# Invitation to Tender

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| **Tender Name:** Investment Analyst Talent Partnership- Master Agreement | | **Tender No: HQ306** |
| Location: HQ | Correspondence Language(s): English | |
| **Brief Summary Description of Project**:  Mercy Corps is a leading global organization powered by the belief that a better world is possible. In disaster, in hardship, in more than 40 countries around the world, we partner to put bold solutions into action — helping people triumph over adversity and build stronger communities from within. Now, and for the future.  Mercy Corps Ventures invests in and fuels high-impact enterprises working in frontier markets from seed to scale. We’ve supported 32+ early-stage ventures developing solutions in climate resilience and financial resilience, so that those living in frontier markets can withstand disruption and plan for the future. Learn more at [www.mercycorpsventures.vc](http://www.mercycorpsventures.vc)  Mercy Corps Ventures seeks to partner with an organization who can support us in designing and implementing an emerging talent program. The program would be focused on enabling us to work with 2-3 investment analysts at a time, on a short term contract to help them gain experience in venture capital investing while also boosting our internal capacity and resources as a Ventures team. We are open to talent across any of the markets where we invest, and the partnership with Mercy Corps Ventures would be on a long term basis as we are looking to continually work with talent on an on-going basis  Interested and qualified firms are requested to send proposals as per the tender instruction. The successful firm will be contracted under a master agreement which will set conditions for future orders on a need basis. The contract will initially be for 12 months with a possibility of extension. | | |

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| **Tender Package Available from:**  **12th / August / 2022** | **Tender Package Pickup Location:**  <https://www.mercycorps.org/tenders> |
| **Deadline for Offer Submission:**  **26th/ August / 2022 at 5Pm pacific time** | **Submit Offers to:**  [**tenders@mercycorps.org**](mailto:tenders@mercycorps.org)  **Indicate tender number and description under subject line** |

*Mercy Corps reserves the right to accept or reject any late offers*

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| **Questions and Answers (Q&A)** | |
| If any, Submit Questions in writing to: Lkagai@mercycorps.org | |
| Last Day for Questions:  **18th/ August / 2022 at 5Pm pacific time** | Questions will be answered by:  **19th/ August / 2022 at 5Pm pacific time** |
| Questions will be answered through: All questions will be consolidated, and responses uploaded on the website alongside the RFP for access by all interested firms. | |

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| **Documentation Checklist** | |
| These documents are contained within this tender package: | * Invitation to Tender * General Conditions for Tender * Criteria and Submittals * Price Offer Sheet * Supplier Information Form * Scope of Work * Sample Contract |

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# General Conditions for Tender

Mercy Corps invites proposals for the services described and summarized in these documents, and in accordance with procedures, conditions and contract terms presented herein. Mercy Corps reserves the right to vary the quantity of work/materials specified in the Tender Package without any changes in unit price or other terms and conditions and to accept or reject any, all, or part of submitted offers.

**2.1 Mercy Corps’ Anti-Bribery and Anti-Corruption Statement**

**Mercy Corps strictly prohibits**:

* *Any form of bribe or kickback in relation to its activities*

This prohibition includes any *request* from any Mercy Corps employee, consultant or agent for anything of value from any company or individual in exchange for the employee, consultant or agents taking or not taking any action related to the award of a contract or the contract once awarded.  It also applies to any *offer* from any company or individual to provide anything of value to any Mercy Corps employee, consultant or agent in exchange for that person taking or not taking any action related to the award of the contract or the contract.

* *Conflicts of interests in the awarding or management of contracts*

If a company is owned by, whether directly or indirectly, in whole or in part, any Mercy Corps employee or any person who is related to a Mercy Corps employee, the company must ensure that it and the employee disclose the relationship as part of or prior to submitting the offer.

* *The sharing or obtaining of confidential information*

Mercy Corps prohibits its employees from sharing, and any offerors from obtaining, confidential information related to this solicitation, including information regarding Mercy Corps’ price estimates, competing offerors or competing offers, etc.  Any information provided to one offeror must be provided to all other offerors.

* *Collusion between/among offerors*

Mercy Corps requires fair and open competition for this solicitation.  No two (or more) companies submitting proposals can be owned or controlled by the same individual(s). Companies submitting offers cannot share prices or other offer information or take any other action intended to pre-determine which company will win the solicitation and what price will be paid.

Violations of these prohibitions, along with all evidence of such violations, should be reported to:

[**integrityhotline@mercycorps.org**](mailto:integrityhotline@mercycorps.org)

Mercy Corps will investigate allegations fully and will take appropriate action.  Any company, or individual that participates in any of the above prohibited conduct, will have its actions reported to the appropriate authorities, will be investigated fully, will have its offer rejected and/or contract terminated, and will not be eligible for future contracts with Mercy Corps. Employees participating in such conduct will have his/her employment terminated.

Violations will also be reported to Mercy Corps’ donors, who may also choose to investigate and debar or suspend companies and their owners from receiving any contract that is funded in part by the donor, whether the contract is with Mercy Corps or any other entity.

**2.2 Tender Basis:**

* All offers shall be made in accordance with these instructions, and all documents requested should be furnished, including any required (but not limited to) supplier-specific information, technical specifications, drawings, bill of quantities, and/or delivery schedule. If any requested document is not furnished, a reason should be given for its omission in an exception sheet.
* No respondent should add, omit or change any item, term or condition herein.
* If suppliers have any additional requests and conditions, these shall be stipulated in an exception sheet.
* Each offeror may make one response only.
* Each offer shall be valid for the period of [180 days] from its date of submission.
* All offers should indicate whether they include taxes, compulsory payments, levies and/or duties, including VAT, if applicable.
* Suppliers should ensure that financial offers are devoid of calculation errors. If errors are identified during the evaluation process, the unit price will prevail. If there is ambiguity on the unit price, the Selection Committee may decide to disqualify the offer.
* Any requests for clarifications regarding the project that are not addressed in written documents must be presented to Mercy Corps in writing. The answer to any question raised in writing by any offeror will be issued to that offeror. In some cases Mercy Corps may choose to issue clarifications to all offerors. It is a condition of this tender that no clarification shall be deemed to supersede, contradict, add to or detract from the conditions hereof, unless made in writing as an Addendum to Tender and signed by Mercy Corps or its designated representative.
* This Tender does not obligate Mercy Corps to execute a contract nor does it commit Mercy Corps to pay any costs incurred in the preparation and submission of proposals. Furthermore, Mercy Corps reserves the right to reject any and all proposals, if such action is considered to be in the best interest of Mercy Corps.

**2.3 Supplier Eligibility**

Suppliers may not apply, and will be rejected as ineligible, if they :

* Are not registered companies
* Are bankrupt or in the process of going bankrupt
* Have been convicted of illegal/corrupt activities, and/or unprofessional conduct
* Have been guilty of grave professional misconduct
* Have not fulfilled obligations related to payment of social security and taxes
* Are guilty of serious misinterpretation in supplying information
* Are in violation of the policies outlined in Mercy Corps Anti Bribery or Anti Corruption Statement
* Supplier (or supplier’s principals) are on any list of sanctioned parties issued by; or are presently excluded or disqualified from participation in this transaction by: the United States Government or United Nations by the United States Government, the United Kingdom, the European Union, the United Nations, other national governments, or public international organizations.

Additional eligibility criteria, if applicable, are stated in section 3.2 of this tender package.

**2.4 Response Documents**

Offerors can either utilize the response documents contained in this tender package to submit their offer or they can submit an offer in their own format as long as it contains all the required documents and information specified by this tender.

**2.5 Acceptance of Successful Response**

Documentation submitted by offerors will be verified by Mercy Corps. The winning offeror will be required to sign a contract for the stated, agreed upon amount.

**2.6 Certification Regarding Terrorism**

It is Mercy Corps’ policy to comply with humanitarian principles and the laws and regulations of the United States, the European Union, the United Nations, the United Kingdom, host nations, and other applicable donors concerning transactions with or support to individuals or entities that have engaged in fraud, waste, abuse, human trafficking, corruption, or terrorist activity. These laws and regulations prohibit Mercy Corps from transacting with or providing support to any individuals or entities that are the subject of government sanctions, donor rules, or laws prohibiting transactions or support to such parties.

# Criteria & Submittals

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| **3.1 Contract Terms**  Mercy Corps intends to issue a **Fixed Price** contract to one or several company(ies) or organization(s). The successful offeror(s) shall be required to adhere to the statement of work and terms and conditions of the resulting contract. The anticipated contract is incorporated in Section 6 herein. By submitting an offer, offerors certify that they understand and agree to all of the terms and clauses contained in Section 6. |
| **3.2 Specific Eligibility Criteria**  Eligibility criteria must be met and the corresponding supporting documents listed below under “Tender Submittals” **must** be submitted with offers. Offerors who do not submit these documents may be **disqualified** from any further technical or financial evaluation.  Eligibility Criteria:   * The offeror must be legally registered * The offeror must be in good standing with its governing tax authority |
| **3.3 Tender Submittals**  Documents and required information listed in tender submittals are necessary in order to support the eligibility criteria and to conduct technical evaluations of received offers (and due diligence). While absence of these documents and/or information does not denote mandatory disqualification of suppliers, the lack of these items has the potential to severely and negatively impact the technical evaluation of an offer.  **Documents supporting the Eligibility Criteria:**   * Legal Business Registration- copy of certificate of incorporation * Latest Tax Registration Certificate- evidence of complying with tax regulation in the country where incorporated   **Documents to conduct the Technical Evaluation and additional Due Diligence:**   1. Company Profile (500 words max.) - A brief outline of your organization and services offered, including:  * Full legal name, jurisdiction of organization or incorporation and address of the company * Name, address, telephone number and email address for principal contact. * List of countries in which vendor could contract candidates in accordance with local labor law, including any track record or documentation of contracting talent in these markets  1. Your Understanding of the Talent Program (500 words max.)    1. Brief description of how you would envision the design and implementation of a talent program using the information in the scope of work - we are looking to design the program together with our selected vendor, so we want to understand how you imagine the program could work!    2. Focus on: ideal candidate profile, candidate sourcing strategy, selection process, stipend and benefit offering    3. Include brief description of program (after candidate contracting): day-to-day support for candidates, candidate offboarding 2. References and / or Case Studies from previous clients or internal operations with a similar scope of operations as this tender 3. Financial proposal - Description of proposed fee structure for tender, proposed timeline and budget for bringing one 1 set of analysts (2 analysts, full time, on a 6-month contract)   **Price Offer :**  The Price offer is used to determine which offer represents the best value and serves as a basis of negotiation before award of a contract. As a Fixed-Price contract, the price of the contract to be awarded will be an all-inclusive fixed price basis, either in the form of a total fixed price or a per-unit/deliverable fixed price. No profit, fees, taxes, or additional costs can be added after contract signing. Offerors must show unit prices, quantities, and total price, as displayed in the Offer Sheet in Section 4. All items must be clearly labeled and included in the total offered price. |
| **3.4 Currency**  Offers should be submitted in: USD  Payments will be made in: USD |

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| **3.5 Tender Evaluation (Trade-Off Selection Method)**  Based on the above submittals, a Mercy Corps Tender Committee will conduct a tender evaluation process. Mercy Corps reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, and to accept the offer(s) deemed to be in the best interest of Mercy Corps. MC will not be responsible for or pay for any expenses or losses which may be incurred by any Offeror in the preparation of their tender.  Evaluations will be conducted as described in the following subsections: |
| **3.5.1 Scoring Evaluation**  ***Trade-Off Method***  Mercy Corps Tender Committee will conduct a technical evaluation which will grade technical criteria on a weighted basis (each criteria is given a percentage, all together equaling 100%). Offeror's proposals should consist of all required technical submittals so a Mercy Corps committee can thoroughly evaluate the technical criteria listed herein and assign points based on the strength of a technical submission.  Award criteria shall be based on the proposal’s overall **“value for money”** (quality, cost, delivery time, etc.) while taking into consideration donor and internal requirements and regulations. Each individual criteria has been assigned a weighting prior to the release of this tender based on its importance to Mercy Corps in this process.  Offeror(s) with the best score will be accepted as the winning offeror(s), assuming the price is deemed fair and reasonable and subject to the additional due diligence in section 3.5.2.  When performing the Scoring Evaluation, the Mercy Corps tender committee will assign points for each criteria based on the following scale:   |  |  | | --- | --- | | **Point** | **Rationale** | | 0 | Not acceptable; has not met any part of the specified criteria | | 1-4 | Has met only some minimum requirements and may not be acceptable | | 5 | Acceptable | | 6-9 | Acceptable; has met all requirements and exceeds some | | 10 | Acceptable; has exceeded all requirements |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | | **Evaluation Criteria** | **Weight**  **(%)** | **Possible Points**  **(1 to 10)** | **Weighted Score** | | **(A)** | **(B)** | **(A\*B)** | | Corporate Criteria and Track Record: Offeror’s qualifications, experience, performance on similar projects and resources for the project. Offeror has demonstrated understanding of and experience in working in talent sourcing and contracting. Offeror has a track record of talent contracting and knowledge of local lab laws | 30% | 10 | 3 | | Understanding of Program: Offeror’s understanding of deliverables | 30% | 10 | 3 | | Implementation and Project Management: Offeror’s ability to manage the program (legal setup, ability to contract in multiple countries of interest, geographic scope of partner | 20% | 10 | 2 | | Proposed fee structure for program and proposed timeline and budget for bringing on 1 set of analysts | 20% | 10 | 2 | | **TOTAL POSSIBLE SCORE:** | **100%** | **XX** | **10** | |
| **3.5.2 Additional Due Diligence**  Upon completion of both the technical and financial evaluations Mercy Corps may choose to engage in additional due diligence processes with a particular supplier or supplier(s). The purpose of these processes is to ensure that Mercy Corps engages with reputable, ethical, responsible Suppliers with solid financials and the ability to fulfill the contract. Additional due diligence may take the form of the following processes (though it is not limited to):   * Reference Checks |

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# Offer Form

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| **Offerors must submit their own independant offer including at least (but not limited to):**   * All documents requested in the “Eligibility Criteria” section of this Tender Package * All documents requested in the “Tender Submittals” section of this Tender Package * All information listed in the “Documents Comprising the Proposal” section below   **All offers must be duly signed (including position and full name of the signer) and stamped, with the date of completion.** |

***Documents Comprising the Proposal***

The following information must be included in the offer of any potential offeror:

* **Cover Letter** explaining interest to be a contracted vendor or supplier, and the details of the Proposal. The content of the cover letter shall include the following information:
* A detailed Proposal
* Price validity date (for this purpose and as stated on the advertisement, quote given shall remain unchanged for 180 working days)
* Please note this will be a master agreement with orders placed on a need basis. Prices quoted will remain fixed for the contract period.
* A Price Offer detailing the unit price only, using the **Price Offer Sheet** template provided in section 7
* Completed and signed Mercy Corps **Supplier Information Form** (template provided in section 7)
* Other important documents offeror feels need to be attached to support their proposal

The original proposal shall be signed by the offeror or a person or persons duly authorized to bind the offeror to the contract. Financial offer pages of the proposal shall be initialed by the person or persons signing the proposal and stamped with the company seal.

Any interlineations, erasures, or overwriting shall be valid only if they are initialed by the person or persons signing the proposal.

# 5. Scope of Work/Technical Specifications

**5.1 Background**

Across all of Mercy Corps, we agree that talent development and local capacity building in the markets where we work is critical to our impact and legacy. On the Ventures team we are in full agreement and given the scope of our work in entrepreneurship, our focus is on developing and supporting talent to work within the tech, startup, and impact investment sectors. These sectors are not only important to the development of the markets where we work, but provide an unrivaled opportunity for young tech talent to access an international, high growth, impactful industry. On the Ventures team, we are striving to find ways to work with more emerging tech and investing talent.

**5.2 Scope of Work**

Mercy Corps Ventures seeks to partner with an organization who can support us in designing and implementing an emerging talent program. The program would be focused on enabling us to work with 2-3 investment analysts at a time, on a short term contract to help them gain experience in venture capital investing while also boosting our internal capacity and resources as a Ventures team. We are open to talent across any of the markets where we invest, and the partnership with Mercy Corps Ventures would be on a long term basis as we are looking to continually work with talent on an on-going basis.

**Objectives:**

This SOW is applicable for an organization that has experience and capabilities in tech or investing talent management in emerging markets. The vendor should be able to complete the following responsibilities:

* Support the Ventures team in designing an emerging talent program - including working collaboratively with us to define the profiles of candidates we would look to work with, the sourcing and selection process for talent, the onboarding process and scope for selected candidates, and the offboarding process to the next stage of their career.
* Support the Ventures team in developing the contract and terms for the talent program, including developing a contract in accordance with labor law, and providing guidance on stipend level and benefits in accordance with local market conditions
* Once the program is designed and launched, the partner will lead the process of sourcing and selecting candidates, with Ventures team involvement where appropriate. The Ventures team would be responsible for making the final decision on candidates. The partner will complete the contracting and payment of stipend and benefits to the candidates, then appropriately end contracting at the end of the program.

**Deliverables:**

1. Program design, in collaboration with MCV team
   * Input where required on overall program design:
     1. definition of candidate profile,
     2. design of candidate sourcing strategy, including setup of any key sourcing partnership
     3. development of sourcing collateral - FAQs
     4. design of selection process, including case interviews, etc.
   * Development of contract (incl. stipend and benefits) and contracting process in accordance with labor laws and market conditions
2. Program implementation
   * Lead the process of sourcing candidates
   * Lead review and selection process, with Ventures team making final decision on candidates
   * Contract with the selected candidates
   * Provide candidates with their stipend and benefits
   * End contracting with the candidate at the end of the program

**Additional notes for the RFP:**

* Please indicate in your RFP in which countries you would be able to contract successful candidates
* Please indicate any track record you have of contracting or employing candidates in these markets in accordance with local labor law
* The contracting between MCV and the partner should include:
  + Payment / fees to the partner per candidate selected to join the program, including the cost of candidate stipend and benefits as well as a management /administrative fee for the partner
  + Please indicate in the RFP the fee expectations for this area

**Timeframe / Schedule:**

* We expect program design to take place during the month of August
* We expect candidate sourcing to begin by the end of August, with the first candidates contracted and working with MCV in mid September

# 6. Sample Contract

This is the anticipated contract. However, if required, additional terms and conditions may be added by Mercy Corps in the final contract.

**SERVICE CONTRACT  
  
Contract No. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

THIS MASTER SERVICES AGREEMENT entered into as of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ by and between MERCY CORPS, a State of Washington, U.S.A. nonprofit corporation having its principal office in Portland, Oregon, U.S.A. (“**Mercy Corps**”) and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (“**Contractor**”) is as follows:

1. **Master Agreement; Specific Services**. From time to time, Mercy Corps may request services from Contractor. For each occasion on which Contractor is willing to provide requested services, the parties will enter into a task order (“**Task Order**” or “**TO**”) which will describe the services to be performed and the period for performance and which will be substantially in the form attached hereto as Exhibit A. Contractor must notify Mercy Corps within the Task Order Offer Period time specified in Schedule I if it accepts a Task Order, rejects a Task Order or requires changes to a Task Order. Mercy Corps may reject any acceptance or request for changes that Mercy Corps receives after the Task Order Offer Period has expired.
2. **Additional Terms and Defined Terms**. Additional Terms are specified in Schedule I hereto (the “**Additional Terms**”). The terms in Schedule I are incorporated in this Agreement by this reference. The following additional defined terms are included in Schedule I: Task Order Offer Period, Authorized Representative, Key Personnel, Payment Terms, Services, TO and Scope of Work (SOW). “**Agreement**” means this Master Services Agreement and Schedule I, in each case as amended, modified or supplemented from time to time. Other terms may be defined throughout this Agreement as specified.
3. **Delivery of Services**.
   1. Contractor will perform the Services, and Mercy Corps will pay for the Services, in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth in this Agreement and each TO.
   2. Contractor will perform all Services through the services of Contractor’s employees. Contractor will not delegate or subcontract any Services to be provided to Mercy Corps without Mercy Corps’ prior written consent. Contractor agrees that including the specific individuals named (if any) as Key Personnel in the Additional Terms is a material part of the bargain. Contractor will not change the Key Personnel without prior notice and an amendment to the Additional Terms specifying the change. Mercy Corps may withhold its consent to substitute personnel using its sole discretion.
4. **Compliance with TOs and Changes to TOs.** Services will be provided strictly in accordance with each TO. No deviation, substitution or change is permitted without Mercy Corps’ prior written consent; provided that Mercy Corps may terminate, suspend, increase or decrease the scope of Contractor's performance under a TO by written notice to Contractor specifying the changes. Unless mutually agreed, a change to a TO by Mercy Corps does not apply to Services timely and fully delivered and performed before the date of the change. If any change causes an increase or decrease in the cost of, or the time required for, Contractor's performance, an equitable adjustment may be made in the TO or Payment Terms or both, if such adjustment is set forth in an amendment signed by Mercy Corps’ and Contractor’s Authorized Representative.
5. **Non-Exclusivity.** This Agreement is not intended to create an exclusive relationship between the parties. Unless the Additional Terms specify a minimum purchase of services, Mercy Corps is not obligated to issue any Task Order to Contractor. If the Additional Terms specify a minimum purchase of services, Mercy Corps shall be obligated only to issue a TO(s) for the minimum purchase amount.
6. **Invoicing and Payment**.
   1. Contractor will submit invoices to Mercy Corps in accordance with the invoicing schedule and invoicing delivery terms set forth in the Additional Terms. Each invoice will include (i) the Contract Number and TO number; (ii) Contractor’s name and address; (iii) a description of the Services performed, (iv) the dates such Services were performed, (v), if applicable per the Additional Terms, an itemization of the specified increments of time worked, (vi), if applicable per the Additional Terms, properly reimbursable expenses (if any) incurred along with receipts for such expenses; and (vii) such other information as Mercy Corps may reasonably request. Invoices will only be deemed received on the date they are delivered to Mercy Corps’ Authorized Representative pursuant to the Payment Terms. If Mercy Corps determines that Services that are the subject of an invoice have not been performed in accordance with the Additional Terms, Mercy Corps may dispute the invoice by sending Contractor notice of such dispute after Mercy Corps receipt of the invoice. Such notice shall clearly state the specific Services disputed, and Mercy Corps’ reason for disputing the performance of the Services. If both parties accept the dispute of the invoice, they shall agree in writing as to the steps required of Contractor to ensure that the performance of the disputed Services is subsequently completed in accordance with the Additional Terms, and the time required of Contractor to complete the Services
   2. Except as otherwise provided in the Additional Terms, Mercy Corps will pay each invoice (or adjusted invoice if the subject of dispute) in accordance with the Payment Terms within 30 days after the later of (i) receipt of the invoice or (ii) resolution of the items set forth in the notice of disputed charges.
   3. Mercy Corps may off-set any amount it owes Contractor against any amount Contractor owes Mercy Corps.
7. **Taxes, Duties and Expenses**.
   1. Except as otherwise provided in the Additional Terms, Contractor is responsible for all expenses incurred by it in performing under this Agreement and all taxes, duties and other governmental charges with respect to the provision of Services. If the law requires Mercy Corps to withhold taxes from payments to Contractor, Mercy Corps may withhold those taxes and pay them to the appropriate taxing authority. Mercy Corps will deliver to Contractor an official receipt for such taxes. Mercy Corps will use reasonable efforts to minimize any taxes withheld to the extent allowed by law.
   2. In the event the Additional Terms do allow for reimbursement of Contractor expenses, such expenses must be listed as acceptable expenses in the Additional Terms or the Task Order and fully documented with receipts and any other documentation reasonably necessary for Mercy Corps to determine the costs were reasonable and properly incurred.
8. **Representations, Warranties and Additional Covenants**. Contractor represents and warrants to Mercy Corps and covenants with Mercy Corps as follows.
   1. Contractor has full rights and authority to enter into and perform its obligations under this Agreement. Contractor’s performance will not violate any agreement or obligation between Contractor and any third party.
   2. Contractor has the requisite skills to perform the Services in accordance with this Agreement.
   3. Contractor possesses all governmental and other certifications and licenses necessary to perform the Services in accordance with this Agreement. Performance by Contractor of its obligations under this Agreement will not infringe on any patent, copyright, trademark, trade secret or other proprietary right of any third party.
   4. Contractor will comply with all applicable law, regulations and rules in the performance of its obligations under this Agreement.
   5. Contractor has not, and will not, engage in transactions with, or provide resources or support to, individuals and organizations associated with terrorism, including those individuals or entities that appear on the Specially Designated Nationals and Blocked Persons List maintained by the U.S. Treasury (http://www.treasury.gov/resource-center/sanctions/SDN-List/Pages/default.aspx) or the United Nations Security designation list (<http://www.un.org/sc/committees/1267/aq_sanctions_list.shtml>).
   6. Contractor will comply with and train its employees in all applicable laws against bribery, corruption, inaccurate books and records, inadequate internal controls and money-laundering, including the U.S. Foreign Corrupt Practices Act and the UK Bribery Act. Contractor has not and will not offer or give any employee, agent, or representative of Mercy Corps anything of value to secure any business from Mercy Corps or influence such person to alter the terms, conditions, or performance of any contract with or purchase order from Mercy Corps, including but not limited to this Agreement.
   7. Contractor, including its owners or employees, does not own, directly or indirectly, any other company that was competing for award of this Agreement or any TO. Contractor did not seek or obtain confidential information related to the award of this Agreement or any TO from any Mercy Corps employee, agent or representative. Contractor did not collude or conspire with any other individual or entity to limit competition for the award of this Agreement or any TO, to set prices being offered or in any other way to interfere with free and open competition.
   8. Contractor is not owned in whole or in part, directly or indirectly, by any immediate or extended family member of any Mercy Corps employee, agent or representative, or, if so owned, Contractor fully disclosed such relationship and any potential conflict of interest has been waived, in writing, by Mercy Corps.
   9. Contractor has not engaged in, and will not engage in, any of the following conduct: (A) trafficking in persons (as defined in the Protocol to Prevent, Suppress, and Punish Trafficking in Persons, especially Women and Children, supplementing the UN Convention against Transnational Organized Crime); (B) procuring a commercial sex act; or (C) using forced labor.
   10. Contractor is not the subject or any governmental or donor investigation and has not been debarred or suspended by any government, governmental agency or donor.
9. **Independent Contractor**. The parties intend to be independent contractors. Contractor will be solely responsible for and have control over the means, methods, techniques, personnel and procedures for performing the Services. Neither party will be deemed an agent or partner of the other party.
10. **Work Product and Intellectual Property Rights**.
    1. “Work Product” means any and all (1) intellectual property, intellectual property rights, materials, tangible personal property and other work product that Contractor creates (or has created), alone or jointly with one or more other persons, (a) that relates to any TO, (b) that results from or arises out of any services performed by Contractor for Mercy Corps, (c) for which Contractor used equipment, supplies, facilities or trade secret information of Mercy Corps in creating such work product, or (d) that is derived or otherwise created from any intellectual property, intellectual property rights, materials, tangible personal property, or other assets of Mercy Corps; and (2) materials that contain, embody, disclose, reflect, or refer to any of the foregoing.
    2. Mercy Corps will be the sole owner of all Work Product. To the extent allowed by applicable law, all Work Product that consists of subject matter of U.S. or any other country’s copyright laws will constitute “works made for hire” under applicable copyright laws. Contractor will not provide Work Product to any person other than employees or agents of Mercy Corps. Contractor will hold all Work Product in trust for Mercy Corps. All Work Product will be deemed to be Confidential Information of Mercy Corps and subject to the provisions of Section 10.
    3. Contractor will promptly disclose in writing to Mercy Corps all Work Product that Contractor creates, alone or jointly with others, in the performance of its obligations under this Agreement.
    4. Contractor hereby irrevocably assigns and transfers to Mercy Corps (i) all rights, title and interest in all Work Product, (ii) all related rights and remedies, and (iii) all claims (for damages or otherwise) and causes of action with respect to any Work Product.
    5. Contractor hereby irrevocably waives and agrees never to assert any Moral Rights that may exist anywhere in the world in or with respect to any Work Product, including claims for damages and other remedies. “Moral Rights” means any and all right to claim authorship to or to object to any distortion, mutilation or other modification or other derogatory action in relation to a work, whether or not such action would be prejudicial to the author’s reputation, and any similar right, existing under common or statutory law of any country in the world or under any treaty, regardless of whether or not such right is denominated or generally referred to as a “*moral right*”.
11. **Confidentiality**. Contractor will maintain, and cause each of its employees and others it involves in performing its obligations under this Agreement to maintain, the confidentiality of: (i) any information Mercy Corps provides to Contractor that Mercy Corps identifies as confidential; (ii) the terms and conditions of this Agreement (including all Statements of Services); and (iii) nonpublic information regarding Mercy Corps’ policies and practices. Upon Mercy Corps’ request, Contractor will return to Mercy Corps all confidential information provided by Mercy Corps to Contractor.
12. **Indemnification**. Contractor will indemnify Mercy Corps and each of its officers, directors, employees, representatives and agents (each, an “Indemnitee”), and hold them harmless from, any and all losses, claims, damages, liabilities, any government or donor investigations, fines or penalties and related expenses (including incidental and consequential damages and reasonable attorneys’ fees, whether incurred at the investigative, trial or appellate level or otherwise) incurred by any Indemnitee or asserted against any Indemnitee by any third party or by Contractor arising out of, in connection with, or as a result of this Agreement, any failure by Contractor to fully perform its obligations under this Agreement or any breach by Contractor of any of its representations and warranties under this Agreement, provided that such indemnity will not, as to any Indemnitee, be available to the extent that such losses, claims, damages, liabilities or related expenses resulted from the gross negligence or willful misconduct of such Indemnitee.
13. **Termination and Remedies.** 
    1. Provided no TO is outstanding and remains to be performed by either party, this Agreement may be terminated by either party upon 30 days prior written notice to the other party.
    2. Any TO may be terminated under the following circumstances:
       1. by both Parties on mutual written agreement of the Parties;
       2. by either Party for its convenience with written notice and after the Termination Notice Period specified in the Additional Terms has expired;
       3. by Mercy Corps immediately upon written notice in the event Mercy Corps’ donor(s) terminates or withdraws funding that Mercy Corps would use to pay Contractor under the Additional Terms;
       4. by either Party due to the non-terminating Party’s breach of this Agreement and failure to correct such breach within 15 days prior notice of such breach;
       5. be either Party upon written notice if a force majeure event, including any not reasonably foreseeable war, insurrection, change in law or government action or inaction, strike, natural disaster or similar event, prevents the terminating Party from being able to fulfill its obligations under this Agreement; or
       6. by Mercy Corps immediately upon written notice if Mercy Corps using its sole discretion determines that Contractor has or will breach any of its warranties, covenants or representations in this Agreement, in which case Mercy Corps may withhold any and all amounts owed to Contractor until such breach is remedied.

In the event of termination due to Contractor’s breach or by Contractor for Contractor’s convenience, Mercy Corps will not be obligated to pay Contractor for any partially completed work. In the event termination is due to Mercy Corps’ breach, by Mercy Corps for Mercy Corps convenience, due to force majeure event, or due to loss of funding, Mercy Corps will be obligated to pay Contractor for its reasonable, pro-rated costs of work completed and expenses properly incurred prior to termination. However, Mercy Corps will not be responsible for any expenses incurred in anticipation of termination or suspension.

If Mercy Corps determines that Contractor has or will breach any of its warranties, covenants or representations in this Agreement, Mercy Corps may, in addition to any other remedies for such breach available at law or in equity, terminate this Agreement.

1. **Dispute Resolution**. Any unresolved dispute or claims will be settled by arbitration administered by the International Centre for Dispute Resolution in accordance with its International Arbitration Rules. The number of arbitrators will be one. The place of arbitration will be Portland, Oregon. The language of the arbitration will be English.
2. **Access to Books and Records**. Mercy Corps, its donors (including, if applicable, USAID, and the Comptroller General of the United States) and any of their respective representatives will have access to any books, documents, papers and records of Contractor that are directly pertinent to this Agreement for the purpose of making audits, examinations, excerpts and transcriptions for a period of seven years following the completion of the final TO issued by Mercy Corps under this MSA.
3. **Additional Donor Terms and Conditions**. The Donor Terms (if any) are incorporated in this Agreement by reference and are fully binding on Contractor and Mercy Corps. In the event of a conflict between the Donor Terms and any other provision of this Agreement (including any Additional Terms of TO) or any other document between Contractor and Mercy Corps, the Donor Terms will prevail.
4. **Miscellaneous**.
   1. This Agreement and the rights and obligations of the parties hereto will be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Oregon (exclusive of the United Nations Convention on Contracts for the International Sale of Goods), without regard to the conflict of laws provisions thereof.
   2. No right or obligation under this Agreement (including the right to receive monies due) will be assigned without the prior written consent of Mercy Corps. Any assignment without such consent will be void. Mercy Corps may assign its rights under this Agreement.
   3. All notices provided for herein will be in writing and will be delivered by hand or overnight courier service, email or fax in accordance with each party’s contact information set forth on the Additional Terms. Notices will be deemed to have been given when received, provided that notices sent by email or fax will be deemed received when sent (except that, if not sent during normal business hours for the recipient, will be deemed received at the opening of business on the next business day for the recipient).
   4. Time is of the essence of each and every obligation of Contractor under this Agreement.
   5. If any provision of this Agreement is prohibited by or invalid under applicable law, such provision will be ineffective only to the extent of such prohibition or invalidity without invalidating the remainder of such provision or any remaining provisions of this Agreement.
   6. Except as otherwise provided above, this Agreement may be amended or modified only by a written document signed by both parties. This Agreement constitutes the entire contract between the parties relating to the subject matter hereof and supersedes any and all previous agreements and understandings, oral or written, relating to the subject matter hereof.
   7. No failure on the part of Mercy Corps to exercise, and no delay in exercising, any right, power, privilege or remedy under this Agreement will operate as a waiver thereof; nor will any single or partial exercise of any such right, power, privilege or remedy preclude any other or further exercise thereof or the exercise of any other right, power, privilege or remedy. The rights and remedies under this Agreement are cumulative and not exclusive of any rights, powers, privileges and remedies that may otherwise be available to Mercy Corps.
   8. The warranty, representations, dispute resolution, confidentiality and indemnification provisions of this Agreement will survive the termination, cancellation of expiration of this Agreement.
   9. In the event that there is a conflict in term between this Master Services Agreement and any TO, the terms in the Master Services Agreement shall prevail unless the changed terms in the TO specifically state the section of the Master Services Agreement or Additional Terms that the TO is changing, in which case the new terms in the TO shall prevail only as to that TO.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Master Services Agreement has been duly executed as of the date first written above.

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| **MERCY CORPS**  By:  Name:  Title: | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  By:  Name:  Title: |

**SCHEDULE I**

**ADDITIONAL TERMS**

1. **Term:** This Agreement shall have an effective date of XXX and, unless earlier terminated in accordance with Section 13, an expiration date of XXX *[1 year]*.
2. **Offer Period:** [xxx] business days (“**Task Order Offer Period**”).
3. **Services:** In accordance with the terms of the Agreement, Contractor agrees to perform the following services in the following manner.

a. Background: [Include background information on the program(s) under which this contract falls, identifying where in the program objectives these services will be supporting. Describe the context in which the contract will be working. This may be similar to what was included in the RFQ/RFP.]

b. Scope of Work: *[Include a narrative description of the work being performed under this contract that outlines the general tasks which will be requested for under task orders. Include a detailed description of the individual deliverable(s)/Task Orders, if known, the standard the work must be completed to, any specifications, how it must be completed, etc. Deliverables, if known, should be as tightly defined as possible to ensure that we receive the intended value and so as to limit miscommunication and litigation. If deliverables are not yet known, be as descriptive as possible as to the types of work or deliverables that will be done. If possible, use illustrative deliverables or task orders.]*

The term “**Services**” means all services, including delivery of all deliverables, described in all Task Orders**.**

1. **Pricing:** *[include type of pricing, e.g. fixed price per TO, fixed price per deliverable type, cost reimbursable, or fixed daily rates plus expenses, etc. Refer to the Service Agreement template for more guidance regarding Cost Reimbursable or Time and Materials pricing.]*
2. **Invoicing & Payment Terms: [**Upon acceptance of each Task Order or deliverable] [Within *[X]* days at the end of each month] Contractor will submit an Invoice in accordance with pricing as specified in the Agreement. Mercy Corps will make payment to Contractor for all sums not in dispute within 30 days of receipt of Contractor’s invoice(s) (the “**Payment Terms**”).
3. **Key Personnel:** *[if applicable, include a list of the Contractor’s personnel (either by name or position, ideally both) that are key to the bargain and the project and that the Contractor cannot change without prior approval. If not applicable, note “Not Applicable” here.] (the “Key Personnel”).*
4. **Reimbursable Expenses:** *[If applicable, include a description of the expenses that the Contractor can incur and charge Mercy Corps for above and beyond the price for services. If not applicable, note “Not Applicable” here].*
5. **Authorized Representatives and Contact Information:** 
   1. **Mercy Corps:**  Only the following Mercy Corps employees are authorized to agree to any amendment of the Agreement, a new Task Order or an amendment to a Task Order:

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Email: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Only the following Mercy Corps employees are authorized to receive invoices, accept or reject Services or sign SCRs.

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* 1. **Contractor:** Contractor’s authorized representative for all purposes is:

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1. **Termination for Convenience Notice Period**: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (the **“Termination Notice Period”).**
2. **Donor Terms**: *[If applicable, include the following statement here:* The Donor Terms set forth in Schedule II to the Agreement are hereby incorporated in the Agreement by reference*].*

**EXHIBIT A**

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**FORM TASK ORDER - TIME & MATERIALS - FIXED LABOR RATES**

**Task Order No. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

1. **Contractor: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**.
2. **Master Service Agreement Contract No.**:**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**.
3. **Statement of Work (the “SOW”):** In accordance with the terms of the above-referenced Master Services Agreement, Contractor agrees to perform the following services in the following manner:
   1. Task Order Scope of Work: [*Include a narrative description of the work being performed under this contract that fully outlines all of the tasks required to achieve the objectives of the Agreement. Be as specific as possible. If tangible work products are to be produced, those may be listed here as well.*]
4. **Performance Period:** This Task Order shall have an effective date of XXX and, unless earlier terminated in accordance with Section 13 of the Agreement, an expiration date of XXX**.**
5. **Price:** This is a time and materials task order with a ceiling amount of XXX. Contractor may not exceed this amount without advanced, written approval from Mercy Corps via an amendment signed by both parties.

Contractor agrees to perform the Services within the performance period through direct labor at the following specified fixed rates:

a. Labor Rates: Mercy Corps will pay Contractor fixed *daily/hourly* rates set forth in the table below. The rates will remain in effect for the entire Agreement term. Each fixed *daily/hourly* rate set forth below is “loaded” and includes salary cost, payroll costs, indirect costs applicable to labor, and profit/fee (if any). Fixed *daily/hourly* rates must not include or be applied to costs covered as Materials, such as travel and transportation or other direct costs.

The following are the fixed *daily/hourly* rates under this Agreement: *[List all positions/labor categories under which the Agreement services will be provided. Include the rate in whatever currency the Agreement is in.]*

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| **Position/Labor Category** | **Daily/Hourly Rate** *[insert currency here]* | ***Daily/Hourly Rate Y2*** *[if the Agreement is more than one year, you may want to allow for salary increases in Y2.]* |
| Position/Category 1 | Daily Rate |  |
| Position/Category 2 | Daily Rate |  |
| Position/Category 3 | Daily Rate |  |

Contractor is limited to a total of *X days/hours* *[specify here if you wish to further limit the days/hours of specific positions]* and may not exceed this cap without advance, written approval by Mercy Corps. Contractor will only charge Mercy Corps for the time period that its employees are directly and solely working on the Services and will not charge time for management, general overhead or administration, such costs being built into the labor rates. Contractor will keep a record of all of the names of its direct labor employees with each employee’s date and time of start and stop of all work charged to Mercy Corps under this Agreement. Contractor may only charge for employee time if the position/category is listed in the table above, which Contractor may amend from time-to-time with written approval from Mercy Corps’ Authorized Representative. If the applicable time increments noted above are by the hour, Contractor may only charge Mercy Corps for increments of half an hour rounded to the nearest half-hour increment. If the applicable time increments noted above are by the day, Contractor may only charge Mercy Corps for full days worked. A full day requires a minimum of 7 hours of work time in a 24 hour day, but may extend to as many hours as an employee works in a 24 hour day. Each of Contractor’s employees whose time is charged to this Agreement must sign a timesheet certifying and agreeing to the number of hours worked on the Services. Timesheets must be included with invoices as backup documentation. As with other records, Mercy Corps may request additional records and direct confirmation from Contractor’s employees at any time and may withhold or dispute payment until the records and/or confirmation are provided and verified.

b. Materials: If necessary to complete the Services, Contractor also agrees to procure and provide all materials necessary to complete the Services and to charge Mercy Corps for only the actual costs incurred by Contractor for materials actually used in performing the Services. Contractor will use its best efforts to obtain the best possible prices for all materials, including, when reasonable, obtaining multiple competing bids and selecting the item with the best value. Any materials that cost in excess of *[amount and currency --contact your Head of Finance for donor-related thresholds]* must be presented to Mercy Corps for its written approval prior to Contractor purchasing the item(s). Contractor must obtain receipts for all materials it charges to Mercy Corps hereunder whose costs exceed $25 USD. These receipts must be included in all invoice submissions as backup documentation. Mercy Corps may request additional documentation regarding prices paid, quality, contractual arrangements at any point and may withhold or dispute payment for any materials until such documentation is provided. Likewise, if Contractor purchases materials at rates that Mercy Corps reasonably determines exceed local market rates for the materials, Mercy Corps may choose to only reimburse Contractor for verified market rates in the local market. The maximum amount that Contractor may charge Mercy Corps for materials under this Agreement is *[amount].* Contractor will be responsible for the costs of any materials required to complete the deliverables that exceed this maximum amount.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Task Order has been duly executed by the parties’ Authorized Representatives as of the date written below.

**DATED: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**MERCY CORPS CONTRACTOR**

Name: Name:

Title: Title

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**7. Attachments to the Tender Package**

**Attachment 1 -Supplier Information Form template**

***The information provided will be used to evaluate the Company before contracting with the Mercy Corps.***

***Please complete all fields.***

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| Company Name |  |
| Any other names company is operating under (Acronyms, Abbreviations, Aliases) |  |
| Previous names of the company |  |
| Address |  |
| Website |  |
| Phone/Fax Numbers | Phone: Fax: |
| Primary Contact | Name:  Phone Number:  Email Address: |
| # of Staff |  |
| # of Locations |  |
| Avg. Value of Stock on Hand (USD) |  |
| Government - owned (yes/no) |  |
| Name(s) of Board of Directors |  |
| Name(s) of Company Owner(s) |  |
| Parent companies, if any |  |
| Subsidiary or affiliate companies, if any |  |

**Financial Information**

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| Bank Name and Address |  |
| Name under which company is registered at bank |  |
| Payment Terms | Payment By: Check Yes | No Wire Transfer Yes | No |
| Specify Standard Payment Terms (Net15, 30, etc.) |  |

**Product/Service Information**

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| List Range of Products/Services Offered |  |
| Basis For Pricing (Catalog, List, etc.) |  |

**References**

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| Client Name: | Contact Name, Phone, Email Address: |
| Client Name: | Contact Name, Phone, Email Address: |
| Client Name: | Contact Name, Phone, Email Address: |

**Supplier Self-Certification of Eligibility**

Company certifies that:

1. It, its affiliates and subsidiaries, owners, officers, directors and key employees (to the best of its knowledge) are not the subject of any government’s sanctions, designations, donor rules or prohibitions, or laws prohibiting transactions with it/them. It is not the subject of any donor government investigation into its misconduct with any other recipient of that donors funding.
2. It, its affiliates and subsidiaries, owners, officers, directors and key employees have not and do not engage in any form of terrorism or attacks on civilians and do not provide any form of material support or financial resources for individuals or organizations that do engage in any form of terrorism or deliberate attacks on civilians.
3. It, its affiliates and subsidiaries, owners, officers, directors and key employees have not and do not engage in weapons or drugs manufacture, transport, sale or distribution.
4. It is not in default on any material credit agreement, bankrupt or being wound up, are having its affairs administered by the courts, have entered into arrangements with creditors, have suspended business activities, are the subject of proceedings concerning those matters, or are in any analogous situation arising from a similar procedure provided for in national legislation or regulations.
5. It is has not been determined to be in breach of a material contract by any legal body anytime within the past 2 years.
6. It pays taxes as and when due and is not currently the subject of any investigation or proceeding related to back-owed taxes.
7. It provides workers compensation insurance to its workers in accordance with the laws of the countries where it operates.
8. It pays social security obligations as required in the countries where it operates.
9. It, its owners, officers and directors have not been convicted of an offense concerning its professional conduct and has not engaged in grave professional misconduct.
10. It, its affiliates and subsidiaries, owners, officers, directors and key employees have not been the subject of criminal investigation or judgement for fraud, corruption, human trafficking, spying, weapons transport or smuggling, sexual exploitation or abuse, involvement in a criminal organization or any other criminal activity.
11. It treats its employees with dignity and respect and maintains social operating standards, including:: working conditions and social rights: avoidance of child labor, bondage, forced labor, human trafficking or exploitation; assurance of safe and reasonable working conditions; freedom of association; freedom from exploitation, abuse, and discrimination; protection of basic social rights of its employees and Mercy Corps beneficiaries.
12. To the best of its knowledge, no Mercy Corps employee, officer, consultant or other party related to Mercy Corps has a financial interest in the Company’s business activities, nor is any Mercy Corps employee related to any owner, officer, director or employee of the company, and, if so, it will ensure that the relationship is disclosed to Mercy Corps and will not used for improper influence. Discovery of an undisclosed Conflict of Interest will result in immediate revocation of the Company’s Authorized Supplier status and disqualification of Company from participation in future Mercy Corps procurement.
13. It understands that attempting to or agreeing to provide anything of value to any Mercy Corps employee, agent or representative for the purpose of encouraging that person to award Company a contract or take or not take any action related to any contract will result in immediate termination of any agreement. Company certifies that it does not engage in such conduct..
14. It understands that Mercy Corps seeks fair and open competition and the fairest price available and that any attempt by company to subvert fair and open competition, including working with other bidders to fix prices, working to exclude competition, seeking confidential information from Mercy Corps or other bidders, using multiple related or controlled companies to give the appearance of competition, or any similar activity, will result in termination of any agreement. Company certifies that it does not engage in such conduct.
15. It understands that Mercy Corps prohibits any of its partners or suppliers from bribing public officials and certifies that it does not do so.
16. It is not conducting business under other names or aliases that have not been declared to Mercy Corps.

If the Company cannot certify to any of the above it should explain why not. Mercy Corps may take the individual circumstances into account for some situations. However, any false certification could be grounds for immediate disqualification and termination of any future agreement.

By signing the Supplier Information Form you certify that your Company is eligible to supply goods and services to major donor funded organizations and that all of the above statements are accurate and factual.

Company Name:

Name of Representative:

Title:

Signature:

Date:

**Attachment 2 -Price Offer Sheet template**

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| **Price Offer Sheet** |  |  |  | |  | | --- | |  | |
| **Cost Category** | **Additional Description** | **Unit of Measure** | **Unit Price (USD)** | **Total Price in USD (if possible to determine)** |
| Key consultant professional fee |  |  |  |  |
| Other team members |  |  |  |  |
| Support team |  |  |  |  |
| Administrative cost |  |  |  |  |
| Others |  |  |  |  |
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| The offer Sheet can be modified accordingly but should be tied to activities and the proposed personnel. |  |  |  |  |
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| Please note this will be a master agreement with orders placed on a need basis. Prices quoted will remain fixed for the contract period |  |  |  |  |
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