



**REQUEST FOR QUOTATIONS (RFQ)
[ACR-0141-2016]**

RFQ Number : ACR-0141-2016

Description : Project Vehicles
Release Date : 06 October 2016

For : Afghan Children Read

Contractor : Creative Associates International, Inc., Washington, DC

Funded by : United States Agency for International Development (USAID),
USAID Contract No. AID-OAA-I-14-00072, Task Order AID-306-TO-16-00003

Closing Date : **20 October 2016 [04:00PM Kabul Local Time]**

Creative Associates International, Inc., acting for the Afghan Children Read in Afghanistan is soliciting offers for the supply of tangible goods described in the attached pages. Creative is implementing an official project of the United States Agency for International Development (USAID) under USAID Contract No. AID-OAA-I-14-00072, Task Order AID-306-TO-16-00003

All correspondence and/or inquiries regarding this Request for Quotations [RFQ] must reference the above RFQ number, and be directed via email to:
procurement@readafghanistan.com

Please submit your offer for the goods described in the attached pages in accordance with the terms of the RFQ.

This RFQ includes the following sections:

- 1.0 Introduction**
- 2.0 Instructions to Offerors**
- 3.0 Technical Specifications**
 - Attachment A:** Offerors Summary Sheet
 - Attachment B:** Statement on Source and Origin
 - Attachment C:** Minimum Technical requirements
 - Attachment D:** Quotation/Offer

1.0 Introduction

The Afghan Children Read is a USAID-funded project based out of Afghanistan and implemented by contractor Creative Associates International, Inc. (Creative). The goal of Afghan Children Read is to support the Government of Afghanistan to improve early grade reading. Creative requires quotations for the following vehicles (specifications attached).

2.0 Instructions to Offerors

Offer Deadline: Offers must be received no later than **4:00 PM on (October 20, 2016)** by sealed envelope to:

Creative-ACR Procurement Department
Street #1, Saleh Mohammad Street, House # 632,
Shashdarak, District # 9, Kabul, Afghanistan.
Kabul, Afghanistan.

Offers received after this date or time will be considered late and will be considered only at the discretion of Creative.

1. Source: All goods and services supplied under this order must meet USAID Geographic Code 935 (special free world) in accordance with the US Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), 22 CFR 228. This means that items may be from any country with the exception of the seven countries outlined below. The cooperating country for this RFQ is Afghanistan.
 2. Under no circumstances may items or items with components from the following countries be purchased: Iran, Cuba, Iraq, Laos, Libya, North Korea, or Syria.
 3. Offerors are also required to indicate the source of all products in Columns B and C. Per 22 CFR 228, the following definitions apply:
 4. Source: "Source" means the country from which a commodity is shipped to the cooperating country or the cooperating country itself if the commodity is located therein at the time of purchase. However, where a commodity is shipped from a free port or bonded warehouse in the form in which received therein, "source" means the country from which the commodity was shipped to the free port or bonded warehouse.
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5. **Brand Names:** Specific brands and/or models indicated—while often preferred—are for description only. **An equivalent** substitute, as determined by the specifications, will be acceptable.

6. **Warranty Requirements:**

Offerors are expected to provide information on: Project vehicles, delivery, warranty

- a) Warranty if offered on any equipment must be valid in Afghanistan. Offers not honoring warranty (if offered) in insert country will be rejected.
 - b) Offerors shall confirm that all supplied equipment is **new**, unused, of the most recent models and incorporates all recent improvements in design and materials.
 - c) Furthermore, the successful Offeror shall be responsible for repairing any defect in, or damage to, any part of the supplies which appear during the warranty period and which: a) result from the use of defective materials, faulty workmanship or design of the Vendor; or b) result from any act of omission of the Vendor during the warranty period; or c) appear in the course of an inspection made by, or on behalf of the Buyer.
7. **Delivery:** Delivery and assembly will be arranged by the vendor. All delivery costs will be included within the price offer. All items must be delivered and assembled no later than 3 days after the agreement is signed.
 8. **Quotations:** Prices must include delivery and installation of any items to Kabul City. Offers must show unit prices, extensions, and total price. **Quotations must be a fixed price, expressed in Local Currency.**

Offerors shall fill in the unit price for each item in the **Quotation/Offer (see Attachment D)**. For each item, the quantity given in the “Quantity” column shall be multiplied by the unit price and the result entered in the “Total Amount” column. In case of any discrepancy between a unit price and an amount, the unit price will be taken as correct and the amount adjusted accordingly. For any item for which a unit price or amount is not shown, it will be assumed that the Offeror is not including that item in their proposal.

Offers must remain valid for not less than sixty (60) calendar days after the offer deadline.

9. **Negotiations:** **Best-offer quotations are requested. Award will be made to a responsible supplier submitting the lowest price, technically compliant proposal.**
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However, Creative reserves the right to conduct negotiations and/or request clarifications prior to awarding a contract.

10. **Evaluation and Award**: The award will be made to a responsible Offeror whose offer follows the RFQ instructions and meets the source/nationality requirements.

The proposal will be evaluated based on its responsiveness to the technical requirements listed in Section 3.0 Technical Specification and Attachment C, Minimum technical requirements.

11. **Type of Contract**: Creative intends to award a Purchase Order (PO) or Blanket Purchase Agreement (BPA) for this activity. Creative may award the procurement in full or in part to one Offeror, multiple Offerors, or no Offerors

12. **Terms and Conditions**: This is a Request for Quotations only. Issuance of this RFQ does not in any way obligate Creative or USAID to award a purchase order, nor does it commit Creative or USAID to pay for costs incurred in the preparation and submission of a proposal. Creative may award the procurement in full or in part to one Offeror, multiple Offerors, or no Offerors. This solicitation is subject to Creative standard terms and conditions. Any resultant award or purchase order will be governed by these terms and conditions.
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3.0 Technical Specifications

Toyota Hi-Lux 2.5 TD Double Cabin Pick-Up 4WD or Equivalent
AA_Model Code: KUN25L-PRMDHV
AB_Specifications: GCC
AC_Steering: LHD - Left Hand Drive
AD_Engine: 2,494 cc - Power: 75 Kw (100 HP) @ 3,600 rpm - Torque: 260 Nm @ 1,600 rpm
AE_Engine: 4-Cyl. - DOHC - 16 valve - Turbo charger
AF_Engine: Model: 2KD-FTV
AG_Fuel: Diesel - Tank capacity: 76 L - Fuel system- common rail type
AH_Electrics: 12 V
AJ_Transmission: Part-time 4WD, high/low - 5-speed manual, floor mounted
AK_Suspension front: Heavy-duty - Independent - Wishbone
AL_Suspension rear: Heavy Duty - Rigid axle - Leaf spring
AM_Brakes: FR: Discs - RR Drums - LSPV
AO_Tyres: FR/RR: 205/70 R16 - Steel rims - Full-size spare wheel
AP_Doors: 4
AQ_Seats: 6 - FR: 1+2 - RR: 3 (bench) - Cloth upholstery
AS_Weight: GVW: 2,790 kgs - Kerb weight: 1,835 kgs - Payload: 857 kgs
AT_Dimensions: LxWxH: 5,255 x 1,760 x 1,810 mm - 16.74 cbm
AU_Inner cargo bed dimension: LxWxH: 1,520 x 1,515 x 450 mm
AV_Wheelbase: 3,085 mm
AX_Ground clearance: 212 mm
AY_Country of Origin: Thailand
AZ_Color: White
BA_Major equipment: Air conditioning - Heater - AM/FM ETR Radio with cassette and 2 speakers
BB:Multi-reflector halogen headlamps - Power steering - Deck guard frame - RR bumper with step
BC:step plate - FR/RR mudguards - Clock - Sun visor, driver and passenger - Rpm counter
BD:Cigarette lighter - Spare wheel anti-theft lock - 2 FR tow hooks - FR/RR seat belts



Attachment A: Offeror's Summary Sheet

Name of Offeror:

Business License Number:

Address:

Telephone No.

TOTAL COST

Currency _____

1. Description of Warranty (include name, address, and telephone number of the authorized in country service maintenance provider)

2. Delivery time (Offerors are expected to propose an implementation schedule for supply and delivery.)

Signature: _____
Name: _____
Title: _____
Date: _____

Attachment B

STATEMENT ON RULES ON SOURCE AND NATIONALITY FOR COMMODITIES AND SERVICES FINANCED BY USAID

[CITE: 22CFR228.11], [CITE: 22CFR228.14]

Hereby the Offeror certifies that:

He/she has thoroughly studied the Section 2.2 of this RFQ containing “Rules on Source, and Nationality for Commodities and Services financed by USAID” [CITE: 22CFR228.11], [CITE: 22CFR228.14] and his/her company

_____ as well as all the components and commodities being offered in his/her Offer to this RFQ meet all required source and nationality eligibility criteria as specified under Section 2.2 of this RFQ.

Name

Title

Signature

Date

Attachment C: Minimum Technical Requirements

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Total (local currency) *:

Please note the total cost should include delivery to Kabul office.

The estimated BOQ is provided, the quantity will may increase or decrease per office requirement.