**Malteser International**

**Country Coordination Office**

**Plot No. 246, Block 3k 2nd Class Residential**

**Tongping (behind Indian Embassy)**

**Central Equatoria State, Juba, South Sudan.**

**6 February 2024**

**Specification of Bidding**

**SOB\_JUB\_2024\_0016**

For supply and delivery of food items to Lologo 1 Primary and Nursery School, in Lologo 1 Kabo Nursery and Primary School in Kabo centre (luri Payam) and Merkolong Nursery and Primary School in Hai Seminary for school feeding for 2.5 Framework Agreement from 15 February 2024 to 31 August 2026.

1. Annex 1: Specification of Tendering
2. Annex 2: Bill of Quantity

We look forward to receiving your tenders on **12 February 2024 at or before 12pm** via E-mail to**:** [**mb.procurement-juba@malteser-international.org**](mailto:mb.procurement-juba@malteser-international.org).

Please write in the Subject line of your email with tender: “**SOB\_JUB\_2024\_0016 for school feeding**”.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Yours faithfully,

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# A. SPECIFICATION OF BIDING

Related to our advertised Invitation to Tender ITT\_JUB\_2024\_0016 Malteser International (MI) herewith calls for tenders concerning supply and delivery of food items to Lologo 1 Primary and Nursery School in Lologo, Kabo Nursery and Primary School in Kabo centre (luri Payam) and Merkolong Nursery and Primary School in Hai Seminary for school feeding for 2.5 Framework Agreement from 15 February 2024 to 31 August 2026.

The food will be delivered on weekly basis between 8:00am and 10:00am on each Friday when schools are open from 15 February to 31 August 2026. Quantities will be provided beforehand.

Under the following reference number:

Donor project numbers: 1400-JUB-2024

MI project number: 10\_SD

# Description of the organization and its activities

Malteser International is the international humanitarian relief agency of the Sovereign Order of Malta. For over 60 years we provide relief and recovery for people during and following conflicts and disasters around the world. Christian values and humanitarian principles form the foundations of our work. In over 30 countries in Africa, the Americas, Asia, and the Middle East, we support people in need – regardless of their religion, origin or political convictions.

Malteser International has been working in the geographic area of today’s South Sudan since 1996. MI implements a multi-sectoral program including Food & Nutrition Security, Livelihoods, WASH, health, and peaceful conflict resolution. This includes activities such as agricultural trainings, cash distributions, food for education and access to water, sanitation, and hygiene. The program is aiming to increase its work with local partner organisations in order to optimise its sustainability. Furthermore, MI applies a participatory, gender sensitive and inclusive approach in its programming. As of today, MI maintains its country office in Juba while operating a program office in Wau and project offices in Uyujuku and Yei.

**Objective of Call for Tenders:** In accordance with the overall targets of above-mentioned operations, Malteser International plans to procure food items for Lologo 1 Primary and Nursery School in Lologo, Kabo Nursery and Primary School in Kabo centre (luri Payam) and Merkolong Nursery and Primary School in Hai Seminary for school feeding for 2.5 Framework Agreement from 15 February 2024 to 31 August 2026.

The weekly food delivery will be between 8:00am and 10:00am on Friday when schools are open from 15 February 2024 to 31 August 2026. Quantities will be provided beforehand.

The technical specifications and conditions of the tendering process are described below in the Specification of tendering and in the Annex 2: Bill of Quantity which are part of this Invitation to Tenders.

Suppliers are invited to present a tender complying with the requirements here below specified.

# Tender Presentation

The tender shall be received via E-mail to**:** [**mb.procurement-juba@malteser-international.org**](mailto:mb.procurement-juba@malteser-international.org) on **12 February 2024 at or before 12pm**

* The tender shall be written in English.
* The tender should be valid for **60 days after the deadline.**

# General conditions

* The tender shall be typed or written and signed on each page by the legal representative of the supplier,
* The winning supplier might be requested to provide catalogues, pictures, technical descriptions and/or samples of items at the order stage when required,
* The prices of the tender will be expressed in United States Dollars. The prices must be on unit price basis as well as by totals,
* The prices will be considered fixed whereas MI will not process Tax exemption. No additional change of whatsoever nature and type will be accepted by MI,
* MI reserves the right to accept or reject all tenders depending on prevailing condition at the time.

# Technical specification

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| No. | Food items | Units | Quality |
| 1 | Super Rice (long grains) | Kg | Very good |
| 2 | Yellow beans | Kg | Very good |
| 3 | Vegetables onion | Litre | Very good |
| 4 | Refined Iodated edible Table salt (1kg) | Kg | Very good |
| 5 | Cooking oil (sunflower oil) | Kg | Very good |
| 6 | Charcoal (bag of 50kg) | Bag | Very good |

# Validity of tenders

Each company is bound to the tender submitted for a period of 60 days from the deadline for submission of tenders.

# Language of tenders

All tenders, official correspondence between companies and MI, as well as all documents associated with the tender’s request will be in English.

# Submission of tenders

# Each tender must have received via E-mail to: [mb.procurement-juba@malteser-international.org](mailto:mb.procurement-juba@malteser-international.orga) on 12 February 2024 at or before 12pm

# Content of tender

All submitted tenders must conform to the requirements mentioned in the SOB. Furthermore, they must include the following documents:

**Part 1 - Tender:** A tender for supply and delivery of food items to Lologo 1 Primary and Nursery School in Lologo, Kabo Nursery and Primary School in Kabo centre (luri Payam) and Merkolong Nursery and Primary School in Hai Seminary for school feeding for 2.5 Framework Agreement from 15 February 2024 to 31 August 2026.

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The format BoQ can be used or a separate one depending on supplier’s choice. Additional sheets may be attached for further details as requested above.

**Part 2 - Legal documents of company registered in South Sudan**

* Copy of the company’s certificate of incorporation,
* Copy of Chamber of Commerce registration,
* Copy Tax Identification Certificate,
* Copy of Certificate of Operation,
* Average turnover in the last 2 years for 2022 and 2023,
* Company’s Bank Statement of last three months (October, November, and December 2023),
* Company’s official address,
* Bank account details (where money would be paid),
* Questionnaire for tender.

# Ownership of tenders

MI reserves/funds ownership of all tenders received. As a consequence, tenderers will not be able to stipulate requirements that their tenders are to be returned.

1. **Opening of submitted tenders.**

The tenders will be opened on 12 February 2024 in MI Office in Juba by the Evaluation committee. The selection process will be recorded in writing by the committee.

# Tenders’ evaluation

**Technical resources and experience**

* Delivery time
* The technical experiences,
* Quality standards of food items and capacity to deliver.

**Financial selection criteria**

* Bided price,
* Company’s Bank Statement of last three months (November and December 2023 and January 2024),
* Average turnover for the past 2 years in USD (2022 and 2023),

1. **Exclusion criteria**

**The following are exclusion criteria:**

1. **Not submitted company registration documents,**
2. **Not bided according to the specification,**
3. **Not having its own store or warehouse with food items in stock. Partnership agreements of bidders with other companies are not accepted by the Malteser International.**

## **Evaluation Method**

Tenders shall be evaluated according to the following procedure:

Firstly, tenders shall be evaluated for technical compliance based on:

* Delivery time,
* Previous experience in similar project and
* Quality standards of food items and capacity to deliver.

Secondly, tenders that are found to be technically compliant shall be evaluated based on price and value for money, analysing all relevant costs, risks, and benefits of each bid throughout the whole life cycle of the works and in the context of the project as a whole. The evaluation shall be in accordance with the provisions of this SOB and in accordance with the following weighting:

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| **Title** | **Maximum points** |
| 1. Technical Proposal | **2.00** |
| 2. Financial proposal | **3.00** |
| **Total maximum points to be attributed** | **5.00** |

* The set criteria shall be used to determine the most economically advantageous tender for contract agreement award,
* The Bidder’s initial proposal should contain the offer’s best terms from a cost or price and technical standpoint,
* If tenders are determined to be equivalent based on the technical criteria, price will then become the deciding criterion for award,
* Bidders are forewarned that an acceptable proposal with the lowest price may not be selected if award to a higher-priced proposal affords MI a greater overall benefit,
* The MI will favourably evaluate a schedule, which shows earlier completion than the MI’s required time frame. The Bidder's innovative approaches to accomplish early completion are encouraged.

1. **Specific Technical and Financial Evaluation Criteria to standards:**

* Comparative Tender Analysis and justification basing on responsiveness of the selected supplier by internal committee.
* Contract agreement will directly be issued to the selected supplier upon approval.

1. **Terms of payment**

The payment will be done in United States Dollar by bank transfer or cheque as specified below:

* 100% of shall be paid by the Malteser International 10 days after the invoices issuing for previous month by the Contractor.

**B. Annex 2: Bill of Quantity**

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| 2 | Yellow beans | Kg |  |
| 3 | Vegetables onion | Litre |  |
| 4 | Refined Iodated edible Table salt (1kg) | Kg |  |
| 5 | Cooking oil (sunflower oil) | Kg |  |
| 6 | Charcoal (bag of 50kg) | Bag |  |

The total quantities of food to be ordered under 2.5-year FA are: 46,640 kg of super rice (long rice), 12,160 kg of yellow beans, 4,066 litres of vegetable onion, 2,622 kg of refined iodated edible table salt (1 kg), 798 of cooking oil (sunflower oil) and 950 bags of charcoal (bag of 50 kg).

6 February 2024

On behalf of Malteser International: `

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