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Jerusalem, 15-02-2017

Facoltà di Diritto /Al- Istiqlal University

Cari/e Signori/e,

L'Agenzia Italiana per la Cooperazione allo Sviluppo (AICS), Ufficio di Gerusalemme, dopo averlo ritenuto congruo, ha accolto il vostro preventivo e la proposta del 25 gennaio 2017, che diventano parte integrante del contratto. Pertanto, vi viene richiesto di realizzare i servizi che seguono, per un ammontare di euro 4.600,00 (euro quattromila e seicento/00):

- Organizzare due incontri presso l'Università sulla pena di morte;
- Organizzare una giornata di studio presso l'Università sulla pena di morte;
- Organizzare una competizione tra gli studenti per il miglior saggio breve sul tema "Pena di morte in Palestina".

I patti e le condizioni da osservare sono i seguenti:

1. La Facoltà di Diritto /Al- Istiqlal University si impegna a realizzare quanto sopra esposto secondo le modalità e le tempistiche indicate nel preventivo;
2. La Facoltà di Diritto /Al- Istiqlal University accetta di provvedere a quanto suesposto e, con la somma in alto citata, si dichiara soddisfatta per il servizio prestato;
3. Nel caso in cui la Facoltà di Diritto /Al- Istiqlal University venga meno ai patti



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Dear Sirs/Madams,

The Italian Agency for Development Cooperation (AICS), Jerusalem Office, is pleased to inform you that it accepts the quotation and the proposal, dated 25th January 2017, which are integral parts of the contract, submitted by your University. Therefore, it is requested to provide the following services: for an amount, VAT included, of Euro 4.600,00 (Euro four thousand and six hundred /00 only).

- To organize two seminars at Your University on the topic of death penalty;
- To Organize one-day event at Your University on the topic of death penalty;
- To Organize a competition among students on to conduct the best research papers on the "death penalty in Palestine".

The terms and conditions to be observed are as follow:

1. The Faculty of Law / Al- Istiqlal University is committed to achieving the above mentioned in the manner and timing indicated in the budget.
2. The Faculty of Law/ Al- Istiqlal University agrees to provide the above mentioned sum of money, expressed its satisfaction for the service.
3. In case that the Faculty of Law/ Al-

concordati ovvero alle norme legislative e regolamentari vigenti, AICS ha la facoltà di rescindere l'obbligazione mediante semplice lettera di cancellazione;

4. AICS, qualora accerti nella Facoltà di Diritto /Al- Istiqlal University incapacità ed evidente negligenza nell'esecuzione dell'impegno, può, a suo insindacabile giudizio, rescindere l'obbligazione ed esperire azioni per danni contro la Facoltà di Diritto /Al- Istiqlal University medesima, la quale sarà tenuta al pagamento dell'eventuale maggiore spesa che la Sede dovesse sostenere per acquisire la prestazione tramite un'altra organizzazione;
5. Il pagamento dell'importo verrà eseguito in un 3 soluzioni:
 - 450,00 euro alla firma del contratto dietro richiesta di pagamento;
 - 2.000,00 euro al completamento del primo incontro formativo sulla pena di morte presso l'Università;
 - 2.150,00 euro al completamento de secondo incontro formativo, al termine della giornata di studio e al termine della competizione tra gli studenti per il miglior saggio breve sul tema "Pena di morte in Palestina"

Il pagamento della seconda e terza rata potrà essere effettuato solo dietro presentazione di richiesta di pagamento.

6. L'Amministrazione dell'Ufficio AICS può effettuare, entro 20 giorni da ogni richiesta di pagamento pervenuta, un controllo amministrativo presso la Facoltà di Diritto /Al- Istiqlal University per verificare i costi delle attività e le spese effettuate.

7. La Facoltà di Diritto /Al- Istiqlal

Istiqlal University breaches the agreed covenants based on applicable legal and regulatory standards, AICS has the right to rescind the obligation by simple letter of cancellation;

4. In case that AICS finds that the Faculty of Law/ Al- Istiqlal University inability and apparent negligence in commitment, may, at its sole discretion to terminate the obligation, and bring actions and damages against the Faculty of Law/ Al- Istiqlal University who will hold the biggest expense of any payment that the Office would incur to acquire the performance by another organization.
5. The payment amount will be paid in 3 installments:
 - 450,00 euro will be paid after signing the contract upon the delivery of a request of payment.
 - 2.000,00 euro will be paid after the completion of Organizing the first training at Your University on the topic of death penalty.
 - 2.150,00 euro will be paid after the completion of the second training, at the completion of the day study and at the completion of the competition among students on conducting the best research papers on the death penalty in Palestine.

The payment of the second and the third installments can be realized only upon a delivery of request payment sent by the Faculty of Law/ Al- Istiqlal University

6. The AICS Office Administration can carry out, within 20 days from each received request for payment, an administrative control at the Faculty of Law/ Al- Istiqlal University to check the costs of the activities and the expanses.

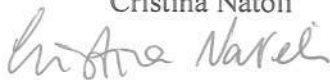
7. The Faculty of Law/ Al- Istiqlal

University si impegna a collaborare con l'Ufficio AICS di Gerusalemme affinché sia garantita la piena visibilità dell'impegno dell'Italia con le Istituzioni palestinesi centrali e locali, nonché con le Agenzie internazionali e la comunità dei donatori eventualmente attivi nelle aree d'intervento.

8. Ogni controversia fra le parti nell'interpretazione, realizzazione o risoluzione del presente Atto che non si possa definire con un tentativo di preliminare composizione amministrativa, sarà deferita ai fori locali.

Copia della presente lettera dovrà essere restituita a questo Ufficio AICS datata e firmata per ricevuta e per accettazione incondizionata delle clausole e dei patti in essa contenuti

La Rappresentante AICS di Gerusalemme
Cristina Natoli



University is committed to cooperate with AICS Jerusalem in order to ensure the visibility of Italy with the central and local Palestinian institutions, as well as with international agencies and the donor community if, whereas active in these disciplines

8. Any controversy between the parties in the interpretation, realization or resolution of this Contract that may not be resolved through a preliminary administrative attempt, will be deferred to the local Courts

Please return a copy of this letter signed, stamped and dated to this AICS office, as receipt and unconditional acceptance of the Terms and Conditions.

Faculty of Law/ Al- Istiqlal University
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"Program Proposal for the Project entitled:

"Promoting debates and activities at West Bank Universities on the death penalty in Palestine"

Submitted to:

The Italian Agency for Development Cooperation Jerusalem

Submitted by:

Faculty of Law

Al-Istiqlal University - Jericho

January, 25th, 2017

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1. Background

Faculty of Law at Al-Istiqlal University, based in Jericho, thrives to acquire its students best practices in human rights and humanitarian law beside their regular law and crime courses. On this respect, faculty of law is in favor to cooperate with the Italian Agency for Development Cooperation Jerusalem (AICS) on its program titled ***“Promoting debates and activities at West Bank Universities on the death penalty in Palestine.”***

Despite that capital punishment is still practiced in several countries including few democracies, death penalty is widely considered as a denial to human rights. Now dominant view holds that practicing death penalty proved to fail in reducing crimes nor in achieving justice. In the Palestinian occupied Territories, where applicable laws legalize death penalty, debate escalates weather to continue practicing this punishment. In West Bank areas great effort is uphold to amend the existing laws in this regard. Despite that Palestinian courts in West Bank have sentenced 30 persons to death since the establishment of the PA in 1994, actually no death sentences have been applied in West Bank since 2002. In Gaza Strip however, the Hamas de facto government have applied 35 death sentences out of 180, most of these cases were applied after the Palestinian split and without ratification of the Palestinian President.

To this end, debate on death penalty in Palestinian society in oPt has become a controversial issue which is driven by legal, moral, and religious considerations. Against this background faculty of Law at Al-Istiqlal University is pleased to be part of the ongoing debate in favor of the good practices in human rights.

2. Objectives and Goals:

The main object of the program is to initiate debate on death penalty between students and staff at law faculty, including legal, moral, religious, and cultural motivations either in favor or against abolishing capital punishment. Activities held on this respect shall consider International practices, and international obligations of the PA regarding death penalty.

In line with the AICS project, activities will include seminars, workshops, and a research competition over the subject. These activities may fulfill the following objectives:

1. Raise awareness of Al-Istiqlal law students on death penalty in Palestine, including history and the development of regulating laws, like penal code, and revolutionary penal law.
2. Raise awareness about social, political, and moral implications of death penalty practicing in a small and divided society.
3. Judging the competency of the Palestinian judicial system in regard with the application of the capital punishment, in comparison with other countries that decided to abolish, or amend death sentence regulations.

3. Methodology

As shown by AICS, an action plan shall be designed to include 2 seminars and an extended workshop organized through the second semester (February – May 2017) and a competitive student research on the subject will be chosen, discussed, and awarded. The activities will be dedicated to the development of three components divided in the following models:

1. The first stage will be devoted to acquire knowledge of death penalty rules and standards included in the Palestinian applied laws (Penal Code no. 74 issued by the British Mandate authorities for 1936. (Applicable in the Gaza Strip) Penal Code no. 16/1960. (Applicable in the West Bank) 1979 Revolutionary Penal Code. (It was issued by the PLO and is applicable in the West Bank and Gaza Strip) 2001 Penal Procedure Law. (Applicable in the West Bank and Gaza Strip)
2. The second stage will focus on the application of death penalty against human rights standards and humanitarian law, and best international practices.
3. The third stage will be dedicated to choosing the best research paper on death penalty.

4. The final report

At the end of every meeting two reports should be submitted to the AICS:

The first report will reflect the nature of the activities that were conducted, the participants involvement and interaction, a follow-up plan for future activities on the subject matter.

The second report will be a financial report.

Evaluation of the activities

In order to ensure the successful implementation of this program a general questionnaire will be distributed among the participants upon completion of this program. In addition to this, at the end of each meeting the participants will fill a standardized evaluation questionnaire.

5. Budget**Budget according to Art. 3 of the action plan****Art.3.1 Organization: two seminars**

1	Seminars (February 2017)	1		
1.1	Room	1	400	
1.2	local expert	1	300	
1.3	Teaching materials (Printing - Preparing and searching for materials)		200	
1.4	Administrative expenses		200	
				1100 Euro

1	Seminars (March 2017)	1		
1.1	Room	1	400	
1.2	local expert	1	300	
1.3	Teaching materials (Printing - Preparing and searching for materials)		100	
1.4	Administrative expenses		200	
				1.000 Euro

Art. 3.2 Organization: study day

2	Study day (April 2017)	1		
2.1.	Room	1	400	

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2.2	local expert	1	300	
2.3	international expert	1	1000	
2.4	Stationery (Printing – Preparing and searching for materials)		100	
1.4	Administrative expenses		200	
				2000 Euro

Art. 3.3 Award for the best graduating student for Best Project in “the death penalty in Palestine”.

1	Graduation project	1		
1.1	Graduation project	1	500	
				500 Euro

Total				4.600 Euro
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