

Date: [16/09/2021]

### REQUEST FOR QUOTATION RFQ N° UNFPA/TKM/RFQ/21/02

Dear Sir/Madam,

UNFPA hereby solicits a quotation for the following items:

| Item<br>N° | Product Name                        | Product specification   | Unit of<br>Measure             |
|------------|-------------------------------------|---|--------------------------------|
| 1          | UNFPA Booklet                       | Format: 22x23, Cover: 270gr, 4+4<br>Internal pages: 150 gr, 4+4, 40 pages   | 500 eng<br>500 rus<br>1000 tkm |
| 2          | Plastic pens                        | Color orange with UNFPA logo Color: orange,<br>Panton 130, C=0, M=50, Y=100, K=0 Blue,<br>panton 542, C=70 M=30 Y=0 K=0   | 1500                           |
| 3          | Paper/Carton bag<br>with UNFPA logo | Size 35*9*25;   | 500                            |
| 4          | USB flash drive<br>with UNFPA logo  | Capacity: 8 GB Compatibility: Mac, PC, Unix   | 500                            |
| 5          | UNFPA Orange<br>Notepad             | Format: 14,5/21; Color: orange with UNFPA logo;<br>200 pages Cover: hard cover; Personalization:<br>embossing with a blind, foil; Way of fastening:<br>thread-sewing; Kaptal: yes Lyasse: beige; Cover<br>material: leather (possible materials: synthetic<br>leather substitute;); Paper: offset white, 70 g / m2<br>Block color: 1 + 1 (info block, phone book - 2 + 2,<br>cards - 4 + 4) | 500                            |
| 6          | UNFPA Polo Shirt                    | Material: Knitted cotton; Sizes XL, L, M; color:<br>Orange with UNFPA logo embroided; Design  | 500                            |
| 7          | UNFPA T-shirt                       | Material: Cotton; Sizes XL, L, M; S; color: White<br>and Orange with UNFPA logo; Design   | 1000                           |



| 8  | UNFPA Cap       | 100% brushed cotton twill<br>- size: 108 x 58 cm, diameter 20 cm adjustable<br>(circular 58 cm); colors: orange, white or black<br>with UNFPA logo | 500 |
|----|-----------------|--|-----|
| 9  | Mugs            | Material: ceramic; 220 ml; Design and UNFPA logo   | 500 |
| 10 | UNFPA calendar  | Base: 230 x 170, 350 gr Bristol, 4+0<br>Calendar pages: 210 x 160, 4+4, coated paper: 250<br>gr, 14 lists, spiral bind, design                     | 500 |
| 11 | UNFPA postcards | Envelope: 18x13.5, 4+0, Postcard: 17x25, 4+4,<br>Design  | 500 |
| 12 | UNFPA Banners   | Roll-up, constructions 2 x 3, construction 1,5 x 0,9; printing; design   | 3   |

This Request for Quotation is open to all legally-constituted companies that can provide the requested printing services and have legal capacity to perform in the country, or through an authorized representative.

# I. About UNFPA

UNFPA, the United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA), is an international development agency that works to deliver a world where every pregnancy is wanted, every child birth is safe and every young person's potential is fulfilled.

UNFPA is the lead UN agency that expands the possibilities for women and young people to lead healthy sexual and reproductive lives. To read more about UNFPA, please go to: <u>UNFPA about us</u>

# II. Questions

Questions or requests for further clarifications should be submitted in writing to the contact person below:

| Name of contact person at UNFPA: | Ene Tuyliyeva              |
|----------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Tel N°:                          | +99312 488326 (ext. 323)   |
| Fax Nº:                          | +99312 488368              |
| Email address of contact person: | <u>tuyliyeva@unfpa.org</u> |

The deadline for submission of questions is 24 September 2021, 6:00 P.M., Ashgabat Time. Questions will be answered in writing and shared with all parties as soon as possible after this deadline.



### **III.** Content of quotations

Quotations should be submitted in a single email or in an envelope whenever possible, depending on file size. Quotations must contain:

- a) Technical proposal, in response to the requirements outlined in the specifications should comply with:
  - The bidder shall be required to quote for all items.
- b) Price quotation, to be submitted in USD in the company's template strictly following the requirements.

Both parts of the quotation must be signed by the company's relevant authority and submitted in PDF format.

### **IV.** Instructions for submission

Proposals should be prepared based on the guidelines set forth in Section III above, along with a properly filled out and signed price quotation form, and are to be sent by email to turkmenistan@unfpa.org\_no later than: **2 October 2021.** 

Please note the following guidelines for electronic submissions:

- The following reference must be included in the email subject line: **RFQ N**<sup>o</sup> **UNFPA/TKM/RFQ/21/02.** Proposals that do not contain the correct email subject line may be overlooked by the procurement officer and therefore not considered.
- The total email size may not exceed **20 MB** (including email body, encoded attachments and headers). Where the technical details are in large electronic files, it is recommended that these be sent separately before the deadline.
- Any quotation submitted will be regarded as an offer by the bidder and does not constitute or imply the acceptance of any quotation by UNFPA. UNFPA is under no obligation to award a contract to any bidder as a result of this RFQ.
- ALL PRICE QUOTATIONS SHOULD BE SENT TO turkmenistan@unfpa.org

### V. Overview of Evaluation Process

Quotations will be evaluated based on the compliance with the technical specifications and the total cost of the goods (price quote).

The evaluation will be carried out in a two-step process by an ad-hoc evaluation panel. Technical proposals will be evaluated for technical compliance prior to the comparison of price quotes.

#### VI. Award

In case of a satisfactory result from the evaluation process, UNFPA shall award a Purchase Order to the lowest priced bidder whose bid has been determined to be substantially compliant with the bidding documents.

### VII. Right to Vary Requirements at Time of Award



UNFPA reserves the right at the time of award of Contract to increase or decrease, by up to 20%, the volume of goods specified in this RFQ without any change in unit prices or other terms and conditions.

# VIII. Payment Terms

UNFPA payment terms are net 30 days upon receipt of shipping documents, invoice and other documentation required by the contract.

# IX. Fraud and Corruption

UNFPA is committed to preventing, identifying, and addressing all acts of fraud against UNFPA, as well as against third parties involved in UNFPA activities. UNFPA's Policy regarding fraud and corruption is available here: <u>Fraud Policy</u>. Submission of a proposal implies that the Bidder is aware of this policy.

Suppliers, their subsidiaries, agents, intermediaries and principals must cooperate with the UNFPA Office of Audit and Investigations Services as well as with any other oversight entity authorized by the Executive Director and with the UNFPA Ethics Advisor as and when required. Such cooperation shall include, but not be limited to, the following: access to all employees, representatives agents and assignees of the vendor; as well as production of all documents requested, including financial records. Failure to fully cooperate with investigations will be considered sufficient grounds to allow UNFPA to repudiate and terminate the Agreement, and to debar and remove the supplier from UNFPA's list of registered suppliers.

A confidential Anti-Fraud Hotline is available to any Bidder to report suspicious fraudulent activities at <u>UNFPA Investigation Hotline</u>.

### X. Zero Tolerance

UNFPA has adopted a zero-tolerance policy on gifts and hospitality. Suppliers are therefore requested not to send gifts or offer hospitality to UNFPA personnel. Further details on this policy are available here: Zero Tolerance Policy.

### XI. RFQ Protest

Bidder(s) perceiving that they have been unjustly or unfairly treated in connection with a solicitation, evaluation, or award of a contract may submit a complaint to the UNFPA Head of the Business Unit. Should the supplier be unsatisfied with the reply provided by the UNFPA Head of the Business Unit, the supplier may contact the Chief, Procurement Services Branch at procurement@unfpa.org.

### XII. Disclaimer

Should any of the links in this RFQ document be unavailable or inaccessible for any reason, bidders can contact the Procurement Officer in charge of the procurement to request for them to share a PDF version of such document(s).