



Healthy Africa, Empowered People!

CALL FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

#8/9/2021

**PROVISION OF FERTILIZED EGGS FOR JIELIMISHE
GIRLS' EDUCATION CHALLENGE (GEC – T) PROJECT**

1.0 Background of I Chose Life Africa

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

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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 Jielimisha Girls Education Challenge (GEC) Project with technical and financial support from UK Government through Foreign Commonwealth Development Office (FCDO). 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:

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

3.0 Objective Of the Assignment

I Choose Life - Africa therefore seeks to engage the services of a competent and relevant supplier to supply 12,000 fertilised poultry eggs (200 trays of eggs) for Kroiler and (200 trays of eggs) Kari Improved breeds; to support achievement of sustainability intervention in GEC- T outcomes. The scope of this consultancy will involve:

1. Supply of 12,000 fertilised poultry eggs, in batches of 100 trays per week; The eggs should be not more than 5 days old
2. The eggs supplied should be clean, free of breakages, and cracks.
3. Candling to be done by an ICL appointed person at source.
4. Layers to cockerel ratio to be 5:1 or less.
5. Age of the birds to be between 6 months to 16 months
6. Packaging in egg trays, transported in plastic poultry eggs crates; all eggs heads facing down.
7. Every delivery to have 5% contingency number of eggs.
8. Delivery point is ICL office at Riverside Drive, Plot 44 Nairobi.
9. Minimum hatching rate of 85%

4.0 Duration of the Consultancy

Interested and qualified suppliers should respond to the Expression of Interest within 14 days period from date of advertisement. The supplier will work closely with a designated team from ICL led by Project Manager.

5.0 Required Specifications/qualifications of the Consultant

- Minimum 5 years' experience in breeding of improved kienyeji poultry eggs.
- Competent understanding and knowledge on Hatchery Eggs requirements.
- Experience in hatchery eggs candling, packaging and transportation.
- Excellent knowledge and experience in hatchery eggs supply business.

6.0 EOI Proposal

Agencies or individuals interested in for this assignment should prepare a detailed Expression of interest proposal containing the following information:

6.1 Short summary or profile of individual/agency seeking to bid

6.2 Timelines in delivery of this assignment

6.3 Evidence of previous work done

6.4 Ability to provide samples of requested items

6.5 Proposed price per unit and total cost (attach separate detailed quotation) indicating other costs involved e.g. transport

6.6 A copy of valid KRA pin number and Tax Compliance Certificate

6.7 Ability to deliver within 60 days credit period

7.0 Application Process

Interested applicants should submit a technical proposal on how to best deliver this within the specified time and budget to execute that on or before **14th September 2021**.

8.0 DATE OF SUBMISSION

To be submitted on or before 14th September 2021.

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