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Reference: AF04 - PR156250 - Leading on GESI-Responsive Market

Systems Assessment.

Tender Notice

Mercy Corps is a non-religious, non-profit and non-governmental international humanitarian organization.

Mercy Corps is seeking expression of interest for International Consultancy Firms for Leading on GESI-Responsive Market Systems Assessment targeted provinces of Afghanistan.

The general objective of the consultancy is to lead the consortium in conducting a focused Market Systems Analysis across six provinces (Ghazni, Zabul, Paktika, Herat, Helmand, and Kandahar). Defining the priorities for the assessment, will guide consortium partners in selection of core agricultural value chains, or priority supporting market functions that crosscut these value chains.

If you are interested in submitting a bid, you will need to complete an Intent to Bid (ITB) Form submit it according to the guidelines below.

- 1. The suppliers can download the Intent to Bid Form on this link https://www.acbar.org/site-rfq or www.mercycorps.org/tenders
- 2. ITB can also be picked up at Mercy Corps offices:

Herat: House No 03, District-5, Mahtab Road, Masjed Mirza Ishaq Street, Mirza Ishaq 3.

Kabul: House No 31, Herati Street, Shar-e-Naw. **Kandahar:** House # 54, Street S, Road 2, Aino Maina.

Completed Intent to Bid Forms must be submitted to Mercy Corps by **19 Oct 2025** in one of the below methods:

- Email completed Intent to Bid Form to <u>af-tender@mercycorps.org</u> with the reference number in the email subject line. OR
- 2. Return completed ITB in person (in sealed envelope) and put in the Tender Box placed at Mercy Corps office Herat, Kandahar and

Kabul. The Tender Reference number should be written on the envelope.

After the closing date of this Tender Notice, the Request for Proposal will be sent to the suppliers who submitted Intent to Bid Forms. The Request for Proposal will be sent according to the preference you have mentioned in the Intent to Bid Form.