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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

CONTRACT NO: SCMU6-22/23-0012

STANDARD BIDDING DOCUMENT: APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION AS PROFESSIONAL SERVICE PROVIDERS (QUANTITY SURVEYORS, ARCHITECTS, CIVIL AND STRUCTURAL ENGINEERING, ELECTRICAL AND MECHENICAL ENGINEERING AND LAND SURVEYORS) ON ECDOE INFRASTRUCTURE.

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Name of Bidder:		
A CONTRACTOR OF CONTRACTOR AND		

Closing Date:

6TH DECEMBER 2022



RFQ DESCRIPTION:

APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION AS A PROFESSIONAL SERVICE PROVIDER(S)
(QUANTITY SURVEYORS, ARCHITECTS, CIVIL & STRUCTURAL ENGINEERS, ELECTRICAL &
MECHANICAL ENGINEERS AND LAND SURVEYORS) ON ECDOE INFRASTRUCTURE
SUPPLIER DATABASE.

SCMU NUMBER:	SCMU6-22/23-0012
PUBLISH DATE:	11 NOVEMBER 2022
VALIDITY PERIOD:	Offer to be valid for 120 days from the closing date of bid
CLOSING DATE:	06 DECEMBER 2022
CLOSING TIME:	11:00
RFQ'S MUST BE	The Eastern Cape Department of Education
HAND DELIVERED /	Steve Tshwete Complex, Zone 6
COURIERED TO:	Zwelitsha
ATTENTION:	Bidders must ensure that bids are delivered in time to the correct address and deposited in the tender box which is located at the foyer in the main building of the Eastern Cape Department of Education herein referred to as the ECDoE, Head Office in Zwelitsha.
	If a bid is late, it shall not be accepted for consideration. The Eastern Cape Department of Education's tender box is accessible Monday to Friday, from 08h00 to 16h00. Bidders must advise their couriers of the instruction above to avoid misplacement or loss of bid responses. It is the onus of the bidder to ensure that the bid documents are delivered on time
1	regardless of the mode of delivery.
	No bid documents will be considered after the closing time and the date of this bid which is indicated in previous row herein above.



SBD 1 / PART 1

EXPRESSION OF INTEREST- PART A

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	NVITED TO EXPRESS YOUR INTEREST TO BE INCLUDED IN THE RVICE PROVIDERS DATABASE OF THE EASTERN CAPE DEPARTMENT OF	
BID NUMBER:	SCMU6-22/23-0012	
	REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST:	
	Eastern Cape Department of Education calls for Expression of Interest from Built Environment Professionals (Quantity Surveyors, Architects, Civil & Structural Engineers, Electrical & Mechanical Engineers and Land Surveyors to be registered on the department's Infrastructure database for preferred professional service providers for a period of two years.	
	NOTE: Disbursements claimable from Eastern Cape Department of Educatio (ECDoE) district office or 400km return upper limit DPW rates to APPLY	
	Consultants are requested to provide professional, objective and impartial advice and at all times hold the clients interest paramount, without any consideration for future work strictly avoid conflicts with other assignments or their own corporate interests. Consultants should not be hired for any assignment that would be in conflict with their prior or current obligations to other clients, or that may place them in a position of not being able to carry out the assignment in the best interest of the state. Without Limitation on the generality of this rule, consultants should not be hired under the following circumstances: -	
ESCRIPTION	 A firm, which has been engaged by the accounting officer/authority to provide goods or works for a project and any of its affiliates, should be disqualified from providing consulting services for the same project. Similarly, a firm hired to provide consulting services for the preparation or implementation of a project and any of its affiliates, should be disqualified from subsequently providing goods or works or services related to the initial assignment (other than a continuation of the firm's earlier consulting services as described below) for the same project, unless the various firms (consultants, contractors, or suppliers) are performing the contractor's obligations under a turnkey or design-and-build contract. Consultants or any of their affiliates should not be hired for any assignment which, by its nature, may be in conflict with another assignment of the consultants. As an example, consultants hired to prepare an engineering design for an infrastructure project should not be engaged to prepare an independent environmental assessment for the same project, and consultants assisting a client in the privatization of public assets should not purchase, nor advise purchasers of such 	

	assessment for the same project, and consultants assisting a client in the privatization of public assets should not purchase, nor advise purchasers of such assets.
COMPULSARY BRIEFING SESSION	There will be no briefing session
VALIDITY PERIOD	60 Days from the closing date
ADVERTISEMENT DATE	22 August 2022
CLOSING DATE	21 September 2022
CLOSING TIME	11h00
ZWELITSHA, 5608	
	Return all returnable documents to the employer after completing them in their entirety, by writing legibly in non-erasable ink. No correction fluid must be used on the document
MAKING A SUBMISSION	
	Bidders must ensure that bids are delivered in time to the correct address and deposited in the tender box which is located at the foyer in the main building of the ECDoE, Head Office in Zwelitsha. If a bid is late, it shall not be accepted for consideration. The Eastern Cape Department of Education's tender box is accessible 8 hours a day from 08h00 to 16h30, 5 working days a week from Monday to Friday. Bidders must ensure that they sign the register at the main reception counter when delivering bids. Bidders must advise their couriers of the instruction above to avoid misplacement or loss of bid responses.
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EXPRESSION OF INTEREST PROCEDURE ENQUIRIES MAY BE DIRECTED TO		TECHNICAL ENQUIRIES MAY DIRECTED TO:			RIES MAY BE	
CONTACT PERSON	Mr P Nxozana	1	CON	ITACT PERSO	N	Mr. Q Msiwa
TELEPHONE NUMBER	040 635 1999		TELE	EPHONE NUM	BER	040 608 4280
E-MAIL ADDRESS	Pakamile.Nxozana@ecdoe.g ov.za		E-MAIL ADDRESS		Qiqile.Msiwa@ecd oe.gov.za	
SUPPLIER INFORMAT	ION					
NAME OF BIDDER						
COMPANY REGISTRATION NUMBER					22	
POSTAL ADDRESS						
STREET ADDRESS						
TELEPHONE NUMBER	CODE			NUMBER	T	
CELLPHONE NUMBER						
FACSIMILE NUMBER	CODE			NUMBER		
E-MAIL ADDRESS						
VAT REGISTRATION NUMBER						
SUPPLIER COMPLIANCE STATUS	TAX COMPLIANCE SYSTEM PIN:		OR	CENTRAL SUPPLIER DATABASE No:	MAA	AA
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QUESTIONNAIRE TO BE	IDDING FOREIGN SL	JPPLIERS			
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DOES THE ENTITY HAV	E A PERMANENT ES	STABLISHME	ENT IN THE RSA?	YES	NO□
DOES THE ENTITY HAV	E ANY SOURCE OF	INCOME IN	THE RSA?	YES	NO□
IS THE ENTITY LIABLE I	N THE RSA FOR AN	Y FORM OF	TAXATION?	YES 🗌	NO
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SBD 1 / PART B

TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

1. EXPRESSION OF INTEREST SUBMISSION:

- 1.1. EXPRESSION OF INTEREST APPLICATIONS MUST BE DELIVERED BY THE STIPULATED TIME TO THE CORRECT ADDRESS. LATE SUBMISSIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED FOR CONSIDERATION.
- 1.2. ALL EXPRESSION OF INTEREST APPLICATIONS MUST BE SUBMITTED ON THE OFFICIAL FORMS PROVIDED (NOT TO BE RE-TYPED) OR IN THE MANNER PRESCRIBED IN THE EXPRESSION OF INTEREST DOCUMENT.

2. SBD 2 / TAX COMPLIANCE REQUIREMENTS

- 2.1 BIDDERS MUST ENSURE COMPLIANCE WITH THEIR TAX OBLIGATIONS.
- 2.2 BIDDERS ARE REQUIRED TO SUBMIT THEIR UNIQUE PERSONAL IDENTIFICATION NUMBER (PIN) ISSUED BY SARS TO ENABLE THE ORGAN OF STATE TO VERIFY THE TAXPAYER'S PROFILE AND TAX STATUS.
- 2.3 APPLICATION FOR TAX COMPLIANCE STATUS (TCS) PIN MAY BE MADE VIA E-FILING THROUGH THE SARS WEBSITE WWW.SARS.GOV.ZA.
- 2.4 BIDDERS MAY ALSO SUBMIT A PRINTED TCS CERTIFICATE TOGETHER WITH THE EXPRESSION OF INTEREST APPLICATION.
- 2.5 IN EXPRESSION OF INTEREST APPLICATIONS WHERE CONSORTIA / JOINT VENTURES / SUB-CONTRACTORS ARE INVOLVED; EACH PARTY MUST SUBMIT A SEPARATE TCS CERTIFICATE / PIN / CSD NUMBER AND A JOINT VENTURE AGREEMENT CLEARLY INDICATING THE SHAREHOLDING.
- 2.6 WHERE NO TCS PIN IS AVAILABLE BUT THE BIDDER IS REGISTERED ON THE CENTRAL SUPPLIER DATABASE (CSD), A CSD NUMBER MUST BE PROVIDED.
- 2.7 NO EXPRESSION OF INTEREST APPLICATION WILL BE CONSIDERED FROM PERSONS IN THE SERVICE OF THE STATE, COMPANIES WITH DIRECTORS WHO ARE PERSONS IN THE SERVICE OF THE STATE, OR CLOSE CORPORATIONS WITH MEMBERS OR PERSONS IN THE SERVICE OF THE STATE."

NB: FAILURE TO PROVIDE / OR COMPLY WITH ANY OF THE ABOVE PARTICULARS MAY RENDER THE BIDDERS EXPRESSION OF INTEREST APPLICATION INVALID.

SIGNATURE OF BIDDER

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CAPACITY UNDER WHICH THIS EXPRESSION OF INTER SIGNED:	REST APPLICATION IS
(Proof of authority must be submitted e.g. company resolution	
DATE:	***************************************

DOCUMENT NAVIGATION

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4.2	Submission schedules	



PART 2: TERMS OF REFERENCE

1. DEFINITIONS

The Department

Eastern Cape Department of Education.

Project Manager

means the Department of Education Official responsible for the overall management of the programme and ensures that the programme meets the standards set for the programme deliverables including objectives regarding performance and quality in accordance with the budget and schedule. The project manager assumes accountability for the project deliverables and cost.

Programme

means several projects that are coordinated to achieve programme goals.

ECDOE

means Eastern Cape Department of Education.

SCM

means Supply Chain Management

VAT

means Value Added Tax

B-BBEE

means broad-based black economic empowerment as defined in section 1 of

the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act;

Co-operative

means a co-operative registered in terms of section 7 of the Cooperatives

Act, 2005 (Act No. 14 of 2005);

Functionality

means the ability of a tenderer to provide goods or services in accordance

with specifications as set out in the tender documents;

Service Level Agreement (SLA) is a contract between the Professional Service Providers and (ECDoE) that defines the level of service expected from both parties.

National Treasury

has the meaning assigned to it in section 1 of the Public Finance

Management Act, 1999 (Act No. 1 of 1999):

Price

includes all applicable taxes less all unconditional discounts.

QSE

means a qualifying small business enterprise in terms of a code of good practice on black economic empowerment issued in terms of section 9(1) of

the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act;

Rand value

means the total estimated value of a contract in Rand, calculated at the time

of the tender invitation:

Rural area means

 (a) a sparsely populated area in which people farm or depend on natural resources, including villages and small towns that are dispersed through the area; or

 (b) an area including a large settlement which depends on migratory labour and remittances and government social grants for survival, and may have a traditional land tenure system; Stipulated minimum threshold means the minimum threshold stipulated in terms of regulation 8(1)(b);

The Act means the preferential procurement policy framework act, 2000: preferential procurement regulations, 2017

Township means an urban living area that any time from the late 19th century until 27 April 1994, was reserved for black people, including areas developed for historically disadvantaged individuals post 27 April 1994;

SME stands for Small Medium Enterprise and SMME stands for Small Medium

Micro Enterprise.

SMME are companies that are below R5 million turn over per annum, this is the

standard for generic broad-based BEE scorecard purpose.

Built environment refers to the man-made structures, features and facilities viewed collectively

as an environment in which people live and work.

People with disabilities has the meaning assigned to it in section 1 of the Employment Equity Act, 1998 (Act No. 55 of 1998);

Proof of B-BBEE status Level of contributor means-the B-BBEE status level certificate issued by an authorised body or person or a sworn affidavit as prescribed by the B-BBEE Codes of Good Practice or any other requirement prescribed in terms of the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act;

Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act means the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act, 2003 (Act No. 53 of 2003);

Designated group means

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- (a) Black designated groups
- (b) black people;
- (c) women;
- (d) people with disabilities; or
- (e) small enterprises, as defined in section 1 of the National Small Enterprise Act, 1996(Act No. 102 of 1996);

Designated sector means a sector, sub-sector or industry or product designated in terms of regulation 8(1)(a);

EME means an exempted micro enterprise in terms of a code of good practice on black economic empowerment issued in terms of section 9(1) of the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act;

2. INTRODUCTION

Eastern Cape Department of Education calls for Expression of Interest applications from **Built Environment Professionals** (Quantity Surveyors, Architects, Civil & Structural Engineers, Electrical & Mechanical Engineers) to be registered on the Department's Infrastructure database for professional service providers for a period of two years

The database establishment aims to improve the Department's capacity for efficient and transparent procurement of professional services under Built Environment.

PLEASE TAKE NOTE, only the PSP's who comply with requirements stated in this document and who will respond within the prescribed expression of interest application period will be considered for evaluation.

3. PURPOSE OF THIS REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST APPLICATION

The Department seeks to establish a database of professional service providers to support its operations. Expression of interest applications will be accepted from both individuals (Sole Proprietors) and companies in a form of a registered entity. These terms of reference detail the specific skills and expertise required by the department.

- Quantity Surveying
- Architecture
- Civil/ Structural Engineering
- Electrical/ Mechanical Engineering
- Land Surveying

Bidders need to indicate the category and related skills/expertise they are expressing interest for.

NB: Pricing will not be applicable at this stage; Bidders will be shortlisted as preferred professional service providers based on reaching the minimum threshold for technical evaluation or functionality. Pricing will be applicable during subsequent procurement for specific projects at utilisation of database stage.

4. DURATION

The successful bidders will be shortlisted as preferred Professional Service Providers for a period of twenty-four (24) months for each category from date of appointment. There will be an option to extend periodically, at the Department's discretion. This database will be updated annually to allow upcoming SMMEs as well as updating the existing service providers' details when applicable.

5. SUBMISSION MANDATORY REQUIREMENTS

Failure to adhere to any of these requirements will result in disqualification:

 Expression of interest application documents received after closing date and time will not be considered. Failure to indicate which expression of interest categories you are bidding for will result in disqualification.

6. EVALUATION PROCESS

The Department has set minimum standards that bidders need to meet in order to be selected as a successful bidder. The qualifying score for functionality criteria will be a minimum of 70%; bidders who do not meet 70% threshold will not be further evaluated, that is, move to the next stage of evaluation.

The evaluation process will be based on Method 2 evaluation criteria and comprises of the following phases:

6.1 Phase I: Initial administration screening process

 Administrative Compliance – Bidders must submit all Standard Bidding Documents (SBDs), as outlined in table 6.1.1 below. SBD documents must be completed in full and duly signed where required.

During the administrative compliance phase, applications will be pre-screened to determine compliance with tax matters, Central Supplier Database (CSD) registration, submission of complete and duly signed Standard Bidding Documents (SBD) and other requirements as indicated below:

Table 6.1.1

Document to be submitted	Requirement	Non-submis compliance in disqualifica	may result
NB: Registration and ownership of the entity including voting powers must comply with each professional body's code of conduct.	Compliance to registration, ownership and voting powers of the entity to professional body's code of conduct.	YES	NO
Central Supplier Database (CSD) Registration and Compliance Report or CSD Registration number	Bidders must register on Central Database System and submit the Report as confirmation of registration. The successful bidders will be expected to be registered and compliant on CSD at the date of evaluation of the expression of interest applications. In the event that the supplier is not registered on CSD, this will result in disqualification	YES	NO



	Verify against the National Treasury Database of restricted suppliers	YES	№□
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All expression of interest applications will also be assessed for compliance with the administrative requirements of the expression of interest:

The Department reserves the right to reject applications that are not submitted in the prescribed format or where the information presented is illegible or incomplete.

6.2 Phase II: Functionality evaluation

- Technical Evaluation Bidder(s) must meet the minimum threshold of 70% on technical functionality as outlined in the terms of reference using the scoring methodology stipulated in 6.3 below.
 - Expression of interest applications will be evaluated strictly in accordance with the expression of interest evaluation criteria stipulated in the terms of reference
 - b. Bidders must, as part of their expression of interest documents, submit supportive documentation for all technical requirements. The evaluation panel responsible for scoring the respective expression of interest applications will evaluate and score all expression of interests based on the information provided.
 - c. Bidders will not rate themselves, but must ensure that all information is supplied as required. The evaluation panel will evaluate and score all responsive expression of interest applications and will verify all documents submitted by the bidders.
 - d. The panel members will individually evaluate the responses received against the criteria as set out in the terms of reference.

6.2.1. PROPOSED PSP MEMBER(S) QUALIFICATIONS OUTLINED BELOW

DESCRIPTION OF WORKS Auantity Surveying Architecture Civil and Structural Engineering	Qualification				
Quantity Surveying Architecture Civil and Structural Engineering		Professional Registration Number (Should correspond with Professional Registration Certificate)	No. of years post qualification (Should correspond with number of years' experience as per CV)	No. of years post professional registration	Base town of operation
Architecture Civil and Structural Engineering					
Civil and Structural Engineering					
Electrical and Mechanical Engineering					
Land Surveying					

6.2.2. EXPRESSION OF INTEREST EVALUATION CRITERIA FOR PROFESIONAL SERVICE PROVIDERS

Criteria	Maximum number of points
Registration with Professional Councils	30
Experience for Nominated Professional	20
Reviewed or Audited Financial statements or Confirmation of bank account	20
Reference Letters from Previous Employers	30
Maximum possible score for evaluation criteria	100

SUBMISSION SCHEDULE - REGISTRATION DETAILS AND CV OF NOMINATED PROFESSIONAL(S)

Please Note:

 If the Entity is registered with a Professional Council, the certified copies of such registration must be attached to this Submission Schedule.

 A certified copy of the Nominated Professional's qualifications and registration with a relevant Built Environment Professional Council must be attached to this Submission Schedule.

 The Nominated Professional must complete the CV template below and each CV will be evaluated individually. Evaluation scores for each Professional will be averaged to determine a score for the Entity/Respondent.

POINT SCORING FOR EVALUATION OF A REGISTERED PROFESSIONAL WITH A PROFESSIONAL COUNCIL (MAX. 50 POINTS)

Evaluation Criteria	
Non submission of professional registration with the relevant Built Environment Professional Council	0
Proof of nominated professional registration with Professional Council (e.g. SACAP, CESA, SACQSP, ECSA, SAGC, etc.)	30

POINT SCORING FOR EVALUATION OF EXPERIENCE FOR NOMINATED PROFESSIONAL WITHIN THE DISCIPLINE (MAX. 20 POINTS)

Evaluation Criteria	
Non submission of proof of experience for nominated Professional.	0
Up to 2 years' experience after registration as a professional in the discipline to be registered for.	10
At least 3 years and above experience after registration as a professional.	20

SUBMISSION SCHEDULE - REVIEWED OR AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS OR CONFIRMATION OF BANK ACCOUNT

Please Note:

- This schedule will be evaluated on the functionality criteria specified in the Submission Data.
- The Respondent must attach reviewed or Audited Financial Statements or Confirmation of Bank Account.

POINT SCORING FOR EVALUATION OF – REVIEWED OR AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS OR CONFIRMATION OF BANK ACCOUNT (MAX. 20 POINTS)

Evaluation Criteria	Weighting
Non submission of reviewed or Audited Financial Statements or Confirmation of Bank Account of the entity	0
Submission of a bank account verification letter of the entity	10
Submission of reviewed or Audited Financial Statement of the entity	20

SUBMISSION SCHEDULE - REFERENCE LETTERS FROM PREVIOUS EMPLOYERS Please Note:

- This schedule will be evaluated on the functionality criteria specified in the Submission Data.
- The Respondent must attach Reference Letters from previous Employers for Built Environment projects to confirm quality, performance and works completed to this submission schedule.

POINT SCORING FOR EVALUATION OF – REFERENCE LETTERS FROM PREVIOUS EMPLOYERS FOR BUILT ENVIRONMENT RELATED PROJECTS (MAX. 10 POINTS)

Evaluation Criteria	
Non submission of Reference letters, related to Built Environment projects.	0
One reference letter provided for projects related to Built Environment projects.	.10
Two reference letters provided for projects related to Built Environment projects.	15
Three or more reference letters for projects related to Built Environment projects.	20
Five or more reference letters for projects related to Built Environment projects.	30

6.3. Scoring methodology

- 6 .3.1 Each evaluation panel member will rate each service provider on the score sheet using the points guideline indicated in the TOR scoring criteria.
- 6.3.2 Individual value scores will be added to obtain the points scored for all elements. These points will be added and averaged according to the number of panel members. Only bidders that have met or exceeded the minimum threshold of 70% as stipulated in the TOR for desktop evaluation will be considered.

7. INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETION AND SUBMISSION OF EXPRESSION OF INTEREST APPLICATIONS

7.1 Content and packaging of the Expression of Interest Applications

The hard copy expression of interest document must be packed in an Arch Lever file / bound as follows:

☐ Section 1 – All SBD documents, B-BBEE certificate/affidavit, CSD report and Identity documents of directors or shareholders of the company.

□ Section 2 – Technical proposal.

	Title	Purpose
	Section 1: Standard bidding documents and administrative compliance	
1	SCM SBD 1 – Invitation to bid	To be printed, filled in by hand and signed
2	SCM SBD 2 – Tax compliance status requirements: Central Supplier Database	To be submitted.
	(CSD) number/report	
3	SCM SBD 4 – Bidders disclosure	To be printed, filled in by hand and signed
4	Identity documents of directors or shareholders of the company.	Certified copies not older than six (6) months to be submitted.
5	Category and related skills/expertise	To be submitted.
	Section 2: Tec	chnical proposal
6	Bidder's technical proposal cover page	To be submitted.
7	CV of the Nominated Professional	To be submitted.
8	Copies of qualifications	Certified copies not older than six (6) months to be submitted.
9	Proof- Professional Registration	Certified copies not older than six (6) months to be submitted.

8. Labelling of Bid

The bidder shall place the hardcopy bid proposal into a sealed envelope or package and must be clearly marked and addressed as follows:

APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION AS A PROFESSIONAL SERVICE PROVIDER(S) ON ECDOE INFRASTRUCTURE SUPPLIER DATABASE
RFQ NO: EOI 2022/08/011
21 September 2022
11h00

PART 3: SUBMISSION PROCEDURES

3.1 SUBMISSION DATA

The Standard Conditions for the calling of Expression of Interest applications as contained in Annexure D of the CIDB's Standard for Uniformity for Construction Procurement – August 2019, apply.

See the CIDB website (www.cidb.org.za).

The Standard Conditions for the calling of Expression of Interest make several references to the Submission Data. The Submission Data shall have precedence in the interpretation of any ambiguity or inconsistency between it and the Standard Conditions for the calling for Expression of Interest.

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Clause number	Condition with description		
D.1	General		
D.1.1	Actions		
D1.1.1	ECDoE as the Employer and each respondent submitting an expression of interest shall comply with these conditions for calling for expressions of interest. In their dealings with each other, they shall discharge their duties and obligations as set out in D.2 and D.3, timeously and with integrity, and behave equitably, honestly and transparently, comply with all legal obligations and not engage in anti-competitive practices.		
D.1.1.2	The employer and the respondent and all their employees involved in the submission process shall avoid conflicts of interest and where a conflict of interest is perceived or known, declare any such conflict of interest, indicating the nature of such conflict. Respondents shall declare any potential conflict of interest in their submissions. Employees and advisors of the employer shall declare any conflict of interest to whoever is responsible for overseeing the procurement process at the start of any deliberations relating to the procurement process or as soon as they become aware of such conflict, and abstain from any decisions where such conflict exists or recuse themselves from the procurement process, as appropriate. Note: 1) A conflict of interest may arise due to a conflict of roles which might provide an incentive for improper acts in some circumstances. A conflict of interest can create an appearance of impropriety that can undermine confidence in the ability of that person to act properly in his or her position even if no improper acts result. 2) Conflicts of interest in respect of those engaged in the procurement process include direct, indirect or family interests in the tender or outcome of the procurement process and any personal bias, inclination, obligation, allegiance or loyalty which would in any way affect any decisions taken.		

D.1.1.3	The respondent shall not make a submission without having a firm intention and the capacity to proceed with the next stage of the procurement process.
D.1.2	Supporting documents The documents issued by the employer for the purpose of obtaining expressions of interest are listed in the submission data.
D.1.3	Interpretation
D.1.3.1	The submission data and additional requirements contained in the submission schedules that are included in the returnable documents are deemed to be part of these conditions for the calling for expressions of interest.
D.1.3.2	For the purposes of these conditions for the calling for expression of interest, the following definitions apply:
	a) conflict of interest means any situation in which:
	 Someone in a position of trust has competing professional or personal interests which make it difficult to fulfil his or her duties impartially.
	 An individual or organisation is able to exploit a professional or official capacity in some way for their personal or corporate benefit.
	 Incompatibility or contradictory interests exist between an employee and the organisation which employs that employee.
	 Corrupt practice means the offering, giving, receiving, or soliciting of anything of value to influence the action of the employer or his staff or representatives in the tender process; and
	c) Fraudulent practice means the misrepresentation of the facts in order to influence the tender process or the award of a contract arising from a tender offer to the detriment of the employer, including collusive practices intended to establish prices at artificial levels
D.1.4	Communication and employer 'representative
	Each communication between the employer and a respondent shall be to or from the employer representative only, and in a form that can be readily read, copied and recorded. Communications shall be in the English language. The employer shall not take any responsibility for non-receipt of communications from or by a respondent.
	The name and contact details of the employers 'representative is stated in the submission data.

D.1.5	Confidentiality and copyright of documents
	Treat as confidential all matters arising in connection with the EOI. Use and copy the documents issued by the employer only for the purpose of preparing the submission i response to the invitation.
D.1.6	Alterations to documents
	Do not make any alterations or additions to the submission documents, except to comply with instructions issued by the employer, or necessary to correct errors made by the respondent. All signatories to the submission shall initial all such alterations.
D.2	Respondent's obligations
D.2.1	Eligibility
	Submit an expression of interest only if the respondent complies with the criteria stated in the submission data and the respondent, or any of his/her principals, is not under any restriction to do business with the employer.
D.2.2	Cost of submissions
	Accept that the employer will not compensate the respondent for any costs incurred in the preparation and delivery of a submission
D.2.3	Check documents
	Check the submission documents on receipt, including pages within them, and notify
	Email: Qiqile.Msiwa@ecdoe.gov.za
	Pakamile.Nxozana@ecdoe.gov.za
	of any discrepancy, error or omission.
	The Respondent must promptly notify the ECDOE in writing of such discrepancy, error, or omission. ECDOE will consider what corrective action is necessary (if any) and inform all Respondents on corrective action without attribution to the Respondent who provided the written notice
D.2.4	Acknowledge addenda
	Acknowledge receipt of addenda to the submission documents, which the employer may issue, and if necessary, apply for an extension to the closing time stated in the submission data, in order to take the addenda into account.
D.2.5	Clarification meeting
	A clarification meeting for this EOI will not be held.

D.2.6	Seek clarification
	Request clarification of the submission documents, if necessary, by notifying the employer at least five working days before the closing time stated in the submission data.
D.2.6.1	The Respondent must request clarification in writing.
D.2.7	Making a submission
D.2.7.1	Return all returnable documents to the employer after completing them in their entirety, in writing legibly in non-erasable ink.
	The completed EOI documents must be deposited in the Tender Box, at the relevant ECDOE offices.
D.2.7.2	Seal the original and each copy of the submission as separate packages marking the packages as "ORIGINAL" and "COPY". Each package shall state on the outside the employer's address and identification details stated in the submission data, as well as the respondent's name and contact address.
D.2.7.3	Accept that the employer shall not assume any responsibility for the misplacement or premature opening of the submission if the outer package is not sealed and marked as stated.
D.2.7.4	ECDoE will not accept telephonic, telegraphic, telex, facsimile or e-mailed submissions.
D.2.8	Information and data to be completed in all respects
	Accept that incomplete submissions or responses submitted in a different form or format than specified in this EOI, shall be regarded by the employer as nonresponsive.
D.2.9	Closing time
	Ensure that the employer receives the submissions at the address specified in the submission data not later than the closing time stated in the submission data. Proof of posting shall not be accepted as proof of delivery. The employer shall not accept submissions submitted by telegraph, telex, facsimile or e-mail, unless stated otherwise in the submission data.
	Accept that, if the employer extends the closing time stated in the submission data for any reason, the requirements of these conditions for expressions of interest apply equally to the extended deadline.

D.2.10	Clarification of submission
	Provide clarification of a submission, in writing, in response to a request to do so by the employer during the evaluation of submissions, within 24 hours of submission of such a request.
D.3	Employer's undertakings
D.3.1	Respond to requests for clarification received in writing from the Respondent
	Respond to a request for clarification received up to seven working days before the submission closing time stated in the submission data.
	Notify all respondents who obtained copies of the EOI documents, if any, of those responses.
D.3.2	Issue Addenda
	If necessary, issue addenda that may amend or amplify the submission documents to each respondent during the period from the date of the calling for expressions of interest until seven days before the closing time for submissions stated in the submission data.
	If, as a result, a respondent applies for an extension to the closing time stated in the submission data, the employer may grant such extension and, shall then notify all respondents who obtained a copy of the EOI documents.
D.3.3	Late submissions
	Late submissions will not be accepted.
D.3.4	Opening of submissions
D.3.4.1	Submissions will be recorded and will not be opened in public.
D3.4.2	Make available the names of the respondents that made submissions prior to the closing time for submissions to all interested persons upon request.
D.3.5	Non-disclosure
	Not disclose to respondents, or to any other person not officially concerned with such processes, information relating to the evaluation and comparison of submissions until after the Bid Adjudication Committee approved the evaluation results.

D.3.6	Grounds for rejection and disqualification
	Determine whether there has been any effort by a respondent to influence the processing of submissions and instantly disqualify a respondent if it is established that he engaged in corrupt or fraudulent practices.
D.3.7	Test for responsiveness
	Determine, on opening and before detailed evaluation, whether each submission received:
	a) Meets the requirements of these conditions for the calling for expressions of interest.
	b) Has all the substantive provisions properly and fully completed and signed, and
	c) Is responsive to the other requirements of the call for expressions of interest.
D.3.8	Non-responsive submissions
	Reject all non-responsive submissions.
D.3.9	Evaluation of responsive submissions
D.3.9.1	Appoint an evaluation panel of not less than three persons. Evaluate submissions using evaluation criteria established in the submission data
D.3.9.2	Notify the respondents of the outcome of the evaluation process within two (2) weeks of the evaluation report being accepted by the employer
D.3.10	Provide written reasons for actions taken
	Provide upon request written reasons to respondents for any action that is taken in applying these conditions, but withhold information which is not in the public interest to be divulged, which is considered to prejudice the legitimate commercial interests of respondents or might prejudice fair competition between respondents.

PART 4- RETURNABLE DOCUMENTS

Please adhere to the following instructions

- Tick in the relevant block below, to confirm that the relevant document is included in the submission.
- Ensure each document listed is completed and signed where applicable.
- 3. Use the prescribed sequence in attaching the annexes that complete the Expression of Interest documents:

LIST OF RETURNABLE SCHEDULES

PLEASE NOTE: ALL these documents should be completed in full and included in the submission.

Description		Yes	No
Part 1 - Notice	and invitation to submit an expression of interest		
	OI document with two (2) copies, failure to submit two ult in disqualification		
Cover Page -	Summary of respondents' information		
Part 2 - Term	s of reference		
Part 3 - Subm	nission procedures		
3.1 Submissio	n data		
Part 4 - Retur	nable documents		
Annexure A	Valid Tax Clearance Certificate Requirement		
Annexure B	Compulsory Enterprise questionnaire		
Annexure C	SDB 4 – Bidders Disclosure		
Annexure D	Certified copy of B-BBEE status level certificate		

Annexure E	Certified copies of CIPC company registration documents listing all members with percentages, in case of a close	
	corporation	
Annexure F	Certified copies of latest share certificates, in case of a company	
Annexure G	Record of Addenda	
Annexure H	Certificate of Authority for Joint Ventures	
Annexure I	Letter of Good Standing from the Compensation Fund	
Annexure J	CSD Registration Summary Report	
Annexure K	Proof of office/residence	
Annexure L	Confirmation letter from a Bank or Reviewed / Audited Financial Statements	
Submission Schedule	Nominated Professional Registration Details and CV	
Submission Schedule	Service Category (Field of Expertise) and Location of Nominated Professional	
Submission Schedule	Reference Letters from Previous Employers	

Please Note:

The Respondent must submit these schedules as per the prescribed sequence and format outlined in this EOI.

UTILIZATION OF THE DATABASE

This is an expression of interest to establish a database. When the need arises, Professional Service Providers will be requested from time to time to submit quotations to the ECDoE with the necessary returnable schedules.

ANNEXURES

Annexure A: Valid Tax Clearance Certificate Requirement

Please Note:

The valid Tax Clearance Certificate or Application for a Tax Clearance Certificate (TCC 001) must be inserted in this section and submitted as Annexure A.

Annexure B	: Compulsory E	nterprise questionnaire	e
			se of a joint venture, separate nust be completed and submitted.
Section 1:	Name of enter	prise:	
Section 2:	VAT registrati	on number, if any:	
Section 3:	CIDB registrat	tion number, if any:	
Section 4:	Particulars of	sole proprietors and pa	rtners in partnerships
Name*		Identity number*	Personal income tax number*
* Complete partners	only if sole propr	ietor or partnership and a	ttach separate page if more than 3
Section 5:	Particulars of	companies and close c	orporations
Company re	egistration numbe	er	
Close corpo	ration number		
Tax reference	ce number		
The unders		rants that he / she is du	ly authorised to do so on behalf of
10.00 P. 10.		[주집 B 시B 시장시] [1] [1] [1] [1] [1] [1] [1] [1] [1] [nce certificate from the South African
b) confi	irms that the ne		e in order; enterprise or the name of any partner, ly or partly exercises, or may exercise,

- control over the enterprise appears on the Register of Tender Defaulters established in terms of the Prevention and Combating of Corrupt Activities Act of 2004;
- c) confirms that no partner, member, director or other person, who wholly or partly exercises, or may exercise, control over the enterprise appears, has within the last five years been convicted of fraud or corruption.
- d) confirms that I / we are not associated, linked or involved with any other tendering entities submitting tender offers and have no other relationship with any of the tenderers or those responsible for compiling the scope of work that could cause or be interpreted as a conflict of interest; and
- e) confirms that the contents of this questionnaire are within my personal knowledge and are to the best of my belief both true and correct

Signed	Date	
Name	Position	
Enterprise name		

Annexure C: BIDDER'S DISCLOSURE

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BIDDER'S DISCLOSURE

PURPOSE OF THE FORM

Any person (natural or juristic) may make an offer or offers in terms of this invitation to bid. In line with the principles of transparency, accountability, impartiality, and ethics as enshrined in the Constitution of the Republic of South Africa and further expressed in various pieces of legislation, it is required for the bidder to make this declaration in respect of the details required hereunder.

Where a person/s are listed in the Register for Tender Defaulters and / or the List of Restricted Suppliers, that person will automatically be disqualified from the bid process.

2. Bidder's declaration

2.1 Is the bidder, or any of its directors / trustees / shareholders / members / partners or any person having a controlling interest1 in the enterprise,

employed by the state?

YES/NO

2.1.1 If so, furnish particulars of the names, individual identity numbers, and, if applicable, state employee numbers of sole proprietor/ directors / trustees / shareholders / members/ partners or any person having a controlling interest in the enterprise, in table below.

Full Name	Identity Number	Name of State institution

¹ the power, by one person or a group of persons holding the majority of the equity of an enterprise, alternatively, the person/s having the deciding vote or power to influence or to direct the course and decisions of the enterprise.

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2.2	Do you, or any person connected with the bidder, have a relationship with any person who is employed by the procuring institution? YES/NO
2.2.1	If so, furnish particulars:

2.3	Does the bidder or any of its directors / trustees / shareholders / members / partners or any person having a controlling interest in the enterprise have any interest in any other related enterprise whether or not they are bidding for this contract? YES/NO
2.3.1	If so, furnish particulars:
3 D	ECLARATION
	I, the undersigned, (name)
3.1	I have read and I understand the contents of this disclosure;
3.2	I understand that the accompanying bid will be disqualified if this disclosure is found not to be true and complete in every respect;
3.3	The bidder has arrived at the accompanying bid independently from, and without consultation, communication, agreement or arrangement with any competitor. However, communication between partners in a joint venture or consortium2 will not be construed as collusive bidding.
3.4	In addition, there have been no consultations, communications, agreements or arrangements with any competitor regarding the quality, quantity, specifications, prices, including methods, factors or formulas used to calculate prices, market allocation, the intention or decision to submit or not to submit the bid, bidding with the intention not to win the bid and conditions or delivery particulars of the products or services to which this bid invitation relates.
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² Joint venture or Consortium means an association of persons for the purpose of combining their expertise, property, capital, efforts, skill and knowledge in an activity for the execution of a contract.

- 3.4 The terms of the accompanying bid have not been, and will not be, disclosed by the bidder, directly or indirectly, to any competitor, prior to the date and time of the official bid opening or of the awarding of the contract.
- 3.5 There have been no consultations, communications, agreements or arrangements made by the bidder with any official of the procuring institution in relation to this procurement process prior to and during the bidding process except to provide clarification on the bid submitted where so required by the institution; and the bidder was not involved in the drafting of the specifications or terms of reference for this bid.
- 3.6 I am aware that, in addition and without prejudice to any other remedy provided to combat any restrictive practices related to bids and contracts, bids that are suspicious will be reported to the Competition Commission for investigation and possible imposition of administrative penalties in terms of section 59 of the Competition Act No 89 of 1998 and or may be reported to the National Prosecuting Authority (NPA) for criminal investigation and or may be restricted from conducting business with the public sector for a period not exceeding ten (10) years in terms of the Prevention and Combating of Corrupt Activities Act No 12 of 2004 or any other applicable legislation.

I CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION FURNISHED IN PARAGRAPHS 1, 2 and 3 ABOVE IS CORRECT.

I ACCEPT THAT THE STATE MAY REJECT THE BID OR ACT AGAINST ME IN TERMS OF PARAGRAPH 6 OF PFMA SCM INSTRUCTION 03 OF 2021/22 ON PREVENTING AND COMBATING ABUSE IN THE SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT SYSTEM SHOULD THIS DECLARATION PROVE TO BE FALSE.

Signature	Date
Position	Name of bidder

Annexure D: Certified copy of B-BBEE status level certificate

Please Note:

Respondents who will claim points in respect of B-BBEE Status Level of Contribution, must attach a CERTIFIED COPY of the B-BBEE certificate, issued by a Verification Agency accredited by SANAS or an approved registered body or an Accounting Officer as contemplated in the CCA. DTI Affidavit certified by SAPS / Commissioner of Oaths.

Annexure G: Certified copies of CIPC company registration documents listing all members with percentages, in case of a close corporation

Please Note:

Respondents are required to include certified copies of all relevant CIPC registration documents. Each member with percentages, in the case of a close corporation must be listed.

Annexure H: Certified copies of latest share certificates, in case of a company

Please Note:

Respondents are required to attach certified copies of latest share certificates, in case of an entity with certified copies of members Identification Document.

Annexure I: Record of Addenda

We confirm that the following communications received from the Employer, amending the submission documents, have been taken into account in this submission.

Date Title or Details

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Name of Enterprise	Address	Duly authorised signatory

 Signature Name Designation
Signature Name Designation

Annexure K: Letter of Good Standing from the Compensation Fund

Please Note:

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A letter from the Compensation Fund or licenced accredited body, confirming good standing with the Fund must be inserted in this section and submitted as Annexure K.

Annexure L: CSD Registration Summary Report

Annexure M: Proof of office/residence

Please Note:

Provide proof of residence or offices in the Eastern Cape Province where the service will be rendered.

Any of the following documents constitutes an example of proof of residence:

- 1. Utility bill
- 2. Lease agreement
- 3. Telephone landline statement

The document must be inserted in this section and submitted as Annexure M.

Annexure N: Letter from a Bank (Bank confirmation) or Reviewed/Audited Financial Statements

Please Note:

A letter from your Bank, with confirmation of an account with the bank or reviewed/ audited financial statements must be inserted in this section and submitted as Annexure N.

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SUBMISSION SCHEDULES

Evaluators will evaluate the Submission Schedules and allocate scores for functionality based on the information provided in the submission schedules.

Registration Details and CV of Nominated Professional(s)

Please Note:

- If the Entity is registered with a Professional Council, the certified copies of such registration must be attached to this Submission Schedule.
- A certified copy of the Nominated Professional's qualifications and registration with a Professional Council must be attached to this Submission Schedule.
- The Nominated Professional must complete the CV template below and each CV will be evaluated individually. Evaluation scores for each Professional will be averaged to determine a score for the Entity/Respondent.

CV Details of Nominated Professional(s)

Professional's first names		
Professional's surname		
Professional's date of birth		
(yyyy-mm-dd, e.g. 1985-03-04)		
Professional's Nationality		
Professional's ID number or Passport number (Only Non-residents)		
Name of respondent (Enterprise / Consortium or JV)		
Full time employee	Part time employee	
Years at Enterprise		

1.1. Education and/or Qualifications

Institution	From date	To Date	Qualification obtained (e.g. BSc Mechanical
	(yyyy-mm-dd)	(yyyy-mm-dd)	Engineering)

1.2. Registration with Professional Councils

1.3.	Other Skills (e.g. computer literacy, etc.)

.4. Pen Portrait		
Describe below significan	ighlights of your professional experience a	nd achievements.
1.5. Project 1 - Exper	nce (Current or latest Project)	
Name of Entity:		
Description of Contract:		
SEC 23 C 87		
Value of Contract R		
Start date of	End date of contract	
contract	(Month and year)	a)
(Month and year)		

1.6. Project 2 - Experience (Project within past 5 years)

Name of Entity:		
Description of Contract:		
Value of Contract R		
Start date of contract (Month and year)	End date of contract (Month and year)	
1.7. Project 3 - Experience (Pr	oject within past 5 years)	
Name of Entity:		
Description of Contract:		
Value of Contract R		
Start date of contract (Month and year)	End date of contract (Month and year)	
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Complete Contact Details of References for Each of the above Projects 1.8.

Full Name	Position	Company/ Organisation	Telephone no. (include country and area code)	Cell Phone no. (include country and code)
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Area of Specialisation			
10. Other Relevant Inform	ation (e.g. publications)		
To. Guier resevant internal	,		
11. Declaration by the No	minated Professional in this	CV	
			documents and
I declare that the above infor references on request. I also Consortium or JV be appoint	declare that I will be availab	be supported by ble to work on pr	rojects should this Entity,
Name	Signature		Date

Name	Signature	Date

RECOMMENDATION BY THE BID SPECIFICATION COMMITTEE

COMMENTS:	
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RECOMMENDED NOT RECOMMENDED.	
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APPROVAL BY THE ACTING HEAD OF DEPARTME	NT
COMMENTS:	
APPROVED / NOT APPROVED	
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ECDOE: ACTING HEAD OF DEPARTMENT	

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PRICING SCHEDULE – FIRM PRICES (PURCHASES)

NOTE:

ONLY FIRM PRICES WILL BE ACCEPTED. NON-FIRM PRICES (INCLUDING PRICES SUBJECT TO RATES OF EXCHANGE VARIATIONS) WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED

IN CASES WHERE DIFFERENT DELIVERY POINTS INFLUENCE THE PRICING, A SEPARATE PRICING SCHEDULE MUST BE SUBMITTED FOR EACH DELIVERY POINT

		Diosing date: 6 TH DECEMBER 2022				
OFFE	DFFER TO BE VALID FOR 120 DAYS FROM THE CLOSING DATE OF BID.					
ITEM NO.	QUANTITY DESCRIPTION	BID PRICE IN RSA CURRENCY ** (ALL APPLICABLE TAXES INCLUDED)				
	Required by:					
_	At:					
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-	Brand and model					
2	Country of origin					
	Does the offer comply with the specification(s	:)? *YES/NO				
	If not to specification, indicate deviation(s)					
24	Period required for delivery	*Delivery: Firm/not firm				
-	Delivery basis					
Note:	All delivery costs must be included in the bid	price, for delivery at the prescribed destination.				
	applicable taxes" includes value- added tax, pa nce fund contributions and skills development le					
*Delete	e if not applicable					

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PREFERENCE POINTS CLAIM FORM IN TERMS OF THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS 2011

This preference form must form part of all bids invited. It contains general information and serves as a claim form for preference points for Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment (B-BBEE)

Status Level of Contribution

NB: BEFORE COMPLETING THIS FORM, BIDDERS MUST STUDY THE GENERAL CONDITIONS, DEFINITIONS AND DIRECTIVES APPLICABLE IN RESPECT OF B-BBEE, AS PRESCRIBED IN THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS, 2011.

1. GENERAL CONDITIONS

- 1.1 The following preference point systems are applicable to all bids:
 - the 80/20 system for requirements with a Rand value of up to R1 000 000 (all applicable taxes included); and
 - the 90/10 system for requirements with a Rand value above R1 000 000 (all applicable taxes included).
- 1.2 The value of this bid is estimated to exceed/not exceed R1 000 000 (all applicable taxes included) and therefore the 90/10 system shall be applicable.
- 1.3 Preference points for this bid shall be awarded for:
 - (a) Price; and
 - (b) B-BBEE Status Level of Contribution.
- 1.3.1 The maximum points for this bid are allocated as follows:

		POINTS
1.3.1.1	PRICE	80
1.3.1.2	B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL OF CONTRIBUTION	20
	Total points for Price and B-BBEE must not exceed	100

- 1.4 Failure on the part of a bidder to fill in and/or to sign this form and submit a B-BBEE Verification Certificate from a Verification Agency accredited by the South African Accreditation System (SANAS) or a Registered Auditor approved by the Independent Regulatory Board of Auditors (IRBA) or an Accounting Officer as contemplated in the Close Corporation Act (CCA) together with the bid, will be interpreted to mean that preference points for B-BBEE status level of contribution are not claimed.
- 1.5. The purchaser reserves the right to require of a bidder, either before a bid is adjudicated or at any time subsequently, to substantiate any claim in regard to preferences, in any manner required by the purchaser.

2. DEFINITIONS

- 2..1 "all applicable taxes" includes value-added tax, pay as you earn, income tax, unemployment insurance fund contributions and skills development levies;
- 2.2 "B-BBEE" means broad-based black economic empowerment as defined in section 1 of the Broad -Based Black Economic Empowerment Act;
- 2.3 "B-BBEE status level of contributor" means the B-BBEE status received by a measured entity based on its overall performance using the relevant scorecard contained in the Codes of Good Practice on Black Economic Empowerment, issued in terms of section 9(1) of the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act;
- "bid" means a written offer in a prescribed or stipulated form in response to an invitation by an organ of state for the provision of services, works or goods, through price quotations, advertised competitive bidding processes or proposals;
- 2.5 "Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act" means the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act, 2003 (Act No. 53 of 2003);
- 2.6 "comparative price" means the price after the factors of a non-firm price and all unconditional discounts that can be utilized have been taken into consideration;
- 2.7 "consortium or joint venture" means an association of persons for the purpose of combining their expertise, property, capital, efforts, skill and knowledge in an activity for the execution of a contract;
- 2.8 "contract" means the agreement that results from the acceptance of a bid by an organ of state;
- 2.9 "EME" means any enterprise with an annual total revenue of R5 million or less .
- 2.10 "Firm price" means the price that is only subject to adjustments in accordance with the actual increase or decrease resulting from the change, imposition, or abolition of customs or excise duty and any other duty, levy, or tax, which, in terms of the law or regulation, is binding on the contractor and demonstrably has an influence on the price of any supplies, or the rendering costs of any service, for the execution of the contract;
- 2.11 "functionality" means the measurement according to predetermined norms, as set out in the bid documents, of a service or commodity that is designed to be practical and useful, working or operating, taking into account, among other factors, the quality, reliability, viability and durability of a service and the technical capacity and ability of a bidder;
- 2.12 "non-firm prices" means all prices other than "firm" prices;
- 2.13 "person" includes a juristic person;
- 2.14 "rand value" means the total estimated value of a contract in South African currency, calculated at the time of bid invitations, and includes all applicable taxes and excise duties;
- 2.15 "sub-contract" means the primary contractor's assigning, leasing, making out work to, or employing, another person to support such primary contractor in the execution of part of a project in terms of the contract;
- 2.16 "total revenue" bears the same meaning assigned to this expression in the Codes of Good Practice on Black Economic Empowerment, issued in terms of section 9(1) of the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act and promulgated in the Government Gazette on 9 February 2007;

- 2.17 "trust" means the arrangement through which the property of one person is made over or bequeathed to a trustee to administer such property for the benefit of another person; and
- 2.18 "trustee" means any person, including the founder of a trust, to whom property is bequeathed in order for such property to be administered for the benefit of another person.

3. ADJUDICATION USING A POINT SYSTEM

- 3.1 The bidder obtaining the highest number of total points will be awarded the contract.
- 3.2 Preference points shall be calculated after prices have been brought to a comparative basis taking into account all factors of non-firm prices and all unconditional discounts;.
- 3.3 Points scored must be rounded off to the nearest 2 decimal places.
- 3.4 In the event that two or more bids have scored equal total points, the successful bid must be the one scoring the highest number of preference points for B-BBEE.
- 3.5 However, when functionality is part of the evaluation process and two or more bids have scored equal points including equal preference points for B-BBEE, the successful bid must be the one scoring the highest score for functionality.
- 3.6 Should two or more bids be equal in all respects, the award shall be decided by the drawing of lots.

4. POINTS AWARDED FOR PRICE

4.1 THE 80/20 OR 90/10 PREFERENCE POINT SYSTEMS

A maximum of 80 or 90 points is allocated for price on the following basis:

80/20 or 90/10

$$Ps = 80\left(1 - \frac{Pt - P\min}{P\min}\right)$$
 or $Ps = 90\left(1 - \frac{Pt - P\min}{P\min}\right)$

Where

Ps = Points scored for comparative price of bid under consideration

Pt = Comparative price of bid under consideration

Pmin = Comparative price of lowest acceptable bid

5. Points awarded for B-BBEE Status Level of Contribution

5.1 In terms of Regulation 5 (2) and 6 (2) of the Preferential Procurement Regulations, preference points must be awarded to a bidder for attaining the B-BBEE status level of contribution in accordance with the table below:

B-BBEE Status Level of Contributor	Number of points (90/10 system)	Number of points (80/20 system)
1	10	20
2	9	18
3	8	16
4	5	12
5	4	8
6	3	6
7	2	4
8	1	2
Non-compliant contributor	0	0

- 5.2 Bidders who qualify as EMEs in terms of the B-BBEE Act must submit a certificate issued by an Accounting Officer as contemplated in the CCA or a Verification Agency accredited by SANAS or a Registered Auditor. Registered auditors do not need to meet the prerequisite for IRBA's approval for the purpose of conducting verification and issuing EMEs with B-BBEE Status Level Certificates.
- 5.3 Bidders other than EMEs must submit their original and valid B-BBEE status level verification certificate or a certified copy thereof, substantiating their B-BBEE rating issued by a Registered Auditor approved by IRBA or a Verification Agency accredited by SANAS.
- 5.4 A trust, consortium or joint venture, will qualify for points for their B-BBEE status level as a legal entity, provided that the entity submits their B-BBEE status level certificate.
- 5.5 A trust, consortium or joint venture will qualify for points for their B-BBEE status level as an unincorporated entity, provided that the entity submits their consolidated B-BBEE scorecard as if they were a group structure and that such a consolidated B-BBEE scorecard is prepared for every separate bid.
- 5.6 Tertiary institutions and public entities will be required to submit their B-BBEE status level certificates in terms of the specialized scorecard contained in the B-BBEE Codes of Good Practice.
- 5.7 A person will not be awarded points for B-BBEE status level if it is indicated in the bid documents that such a bidder intends sub-contracting more than 25% of the value of the contract to any other enterprise that does not qualify for at least the points that such a bidder qualifies for, unless the intended subcontractor is an EME that has the capability and ability to execute the sub-contract.
- 5.8 A person awarded a contract may not sub-contract more than 25% of the value of the contract to any other enterprise that does not have an equal or higher B-BBEE status level than the person concerned, unless the contract is sub-contracted to an EME that has the capability and ability to execute the sub-contract.

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6.	BID DECLARATION
6.1	Bidders who claim points in respect of B-BBEE Status Level of Contribution must complete the following:
7.	B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL OF CONTRIBUTION CLAIMED IN TERMS OF PARAGRAPHS 1.3.1.2 AND 5.1
7.1	B-BBEE Status Level of Contribution: =(maximum of 10 or 20 points)
	(Points claimed in respect of paragraph 7.1 must be in accordance with the table reflected in paragraph 5.1 and must be substantiated by means of a B-BBEE certificate issued by a Verification Agency accredited by SANAS or a Registered Auditor approved by IRBA or an Accounting Officer as contemplated in the CCA).
8	SUB-CONTRACTING
8.1	Will any portion of the contract be sub-contracted? YES / NO (delete which is not applicable
8.1.	I If yes, indicate:
	(i) what percentage of the contract will be subcontracted?
9	DECLARATION WITH REGARD TO COMPANY/FIRM
,	DEGLACATION WITH REGARD TO GOIN ANTITUM
9.1	Name of company/firm ::
9.2	VAT registration number
9.3	Company registration number ::
9.4	TYPE OF COMPANY/ FIRM
	Partnership/Joint Venture / Consortium One person business/sole propriety Close corporation Company (Pty) Limited APPLICABLE BOX
9.5	DESCRIBE PRINCIPAL BUSINESS ACTIVITIES

9.6	COMPANY CLASSIFICATION
	Manufacturer Supplier
	Professional service provider

Ð	Other service providers, e.g. transporter, etc. [TICK APPLICABLE BOX]				
9.7	Total number of years the company/firm has been in business?				
9.8	I/we, the undersigned, who is / are duly authorised to do so on behalf of the company/firm, certify that the points claimed, based on the B-BBE status level of contribution indicated in paragraph 7 of the foregoing certificate, qualifies the company/ firm for the preference(s) shown and I / we acknowledge that:				
	(i)	The information furnished is true and correct;			
	(ii)	The preference points claimed are in accordance with the General Conditions as indicated in paragraph 1 of this form.			
	(iii)	(iii) In the event of a contract being awarded as a result of points claimed as shown in paragraph 7, the contractor may be required to furnish documentary proof to the satisfaction of the purchaser that the claims are correct;			
	(iv)	basis	If the B-BBEE status level of contribution has been claimed or obtained on a fraudulent basis or any of the conditions of contract have not been fulfilled, the purchaser may, in addition to any other remedy it may have –		
		(a)	 (a) disqualify the person from the bidding process; (b) recover costs, losses or damages it has incurred or suffered as a result of that person's conduct; (c) cancel the contract and claim any damages which it has suffered as a result of having to make less favourable arrangements due to such cancellation; 		
		(b)			
		(c)			
		(d)	shareholders and directors business from any organ o	actor, its shareholders and directors, or only the who acted on a fraudulent basis, from obtaining f state for a period not exceeding 10 years, after ear the other side) rule has been applied; and	
		(e)	forward the matter for crim	inal prosecution	
	WITN	NESSES:			
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				SIGNATURE(S) OF BIDDER(S)	
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				DATE:ADDRESS:	
