



## Invitation to Bid

### Sale of Historical Red Cross vehicle/s

**Ref No: ITB1-BVI-VEH-2021**

The BVI Red Cross wishes to engage with persons who are interested in purchasing a part of British Virgin Islands history. These vehicles affectionately known by BVI Red Cross volunteers and staff both past and present are the “Ambulance” and “Puma”. Land Rover Defenders are vehicles which are generally used by Red Cross organizations across the world to provide medical assistance in the roughest of terrains inclusive of battle field missions during war. In 2018, these two BVI Red Cross Land Rover Defenders were awarded the Red Cross’ Medal for Service and Bravery by the Governor of the British Virgin Islands. These vehicles were the first seen on the roads bringing hope to the BVI community after the devastating impact of Hurricane Irma on the British Virgin Islands on 6<sup>th</sup> September 2017.

The British Virgin Islands Red Cross therefore invites interested buyers to submit their best and final bids for the purchase of these historical Red Cross vehicle/vehicles, as itemised in the table below.

Lot No.	Qty	Make/Brand	Model and description	Year of production	Condition	Additional accessories	Photo of vehicle
1	1	Land Rover	Defender Colour - White Fuel Type - Diesel Right hand drive Manual Transmission 4 door, 6 seat etc.	2002	Used, Minor dents and scratches. May need engine repairs. Sold as seen.	Snorkel	
2	1	Land Rover	Defender Colour - White Fuel Type - Diesel Right hand drive Manual Transmission 4 door, 6 seat etc.	2008	Used, Minor dents and scratches. May need engine repairs. Clutch needs to be replaced. Sold as seen.	Snorkel	

Interested buyers must use the official “Bid Form” to submit their bids. **Bid Forms** may be collected from the British Virgin Islands Red Cross office at John’s Hole, Road Town, Tortola, British Virgin Islands between Monday – Friday and between 9am – 5pm or requested by

email. For the latter, please contact **Kristi Creque** our Disaster Management Officer by email at **dmo@redcross.vg**.

Bids should be placed in sealed envelopes (1 x original only), and marked with the reference number from the Invitation to Bid (**ITB1-BVI-VEH-2021**), and the name of the bidder/company. Bidders can submit a bid for one or both vehicles.

**Completed bids (in sealed envelopes)** should be delivered to **Stacy Lloyd, Director, John's Hole, Road Town, Tortola, British Virgin Islands** on or before **4:00pm, on Wednesday, 27<sup>th</sup> January 2021**. Completed bids will not be accepted by email. All late bids will be rejected.

Prospective buyers are encouraged to inspect the vehicle/s at John's Hole, Road Town Tortola, BVI between the hours of **9:00am and 4:30pm from Wednesday, 13<sup>th</sup> January 2021 to Tuesday, 26<sup>th</sup> January 2021**. **OR:** to arrange an inspection, please contact Kristi Creque, Disaster Management Officer, by phone at 284-494-6349 or by email at dmo@redcross.vg.

Bidders may submit a bid for one for both lots.

**Opening of bids:** bids will be opened on **Thursday, 28<sup>th</sup> January 2021 at 12:30 pm** in the presence of British Virgin Islands Red Cross Committee on Contract (CoC).

British Virgin Islands Red Cross reserves the right to reject any bid that is not complete or is illegible.

**Note:** The winning bid will be awarded on the basis of the highest price.

If no acceptable bids are received, then British Virgin Islands Red Cross reserves the right to cancel the sale and or re-advertise.

The winning bidder will sign a contract of sale with British Virgin Islands Red Cross.

**Acceptable payment means:** payment can be made by bank transfer, cash or cheque in United States Dollars.

Payment and collection of vehicle(s) should be made by the successful bidder within one week of being notified/signature of the contract of sale, whichever is later. If the payment is not made within one week, then the offer will be awarded to the second highest bidder, as long as their bid is of an acceptable price.

For any further clarifications, please contact: Kristi Creque, Disaster Management Officer, by phone at 494-6349 or by email at dmo@redcross.vg .

Date of issue: Wednesday, 13<sup>th</sup> January 2021