



## REQUEST FOR QUOTATION (RFQ)

RFQ Reference: 4200784226

Date: 31 October 2024

### **SECTION 1: REQUEST FOR QUOTATION (RFQ) For Enhancing Livelihoods opportunities Post-Storm Daniel in Derna, Alshat, Albayda, Soussa**

International Organisation for Migration (IOM) kindly requests your quotation for the provision of goods, works and/or services as detailed in Annex 1 of this RFQ.

This Request for Quotation comprises the following documents:

- Section 1: This request letter
- Section 2: RFQ Instructions and Data
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When preparing your quotation, please be guided by the RFQ Instructions and Data. Please note that quotations must be submitted using Annex 2: Quotation Submission Form and Annex 3 Technical and Financial Offer, by the method and by the date and time indicated. It is your responsibility to ensure that your quotation is submitted on or before the deadline. Quotations received after the submission deadline, for whatever reason, will not be considered for evaluation.

Thank you and we look forward to receiving your quotations.

Approved by:

IOM Libya Procurement

## SECTION 2: RFQ INSTRUCTIONS AND DATA

<b>Deadline for the Submission of Quotation</b>	14 November 2024, 17:00 PM Tripoli time . If any doubt exists as to the time zone in which the quotation should be submitted, refer to <a href="http://www.timeanddate.com/worldclock/">http://www.timeanddate.com/worldclock/</a> .
<b>Method of Submission</b>	Quotations must be submitted as follows: <input type="checkbox"/> E-tendering <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Email <input type="checkbox"/> Courier / Hand delivery <input type="checkbox"/> Other Bid submission address: iomlibyaproposal@iom.int <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ File Format: PDF</li> <li>▪ File names must be maximum 60 characters long and must not contain any letter or special character other than from Latinalphabet/keyboard.</li> <li>▪ All files must be free of viruses and not corrupted.</li> <li>▪ Max. File Size per transmission: 25 MB</li> <li>▪ Mandatory subject of email: 4200784226</li> <li>▪ Multiple emails must be clearly identified by indicating in the subject line “email no. X of Y”, and the final “email no. Y of Y”.</li> <li>▪ It is recommended that the entire Quotation be consolidated into as few attachments as possible.</li> <li>▪ The proposer should receive an email acknowledging email receipt.</li> </ul>
<b>Cost of preparation of quotation</b>	IOM shall not be responsible for any costs associated with a Supplier’s preparation and submission of a quotation, regardless of the outcome or the manner of conducting the selection process.
<b>Supplier Code of Conduct</b>	All prospective suppliers must read the UN Supplier Code of Conduct and acknowledge that it provides the minimum standards expected of suppliers to the UN. The Code of Conduct, which includes principles on labour, human rights, environment and ethical conduct may be found at: <a href="http://ungm.org">Supplier Code of Conduct (ungm.org)</a> .
<b>Conflict of Interest</b>	UN encourages every prospective Supplier to avoid and prevent conflicts of interest, by disclosing to UN if you, or any of your affiliates or personnel, were involved in the preparation of the requirements, design, specifications, cost estimates, and other information used in this RFQ.
<b>General Conditions of Contract</b>	Any Purchase Order or contract that will be issued as a result of this RFQ shall be subject to the IOM General Conditions of Contract for provision of goods/services/transportation/medical services available at <a href="https://www.iom.int/do-business-us-procurement">https://www.iom.int/do-business-us-procurement</a> .
<b>Eligibility</b>	Bidders shall have the legal capacity to enter into a binding contract with IOM and to deliver in the country, or through an authorized representative.
<b>Currency of Quotation</b>	Quotations shall be quoted in USD
<b>Duties and taxes</b>	The International Organization for Migration is exempt from all direct taxes, except charges for public utility services, and is exempt from customs restrictions, duties, and charges of a similar nature in respect of articles imported or exported for its official use. All quotations shall be submitted net of any direct taxes and any other taxes and duties, unless otherwise specified below: All prices shall: <input type="checkbox"/> be inclusive of VAT and other applicable indirect taxes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> be exclusive of VAT and other applicable indirect taxes
<b>Language of quotation and documentation including</b>	English ,

<b>catalogues, instructions and operating manuals</b>	
<b>Documents to be submitted</b>	Bidders shall include the following documents in their quotation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Annex 2: Quotation Submission Form duly completed and signed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Annex 3: Technical and Financial Offer duly completed and signed and in accordance with the Schedule of Requirements in Annex 1 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other Eligibility requirements
<b>Quotation validity period</b>	Quotations shall remain valid for 90 days from the deadline for the Submission of Quotation.
<b>Price variation</b>	No price variation due to escalation, inflation, fluctuation in exchange rates, or any other market factors shall be accepted at any time during the validity of the quotation after the quotation has been received.
<b>Partial Quotes</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not permitted <input type="checkbox"/> Permitted
<b>Payment Terms</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 100% within 30 days after receipt of goods, works and/or services and submission of payment documentation
<b>Contact Person for correspondence, notifications and clarifications</b>	Focal Person: IOM Libya Procurement E-mail address: <a href="mailto:iomlibyaproposal@iom.int">iomlibyaproposal@iom.int</a>
<b>Clarifications</b>	Requests for clarification from bidders will not be accepted any later than 3 days before the submission deadline. Responses to request for clarification will be communicated <a href="mailto:iomlibyaproposal@iom.int">iomlibyaproposal@iom.int</a> by 11 November 2024
<b>Evaluation method</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> The contract will be awarded to the lowest price (most responsive bids) and technically compliant bidders. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Highest overall technical and financial weighted score (70% technical, 30% financial).  The technical proposals of Service Providers shall be evaluated based on the following criteria and sub-criteria:  The technical proposals of Service Providers shall be evaluated based on the following criteria and sub-criteria:  <b>(i) Specific experience of the Service Providers relevant to the assignment: 40 Points</b> -Years of experience in this field 25 Points -Similar organizations worked 15 Points  <b>(ii) General qualification 30 Points</b> -Labor Capacity 15 Points -Responsiveness to the TOR 15 Points  <b>(iii) Key professional staff qualifications and competence for the assignment: 30 Point</b>  Total weight: <b>100 points</b>  The minimum technical score St required to pass is: <b>70 Points</b>

	<p>The financial scores (Sf) of the other Financial Proposals shall be computed based on the formula:</p> $Sf = 100 \times FI / F$ <p>Where:</p> <p>Sf - is the financial score of the Financial Proposal under consideration,  FI - is the price of the lowest Financial Proposal, and  F - is the price of the Financial Proposal under consideration.</p> <p>The proposals shall then be ranked according to their combined (Sc) technical (St) and financial (Sf) scores using the weights (T = the weight given to the Technical Proposal = 0.70; F = the weight given to the Financial Proposal = 0.30; T + F = 1)</p> $Sc = St \times T\% + Sf \times F\%$ <p>The firm achieving the highest combined technical and financial score may be invited for negotiations.</p>
<p><b>Evaluation criteria</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Full compliance with all requirements as specified in Annex 1</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Full acceptance of the General Conditions of Contract or PO</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Comprehensiveness of after-sales services</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Earliest Delivery /shortest lead time</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Others combined score evaluation</li> </ul>
<p><b>Right not to accept any quotation</b></p>	<p>IOM is not bound to accept any quotation, nor award a contract or Purchase Order</p>
<p><b>Right to vary requirement at time of award</b></p>	<p>At the time of award of Contract or Purchase Order, IOM reserves the right to vary (increase or decrease) the quantity of services and/or goods, by up to a maximum 25% of the total offer, without any change in the unit price or other terms and conditions.</p>
<p><b>Type of Contract to be awarded</b></p>	<p>Services Agreement</p>
<p><b>Expected date for contract award.</b></p>	<p>01 December 2024</p>
<p><b>Policies and procedures</b></p>	<p>This RFQ is conducted in accordance with Policies and Procedures of IOM</p>
<p><b>UNGM registration</b></p>	<p>IOM is encouraging all suppliers to register at the United Nations Global Marketplace (UNGM) website at <a href="http://www.ungm.org">www.ungm.org</a>. The Bidder may still submit a quotation even if not registered with the UNGM, however, if the Bidder is selected for Contract award of USD 100,000 and above, the Bidder is recommended to register on the UNGM prior to contract signature. For vendors who do not have the technical means to register in UNGM, the UNGM has implemented an assisted vendor registration functionality that allows IOM procurement personnel to add local vendors to the UNGM.</p>

**ANNEX 1: SCHEDULE OF REQUIREMENTS**

Technical Specifications for services :

**Delivery Requirements**

Delivery Requirements	
<b>Delivery date and time</b>	Bidder shall deliver the goods and services ASAP after Contract signature.
<b>Delivery Terms (INCOTERMS 2020)</b>	At Delivered Place
<b>Customs clearance (must be linked to INCOTERM)</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not applicable Shall be done by: <input type="checkbox"/> Name of organization <input type="checkbox"/> Supplier/bidder <input type="checkbox"/> Freight Forwarder
<b>Exact Address(es) of Delivery Location(s)</b>	
<b>Distribution of shipping documents (if using freight forwarder)</b>	NA
<b>Packing Requirements</b>	NA
<b>Training on Operations and Maintenance</b>	NA
<b>Warranty Period</b>	NA
<b>After-sales service and local service support requirements</b>	NA
<b>Preferred Mode of Transport</b>	NA
<b>Other information</b>	

## ANNEX 2: QUOTATION SUBMISSION FORM

*Bidders are requested to complete this form, including the Company Profile and Bidder's Declaration, sign it and return it as part of their quotation along with Annex 3: Technical and Financial Offer. The Bidder shall fill in this form in accordance with the instructions indicated. No alterations to its format shall be permitted and no substitutions shall be accepted.*

Name of Bidder:		
RFQ reference:		Date:

### VENDOR INFORMATION SHEET<sup>1</sup>

#### BIDDER'S DECLARATION OF CONFORMITY<sup>2</sup>

Yes	No	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	On behalf of the Supplier, I hereby represent and warrant that neither the Supplier, nor any person having powers of representation, decision-making or control over it or any member of its administrative, management or supervisory body, has been the subject of a final judgement or final administrative decision for one of the following reasons: bankruptcy, insolvency or winding-up procedures; breach of obligations relating to the payment of taxes or social security contributions; grave professional misconduct, including misrepresentation, fraud; corruption; conduct related to a criminal organisation; money laundering or terrorist financing; terrorist offences or offences linked to terrorist activities; child labour and other trafficking in human beings, any discriminatory or exploitative practice, or any practice that is inconsistent with the rights set forth in the Convention on the Rights of the Child or other prohibited practices; irregularity; creating or being a shell company.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	On behalf of the Supplier, I further represent and warrant that the Supplier is financially sound and duly licensed.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	On behalf of the Supplier, I further represent and warrant that the Supplier has adequate human resources, equipment, competence, expertise and skills necessary to complete the contract fully and satisfactorily, within the stipulated completion period and in accordance with the relevant terms and conditions.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	On behalf of the Supplier, I further represent and warrant that the Supplier complies with all applicable laws, ordinances, rules and regulations.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	On behalf of the Supplier, I further represent and warrant that the Supplier will in all circumstances act in the best interests of IOM.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	On behalf of the Supplier, I further represent and warrant that no official of IOM or any third party has received from, will be offered by, or will receive from the Supplier any direct or indirect benefit arising from the contract.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	On behalf of the Supplier, I further represent and warrant that the Supplier has not misrepresented or concealed any material facts during the contracting process.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	On behalf of the Supplier, I further represent and warrant that the Supplier will respect the legal status, privileges and immunities of IOM as an intergovernmental organization.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	On behalf of the Supplier, I further represent and warrant that neither the Supplier nor any persons having powers of representation, decision-making or control over the Supplier or any member of its administrative, management or supervisory body are included in the most recent Consolidated United

<sup>1</sup> [Vendor Information Sheet.xlsx](#)

<sup>2</sup> This form is mandatory to fill in and sign by every vendor who submits quotation

Yes	No	
		Nations Security Council Sanctions List (the “UN Sanctions List”) or are the subject of any sanctions or other temporary suspension. The Supplier will immediately disclose to IOM if it or they become subject to any sanction or temporary suspension.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	On behalf of the Supplier, I further represent and warrant that the Supplier does not employ, provide resources to, support, contract or otherwise deal with any person, entity or other group associated with terrorism as per the UN Sanctions List and any other applicable anti-terrorism legislation.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	On behalf of the Supplier, I further represent and warrant that, the Supplier will apply the highest ethical standards, the principles of efficiency and economy, equal opportunity, open competition and transparency, and will avoid any conflict of interest.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	On behalf of the Supplier, I further represent and warrant that the Supplier undertakes to comply with the Code of Conduct, available at <a href="https://www.unhcr.org/Public/CodeOfConduct">https://www.unhcr.org/Public/CodeOfConduct</a> .
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	It is the responsibility of the Supplier to inform IOM immediately of any change to the information provided in this Declaration.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	On behalf of the Supplier, I certify that I am duly authorized to sign this Declaration and on behalf of the Supplier I agree to abide by the terms of this Declaration for the duration of any contract entered into between the Supplier and IOM.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	IOM reserves the right to terminate any contract between IOM and the Supplier, with immediate effect and without liability, in the event of any misrepresentation made by the Supplier in this Declaration.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Name:

Title:

Date:

**ANNEX 3: TECHNICAL AND FINANCIAL OFFER – Services**

Bidders are requested to complete this form, sign it and return it as part of their quotation along with Annex 2 Quotation Submission Form. The Bidder shall fill in this form in accordance with the instructions indicated. No alterations to its format shall be permitted and no substitutions shall be accepted.

Name of Bidder:		
RFQ reference:		Date:

**List of Requirements:**

Description of Works	UOM	Qty	Unit Price	Total Price
Community Engagement and Stakeholder Orientation Report summarizing meetings held with local markets, chambers of commerce, and other stakeholders. (Due: 2 weeks after contract award)		1		
orientation sessions to the interested business on the use of expression of interest (EOI) ( 2 week after the contract is awarded)		2		
Release of Expression of Interest (EOI) with support to SMEs in completing EOI applications. (Due: 4 weeks after contract award)		1		
Business Plans for Selected SMEs with accurate, tailored business plans developed for eligible SMEs. (Due: 1 month after contract award)		1		
Training of 5 days (15 pax each) of Business management and business enhancement training for the selected SMEs (1.5 months after the contract) with a focus on environmental sustainability and environmental friendly-friendly production practices.		2		
Training Completion Report including attendance sheets, pre- and post-training evaluation results, and certification details. (Due: 1.5 months after contract award)		2		
Final Rapid Assessment Report with detailed findings, identified MSEs, and a clear justification based on selection criteria. (Due: 2 months after contract award)		1		
Weekly Progress Updates, Monthly Activity Reports and Final Comprehensive Report at the end of the assignment, highlighting achievements, lessons learned, and recommendations for future interventions		1		

Bidders are expected to fill the Financial Proposal Form indicating the clear cost of each training per pax and also indicate the breakdown cost of each services included.

**Please Provide the following:**

- a brief description of your qualification and capacity that is relevant to the Scope of Works;
- a brief method statement and implementation plan;
- team composition and CVs of key personnel



**Compliance with Requirements**

	You Responses		
	Yes, we will comply	No, we cannot comply	If you cannot comply, pls. indicate counter proposal
Delivery Lead Time	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Please provide delivery time
Validity of Quotation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Please indicate Validity of Quotation
Payment terms	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Other requirements <i>[pls. specify]</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

I, the undersigned, certify that I am duly authorized to sign this quotation and bind the company below in event that the quotation is accepted.	
<i>Exact name and address of company</i> Company Name Address:  Phone No.:	Authorized Signature: Date: Name: Functional Title of Authorised Signatory:

**Terms of Reference (ToR): Enhancing Livelihoods opportunities Post-Storm Daniel in Derna, Alshat,Albayda, Soussa in Eastern Libya.**

Duration: 4 months

Location: **Derna and Albayda, Soussa and Alshahat (Jabal Al Akhdar Mantika)**. Based on IOM recommendation, possibility to also include Tomleita and other locations affected by Storm Daniel

**1. Background:**

Storm Daniel, which struck Libya on September 10, 2023, has left a devastating impact on Eastern Libya, particularly in the provinces of Derna, Albayda, Soussa, Al-Marj, Shahat, Taknis, Battah, Tolmeita, Bersis, Tokra, and Al-Abyar. The aftermath includes the displacement of 43,059 individuals, the loss of over 3,958 lives (including 429 migrants), and substantial infrastructural damage. This catastrophe has compounded the challenges faced by the country since the 2011 revolution, disrupting economic activities and necessitating a holistic recovery approach.

To expedite recovery, mitigate protracted humanitarian crises, and foster social cohesion, the International Organization for Migration (IOM) is initiating a project aimed at supporting the economic recovery of flood-affected communities in Derna, Alshahat and Albayda.

**2. Objectives:**

The primary goal is to enhancing livelihoods opportunities in the flood affected areas through two separate initiatives: 1) Revive Micro and Small Enterprises (MSEs) in floods-affected areas in the East, thereby contributing to economic recovery, stabilizing supply chains, and ensuring the provision of essential goods and services. The project also aims to identify and assist MSEs that play a crucial role in job creation. 2) strengthening the capacity of selected SMEs to encourage them to continue to enhance their skills and knowledge, expand their businesses as outlined in their business plans, and successfully manage their business. Through this approach, IOM will strive to support employment creation in Libya that is more sustainable. And contribute to sustainable economic recovery in the aftermath of Storm Daniel.

Specific objectives include:

- Identify MSEs affected by Storm Daniel and assess their needs, challenges, and potential for business enhancement.
- Deliver tailored business management training and promote inclusive employment practices.
- Facilitate linkages between MSEs and relevant local stakeholders to promote sustainable business practices.

**3. Scope of Work and Expected Deliverables:**

The SP will responsible to implement:

**Activity 1: Rapid Assessment to identify Agricultural Micro and Small Businesses in flood affected areas in the East for assistance:**

- Develop a robust methodology for the assessment through desk reviews, consultations, and on-the-ground data collection (using existing resources such as MTRNA, DTM Area-Based Assessments, REACH WG market assessments, etc.).
- Conduct in-person assessments in the local market using a multifaceted approach, incorporating field visits, semi-structured interviews, focus group discussions, and Kobo questionnaires. IOM is aiming to support approximately 10 to 12 MSMEs in these areas with a range of 5 000 to 18 000 USD to be provided with cash /in kind support to each MSEs.
- Identify willingness among MSEs to employ migrants, IDPs, women, and other vulnerable groups, establishing this as a mandatory selection criterion.
- Engage with relevant stakeholders such as the Chamber of Commerce, private sector associations, municipalities, and local communities through at least one coordination meeting in each targeted location.
- Facilitate at least one town hall discussion involving key stakeholders, including local authorities, community representatives, and potential beneficiaries.

**Activity 2: 5 days of Targeted Training on business management and business enhancement for Agricultural SMES (including development of a business plan) in two locations (total of 30 participants)**

- Deliver a 5-day comprehensive training to selected agricultural MSEs covering business management, marketing, profit and loss calculations, compliance with Libyan labor law, human resources, and environmentally-friendly production practices.
- Develop a training toolkit specific to business management and agricultural enterprise enhancement.
- Provide certification for graduates of the business management training.
- Conduct pre- and post-training evaluations to assess participants' learning outcomes and capacity development.
- Create a network of certified trainers and SME grantees to promote ongoing peer-to-peer learning, mentorship, and support for sustainable business practices.
- Ensure logistical arrangements for the training sessions, including venue setup, catering, and provision of necessary equipment.
- Facilitate business registration processes for unregistered businesses, supporting participants in initiating or completing registration procedures.
- Gender and Social Inclusion Considerations: Ensure that training materials and methodologies are gender-sensitive and inclusive. Encourage participation of women-led enterprises and address specific barriers faced by vulnerable groups such as youth, IDPs, and migrants.

**4. Expected Deliverables and timeline:**

1. Community Engagement and Stakeholder Orientation Report summarizing meetings held with local markets, chambers of commerce, and other stakeholders. (Due: 2 weeks after contract award) and orientation sessions to the interested business on the use of expression of interest( EOI) ( 2 week after the contract is awarded)
2. Release of Expression of Interest (EOI) with support to SMEs in completing EOI applications. (Due: 4 weeks after contract award)
3. Business Plans for Selected SMEs with accurate, tailored business plans developed for eligible SMEs. (Due: 1 month after contract award)
4. 2 trainings of 5 days of Business management and business enhancement training for the selected SMEs ( 1.5 months after the contract) with a focus on environmental sustainability and enviromental friendly-friendly production practices. Total participants for the trainings will be 30 people.
5. Training Completion Report including attendance sheets, pre- and post-training evaluation results, and certification details. (Due: 1.5 months after contract award)
6. Final Rapid Assessment Report with detailed findings, identified MSEs, and a clear justification based on selection criteria. (Due: 2 months after contract award)

**5. Reporting requirements:**

The SP will provide the following reports:

- Weekly Progress Updates outlining the status of activities and any challenges faced.
- Monthly Activity Reports summarizing key outputs, participant feedback, and stakeholder engagement.
- Final Comprehensive Report at the end of the assignment, highlighting achievements, lessons learned, and recommendations for future interventions.

**6. IOM propriety and data principles**

All reports and data prepared by contractor in connection with the services performed under this ToR shall be the sole property of IOM Libya Mission and shall not be used by contractor in connection with any other activity



**VENDOR INFORMATION SHEET**

**Vendor No.** \_\_\_\_\_  
Internal to IOM

**Registered Vendor Name\***: Mr. \_\_\_\_\_

**Other Names/Acronyms** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address\*** \_\_\_\_\_

House No \_\_\_\_\_  
Street Name \_\_\_\_\_  
ZIP/Postal Code\* \_\_\_\_\_  
City\* \_\_\_\_\_  
Region\* \_\_\_\_\_  
Country\* \_\_\_\_\_

**Contact Information**

Company Tel/Mobile: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_  
Company Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_  
Company Website: \_\_\_\_\_

**Industry Category\***:  0100 - Commercial Vendors  0500 - International Organizations - Non-UN  
 0200 - National CSOs  0600 - UN entities  
 0300 - National Government Entities  0005 - Individual Consultant/Non-Staff  
 0400 - International CSOs

**Business Type\***:  Direct Producer/Manufacturing  
 Reseller/Distributor/Service Provider

**Provide Services/Goods Internationally\***  Yes  No  
**Disability-inclusive\***  Yes  Not applicable  
**Women-owned/controlled\***  At least 51% women-owned/controlled  
 Less than 51% women-owned/controlled  
 Not applicable  
**Environmental Statement\***  Yes  No  
**Environmental or Energy Management System\***  Yes  No

**Notes**  
All fields marked with \* are mandatory.  
The form may be returned if mandatory fields are missing/incorrect or in the wrong format (esp. Zipcode).  
**Vendor Name** - should match IDs or registration documents.  
If there is insufficient space, please use the **Other Information** section

**Product Categories (check all applicable)\***

<input type="checkbox"/> Agriculture, Livestock and Fisheries	<input type="checkbox"/> Fuels and Derivatives	<input type="checkbox"/> Legal and Investigation	<input type="checkbox"/> Power Supply and Electric
<input type="checkbox"/> Chemicals	<input type="checkbox"/> Furniture	<input type="checkbox"/> Logistics and Warehousing	<input type="checkbox"/> Quality Control and Environment
<input type="checkbox"/> Clothing and Luggage	<input type="checkbox"/> Hospitality, Events	<input type="checkbox"/> Media and Printing	<input type="checkbox"/> Security
<input type="checkbox"/> Construction	<input type="checkbox"/> Insurances	<input type="checkbox"/> Medical, Drugs and Pharma	<input type="checkbox"/> Social and Humanitarian Services
<input type="checkbox"/> Consultancy and Contracted Services	<input type="checkbox"/> IT and Communications	<input type="checkbox"/> NFIs – Household and Camps	<input type="checkbox"/> Tickets
<input type="checkbox"/> Finance and Administration	<input type="checkbox"/> Land and Buildings	<input type="checkbox"/> Office Equipment and Supply	<input type="checkbox"/> Tools and Machinery
<input type="checkbox"/> Food and Beverage	<input type="checkbox"/> Learning, Training and Recreation	<input type="checkbox"/> Personal Care	<input type="checkbox"/> Vehicles and Accessories

**UNGM No.** \_\_\_\_\_ <https://www.ungm.org/UNUser/Home>  
**UN Partner Portal Reference** \_\_\_\_\_ <https://www.unpartnerportal.org>  
**Registration Date\*** \_\_\_\_\_ Country of Operations (dd-mmm-yyyy)  
**VAT Number** \_\_\_\_\_

**Licensing Auth./Type** \_\_\_\_\_ **License No.:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Reg. Date:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Expiry Date** \_\_\_\_\_  
For additional licenses, please use the Other Information Section dd-mmm-yyyy dd-mmm-yyyy

**Partner Entities** (indicate if there are other relevant business partner accounts already registered in IOM. *Format: Account Number-Name*)

Same entity registered in another office \_\_\_\_\_  
Parent company \_\_\_\_\_  
Subsidiaries/Branches \_\_\_\_\_

**Other Information:**

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_



VENDOR INFORMATION SHEET

Section II: Payment and Banking Information

Payment Details

Payment Method\*  Bank Transfer  Check\*\*  Cash\*\*  Others\*\* \_\_\_\_\_

Justification for Non-Bank Payment Method\*\* \_\_\_\_\_

Notes

Payment currency of the vendor MUST be clearly marked in order to avoid additional bank charges and/or delay in payments. Non-bank payment methods require justification.

Bank Details (mandatory if Payment Method is via Bank Transfer):

Bank Name \_\_\_\_\_
Bldg and Street \_\_\_\_\_
City \_\_\_\_\_
Postal Code \_\_\_\_\_
Country \_\_\_\_\_
Bank Account Name \_\_\_\_\_
Bank Keys \_\_\_\_\_
Account Currency \_\_\_\_\_
Bank Account No. \_\_\_\_\_

\*Depending on the country

Swift Code/BIC (accounts outside U.S.A.) \_\_\_\_\_
IBAN Number (mandatory for banks in Europe) \_\_\_\_\_
Clearing No. (CHF accounts in Switzerland) \_\_\_\_\_
ABA No. for ACH (USD accounts in U.S.A.) \_\_\_\_\_
Bank Branch Code \_\_\_\_\_

Notes

If there are multiple bank accounts, please add an extra sheet, and mark the default bank account.

If awarded, please submit ID/Registration, signed IOM Supplier Code of Conduct and Proof of Banking Details to IOM

I hereby certify that the information above are true and correct. I am also authorizing IOM to validate all claims with concerned authorities.

Printed Name
representative
Position/Title

Signature

## UN SUPPLIER CODE OF CONDUCT

**United Nations Charter:** The values enshrined in the United Nations (UN) Charter, *respect for fundamental human rights, social justice and human dignity, and respect for the equal rights of men and women*, serve as overarching values to which suppliers of goods and services to the UN<sup>1</sup> are expected to adhere.

**Global Compact:** The Global Compact is a voluntary international corporate citizenship network initiated to support the participation of both the private sector and other social actors to advance responsible corporate citizenship and universal social and environmental principles to meet the challenges of globalization. The UN strongly encourages all suppliers to actively participate in the Global Compact. And to that end, this Code of Conduct has been developed with recognition of the importance of the ten principles of the UN Global Compact, and is viewed as an important means of integrating the Compact's principles into the operations of the UN. The Code of Conduct addresses the issues included in the Compact in the areas of human rights, labour, environment and anti-corruption and interpretation of the Code should be undertaken in a manner consistent with the Global Compact. Suppliers interested in supporting the Global Compact and obtaining more information on the ten principles, can visit the Global Compact website at [www.unglobalcompact.org](http://www.unglobalcompact.org).

**International Labour Conventions and Recommendations:** The International Labour Standards (i.e., Conventions and Recommendations) as established by the tripartite UN specialized agency, the International Labour Organization (ILO), have served as the foundation on which much of this Code of Conduct is based. It is the UN's expectation that any supplier providing products or services to the UN will, in addition to the values of the UN Charter, adhere to the principles concerning International Labour Standards summarized below in paragraphs 4 – 9.<sup>2</sup>

### 1. Scope of Application:

The provisions of this Code of Conduct set forth the UN's expectations for all suppliers that are registered with the UN or with whom it does business. The UN expects that these principles apply to suppliers and their employees, parent, subsidiary or affiliate entities, and subcontractors. The UN expects suppliers to ensure that this Code of Conduct is communicated to their employees, parent, subsidiary and affiliated entities as well as any subcontractors, and that it is done in the local language and in a manner that is understood by all. In order for a supplier to be registered as a UN supplier or to do business with the UN, the supplier is required to read and acknowledge that this Code of Conduct provides the minimum standards expected of UN Suppliers. In addition, suppliers should note that certain provisions of this Code of Conduct will be binding on the supplier in the event the supplier is awarded a contract by the UN pursuant to the terms and conditions of any such contract. Failure to comply with certain provisions may also preclude suppliers from being eligible for a contract award, as reflected in the solicitation documents of one or more organizations in the UN. Prospective suppliers are invited to review the specific terms and conditions of contract and procurement policies of the organization(s) within the UN with which they would like to do business in order to ascertain their current and future eligibility.

### 2. Continuous Improvement:

The provisions as set forth in this Code of Conduct provide the minimum standards expected of suppliers to the UN. The UN expects suppliers to strive to exceed both international and industry best practices. The UN also expects that its suppliers encourage and work with their own suppliers and subcontractors to ensure that they also strive to meet the principles of this Code of Conduct. The UN recognizes that reaching some of the standards established in this Code of Conduct is a dynamic rather than static process and encourages suppliers to continually improve their workplace conditions accordingly.

<sup>1</sup> In this Code of Conduct, "UN" shall refer to the UN Secretariat, Programmes and Funds of the UN, Specialised Agencies of the UN and all other entities belonging to the UN system, that have adopted this Code of Conduct through the High Level Committee on Management - Procurement Network.

<sup>2</sup> The full texts of the ILO Conventions and Recommendations can be accessed at: <http://www.ilo.org/global/standards/lang--en/index.htm>

### 3. Management, Monitoring and Evaluation:

It is the expectation of the UN that its suppliers, at a minimum, have established clear goals toward meeting the standards set forth in this Code of Conduct. The UN expects that its suppliers will establish and maintain appropriate management systems related to the content of this Code of Conduct, and that they actively review, monitor and modify their management processes and business operations to ensure they align with the principles set forth in this Code of Conduct. Supplier participants in the Global Compact are strongly encouraged to operationalize its principles and to communicate their progress annually to stakeholders.

#### Labour:

**4. Freedom of Association and Collective Bargaining:** The UN expects its suppliers to recognize the freely-exercised right of workers, without distinction, to organize, further and defend their interests and to bargain collectively, as well as to protect those workers from any action or other form of discrimination related to the exercise of their right to organize, to carry out trade union activities and to bargain collectively.<sup>3</sup>

**5. Forced or Compulsory Labour:** The UN expects its suppliers to prohibit forced or compulsory labour in all its forms.<sup>4</sup>

**6. Child Labour:** The UN expects its suppliers not to employ: (a) children below 14 years of age or, if higher than that age, the minimum age of employment permitted by the law of the country or countries where the performance, in whole or in part, of a contract takes place, or the age of the end of compulsory schooling in that country or countries, whichever is higher; and (b) persons under the age of 18 for work that, by its nature or the circumstances in which it is carried out, is likely to harm the health, safety or morals of such persons.<sup>5</sup>

**7. Discrimination:** The UN expects its suppliers to ensure equality of opportunity and treatment in respect of employment and occupation without discrimination on grounds of race, colour, sex, religion, political opinion, national extraction or social origin and such other ground as may be recognized under the national law of the country or countries where the performance, in whole or in part, of a contract takes place.<sup>6</sup> The UN expects its suppliers to take all appropriate measures to ensure that neither themselves nor their parent, subsidiary, affiliate entities or their subcontractors are engaged in any gender-based or other discriminatory employment practices, including those relating to recruitment, promotion, training, remuneration and benefits.

**8. Wages, Working Hours and Other Conditions of Work:** The UN expects its suppliers to ensure the payment of wages in legal tender, at regular intervals no longer than one month, in full and directly to the workers concerned. Suppliers should keep an appropriate record of such payments. Deductions from wages are permitted only under conditions and to the extent prescribed by the applicable law, regulations or collective agreement, and suppliers should inform the workers concerned of such deductions at the time of each payment. The wages, hours of work and other conditions of work provided by suppliers should be not less favourable than the best conditions prevailing locally (i.e., as contained in: (i) collective agreements covering a substantial proportion of employers and workers; (ii) arbitration awards; or (iii) applicable laws or regulations), for work of the same character performed in the trade or industry concerned in the area where work is carried out.<sup>7</sup>

<sup>3</sup>These principles are set out in the ILO fundamental Conventions, No. 87, *Freedom of Association and Protection of the Right to Organise*, 1948 and No. 98, *Right to Organise and Collective Bargaining*, 1949.

<sup>4</sup>This principle is set out in the ILO fundamental conventions, No. 29, *Forced Labour*, 1930, its Protocol of 2014 and No. 105, *Abolition of Forced Labour*, 1957.

<sup>5</sup>These principles are set out in the ILO fundamental Conventions, No. 138, *Minimum Age*, 1973 and No. 182, *Worst Forms of Child Labour*, 1999 and in the UN Convention on the Rights of the Child.

<sup>6</sup>These principles are set out in the ILO fundamental Conventions, No. 100, *Equal Remuneration*, 1951 and No. 111, *Discrimination (Employment and Occupation)*, 1958.

<sup>7</sup>These principles are set out in ILO Conventions No. 95, *Protection of Wages*, 1949 and No. 94, *Labour Clauses (Public Contracts)*, 1949 and in a number of Conventions addressing working time (see:

<http://www.ilo.org/global/standards/subjects-covered-by-international-labour-standards/working-time/lang--en/index.htm>).

**9. Health and Safety:** The UN expects its suppliers to ensure, so far as is reasonably practicable, that: (a) the workplaces, machinery, equipment and processes under their control are safe and without risk to health; (b) the chemical, physical and biological substances and agents under their control are without risk to health when the appropriate measures of protection are taken; and (c) where necessary, adequate protective clothing and protective equipment are provided to prevent, so far as is reasonably practicable, risk of accidents or of adverse effects to health.<sup>8</sup>

#### **Human Rights:**

**10. Human Rights:** The UN expects its suppliers to support and respect the protection of internationally proclaimed human rights and to ensure that they are not complicit in human rights abuses.<sup>9</sup>

**11. Harassment, Harsh or Inhumane Treatment:** The UN expects its suppliers to create and maintain an environment that treats all employees with dignity and respect. The UN further expects that its suppliers, their parent, subsidiary and affiliated entities as well as any subcontractors, will neither use or engage in, nor allow their employees or other persons engaged by them to use or engage in, any: threats of violence, verbal or psychological harassment or abuse, and/or sexual exploitation and abuse. Sexual exploitation and abuse violate universally recognized international legal norms and standards and have always been unacceptable behaviour and prohibited conduct for the UN. Prior to entering into agreements with the UN, suppliers are informed of the standards of conduct with respect to the prohibition of sexual exploitation and abuse, expected by the UN. Such standards include, but are not limited to, the prohibition of: (1) engaging in any sexual activity with any person under the age of 18, regardless of any laws of majority or consent, (2) exchanging any money, employment, goods, services, or other things of value, for sex, and/or (3) engaging in any sexual activity that is exploitive or degrading to any person. The UN expects its suppliers to take all appropriate measures to prohibit their employees or other persons engaged by the suppliers, from engaging in sexual exploitation and abuse. The UN also expects its suppliers to create and maintain an environment that prevents sexual exploitation and abuse. United Nations contracts will contain provisions concerning a supplier's obligation to take appropriate measures to prevent sexual exploitation and abuse. The failure by a supplier to take preventive measures against sexual exploitation or abuse, to investigate allegations thereof, or to take corrective action when sexual exploitation or abuse has occurred, constitute grounds for termination of any agreement with the United Nations. Moreover, no harsh or inhumane treatment coercion or corporal punishment of any kind is tolerated, nor is there to be the threat of any such treatment.

**12. Mines:** The UN expects its suppliers not to engage in the sale or manufacture of anti-personnel mines or components utilized in the manufacture of anti-personnel mines.

#### **Environment:**

**13. Environmental:** The UN expects its suppliers to have an effective environmental policy and to comply with existing legislation and regulations regarding the protection of the environment. Suppliers should wherever possible support a precautionary approach to environmental matters, undertake initiatives to promote greater environmental responsibility and encourage the diffusion of environmentally friendly technologies implementing sound life-cycle practices.

**14. Chemical and Hazardous Materials:** Chemical and other materials posing a hazard if released to the environment are to be identified and managed to ensure their safe handling, movement, storage, recycling or reuse and disposal.

**15. Wastewater and Solid Waste:** Wastewater and solid waste generated from operations, industrial processes and sanitation facilities are to be monitored, controlled and treated as required prior to discharge or disposal.

<sup>8</sup>These principles are set out in the ILO Conventions, Recommendations and Codes of Practice (see: <http://www.ilo.org/global/standards/subjects-covered-by-international-labour-standards/occupational-safety-and-health/lang--en/index.htm>).

<sup>9</sup>These principles are derived from Universal Declaration of Human Rights (UDHR) and are set out in the United Nations Global Compact (see [http://www.unglobalcompact.org/Issues/human\\_rights/index.html](http://www.unglobalcompact.org/Issues/human_rights/index.html))



**16. Air Emissions:** Air emissions of volatile organic chemicals, aerosols, corrosives, particulates, ozone depleting chemicals and combustion by-products generated from operations are to be characterized, monitored, controlled and treated as required prior to discharge or disposal.

**17. Minimize Waste, Maximize Recycling:** Waste of all types, including water and energy, are to be reduced or eliminated at the source or by practices such as modifying production, maintenance and facility processes, materials substitution, conservation, recycling and re-using materials.

**Ethical conduct:**

**18. Corruption:** The UN expects its suppliers to adhere to the highest standards of moral and ethical conduct, to respect local laws and not engage in any form of corrupt practices, including but not limited to extortion, fraud, or bribery.

**19. Conflict of Interest:** UN suppliers are expected to disclose to the UN any situation that may appear as a conflict of interest, and disclose to the UN if any UN official or professional under contract with the UN may have an interest of any kind in the supplier's business or any kind of economic ties with the supplier.

**20. Gifts and Hospitality:** The UN has a “zero tolerance” policy and does not accept any type of gift or any offer of hospitality. The UN will not accept any invitations to sporting or cultural events, offers of holidays or other recreational trips, transportation, or invitations to lunches or dinners. The UN expects its suppliers not to offer any benefit such as free goods or services, employment or sales opportunity to a UN staff member in order to facilitate the suppliers’ business with the UN.

**21. Post employment restrictions:** Post-employment restrictions may apply to UN staff in service and former UN staff members who participated in the procurement process, if such persons had prior professional dealings with suppliers. UN suppliers are expected to refrain from offering employment to any such person for a period of one year following separation from service.

**Contacts:**

**Any questions related to this Code of Conduct can be addressed to the High Level Committee on Management - Procurement Network (HLCM-PN) at email: [hcmpn.secretariat@one.un.org](mailto:hcmpn.secretariat@one.un.org).**

**SECTION 6: CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT AND CONTRACT FORMS**

6.1 Contract Form with General Conditions of Contract

IOM office-specific Ref. No.	
IOM Project Code	

**SERVICE AGREEMENT**

between the

**International Organization for Migration**

and

**[Name of the Service Provider]**

on

**[Type of Services]**

This Service Agreement is entered into by the **International Organization for Migration**, a related organization of the United Nations, acting through its [insert office name, e.g., Mission in XXX], [Address of the Office], represented by [Name, Title of Director, CoM, HoO], hereinafter referred to as “**IOM**,” and **[Name of the Service Provider]**, [Address], represented by [Name, Title of the representative of the Service Provider], hereinafter referred to as the “**Service Provider**.” IOM and the Service Provider are also referred to individually as a “**Party**” and collectively as the “**Parties**.”

**1. Introduction and Integral Documents**

1.1 The Service Provider agrees to provide IOM with [insert brief description of services] in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Agreement and its Annexes, if any.

1.2 The following documents form an integral part of this Agreement: [add or delete as required]

- (a) **Annex A - Bid/Quotation Form**
- (b) **Annex B - Price Schedule**
- (c) **Annex C - Delivery Schedule and Terms of Reference**
- (d) **Annex D - Accepted Notice of Award (NOA)**
- (e) **Annex E – IOM Terms and Conditions for European Union Funded Service Type Agreements**

In the event of conflict between the provisions of any Annex and the terms of the main body of the Agreement, the latter shall prevail.

**2. Services**

2.1 The Service Provider agrees to provide to the IOM the following services (the “Services”):

[Outline services to be provided. Where relevant, include location and how frequently etc. services are to be provided. List all the deliverables and their date of submission, if applicable. Description needs to be as detailed as possible to provide for a reliable yardstick to measure compliance. It may be necessary to attach a description of the Services as an Annex.]

2.2 The Service Provider shall commence the provision of Services from [date] and fully and satisfactorily complete them by [date].

2.3 The Service Provider agrees to provide the Services required under this Agreement in strict accordance with the specifications of this Article and any attached Annexes.

2.4 Nothing in this Agreement shall be interpreted as creating an exclusive relationship between the Parties. IOM does not guarantee and is not obliged to request any minimum quantity of Services during the term of this Agreement.

2.5 If any United Nations (“UN”) entity wishes to avail of services which are of the same type as the Services through their own contracting formats, the Service Provider shall extend such services to them at prices and on terms no less favourable than those provided in this Agreement for the Services. For this purpose, IOM shall be entitled to disclose information related to this Agreement to any other UN entity.

### 3. The Service Fee

3.1 In full consideration for the complete performance of the Services in accordance with the terms of the Agreement, the all-inclusive total price for the Services under this Agreement shall be [ [currency code] [amount in numbers] ([amount in words]) (the “Service Fee”).

3.2 The Service Provider shall invoice IOM upon completion of all the Services. The invoice shall include: [services provided, hourly rate, number of hours billed, any travel and out of pocket expenses, (add/delete as necessary)]

3.3 The Service Fee shall become due [insert number of days in numbers] ([write figure in words]) days after IOM’s receipt and approval of the invoice.

3.4 Payment shall be made in [Currency code] by [bank transfer] to the following bank account:

Bank Name:

Bank Branch:

Bank Account Name:

Bank Account Number:

Swift Code:

IBAN Number:

- 3.5 The Service Provider shall be responsible for the payment of all taxes, duties, levies and charges assessed on the Service Provider in connection with this Agreement.
- 3.6 IOM shall be entitled, without prejudice to any other rights or remedies it may have, to withhold payment of part or all of the Service Fee until the Service Provider has completed to the satisfaction of IOM the Services to which those payments relate.

#### **4. Warranties**

4.1 The Service Provider warrants that:

- (a) It is a company financially sound and duly licensed, with adequate human resources, equipment, competence, expertise and skills necessary to provide fully and satisfactorily, within the stipulated completion period, all the Services in accordance with this Agreement;
- (b) It shall comply with all applicable laws, ordinances, rules and regulations when performing its obligations under this Agreement;
- (c) In all circumstances it shall act in the best interests of IOM;
- (d) No official of IOM or any third party has received from, will be offered by, or will receive from the Service Provider any direct or indirect benefit arising from the Agreement or award thereof;
- (e) It has not misrepresented or concealed any material facts in the procurement of this Agreement;
- (f) The Service Provider, its staff or shareholders have not previously been declared by IOM ineligible to be awarded agreements by IOM;
- (g) It has or shall take out relevant insurance coverage for the period the Services are provided under this Agreement;
- (h) The Price specified in this Agreement shall constitute the sole remuneration in connection with this Agreement. The Service Provider shall not accept for its own benefit any trade commission, discount or similar payment in connection with activities pursuant to this Agreement or the discharge of its obligations thereunder. The Service Provider shall ensure that any subcontractors, as well as the personnel and agents of either of them, similarly, shall not receive any such additional remuneration;
- (i) It shall respect the legal status, privileges and immunities of IOM as an intergovernmental organization, such as inviolability of documents and archive wherever it is located, exemption from taxation, immunity from legal process or national jurisdiction. In the event that the Service Provider becomes aware of any situation where IOM's legal status, privileges or immunities are not fully respected, it shall immediately inform IOM;
- (j) It is not included in the most recent Consolidated United Nations Security Council Sanctions List nor is it the subject of any sanctions or other temporary suspension. The Service Provider will disclose to IOM if it becomes subject to any sanction or temporary suspension during the term of this Agreement;
- (k) It must not employ, provide resources to, support, contract or otherwise deal with any person, entity or other group associated with terrorism as per the most recent Consolidated United Nations Security Council Sanctions List and all other applicable terrorism legislation. If, during the term of this Agreement, the Service Provider determines there are credible allegations that funds transferred to it in accordance with

this Agreement have been used to provide support or assistance to individuals or entities associated with terrorism, it will inform IOM immediately who in consultation with the donors as appropriate, shall determine an appropriate response. The Service Provider shall ensure that this requirement is included in all subcontracts.

4.2 The Service Provider warrants that it shall abide by the highest ethical standards in the performance of this Agreement, which includes not engaging in any fraudulent, corrupt, discriminatory or exploitative practice or practice inconsistent with the rights set forth in the Convention on the Rights of the Child. The Service Provider shall immediately inform IOM of any suspicion that the following practice may have occurred or exist:

- (a) a corrupt practice, defined as the offering, giving, receiving or soliciting, directly or indirectly, of anything of value to influence the action of IOM in the procurement process or in contract execution;
- (b) a fraudulent practice, defined as any act or omission, including a misrepresentation or concealment, that knowingly or recklessly misleads, or attempts to mislead, IOM in the procurement process or the execution of a contract, to obtain a financial gain or other benefit or to avoid an obligation or in such a way as to cause a detriment to IOM;
- (c) a collusive practice, defined as an undisclosed arrangement between two or more bidders designed to artificially alter the results of the tender process to obtain a financial gain or other benefit;
- (d) a coercive practice, defined as impairing or harming, or threatening to impair or harm, directly or indirectly, any participant in the tender process to influence improperly its activities, or affect the execution of a contract;
- (e) an obstructive practice, defined as (i) deliberately destroying, falsifying, altering or concealing of evidence material to IOM investigations, or making false statements to IOM investigators in order to materially impede a duly authorized investigation into allegations of fraudulent, corrupt, collusive, coercive or unethical practices; and/or threatening, harassing or intimidating any party to prevent it from disclosing its knowledge of matters relevant to the investigation or from pursuing the investigation; or (ii) acts intended to materially impede the exercise of IOM's contractual rights of access to information;
- (f) any other unethical practice contrary to the principles of efficiency and economy, equal opportunity and open competition, transparency in the process and adequate documentation, highest ethical standards in all procurement activities.

4.3 The Service Provider further warrants that it shall:

- (a) Take all appropriate measures to prohibit and prevent actual, attempted and threatened sexual exploitation and abuse ("SEA") by its employees or any other persons engaged and controlled by it to perform activities under this Agreement ("other personnel"). For the purpose of this Agreement, SEA shall include:
  - 1. Exchanging any money, goods, services, preferential treatment, job opportunities or other advantages for sexual favours or activities, including humiliating or degrading treatment of a sexual nature; abusing a position of vulnerability, differential power or trust for sexual purposes, and physical intrusion of a sexual nature whether by force or under unequal or coercive conditions;
  - 2. Engaging in sexual activity with a person under the age of 18 ("child"), except if the child is legally married to the concerned employee or other personnel and is over the age of majority or consent both in the child's country of citizenship and in the country of citizenship of the concerned employee or other personnel;
- (b) Strongly discourage its employees or other personnel having sexual relationships with IOM beneficiaries;

- (c) Report timely to IOM any allegations or suspicions of SEA, and investigate and take appropriate corrective measures, including imposing disciplinary measures on the person who has committed SEA;
  - (d) Ensure that the SEA provisions are included in all subcontracts;
  - (e) Adhere to above commitments at all times.
- 4.4 The Service Provider expressly acknowledges and agrees that breach by the Service Provider, or by any of the Service Provider's employees, contractors, subcontractors or agents, of any provision contained in Articles 4.1, 4.2 or 4.3 of this Agreement constitutes a material breach of this Agreement and shall entitle IOM to terminate this Agreement immediately on written notice without liability. In the event that IOM determines, whether through an investigation or otherwise, that such a breach has occurred then, in addition to its right to terminate the Agreement, IOM shall be entitled to recover from the Service Provider all losses suffered by IOM in connection with such breach.

## **5. Assignment and Subcontracting**

- 5.1 The Service Provider shall not assign or subcontract the activities under this Agreement in whole or in part, unless agreed in writing in advance by IOM. Any subcontract entered into by the Service Provider without approval in writing by IOM may be cause for termination of the Agreement.
- 5.2 Notwithstanding such written approval from IOM, the Service Provider shall not be relieved of any liability or obligation under this Agreement nor shall it create any contractual relation between any subcontractor and IOM. The Service Provider shall include in an agreement with a subcontractor all provisions in this Agreement that are applicable to a subcontractor, including relevant Warranties and Special Provisions. The Service Provider remains liable as a primary obligor under this Agreement, and it shall be directly responsible to IOM for any faulty performance under any subcontract. The subcontractor shall have no cause of action against IOM for any breach of the subcontract.

## **6. Delays, Defaults and Force Majeure**

- 6.1 Time is of the essence in the performance of this Agreement. If the Service Provider fails to provide the Services within the times agreed to in the Agreement, IOM shall, without prejudice to other remedies under this Agreement, be entitled to deduct liquidated damages for delay. The amount of such liquidated damages shall be 0.1% of the value of the total Service Fee per day or part thereof up to a maximum of 10% of the Service Fee. IOM shall have the right to deduct such amount from the Service Provider's outstanding invoices, if any. Such liquidated damages shall only be applied when delay is caused solely by the default of the Service Provider. Acceptance of Services delivered late shall not be deemed a waiver of IOM's rights to hold the Service Provider liable for any loss and/or damage resulting therefrom, nor shall it act as a modification of the Service provider's obligation to perform further Services in accordance with the Agreement.
- 6.2 In case of failure by the Service Provider materially to perform under the terms and conditions of this Agreement, IOM may, after giving the Service Provider 30 days' written notice to perform and without prejudice to any other rights or remedies, terminate the Agreement with immediate effect without liability.

- 6.3 Neither Party will be liable for any delay in performing or failure to perform any of its obligations under this Agreement if such delay or failure is caused by force majeure, which means any unforeseeable and irresistible act of nature, any act of war (whether declared or not), invasion, revolution, insurrection, terrorism, blockade or embargo, strikes, Governmental or state restrictions, natural disaster, epidemic, public health crisis, and any other circumstances which are not caused by nor within the control of the affected Party.
- 6.4 As soon as possible after the occurrence of a force majeure event which impacts the ability of the affected Party to comply with its obligations under this Agreement, the affected Party will give notice and full details in writing to the other Party of the existence of the force majeure event and the likelihood of delay. On receipt of such notice, the unaffected Party shall take such action as it reasonably considers appropriate or necessary in the circumstances, including granting to the affected Party a reasonable extension of time in which to perform its obligations. During the period of force majeure, the affected Party shall take all reasonable steps to minimize damages and resume performance.
- 6.5 IOM shall be entitled without liability to suspend or terminate the Agreement if the Service Provider is unable to perform its obligations under the Agreement by reason of force majeure. In the event of such suspension or termination, the provisions of Article 17 (Termination) shall apply.

## **7. Independent Contractor**

The Service Provider, its employees and other personnel as well as its subcontractors and their personnel, if any, shall perform all Services under this Agreement as an independent contractor and not as an employee or agent of IOM.

## **8. Audit**

The Service Provider agrees to maintain financial records, supporting documents, statistical records and all other records relevant to the Services in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles to sufficiently substantiate all direct and indirect costs of whatever nature involving transactions related to the provision of Services under this Agreement. The Service Provider shall make all such records available to IOM or IOM's designated representative at all reasonable times until the expiration of 7 (seven) years from the date of final payment, for inspection, audit, or reproduction. On request, employees of the Service Provider shall be available for interview.

## **9. Confidentiality**

- 9.1 All information which comes into the Service Provider's possession or knowledge in connection with this Agreement is to be treated as strictly confidential. The Service Provider shall not communicate such information to any third party without the prior written approval of IOM. The Service Provider shall comply with IOM Data Protection Principles in the event that it collects, receives, uses, transfers, stores or otherwise processes any personal data in the performance of this Agreement. These obligations shall survive the expiration or termination of this Agreement.

- 9.2 Notwithstanding the previous paragraph, IOM may disclose information related to this Agreement, such as the name of the Service Provider and the value of the Agreement, the title of the contract/project, nature and purpose of the contract/project, name and locality/address of the Service Provider and the amount of the contract/project to the extent as required by IOM's donors or in relation to IOM's commitment to any initiative for transparency and accountability of funding received by IOM in accordance with the policies, instructions and regulations of IOM.

## 10. Intellectual Property

All intellectual property and other proprietary rights including, but not limited to, patents, copyrights, trademarks, and ownership of data resulting from the performance of the Services shall be vested in IOM, including, without any limitation, the rights to use, reproduce, adapt, publish and distribute any item or part thereof.

## 11. Notices

Any notice given pursuant to this Agreement will be sufficiently given if it is in writing and received by the other Party at the following address:

**International Organization for Migration (IOM)**

Attn: [Name and title/position of IOM contact person]

[IOM's address]

Email: [IOM's email address]

**[Full name of the Service Provider]**

Attn: [Name and title/position of the Service Provider's contact person]

[Service Provider's address]

Email: [Service Provider's email address]

## 12. Dispute Resolution

- 12.1. Any dispute, controversy or claim arising out of or in relation to this Agreement, or the breach, termination or invalidity thereof, shall be settled amicably by negotiation between the Parties.
- 12.2 In the event that the dispute, controversy or claim has not been resolved by negotiation within 3 (three) months of receipt of the notice from one party of the existence of such dispute, controversy or claim, either Party may request that the dispute, controversy or claim is resolved by conciliation by one conciliator in accordance with the UNCITRAL Conciliation Rules of 1980. Article 16 of the UNCITRAL Conciliation Rules does not apply.



- 12.3 In the event that such conciliation is unsuccessful, either Party may submit the dispute, controversy or claim to arbitration no later than 3 (three) months following the date of termination of conciliation proceedings as per Article 15 of the UNCITRAL Conciliation Rules. The arbitration will be carried out in accordance with the 2010 UNCITRAL arbitration rules as adopted in 2013. The number of arbitrators shall be one and the language of arbitral proceedings shall be English, unless otherwise agreed by the Parties in writing. The arbitral tribunal shall have no authority to award punitive damages. The arbitral award will be final and binding.
- 12.4 The present Agreement as well as the arbitration agreement above shall be governed by the terms of the present Agreement and supplemented by internationally accepted general principles of law for the issues not covered by the Agreement, to the exclusion of any single national system of law that would defer the Agreement to the laws of any given jurisdiction. Internationally accepted general principles of law shall be deemed to include the UNIDROIT Principles of International Commercial Contracts. Dispute resolution shall be pursued confidentially by both Parties. This Article survives the expiration or termination of the present Agreement.

### **13. Use of IOM Name, Abbreviation and Emblem**

The Service Provider shall not be entitled to use the name, abbreviation or emblem of IOM without IOM's prior written authorisation. The Service Provider acknowledges that use of the IOM name, abbreviation and emblem is strictly reserved for the official purposes of IOM and protected from unauthorized use by Article 6*ter* of the Paris Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, revised in Stockholm in 1967 (828 UNTS 305 (1972)).

### **14. Status of IOM**

Nothing in or relating to the Agreement shall be deemed a waiver, express or implied, of any of the privileges and immunities of the International Organization for Migration as an intergovernmental organization.

### **15. Indemnity**

The Service Provider shall at all times defend, indemnify, and hold harmless IOM, its officers, employees, and agents from and against all losses, costs, damages and expenses (including legal fees and costs), claims, suits, proceedings, demands and liabilities of any kind or nature to the extent arising out of or resulting from acts or omissions of the Service Provider or its employees, officers, agents or subcontractors, in the performance of this Agreement. IOM shall promptly notify the Service Provider of any written claim, loss, or demand for which the Service Provider is responsible under this clause. This indemnity shall survive the expiration or termination of this Agreement.

### **16. Waiver**

Failure by either Party to insist in any one or more instances on a strict performance of any of the provisions of this Agreement shall not constitute a waiver or relinquishment of the right to enforce the

provisions of this Agreement in future instances, but this right shall continue and remain in full force and effect.

## **17. Termination**

- 17.1 IOM may at any time suspend or terminate this Agreement, in whole or in part, with immediate effect, by providing written notice to the Service Provider, in any case where the mandate of IOM applicable to the performance of the Agreement or the funding of IOM applicable to the Agreement is reduced or terminated. In addition, IOM may suspend or terminate the Agreement upon thirty (30) days' written notice without having to provide any justification.
- 17.2 In the event of termination of this Agreement, IOM will only pay for the Services completed in accordance with this Agreement, unless otherwise agreed in writing by the Parties. The Service Provider shall return to IOM any amounts paid in advance within 7 (seven) days from the notice of termination.
- 17.3 In the event of any termination of the Agreement, upon receipt of notice of termination, the Service Provider shall take immediate steps to bring the performance of any obligations under the Agreement to a close in a prompt and orderly manner, and in doing so, reduce expenses to a minimum, place no further subcontracts or orders for materials, services, or facilities, and terminate all subcontracts or orders to the extent they relate to the portion of the Agreement. Upon termination, the Service Provider shall waive any claims for damages including loss of anticipated profits on account thereof.
- 17.4 In the event of suspension of this Agreement, IOM will specify the scope of activities and/or deliverables that shall be suspended in writing. All other rights and obligations of this Agreement shall remain applicable during the period of suspension. IOM will notify the Service Provider in writing when the suspension is lifted and may modify the completion date. The Service Provider shall not be entitled to claim or receive any Service Fee or costs incurred during the period of suspension of this Agreement.

## **18. Severability**

If any part of this Agreement is found to be invalid or unenforceable, that part will be severed from this Agreement and the remainder of the Agreement shall remain in full force.

## **19. Entire Agreement**

This Agreement embodies the entire agreement between the Parties and supersedes all prior agreements and understandings, if any, relating to the subject matter of this Agreement.

## **20. Final Clauses**

20.1 This Agreement will enter into force upon signature by both Parties. It will remain in force until completion of all obligations of the Parties under this Agreement unless terminated earlier in accordance with Article 17.

20.2 Amendments may be made by mutual agreement in writing between the Parties.

Signed in duplicate in English, on the dates and at the places indicated below.

*For and on behalf of*  
The International Organization for  
Migration

Signature

*For and on behalf of*  
[Name of Service Provider]

Signature

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