and conditions.**

Signature and or stamp:

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Mobile Phone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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