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The Turkana Country Government's Directorate of Veterinary Services is looking to engage consultancy services for drafting a policy and a bill to be presented to TCG County Assembly for enactment to streamline and support Community Disease Reporting and matters related to engagement in Livestock disease control and management.

### **Objectives of this Consultancy**

#### **Main objective(s)**

The main objective for the consultancy is to develop an inclusive policy and a bill to guide on livestock disease and vector control in Turkana.

#### **Specific outputs/activities**

Come up with a draft Policy and Bill for Turkana County Disease Control and Response for consideration by the Turkana County Executive Committee/Cabinet and The Turkana County Assembly. This is a key deliverable.

### **THE PRODUCTS OF THE CONSULTANCY**

- Conduct a survey and report on gaps in livestock disease control strategies in Turkana. Come up with a draft Bill and Policy for the Disease control and Response for consideration by the Turkana Executive Committee/Cabinet and present this in a summarized version that is simple for decision making
- Conduct a survey within two weeks and come up with summary of inception report (2 signed hard copies and soft copy), a need analysis report and final consultancy report and recommendations for follow-up available not later than 10 days after completion of the surveys).

### **REQUIRED EXPERTISE**

The consultant must meet the following minimum requirements and qualifications:

- At least Bachelor's degree in Veterinary Medicine or any other livestock related qualification with proven experience in participatory Methodologies one key being Participatory epidemiology.
- A minimum of two years' experience in public policy and legislative drafting
- Proven solid experience of disease surveillance work in the Greater Horn of Africa, in particular and in clear understanding of livestock health issues in ASAL areas of Kenya.
- Past experience of working in Turkana County would be an added advantage.
- Previous and/or current experience in similar assignment with Government of Kenya and/or NGO preferred.



- Good knowledge and experience in community resilience building.
- Excellent analytical, presentation and writing skills.
- Experience in qualitative data gathering and analysis.

## APPLICATION

Interested persons/firms should send their application as follows;

- Cover letter,
- Financial Proposal quoted in Kshs.
- Work plan for the consultancy period; showing how available time will be utilized.
- Updated CV of the consultant(s) or a profile of the firm plus CVs of the experts who will do the assignment.
- Referees for similar work conducted.

The proposals should be placed in a sealed envelope marked: To The County Director of Veterinary Services, [benson.longor@gmail.com](mailto:benson.longor@gmail.com), [WRKAdmin@wr.org](mailto:WRKAdmin@wr.org) and copied to The County Chief Officer-Fisheries, Livestock & Veterinary Services Box 11-30500 Lodwar, Kenya. To reach the addressee on or before 28<sup>th</sup> November 2020. Only shortlisted candidates will be invited for consultative meeting/vetting for suitability for the assignment at County Headquarters, Mifugo Complex. Virtual Consultations may be considered in line with Government COVID-19 prevention and control measures.