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Assalamu Aleikum,

To whom it may concern,

RE: INVITATION TO RECEIVE IDEAS FOR FUTURE PROJECTS.

We hope that this letter reaches you in good health and Iman.

One Dollar Project Inc (ODP) is a charity licensed with the Western Australian Government in accordance with the *Charitable Collections Act 1946 (WA)*. The ODP Mission Statement runs thus: *To establish and operate a charitable organisation that develops self sustaining, humanitarian projects to poverty stricken communities in developing countries. The conduct of the Association will be according to the principles of Islam and the Sunnah of the Holy Prophet Muhammad (S.A.W.); and according to the Association rules and guidelines.*

Bearing in mind the objectives of ODP we hereby wish to receive ideas for projects that ODP can carry out in developing countries. Key requirements for these projects include self sustainability and benefit to the whole community, not individuals. This means that once initial investment is made on the project and the project is complete, it should be able to meet its running expenses without requiring further investment, and the community as a whole should be able to benefit from the project.

An example of such a project may include an orphanage where orphans are taken in, cared for and provided with requirements such as education and healthcare to enable the children to become productive members of the community and thus input to uplift the community once they can provide for themselves. Land may be purchased to build the orphanage, and on the sides facing the streets, shops are built. Rent received from shops will be used to meet the cost of day-to-day running of the orphanage.

ODP is eager to hear your ideas for potential projects.

For a standard framework by which the ODP Governing Shurah may make its decision, we request that all ideas for potential projects are given good thought and as much detail provided as possible. Please include the following information as a minimum to have it considered:

1. A briefing on the project, i.e. what is it?
2. The location of the potential project and a description of the population there.
3. The catchment of affected people if this project is selected.
4. How this project is self-sustaining.
5. If possible, a brief Project Plan that breaks down of the project's major milestones.
6. The timeframe for this project from beginning to completion, with a breakdown of time for each milestone. Please provide reasons if you cannot make reasonable timeframe estimates.
7. The cost of the project. Please provide as much accurate information as possible with quotations if possible. If accuracy in cost estimation is not possible please provide your reasons why.

8. An estimate of returns that the project will make after completion. Please provide reasons if you cannot make reasonable returns estimates.
9. Issues that will need to be addressed to efficiently develop this project.
10. Conflicts that may arise if this project is developed.

On receipt of ideas with the above requirements, ODP's Governing Shurah will evaluate the idea and if selected we may contact you for further planning of the proposed project.

We thank you for your support and look forward to your ideas.

On behalf of

**THE GOVERNING SHURAH
ONE DOLLAR PROJECT INC**