



Healthy Africa, Empowered People!

## CALL FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

### CONSULTANCY TO CONSTRUCT A ONE STOREYED POULTRY HOUSE WITH DIMENSIONS 10M X 4.5M.

#### 1.0 Background

I Choose Life - Africa (ICL) is one of the leading Non-Governmental Organizations that has greatly contributed to socio-economic development among different segments of the population across communities in Kenya today. The organization has programs in over 234 institutions (Primary, Secondary and tertiary institutions) and their respective communities across 23 Counties in Kenya. In delivery of its programs, ICL sought to have 1,000,000 individuals accessing affordable, quality health care, 750,000 improved livelihoods by doubling their monthly income, 500,000 students accessing relevant education of high quality, 47,000 Kenya Mpya Champions mobilized for every County and 1,000 Institutions strengthened for better service delivery all aligned to her five (5) pillars: Health, Economic Empowerment, Academic & Career mentoring, Leadership and Governance and Institutional Strengthening (HEAL & I).

ICL seeks to support the implementation of Vision 2030 through cascading it to the counties, sub-Counties, Wards and even Communities and Households. To achieve all these, the organization works closely with the Government through relevant line Ministries including the Ministry of Health, Ministry of Education, Ministry of Agriculture, Ministry of Youth and Gender Affairs the Universities and grass root local partners and stakeholders.

**ICL's Vision Statement:** Healthy Africa, Empowered People!

**ICL's Mission Statement:** To create a movement of individuals that enhances the quality of life for communities through health initiatives, economic empowerment, academic & career mentoring and improved leadership & governance and Institutional Strengthening.

#### 2.0 Brief overview of Project

I Choose Life - Africa has implemented Jielimishe Girls Education Challenge Transition Phase (GEC - T) Project with technical and financial support from UK Government through Department for International Development (DfID). The project is being implemented in three counties in Kenya: Laikipia, Meru and Mombasa since 2014. The aim of the project is to improve life chances of 10,170 marginalised girls through education. The project uses an integrated approach in its implementation where it targets the girl at home, at school and the girl herself. ICL is currently implementing Phase two (2) of the project dubbed GEC Transition window whose focus is to:

- 2.1 Support the current cohort of GEC girls to gain **meaningful level of literacy and numeracy**.
- 2.2 Get the current girls to **complete** their current cycle of education **and transition** to the next level, including work
- 2.3 Assure **sustainability** of its plans and sharing of key learning.

### **3.0 Scope of the Consultancy**

I Choose Life - Africa therefore seeks to engage the services of a competent and experienced contractor to construct a 1 storeyed poultry house to support achievement of sustainability intervention in GEC T Sustainability outcome. The scope of this consultancy will involve:

- 3.1 Construct a one storeyed poultry house, at the site where one stone wall that will form part of the structure is already erected; the structure should be ready within one week, dimensions are as follows:
  - a) **Floor 10m x 4.5 m**
  - b) **Walls Height: 2m for ground floor and 2m for 1<sup>st</sup> floor**
  - c) **Outside stairs**
- 3.2 Roof Design: Flat roof, slanting at a gradient of 2 feet
- 3.3 2 metal doors for ground floor and 1<sup>st</sup> floor
- 3.4 Concrete slab for the ground floor and metal fabricated slab for 1<sup>st</sup> floor
- 3.5 Adequate ventilation for brooding chicks; 1/3 of the wall with wire mesh
- 3.6 Water and electricity connection, that's within the premises
- 3.7 Two brooders, one on the ground floor and another on 1<sup>st</sup> floor
- 3.8 Two sick bays established, one on each floor.
- 3.9 Each floor to have a foot bath

### **4.0 Duration of the Consultancy**

Interested and qualified suppliers should respond to the Expression of Interest on or before 30<sup>th</sup> March 2021. The supplier will work closely with a designated team from ICL led by Project Manager.

### **5.0 Required Specifications/qualifications of the Consultant.**

- 5.1 Minimum 2 years' experience in construction of poultry pens.
- 5.2 Competent understanding and knowledge on poultry Housing construction guidelines.
- 5.3 Experience in development of bill of quantities (BQ) for construction materials estimates.
- 5.4 Excellent knowledge and experience in development and delivery of construction activity work plans.

### **6.0 Application Process**

Interested applicants should submit a technical proposal on how to best deliver this within the specified time and budget; include a bill of quantities and labour costs to execute the assignment.

### **DATE OF SUBMISSION**

To be submitted on or before **16<sup>th</sup> April 2021.**

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