

INVITATION TO BID FOR PROVISION OF VEHICLE RENTALS SERVICE IN BAIDOA, SWS, SOMALIA.

About CRSD

The center for Research and Skills Development (CRSD) represents a paradigm shift in the landscape of educational institutions, uniquely positioned at the intersection of academia and industry. Founded on the principles of innovation and talent cultivation, CRSD is committed to pushing the boundaries of knowledge through a comprehensive array of initiatives.

At its core, CRSD is dedicated to fostering research, innovation and nurturing talent. This dedication manifests in various ways, from the dynamic research projects undertaken within its walls to the specialized skill enhancement programs it offers. By providing a fertile ground for exploration and experimentation, CRSD empowers individuals to push their intellectual boundaries and unleash their creative potential.

One of the key objectives of CRSD is to bridge the gap between academia and industry. In today's rapidly evolving world, this divide has become increasingly pronounced, leading to inefficiencies and missed opportunities. CRSD recognizes this challenge and serves as a conduit for collaboration and exchange between these two spheres. Through strategic partnerships and immersive learning experiences, CRSD ensures that academic insights are translated into real-world applications built on evidence-based research, driving innovation and societal progress.

Vision Statement

To pioneer transformative research and cultivate exceptional skills, fostering innovation and empowerment for a nationally competitive future.

Mission

To propel knowledge forward via rigorous research and to foster talent through comprehensive skill development initiatives, nurturing a culture characterized by excellence, creativity, inclusivity and empower individuals to reach their utmost potential and make meaningful contributions to society.

Tender Details and Instructions

- CRSD is seeking offers from reputable, well established and experienced Car Hire Firms duly incorporated under the Laws of Somalia to provide vehicle transportation Services for CRSD staff members or assigned non-staff; at a fixed price for a period of till 28th Feb 2027 basis based on good performance.
- The vehicle will remain in that location to support/ move staff and/or materials as requested by CRSD.
- Where required movement will be done with security escort.
- CRSD can request the vehicles with 24-hour notice.
- The contractor is to provide the requested vehicles for inspection as part of the Technical Evaluation.
- The firm is required to fill the RFQ
- The documents should be signed by an authorized representative of the entity, stamped, and submitted with relevant supporting documents.
- **Timescales:** The below table indicates the key dates for this tender process.

Activity	Date
Issue Invitation to RFQ Tender	21 th January 2026
Deadline for questions from Bidders	22 nd January 2026
Deadline for Return of Bids	25 th January 2026

Selection Criteria

Essential Criteria (Pass/Fail)

- Proof of Valid Registration-SWS
- Bidder fills all the RFQ
- Company profile (Optional)

Capability Criteria (60%)

- Relevant experience in vehicle rental service. This includes Signed Stamped PO/Contract attached---**30 Marks**
- Financial statement—**Bank statement (20 Marks)**
- Attach CV with key staff—**CV (10 Marks)**

Commercial Criteria- 40 %, Lowest price achieves 40%

How to apply

Applications can be submitted as a physical sealed file to the CRSD main office located in Horseed, Baidoa. A designated tender box for application submissions will be available at the office for this purpose. Use the subject line to clearly indicate the tender category reference number you are applying for (e.g., Vehicle rental Service). Or submit your tender document via Procurement@crsd.org.so

Deadline: All applications must be submitted by 25th January 2026, at 4:00 PM EAT. Late submissions will not be accepted.

REQUEST FOR QUOTATION (RFQ)

Fields below are to be completed by the Issuing Party only.

RFQ RELEASE DATE	21/1/2026.
RFQ DUE DATE	25/1/2026.
ISSUED BY	CRSD
RF NO.	RFQ-9-2025-3



SUPPLIER INFORMATION-Fields below are to be completed by the Supplier.

SUPPLIER NAME		RFQ Criteria
CONTACT NAME		As outlined in the tender notice
ADDRESS		
POINT OF CONTACT EMAIL		
POINT OF CONTACT PHONE		

PRICING

Line item	Description	Unit	Quantity required	Currency	Unit Price	Total Price	Date Available
1	Provision of Vehicle rental service in Baidoa including rural farms-The cost is inclusive for driver cost, fuel and other other costs	Days	280	USD			
2							
3							
4							
5							
6							
7							
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9							

ACCEPTANCE OF TERMS AND CONDITIONS		Stamp (Optional)	SUBTOTAL	
Name			SALES TAX	
Title			DELIVERY FEE	
Signature			OTHER CHARGES	
Date			TOTAL	