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**INVITATION TO COMPETITIVE BIDDING (DURBAN TO ZIMBABWE FREIGHT HANDLING SERVICES)**

CARE is a global network of experts, working together to save lives, end poverty, and fight for social justice. We seek a world of hope, inclusion and social justice, where poverty has been overcome and all people live with dignity and security.

In Zimbabwe, since 1992, we have been working to tackle the underlying causes of poverty and social injustice to deliver lasting change in the lives of poor and vulnerable people focusing on climate change and adaptation, the right to food, water, and nutrition, gender equality and education, health equity, humanitarian assistance and women's economic justice.

In order to fulfil our mission, we are in need of service providers who possess international logistics expertise, specializing in working with ocean carriers for ocean export, port warehousing, customs clearance, and cross border trucking (primarily Durban to Masvingo and Mutare in Zimbabwe), working with bulk and containerized shipments, local shipping agents, and customs authorities.

The primary responsibility of the service provider will be to manage the transportation of USAID/Title II commodities. This involves overseeing the movement of Sorghum, Beans, and Vegetable Oil from the port in Durban, South Africa to our program warehouses in Masvingo and Mutare, Zimbabwe. The selected provider will be responsible for tasks such as port storage, customs clearance, and providing inland road transportation. This Request for Proposal (RFP) is therefore issued to solicit quotations from interested parties for both Inland freight handling and local transport services.

**RFP NUMBER: ZWE02-PR3570**

**DESCRIPTION & SUBMISSION OF BIDS:**

Inland Freight handling for USAID/Title II Commodities from Durban (South Africa) to Masvingo and Mutare, Zimbabwe.

THE DEADLINE: THURSDAY, 6th JUNE 2024

Before Midnight @00:00

**RFP NUMBER: ZWE02-PR35701**

**DESCRIPTION & SUBMISSION OF BIDS:**

Road Transport services in Zimbabwe (5-30 MT truck hiring).

THE DEADLINE: SUNDAY, 2ND JUNE 2024

Before Midnight @00:00

\* A detailed request for proposal document and vendor questionnaire can be downloaded from the following link: <https://www.carezimbabwe.org/tenders/> from Tuesday, 21st May 2024

\* Proposal submission is strictly by email to [tenders@carezimbabwe.org](mailto:tenders@carezimbabwe.org)

\* Submission should be clearly marked with the RFP Number identified above as the subject and not exceed a file size limit of 10 MB.

\* Any proposal received after the submission deadline will be rejected.

\* CARE reserves the right to reject any or all submitted proposals without thereby incurring any liability to bidders and shall not be obliged to give any reasons for accepting or rejecting any proposal.