

## DPW-07 (FM): FORM OF OFFER AND ACCEPTANCE

Tender no: PEHQ 09/2021

### OFFER

The Employer, identified in the acceptance signature block, has solicited offers to enter into a contract for the procurement of:

**PORT ALFRED MAGISTRATE COURT : PROVISION OF HORTICULTURAL MAINTENANCE SERVICES FOR A PERIOD OF TWENTY FOUR (24) MONTHS**

The Tenderer, identified in the offer signature block, has examined the documents listed in the tender data and addenda thereto as listed in the returnable schedules, and by submitting this offer has accepted the conditions of tender.

By the representative of the Tenderer, deemed to be duly authorized, signing this part of this form of offer and acceptance, the Tenderer offers to perform all of the obligations and responsibilities of the Service Provider under the contract including compliance with all its terms and conditions according to their true intent and meaning for an amount to be determined in accordance with the conditions of contract identified in the contract data.

**THE OFFERED TOTAL OF THE PRICES INCLUSIVE OF VALUE ADDED TAX (All applicable taxes" includes value-added tax, pay as you earn, income tax, unemployment insurance fund contributions and skills development levies ) IS:**

<b>Rand (in words):</b>	
<b>Rand in figures:</b>	R

The award of the tender may be subjected to price negotiation with the preferred tender(s). The negotiated and agreed price will be considered for acceptance as **a firm and final offer.**

This offer may be accepted by the Employer by signing the acceptance part of this form of offer and acceptance and returning one copy of this document to the Tenderer before the end of the period of validity stated in the tender data, whereupon the Tenderer becomes the party named as the Service Provider in the conditions of contract identified in the contract data.

**THIS OFFER IS MADE BY THE FOLLOWING LEGAL ENTITY:** (cross out block which is not applicable)

Company or Close Corporation: ..... ..... And: Whose Registration Number is: ..... And: Whose Income Tax Reference Number is: ..... CSD supplier number: .....	OR	Natural Person or Partnership: ..... ..... Whose Identity Number(s) is/are: ..... Whose Income Tax Reference Number is/are: ..... CSD supplier number: .....
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**AND WHO IS (if applicable):**

Trading under the name and style of: .....

**AND WHO IS:**

Represented herein, and who is duly authorised to do so, by:  <b>Mr/Mrs/Ms:</b> ..... In his/her capacity as: .....	<b>Note:</b> <b>A Resolution / Power of Attorney, signed by all the Directors / Member / Partners of the Legal Entity must accompany this Offer, authorising the Representative to make this offer.</b>
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**SIGNED FOR THE TENDERER:**

Name of representative	Signature	Date

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**WITNESSED BY:**

Name of witness	Signature	Date

This Offer is in respect of: (Please indicate with an "X" in the appropriate block)

- The official documents .....  ... -
- The official alternative .....
- Own alternative (only if documentation makes provision therefore)

**SECURITY OFFERED:**

The Service Provider will provide one of the following forms of security:

- (1) Cash deposit of 2.5% of the Contract Sum (excl. VAT) Yes  No
- (2) Variable guarantee of 2.5% of the Contract Sum (excl. VAT) (DPW-10.5: FM) Yes  No
- (3) Retention of 2.5% of the Contract Sum (excl. VAT) Yes  No
- (4) 1.25% cash deposit and 1.25% retention of the Contract Sum (excl. VAT) Yes  No

NB. Guarantees submitted must be issued by either an insurance company duly registered in terms of the Short-Term Insurance Act, 1998 (Act 35 of 1998) or by a bank duly registered in terms of the Banks Act, 1990 (Act 94 of 1990) on the pro-forma referred to above. No alterations or amendments of the wording of the pro-forma will be accepted.

The Tenderer elects as its *domicilium citandi et executandi* in the Republic of South Africa, where any and all legal notices may be served, as (physical address):

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**Other Contact Details of the Tenderer are:**

Telephone No..... Cellular Phone No. ....

Fax No .....

Postal address .....

Banker ..... Branch.....

Bank Account No. .... Branch Code .....

Registration No of Tenderer at Department of Labour .....

**ACCEPTANCE**

By signing this part of this form of offer and acceptance, the Employer identified below accepts the Tenderer's offer. In consideration thereof, the Employer shall pay the Service Provider the amount due in accordance with the conditions of contract identified in the contract data. Acceptance of the Tenderer's offer shall form an agreement between the Employer and the Tenderer upon the terms and conditions contained in this agreement and in the contract that is the subject of this agreement.

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**The terms of the contract, are contained in:**

- Part 1 Agreements and contract data, (which includes this agreement)
- Part 2 Pricing data
- Part 3 Scope of work.
- Part 4 Site information

and drawings and documents or parts thereof, which may be incorporated by reference into Parts 1 to 4 above.

Deviations from and amendments to the documents listed in the tender data and any addenda thereto as listed in the tender schedules as well as any changes to the terms of the offer agreed by the Tenderer and the Employer during this process of offer and acceptance, are contained in the schedule of deviations attached to and forming part of this agreement. No amendments to or deviations from said documents are valid unless contained in this schedule.

The Tenderer shall within two weeks after receiving a completed copy of this agreement, including the schedule of deviations (if any), contact the Employer’s agent (whose details are given in the contract data) to arrange the delivery of any bonds, guarantees, proof of insurance and any other documentation to be provided in terms of the conditions of contract identified in the contract data. Failure to fulfil any of these obligations in accordance with those terms shall constitute a repudiation of this agreement.

Notwithstanding anything contained herein, this agreement comes into effect, if delivered by hand on the day of delivery, or if delivered by courier within two working days after submission by the Employer to the courier services for a door-to-door delivery to the tenderer, provided that the Employer notifies the tenderer of the tracking number within 24 hours of such submission. Unless the tenderer (now Service Provider) within seven working days of the date of such submission notifies the Employer in writing of any reason why he cannot accept the contents of the schedule of deviation to this agreement if applicable), this agreement shall constitute a binding contract between the parties.

**For the Employer:**

Name of signatory	Signature	Date

<b>Name of Organisation:</b>	Department of Public Works
<b>Address of Organisation:</b>	

**WITNESSED BY:**

Name of witness	Signature	Date

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**Schedule of Deviations**

<b>1.1.1. Subject:</b>
<b>Detail:</b>
<b>1.1.2. Subject:</b>
<b>Detail:</b>
<b>1.1.3. Subject:</b>
<b>Detail:</b>
<b>1.1.4. Subject:</b>
<b>Detail:</b>
<b>1.1.5. Subject:</b>
<b>Detail:</b>
<b>1.1.6. Subject:</b>
<b>Detail:</b>

By the duly authorised representatives signing this agreement, the Employer and the Tenderer agree to and accept the foregoing schedule of deviations as the only deviations from and amendments to the documents listed in the tender data and addenda thereto as listed in the tender schedules, as well as any confirmation, clarification or changes to the terms of the offer agreed by the Tenderer and the Employer during this process of offer and acceptance.

It is expressly agreed that no other matter whether in writing, oral communication or implied during the period between the issue of the tender documents and the receipt by the Tenderer of a completed signed copy of this Agreement shall have any meaning or effect in the contract between the parties arising from this agreement.



## DPW-04.2 (GS): - CONTRACT FORM: RENDERING OF SERVICES

This form must be filled in duplicate by both the service provider (part 1) and the purchaser (part 2). Both forms must be signed in the original so that the service provider and the purchaser would be in possession of originally signed contracts for their respective records.

### Part 1: Contract Form completed by the Service Provider:

1. I hereby undertake to render services described in the attached bidding documents to (name of the institution) \_\_\_\_\_ in accordance with the requirements and task directives / proposals specifications stipulated in Bid Number PEHQ 09/2021 at the price/s quoted. My offer/s remain binding upon me and open for acceptance by the Purchaser during the validity period indicated and calculated from the closing date of the bid.
2. The following documents shall be deemed to form and be read and construed as part of this agreement:
  - (i) Bidding documents, viz  
 Invitation to bid (PA - 03: GS)  
 Pricing schedule(s)  
 Filled in task directives / proposal  
 Preference Certificates in terms of the PPPFA regulations 2017 (PA -16)  
 Declaration of interest (PA -11)  
 Special Conditions of Contract;
  - (ii) General Conditions of Contract; (PA -10) and
  - (iii) Other **Specify**
3. I confirm that I have satisfied myself as to the correctness and validity of my bid; that the price(s) and rate(s) quoted cover all the services specified in the bidding documents; that the price(s) and rate(s) cover all my obligations and I accept that any mistakes regarding price(s) and rate(s) and calculations will be at my own risk.
4. I accept full responsibility for the proper execution and fulfilment of all obligations and conditions devolving on me under this agreement as the principal liable for the due fulfilment of this contract.
5. I declare that I have no participation in any collusive practices with any bidder or any other person regarding this or any other bid.
6. I confirm that I am duly authorised to sign this contract.

### Part 2: Contract Form completed by the Purchaser:

1. I **Insert name** in my capacity as **Insert capacity** accept your bid under reference number **Insert ref no** dated **Insert date** for the rendering of services indicated hereunder and/or further specified in the annexure(s).
2. An official order indicating service delivery instructions is forthcoming.
3. I undertake to make payment for the services rendered in accordance with the terms and conditions of the contract, within 30 (thirty) days after receipt of an invoice.



Description of service:	Price (VAT inclusive)	Completion date:	B-BBEE Status Level Contributor

**SIGNATURES OF THE CONTRACTING PARTIES:**

Thus done and signed at \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of signatory  
hereof warrants

\_\_\_\_\_  
for and behalf of the **Department of Public Works** who  
by signature authorization hereto

\_\_\_\_\_  
Capacity of signatory

\_\_\_\_\_  
as Witness

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of signatory

\_\_\_\_\_  
for and behalf of the **Bidder** who by signature  
hereof warrants authorization hereto

\_\_\_\_\_  
Capacity of signatory

\_\_\_\_\_  
as Witness



## PA-04 (GS): NOTICE AND INVITATION TO BID

THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS INVITES BIDDERS FOR THE PROVISION OF *PROVISION OF CLEANING SERVICES FOR A PERIOD OF TWENTY FOUR (24) MONTHS*

<b>Project title:</b>	<b>PORT ALFRED MAGISTRATE COURT: PROVISION OF HORTICULTURAL MAINTENANCE SERVICES FOR A PERIOD OF TWENTY FOUR (24) MONTHS</b>
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<b>Bid no:</b>	<b>PEHQ 09/2021</b>		
<b>Advertising date:</b>	<b>23 September 2021</b>	<b>Closing date:</b>	<b>12 October 2021</b>
<b>Closing time:</b>	<b>11:00 am</b>	<b>Validity period:</b>	<b>56 days</b>

Only bidders who are responsive to the following responsiveness criteria are eligible to submit bids:

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Bid offer must be properly received on the bid closing date and time specified on the invitation, fully completed and signed in ink.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Submission of applicable (PA-15.1, PA-15.2, PA-15.3): Resolution by the Legal Entity, or consortium / joint venture, authorising a dedicated person(s) to sign documents on behalf of the firm / consortium / joint venture.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Submission of other compulsory returnable schedules / documents as per (PA-09 (GS)): List of returnable documents.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Submission of (PA-11): Declaration of Interest and Bidder's Past Supply Chain Management Practices
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Submission of (PA-29): Certificate of Independent Bid Determination.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<b>Registration on National Treasury's Central Supplier Database (CSD)</b>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Copy of joint venture agreement if bidder is a joint venture and / or consortium.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Use of correction fluid is prohibited
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Compliance with Pre-qualification criteria for Preferential Procurement
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Compliance to Local Production and Content requirements as per PA36 and Annexure C
<input type="checkbox"/>	Bidders must attend a Compulsory Site Meeting.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Use of black ink only, bidders should initial next to each and every corrections made on DPW 07 and BOQ
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Submission of fully completed BBBEE Certificate or Sworn affidavit.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Submission of fully completed bill of quantities and form of offer.

**Tenderer must comply with the Pre-qualification criteria for Preferential Procurement listed below**

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	A tenderer having stipulated minimum B-BBEE status level of contributor: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Level 1 or <input type="checkbox"/> Level 2 or <input type="checkbox"/> Level 3
<input type="checkbox"/>	An EME or QSE
<input type="checkbox"/>	A tenderer subcontracting a minimum of 30% to: <input type="checkbox"/> An EME or QSE which is at least 51% owned by black people <input type="checkbox"/> An EME or QSE which is at least 51% owned by black people who are youth <input type="checkbox"/> An EME or QSE which is at least 51% owned by black people who are women



<input type="checkbox"/> An EME or QSE which is at least 51% owned by black people with disabilities <input type="checkbox"/> An EME or QSE which is at least 51% owned by black people living in rural or underdeveloped areas or townships <input type="checkbox"/> A co-operative which is at least 51% owned by black people <input type="checkbox"/> An EME or QSE which is at least 51% owned by black people who are Military veterans <input type="checkbox"/> An EME or QSE;
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This bid will be evaluated according to the preferential procurement model in the PPPFA: (Tick applicable preference point scoring system)

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 80/20 Preference points scoring system	<input type="checkbox"/> 90/10 Preference points scoring system	<input type="checkbox"/> Either 80/20 or 90/10 Preference points scoring system
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In case where below/above R 50 000 000 is selected, the lowest acceptable tender will be used to determine the applicable preference point system.

Note: Functionality will be applied as a prequalification criterion. Such criteria is used to establish minimum requirements where after bids will be evaluated solely on the basis of price and preference.

Minimum functionality score to qualify for further evaluation:	
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Functionality criteria:	Weighting factor:
<b>Total</b>	<b>100 Points</b>

Subject to sub-regulation 6(2) and /or 7(2), points must be awarded to a tenderer for attaining B-BBEE status level contributor 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	6	14
4	5	12
5	4	8
6	3	6
7	2	4
8	1	2
Non-compliant contributor	0	0





- The points scored by a tenderer in respect of the level of BBBEE contribution contemplated in sub regulation 6(2) and 7(2) must be added to the points scored for price as calculated in accordance with sub regulation 6(1) and 7(1) respectively
- Subject to regulation 11(1), the contract must be awarded to the tenderer who scores the highest total number of points.
- A contract may be awarded to a tenderer that did not score the highest total number of points, only in accordance with section 2 (1) (f) of the Act

**COLLECTION OF BID DOCUMENTS:**

- Bid documents are available for free download on e-Tender portal [www.etenders.gov.za](http://www.etenders.gov.za)
- Alternatively; Bid documents may be collected during working hours at the following address, A non-refundable bid deposit of R 0,00 is payable, (Cash only) is required on collection of the bid documents.
- A Non Compulsory pre bid meeting with representatives of the Department of Public Works will take place on starting at Venue

**ENQUIRIES RELATED TO BID DOCUMENTS MAY BE ADDRESSED TO:**

<b>DPW Project Leader:</b>	Mcebisi Mzinzi	<b>Telephone no:</b>	041 408 2196
<b>Cell no:</b>	084 919 0093	<b>Fax no:</b>	
<b>E-mail:</b>	Mcebisi.mzinzi@dpw.gov.za		

**DEPOSIT / RETURN OF BID DOCUMENTS:**

Telegraphic, telephonic, telex, facsimile, electronic and / or late tenders will not be accepted.

Requirements for sealing, addressing, delivery, opening and assessment of tenders are stated in the bid document.

All tenders must be submitted on the official forms –

<p><b>BID DOCUMENTS MAY BE POSTED TO:</b></p> <p>THE DIRECTOR -GENERAL DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS PRIVATE BAG X 3919 <i>Port Elizabeth</i> 6065</p> <p>ATTENTION: <b>PROCUREMENT SECTION: ROOM 292-294</b></p> <p><i>POSTED TENDERS MUST BE RECEIVED PRIOR CLOSING DATE AND TIME AT 11H00 BY THE DEPARTMENT</i></p>	OR	<p><b>DEPOSITED IN THE TENDER BOX AT:</b></p> <p><i>Cnr of Hancock &amp; Roberts Street Eben Donges Building Hancock Street Ground Floor</i></p>
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**COMPILED BY:**

Mcebisi Mzinzi		PM	
Name of Project Leader	Signature	Capacity	Date



## PA-09 (GS): LIST OF RETURNABLE DOCUMENTS

<b>Project title:</b>	PORT ALFRED MAGISTRATE COURT : PROVISION OF HORTICULTURAL MAINTENANCE SERVICES FOR A PERIOD OF TWENTY FOUR (24) MONTHS		
<b>Project Leader:</b>	S MDA	<b>Bid / Quote no:</b>	PEHQ 09/2021

**1. THE BIDDER MUST COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING RETURNABLE DOCUMENTS:**

*(Bidders may use the "Returnable document" column to confirm documents have been completed and returned by inserting a tick)*

Bid Document Name:	Number of Pages:	Returnable document:
DPW-07 (EC): FORM OF OFFER AND ACCEPTANCE	04 Pages	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
DPW-04,2 (GS): CONTRACT FORM:RENDERING OF CLEANING SERVICES	02 Pages	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
PA-09 (GS): LIST FOR RETURNABLE DOCUMENTS	01 Pages	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
PA-10 GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT	10 Pages	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
PA-11: DECLARATION OF INTEREST AND BIDDERS PAST SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT PRACTICES	05 Pages	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
PA-14: MEDICAL CERTIFICATE FOR THE CONFIRMATION OF PERMANENT DISABLED STATUS	01 Pages	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
PA-15.1: RESOLUTION OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS	02 Pages	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
PA-15.2: RESOLUTION OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS TO ENTER INTO CONSORTIA OR JOINT VENTURES	03 Pages	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
PA-15.3: SPECIAL RESOLUTION OF CONSORTIA OF JOINT VENTURE	03 Pages	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
PA-16: PREFERENCE POINTS CLAIM FORM IN TERMS OF THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS 2011	06 Pages	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
EME/QSE SWORN AFFIDAVIT-BBBEE EXEMPTED MICRO ENTERPRISE	04 Pages	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
PA-29: CERTIFICATE OF INDEPENDENT BID DETERMINATION	04 Pages	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
PA-36: TOGETHER WITH ANNEXURE C: DECLARATION OF LOCAL PRODUCTION AND CONTACT FOR DESIGNATED SECTORS	05 Pages	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
PA-40: DECLARATION OF DESIGNED GROUPS FOR PREFERRED PROCUREMENT	02 Pages	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
SPECIFICATION (INCLUDING COST BREAKDOWN)	15 Pages	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
CK DOCUMENTS	ATTACH	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
CSD PROOF OF REGISTRATION	ATTACH	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
ID'S OF DIRECTORS	ATTACH	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

<b>Name of Bidder</b>	<b>Signature</b>	<b>Date</b>





PA-10: General Conditions of Contract (GCC)

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### NOTES:

The purpose of this document is to:

- (i) Draw special attention to certain general conditions applicable to government bids, contracts and orders; and
- (ii) To ensure that clients be familiar with regard to the rights and obligations of all parties involved in doing business with government.

In this document words in the singular also mean in the plural and vice versa and words in the masculine also mean in the feminine and neuter.

- The General Conditions of Contract will form part of all bid documents and may not be amended.
- Special Conditions of Contract (SCC) relevant to a specific bid should be compiled separately for every bid (if applicable) and will supplement the General Conditions of Contract. Whenever there is a conflict, the provisions in the SCC shall prevail.

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### General Conditions of Contract

#### 1. Definitions

1. The following terms shall be interpreted as indicated:

- 1.1. **"Closing time"** means the date and hour specified in the bidding documents for the receipt of bids.
- 1.2. **"Contract"** means the written agreement entered into between the purchaser and the supplier, as recorded in the contract form signed by the parties, including all attachments and appendices thereto and all documents incorporated by reference therein.
- 1.3. **"Contract price"** means the price payable to the supplier under the contract for the full and proper performance of his contractual obligations.
- 1.4. **"Corrupt practice"** means the offering, giving, receiving, or soliciting of any thing of value to influence the action of a public official in the procurement process or in contract execution.
- 1.5. **"Countervailing duties"** are imposed in cases where an enterprise abroad is subsidized by its government and encouraged to market its products internationally.
- 1.6. **"Country of origin"** means the place where the goods were mined, grown or produced or from which the services are supplied. Goods are produced when, through manufacturing, processing or substantial and major assembly of components, a commercially recognized new product results that is substantially different in basic characteristics or in purpose or utility from its components.
- 1.7. **"Day"** means calendar day.
- 1.8. **"Delivery"** means delivery in compliance of the conditions of the contract or order.
- 1.9. **"Delivery ex stock"** means immediate delivery directly from stock actually on hand.
- 1.10. **"Delivery into consignees store or to his site"** means delivered and unloaded in the specified store or depot or on the specified site in compliance with the conditions of the contract or order, the supplier bearing all risks and charges involved until the supplies are so delivered and a valid receipt is obtained.
- 1.11. **"Dumping"** occurs when a private enterprise abroad market its goods on own initiative in the RSA at lower prices than that of the country of origin and which have the potential to harm the local industries in the RSA.
- 1.12. **"Force majeure"** means an event beyond the control of the supplier and not involving the supplier's fault or negligence and not foreseeable. Such events may include, but is not restricted to, acts of the purchaser in its sovereign capacity, wars or revolutions, fires, floods, epidemics, quarantine restrictions and freight embargoes.
- 1.13. **"Fraudulent practice"** means a misrepresentation of facts in order to influence a procurement process or the execution of a contract to the detriment of any bidder, and includes collusive practice among bidders (prior to or after bid submission) designed to establish bid prices at artificial non-competitive levels and to deprive the bidder of the benefits of free and open competition.
- 1.14. **"GCC"** means the General Conditions of Contract.
- 1.15. **"Goods"** means all of the equipment, machinery, and/or other materials that the supplier is required to supply to the purchaser under the contract.



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- 1.16. **“Imported content”** means that portion of the bidding price represented by the cost of components, parts or materials which have been or are still to be imported (whether by the supplier or his subcontractors) and which costs are inclusive of the costs abroad, plus freight and other direct importation costs such as landing costs, dock dues, import duty, sales duty or other similar tax or duty at the South African place of entry as well as transportation and handling charges to the factory in the Republic where the supplies covered by the bid will be manufactured.
- 1.17. **“Local content”** means that portion of the bidding price which is not included in the imported content provided that local manufacture does take place.
- 1.18. **“Manufacture”** means the production of products in a factory using labour, materials, components and machinery and includes other related value-adding activities.
- 1.19. **“Order”** means an official written order issued for the supply of goods or works or the rendering of a service.
- 1.20. **“Project site”** where applicable, means the place indicated in bidding documents.
- 1.21. **“Purchaser”** means the organization purchasing the goods.
- 1.22. **“Republic”** means the Republic of South Africa.
- 1.23. **“SCC”** means the Special Conditions of Contract.
- 1.24. **“Services”** means those functional services ancillary to the supply of the goods, such as transportation and any other incidental services, such as installation, commissioning, provision of technical assistance, training, catering, gardening, security, maintenance and other such obligations of the supplier covered under the contract.
- 1.25. **“Written” or “in writing”** means handwritten in ink or any form of electronic or mechanical writing.

### 2. Application

- 2.1. These general conditions are applicable to all bids, contracts and orders including bids for functional and professional services, sales, hiring, letting and the granting or acquiring of rights, but excluding immovable property, unless otherwise indicated in the bidding documents.
- 2.2. Where applicable, special conditions of contract are also laid down to cover specific supplies, services or works.
- 2.3. Where such special conditions of contract are in conflict with these general conditions, the special conditions shall apply.

### 3. General

- 3.1. Unless otherwise indicated in the bidding documents, the purchaser shall not be liable for any expense incurred in the preparation and submission of a bid. Where applicable a non-refundable fee for documents may be charged.
- 3.2. With certain exceptions, invitations to bid are only published in the Government Tender Bulletin. The Government Tender Bulletin may be obtained directly from the Government Printer, Private Bag X85, Pretoria 0001, or accessed electronically from [www.treasury.gov.za](http://www.treasury.gov.za)

### 4. Standards

- 4.1. The goods supplied shall conform to the standards mentioned in the bidding documents and specifications.

### 5. Use of contract documents and information; inspection.

- 5.1. The supplier shall not, without the purchaser's prior written consent, disclose the contract, or any provision thereof, or any specification, plan, drawing, pattern, sample, or information furnished by or on behalf of the purchaser in connection therewith, to any person other than a person employed by the supplier in the performance of the contract. Disclosure to any such employed person shall be



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made in confidence and shall extend only so far as may be necessary for purposes of such performance.

- 5.2. The supplier shall not, without the purchaser's prior written consent, make use of any document or information mentioned in GCC clause 5.1 except for purposes of performing the contract.
- 5.3. Any document, other than the contract itself mentioned in GCC clause 5.1 shall remain the property of the purchaser and shall be returned (all copies) to the purchaser on completion of the supplier's performance under the contract if so required by the purchaser.
- 5.4. The supplier shall permit the purchaser to inspect the supplier's records relating to the performance of the supplier and to have them audited by auditors appointed by the purchaser, if so required by the purchaser.

### 6. Patent rights

- 6.1. The supplier shall indemnify the purchaser against all third-party claims of infringement of patent, trademark, or industrial design rights arising from use of the goods or any part thereof by the purchaser.

### 7. Performance security

- 7.1. Within thirty (30) days of receipt of the notification of contract award, the successful bidder shall furnish to the purchaser the performance security of the amount specified in SCC.
- 7.2. The proceeds of the performance security shall be payable to the purchaser as compensation for any loss resulting from the supplier's failure to complete his obligations under the contract.
- 7.3. The performance security shall be denominated in the currency of the contract, or in a freely convertible currency acceptable to the purchaser and shall be in one of the following forms:
  - (a) a bank guarantee or an irrevocable letter of credit issued by a reputable bank located in the purchaser's country or abroad, acceptable to the purchaser, in the form provided in the bidding documents or another form acceptable to the purchaser; or
  - (b) a cashier's or certified cheque
- 7.4. The performance security will be discharged by the purchaser and returned to the supplier not later than thirty (30) days following the date of completion of the supplier's performance obligations under the contract, including any warranty obligations, unless otherwise specified in SCC.

### 8. Inspections, tests and analyses

- 8.1. All pre-bidding testing will be for the account of the bidder.
- 8.2. If it is a bid condition that supplies to be produced or services to be rendered should at any stage during production or execution or on completion be subject to inspection, the premises of the bidder or contractor shall be open, at all reasonable hours, for inspection by a representative of the Department or an organization acting on behalf of the Department.
- 8.3. If there are no inspection requirements indicated in the bidding documents and no mention is made in the contract, but during the contract period it is decided that inspections shall be carried out, the purchaser shall itself make the necessary arrangements, including payment arrangements with the testing authority concerned.
- 8.4. If the inspections, tests and analyses referred to in clauses 8.2 and 8.3 show the supplies to be in accordance with the contract requirements, the cost of the inspections, tests and analyses shall be defrayed by the purchaser.
- 8.5. Where the supplies or services referred to in clauses 8.2 and 8.3 do not comply with the contract requirements, irrespective of whether such supplies or services are accepted or not, the cost in connection with these inspections, tests or analyses shall be defrayed by the supplier.





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- 8.6. Supplies and services which are referred to in clauses 8.2 and 8.3 and which do not comply with the contract requirements may be rejected.
- 8.7. Any contract supplies may on or after delivery be inspected, tested or analyzed and may be rejected if found not to comply with the requirements of the contract. Such rejected supplies shall be held at the cost and risk of the supplier who shall, when called upon, remove them immediately at his own cost and forthwith substitute them with supplies which do comply with the requirements of the contract. Failing such removal the rejected supplies shall be returned at the suppliers cost and risk. Should the supplier fail to provide the substitute supplies forthwith, the purchaser may, without giving the supplier further opportunity to substitute the rejected supplies, purchase such supplies as may be necessary at the expense of the supplier.
- 8.8. The provisions of clauses 8.4 to 8.7 shall not prejudice the right of the purchaser to cancel the contract on account of a breach of the conditions thereof, or to act in terms of Clause 23 of GCC.

### 9. Packing

- 9.1. The supplier shall provide such packing of the goods as is required to prevent their damage or deterioration during transit to their final destination, as indicated in the contract. The packing shall be sufficient to withstand, without limitation, rough handling during transit and exposure to extreme temperatures, salt and precipitation during transit, and open storage. Packing, case size and weights shall take into consideration, where appropriate, the remoteness of the goods' final destination and the absence of heavy handling facilities at all points in transit.
- 9.2. The packing, marking, and documentation within and outside the packages shall comply strictly with such special requirements as shall be expressly provided for in the contract, including additional requirements, if any, specified in SCC, and in any subsequent instructions ordered by the purchaser.

### 10. Delivery and documents

- 10.1. Delivery of the goods shall be made by the supplier in accordance with the terms specified in the contract. The details of shipping and/or other documents to be furnished by the supplier are specified in SCC.
- 10.2. Documents to be submitted by the supplier are specified in SCC.

### 11. Insurance

- 11.1. The goods supplied under the contract shall be fully insured in a freely convertible currency against loss or damage incidental to manufacture or acquisition, transportation, storage and delivery in the manner specified in the SCC.

### 12. Transportation

- 12.1. Should a price other than an all-inclusive delivered price be required, this shall be specified in the SCC.

### 13. Incidental services

- 13.1. The supplier may be required to provide any or all of the following services, including additional services, if any, specified in SCC:
- (a) performance or supervision of on-site assembly and/or commissioning of the supplied goods;
  - (b) furnishing of tools required for assembly and/or maintenance of the supplied goods;
  - (c) furnishing of a detailed operations and maintenance manual for each appropriate unit of the supplied goods;
  - (d) performance or supervision or maintenance and/or repair of the supplied goods, for a period of time agreed by the parties, provided that this service shall not relieve the supplier of any warranty obligations under this contract; and



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- (e) training of the purchaser's personnel, at the supplier's plant and/or on-site, in assembly, start-up, operation, maintenance, and/or repair of the supplied goods.

13.2. Prices charged by the supplier for incidental services, if not included in the contract price for the goods, shall be agreed upon in advance by the parties and shall not exceed the prevailing rates charged to other parties by the supplier for similar services.

### 14. Spare parts

14.1. As specified in SCC, the supplier may be required to provide any or all of the following materials, notifications, and information pertaining to spare parts manufactured or distributed by the supplier:

- (a) such spare parts as the purchaser may elect to purchase from the supplier, provided that this election shall not relieve the supplier of any warranty obligations under the contract; and
- (b) in the event of termination of production of the spare parts:

- (i) Advance notification to the purchaser of the pending termination, in sufficient time to permit the purchaser to procure needed requirements; and
- (ii) following such termination, furnishing at no cost to the purchaser, the blueprints, drawings, and specifications of the spare parts, if requested.

### 15. Warranty

15.1. The supplier warrants that the goods supplied under the contract are new, unused, of the most recent or current models, and that they incorporate all recent improvements in design and materials unless provided otherwise in the contract. The supplier further warrants that all goods supplied under this contract shall have no defect, arising from design, materials, or workmanship (except when the design and/or material is required by the purchaser's specifications) or from any act or omission of the supplier, that may develop under normal use of the supplied goods in the conditions prevailing in the country of final destination.

15.2. This warranty shall remain valid for twelve (12) months after the goods, or any portion thereof as the case may be, have been delivered to and accepted at the final destination indicated in the contract, or for eighteen (18) months after the date of shipment from the port or place of loading in the source country, whichever period concludes earlier, unless specified otherwise in SCC.

15.3. The purchaser shall promptly notify the supplier in writing of any claims arising under this warranty.

15.4. Upon receipt of such notice, the supplier shall, within the period specified in SCC and with all reasonable speed, repair or replace the defective goods or parts thereof, without costs to the purchaser.

15.5. If the supplier, having been notified, fails to remedy the defect(s) within the period specified in SCC, the purchaser may proceed to take such remedial action as may be necessary, at the supplier's risk and expense and without prejudice to any other rights which the purchaser may have against the supplier under the contract.

### 16. Payment

16.1. The method and conditions of payment to be made to the supplier under this contract shall be specified in SCC.

16.2. The supplier shall furnish the purchaser with an invoice accompanied by a copy of the delivery note and upon fulfilment of other obligations stipulated in the contract.

16.3. Payments shall be made promptly by the purchaser, but in no case later than thirty (30) days after submission of an invoice or claim by the supplier.

16.4. Payment will be made in Rand unless otherwise stipulated in SCC.

### 17. Prices



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17.1. Prices charged by the supplier for goods delivered and services performed under the contract shall not vary from the prices quoted by the supplier in his bid, with the exception of any price adjustments authorized in SCC or in the purchaser's request for bid validity extension, as the case may be.

### 18. Contract amendments

18.1. No variation in or modification of the terms of the contract shall be made except by written amendment signed by the parties concerned.

### 19. Assignment

19.1. The supplier shall not assign, in whole or in part, its obligations to perform under the contract, except with the purchaser's prior written consent.

### 20. Subcontracts

20.1. The supplier shall notify the purchaser in writing of all subcontracts awarded under this contracts if not already specified in the bid. Such notification, in the original bid or later, shall not relieve the supplier from any liability or obligation under the contract.

### 21. Delays in the supplier's performance

21.1. Delivery of the goods and performance of services shall be made by the supplier in accordance with the time schedule prescribed by the purchaser in the contract.

21.2. If at any time during performance of the contract, the supplier or its subcontractor(s) should encounter conditions impeding timely delivery of the goods and performance of services, the supplier shall promptly notify the purchaser in writing of the fact of the delay, its likely duration and its cause(s). As soon as practicable after receipt of the supplier's notice, the purchaser shall evaluate the situation and may at his discretion extend the supplier's time for performance, with or without the imposition of penalties, in which case the extension shall be ratified by the parties by amendment of contract.

21.3. No provision in a contract shall be deemed to prohibit the obtaining of supplies or services from a national department, provincial department, or a local authority.

21.4. The right is reserved to procure outside of the contract small quantities or to have minor essential services executed if an emergency arises, the supplier's point of supply is not situated at or near the place where the supplies are required, or the supplier's services are not readily available.

21.5. Except as provided under GCC Clause 25, a delay by the supplier in the performance of its delivery obligations shall render the supplier liable to the imposition of penalties, pursuant to GCC Clause 22, unless an extension of time is agreed upon pursuant to GCC Clause 21.2 without the application of penalties.

21.6. Upon any delay beyond the delivery period in the case of a supplies contract, the purchaser shall, without cancelling the contract, be entitled to purchase supplies of a similar quality and up to the same quantity in substitution of the goods not supplied in conformity with the contract and to return any goods delivered later at the supplier's expense and risk, or to cancel the contract and buy such goods as may be required to complete the contract and without prejudice to his other rights, be entitled to claim damages from the supplier.

### 22. Penalties

22.1. Subject to GCC Clause 25, if the supplier fails to deliver any or all of the goods or to perform the services within the period(s) specified in the contract, the purchaser shall, without prejudice to its other remedies under the contract, deduct from the contract price, as a penalty, a sum calculated on the delivered price of the delayed goods or unperformed services using the current prime interest rate calculated for each day of the delay until actual delivery or performance. The purchaser may also consider termination of the contract pursuant to GCC Clause 23.

### 23. Termination for default

23.1. The purchaser, without prejudice to any other remedy for breach of contract, by written notice of default sent to the supplier, may terminate this contract in whole or in part:



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- (a) if the supplier fails to deliver any or all of the goods within the period(s) specified in the contract, or within any extension thereof granted by the purchaser pursuant to GCC Clause 21.2;
- (b) if the Supplier fails to perform any other obligation(s) under the contract; or
- (c) if the supplier, in the judgment of the purchaser, has engaged in corrupt or fraudulent practices in competing for or in executing the contract.

23.2. In the event the purchaser terminates the contract in whole or in part, the purchaser may procure, upon such terms and in such manner as it deems appropriate, goods, works or services similar to those undelivered, and the supplier shall be liable to the purchaser for any excess costs for such similar goods, works or services. However, the supplier shall continue performance of the contract to the extent not terminated.

23.3 Where the purchaser terminates the contract in whole or in part, the purchaser may decide to impose a restriction penalty on the supplier by prohibiting such supplier from doing business with the public sector for a period of not exceeding 10 years.

23.4 If a purchaser intends imposing a restriction on a supplier or any person with the supplier, the supplier will be allowed a time period of not more than fourteen (14) days to provide why the envisaged restriction should not be imposed. Should the supplier fail to respond within the stipulated fourteen (14) days the purchaser may regard the intended penalty as not objected against and may impose it on the supplier.

23.5 Any restriction on any person by the Accounting Officer/ Authority will, at the discretion of the Accounting Officer/ Authority, also be applicable to any enterprise or any partner, manager, director or other person who wholly or partly exercises or exercised or may exercise control over the enterprise of the first-mentioned person, and with which the first-mentioned person, is or was in the opinion of the Accounting Officer/ Authority actively associated.

23.6 If a restriction is imposed, the purchaser must, within five (5) working days of such imposition, furnish The National Treasury, with the following information:

- i) The name and address of the supplier and/or person restricted by the purchaser;
- ii) The date of commencement of the restriction
- iii) The period of the restriction; and
- iv) The reasons for the restriction.

These details will be loaded in the National Treasury's central database of suppliers or persons prohibited from doing business with the public sector.

23.7 If a court of law convicts a person of an offence as contemplated in sections 12 or 13 of the Prevention and Combating of Corrupt Activities Act No. 12 of 2004, the court may also rule that such person's name be endorsed on the Register for Tender Defaulters. When a person's name has been endorsed on the Register, the person will be prohibited from doing business with the public sector for a period not less than five years and not more than ten years. The National Treasury is empowered to determine the period of restriction and each case will be dealt with on its merits. According to section 32 of the Act the Register must be open to the public. The Register can be perused on the National Treasury website.

### 24. Anti-dumping and countervailing duties and rights

24.1. When, after the date of bid, provisional payments are required, or antidumping or countervailing duties are imposed, or the amount of a provisional payment or anti-dumping or countervailing right is increased in respect of any dumped or subsidized import, the State is not liable for any amount so required or imposed, or for the amount of any such increase. When, after the said date, such a provisional payment is no longer required or any such anti-dumping or countervailing right is abolished, or where the amount of such provisional payment or any such right is reduced, any such favourable difference shall on demand be paid forthwith by the contractor to the State or the State may deduct such amounts from moneys (if any) which may otherwise be due to the contractor in regard to supplies or services which he delivered or rendered, or is to deliver or render in terms of the contract or any other contract or any other amount which may be due to him.



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### 25. Force Majeure

- 25.1. Notwithstanding the provisions of GCC Clauses 22 and 23, the supplier shall not be liable for forfeiture of its performance security, damages, or termination for default if and to the extent that his delay in performance or other failure to perform his obligations under the contract is the result of an event of force majeure.
- 25.2. If a force majeure situation arises, the supplier shall promptly notify the purchaser in writing of such condition and the cause thereof. Unless otherwise directed by the purchaser in writing, the supplier shall continue to perform its obligations under the contract as far as is reasonably practical, and shall seek all reasonable alternative means for performance not prevented by the force majeure event.

### 26. Termination for insolvency

- 26.1. The purchaser may at any time terminate the contract by giving written notice to the supplier if the supplier becomes bankrupt or otherwise insolvent. In this event, termination will be without compensation to the supplier, provided that such termination will not prejudice or affect any right of action or remedy which has accrued or will accrue thereafter to the purchaser.

### 27. Settlement of Disputes

- 27.1 If any dispute or difference of any kind whatsoever arises between the purchaser and the supplier in Connection with or arising out of the contract, the parties shall make every effort to resolve amicably such dispute or difference by mutual consultation.
- 27.2 If, after thirty (30) days, the parties have failed to resolve their dispute or difference by such mutual consultation, then either the purchaser or the supplier may give notice to the other party of his intention to commence with mediation. No mediation in respect of this matter may be commenced unless such notice is given to the other party.
- 27.3 Should it not be possible to settle a dispute by means of mediation, it may be settled in a South African court of law.
- 27.4 Mediation proceedings shall be conducted in accordance with the rules of the procedure specified in the SCC.
- 27.5 Notwithstanding any reference to mediation and/or court proceedings herein,
- (a) the parties shall continue to perform their respective obligations under contract unless they Otherwise agree; and
  - (b) the purchaser shall pay the supplier any monies due the supplier.

### 28. Limitation of Liability

- 28.1 Except in cases of criminal negligence or willful misconduct, and in the case of infringement pursuant to Clause 6;
- (a) the supplier shall not be liable to the purchaser, whether in contract, tort, or otherwise, for any indirect or consequential loss 12 or damage, loss of use, loss of production, or loss of profits or interest costs, provided that this exclusion shall not apply to any obligation of the supplier to pay penalties and/or damages to the purchaser; and
  - (b) the aggregate liability of the supplier to the purchaser, whether under the contract, in tort or otherwise, shall not exceed the total contract price, provided that this limitation shall not apply to the cost of repairing or replacing defective equipment.



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**29. Governing language**

29.1. The contract shall be written in English. All correspondence and other documents pertaining to the contract that is exchanged by the parties shall also be written in English.

**30. Applicable law**

30.1. The contract shall be interpreted in accordance with South African laws, unless otherwise specified in SCC.

**31. Notices**

31.1. Every written acceptance of a bid shall be posted to the supplier concerned by registered or certified mail and any other notice to him shall be posted by ordinary mail to the address furnished in his bid or to the address notified later by him in writing and such posting shall be deemed to be proper service of such notice

31.2. The time mentioned in the contract documents for performing any act after such aforesaid notice has been given, shall be reckoned from the date of posting of such notice.

**32. Taxes and duties**

32.1. A foreign supplier shall be entirely responsible for all taxes, stamp duties, license fees, and other such levies imposed outside the purchaser's country.

32.2. A local supplier shall be entirely responsible for all taxes, duties, license fees, etc., incurred until delivery of the contracted goods to the purchaser.

32.3. No contract shall be concluded with any bidder whose tax matters are not in order. Prior to the award of a bid the Department must be in possession of a tax clearance certificate, submitted by the bidder. This certificate must be an original issued by the South African

**33. National Industrial Participation Programme (NIPP)**

33.1 The NIP Programme administered by the Department of Trade and Industry shall be applicable to all contracts that are subject to the NIP obligation.

**34. Prohibition of Restrictive Practices**

34.1 In terms of section 4 (1) (b) (iii) of the Competition Act No. 89 of 1998, as amended, an agreement between, or concerted practice by, firms, or a decision by an association of firms, is prohibited if it is between parties in a horizontal relationship and if a bidder (s) is / are or a contractor(s) was / were involved in collusive bidding (or bid rigging).

34.2 If a bidder(s) or contractor(s), based on reasonable grounds or evidence obtained by the purchaser, has / have engaged in the restrictive practice referred to above, the purchaser may refer the matter to the Competition Commission for investigation and possible imposition of administrative penalties as contemplated in the Competition Act No. 89 of 1998.

34.3 If a bidder(s) or contractor(s), has / have been found guilty by the Competition Commission of the restrictive practice referred to above, the purchaser may, in addition and without prejudice to any other remedy provided for, invalidate the bid(s) for such item(s) offered, and / or terminate the contract in whole or part, and / or restrict the bidder(s) or contractor(s) from conducting business with the public sector for a period not exceeding ten (10) years and / or claim damages from the bidder(s) or contractor(s) concerned.

Name of Bidder	Signature	Date



<sup>1</sup> "State" means –

- (a) any national or provincial department, national or provincial public entity or constitutional institution within the meaning of the Public Finance Management Act, 1999 (Act No. 1 of 1999);
- (b) any municipality or municipal entity;
- (c) provincial legislature;
- (d) national Assembly or the national Council of provinces; or
- (e) Parliament.

<sup>2</sup> "Shareholder" means –

- (a) a person who owns shares in the company and is actively involved in the management of the enterprise or business and exercise control over the enterprise

3.7 Are you or any person connected with the bidder presently employed by the state?  YES  NO

3.7.1 If so, furnish the following particulars:

Name of person / director /trustees/shareholder/ member:.....

Name of state institution at which you or the person is connected to the bidder is employed .....

Position occupied in the state institution:.....

Any other particulars:  
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3.8 Did you or your spouse, or any of the company's directors / trustees/shareholders / members or their spouses conduct business with the state in the previous twelve months?  YES  NO

3.8.1 If so, furnish particulars:.....  
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3.9 Do you, or any person connected with the bidder, have any relationship (family, friend, other) with a person employed by the state and who may be involved with the evaluation and or adjudication of this bid?  YES  NO

3.9.1 If so, furnish particulars.  
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3.10 Are you, or any person connected with the bidder, aware of any relationship (family, friend, other)



between the bidder and any person employed by the state who may be involved with the evaluation and or adjudication of this bid?  YES  NO

3.10.1 If so, furnish particulars.

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3.11 Do you or any of the directors /trustees/shareholders/ members of the company have any interest in any other related companies whether or not they are bidding for this contract?  YES  NO

3.11.1 If so, furnish particulars:

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**4. Full details of directors / trustees / members / shareholders.**

Full Name	Identity Number	Personal Tax Reference Number	State Employee Number / Pearsal Number

**5. DECLARATION OF TENDERER / BIDDER'S PAST SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT PRACTICES**

5.1	<i>Is the tenderer / bidder or any of its directors listed on the National Treasury's database as companies or persons prohibited from doing business with the public sector?</i> <b>(Companies or persons who are listed on this database were informed in writing of this restriction by the National Treasury after the audi alteram partem rule was applied).</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Yes</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>No</b>
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5.2	<i>If so, furnish particulars:</i>		
5.3	<i>Is the tenderer / bidder or any of its directors listed on the Register for Tender Defaulters in terms of section 29 of the Prevention and Combating of Corrupt Activities Act (No 12 of 2004)?</i> <b>To access this Register enter the National Treasury's website, <a href="http://www.treasury.gov.za">www.treasury.gov.za</a>, click on the icon "Register for Tender Defaulters" or submit your written request for a hard copy of the Register to facsimile number (012) 3265445.</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Yes</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>No</b>
5.4	<i>If so, furnish particulars:</i>		
5.5	<i>Was the tenderer / bidder or any of its directors convicted by a court of law (including a court outside of the Republic of South Africa) for fraud or corruption during the past five years?</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Yes</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>No</b>
5.6	<i>If so, furnish particulars:</i>		
5.7	<i>Was any contract between the tenderer / bidder and any organ of state terminated during the past five years on account of failure to perform on or comply with the contract?</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Yes</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>No</b>
5.8	<i>If so, furnish particulars:</i>		

**6. CERTIFICATION**

I the undersigned (full name) \_\_\_\_\_ certify that the information furnished on this declaration form is true and correct.

I accept that, in addition to cancellation of a contract, action may be taken against me should this declaration prove to be false.

<b>Name of Tenderer / bidder</b>	<b>Signature</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Position</b>

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PA-14: MEDICAL CERTIFICATE FOR THE CONFIRMATION OF PERMANENT DISABLED STATUS

Table with project details: Project title, Tender / Bid no, Reference no.

I, \_\_\_\_\_ (surname and name), identity number, \_\_\_\_\_ do hereby declare that I am a registered medical practitioner, with my practice number being \_\_\_\_\_, practising at \_\_\_\_\_ (Physical or postal addresses) declare that I have examined Mr. / Ms. \_\_\_\_\_, identity number \_\_\_\_\_ and have found the said person to be permanently disabled or having a recurring disability.

"Disability" means, in respect of a person, a permanent impairment of a physical, intellectual, or sensory function, which results in restricted, or lack of, ability to perform an activity in the manner, or within the range, considered normal for a human being." –

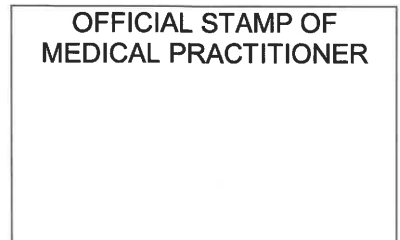
The nature of the disability is as follows:

Three horizontal lines for describing the nature of the disability.

Thus signed at \_\_\_\_\_ on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_



## PA-15.1: RESOLUTION OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS

**RESOLUTION** of a meeting of the Board of \*Directors / Members / Partners of:

\_\_\_\_\_ (legally correct full name and registration number, if applicable, of the Enterprise)

Held at \_\_\_\_\_ (place)

on \_\_\_\_\_ (date)

**RESOLVED that:**

1. The Enterprise submits a Bid / Tender to the Department of Public Works in respect of the following project:

\_\_\_\_\_ (project description as per Bid / Tender Document)

Bid / Tender Number: \_\_\_\_\_ (Bid / Tender Number as per Bid / Tender Document)

2. \*Mr/Mrs/Ms: \_\_\_\_\_

in \*his/her Capacity as: \_\_\_\_\_ (Position in the Enterprise)

and who will sign as follows: \_\_\_\_\_

be, and is hereby, authorised to sign the Bid / Tender, and any and all other documents and/or correspondence in connection with and relating to the Bid / Tender; as well as to sign any Contract, and any and all documentation, resulting from the award of the Bid / Tender to the Enterprise mentioned above.

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The bidding enterprise hereby absolves the Department of Public Works from any liability whatsoever that may arise as a result of this document being signed.

**Note:**

1. \* Delete which is not applicable.
2. **NB:** This resolution must, where possible, be signed by all the Directors / Members / Partners of the Bidding Enterprise.
3. In the event that paragraph 2 cannot be complied with, the resolution must be signed by Directors / Members / Partners holding a majority of the shares / ownership of the Bidding Enterprise (attach proof of shareholding / ownership hereto).
4. Directors / Members / Partners of the Bidding Enterprise may alternatively appoint a person to sign this document on behalf of the Bidding Enterprise, which person must be so authorized by way of a duly completed power of attorney, signed by the Directors / Members / Partners holding a majority of the shares / ownership of the Bidding Enterprise (proof of shareholding / ownership and power of attorney are to be attached hereto).
5. Should the number of Directors / Members / Partners exceed the space available above, additional names and signatures must be supplied on a separate page.

**ENTERPRISE STAMP**



## PA-15.2: RESOLUTION OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS TO ENTER INTO CONSORTIA OR JOINT VENTURES

RESOLUTION of a meeting of the Board of \*Directors / Members / Partners of:

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\_\_\_\_\_

*(Legally correct full name and registration number, if applicable, of the Enterprise)*

Held at \_\_\_\_\_ *(place)*

on \_\_\_\_\_ *(date)*

**RESOLVED that:**

1. The Enterprise submits a Bid /Tender, in consortium/Joint Venture with the following Enterprises:

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

*(List all the legally correct full names and registration numbers, if applicable, of the Enterprises forming the Consortium/Joint Venture)*

to the Department of Public Works in respect of the following project:

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\_\_\_\_\_

*(Project description as per Bid /Tender Document)*

Bid / Tender Number: \_\_\_\_\_ *(Bid / Tender Number as per Bid / Tender Document)*

2. \*Mr/Mrs/Ms: \_\_\_\_\_

in \*his/her Capacity as: \_\_\_\_\_ *(Position in the Enterprise)*

and who will sign as follows: \_\_\_\_\_

be, and is hereby, authorised to sign a consortium/joint venture agreement with the parties listed under item 1 above, and any and all other documents and/or correspondence in connection with and relating to the consortium/joint venture, in respect of the project described under item 1 above.

3. The Enterprise accepts joint and several liability with the parties listed under item 1 above for the due fulfilment of the obligations of the joint venture deriving from, and in any way connected with, the Contract to be entered into with the Department in respect of the project described under item 1 above.
4. The Enterprise chooses as its *domicilium citandi et executandi* for all purposes arising from this joint venture agreement and the Contract with the Department in respect of the project under item 1 above:

Physical address: \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_ (code)



Postal Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
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The bidding enterprise hereby absolves the Department of Public Works from any liability whatsoever that may arise as a result of this document being signed

**Note:**

- \* Delete which is not applicable.
- NB:** This resolution must, where possible, be signed by all the Directors / Members / Partners of the Bidding Enterprise.
- In the event that paragraph 2 cannot be complied with, the resolution must be signed by Directors / Members / Partners holding a majority of the shares / ownership of the Bidding Enterprise (attach proof of shareholding / ownership hereto).
- Directors / Members / Partners of the Bidding Enterprise may alternatively appoint a person to sign this document on behalf of the Bidding Enterprise, which person must be so authorized by way of a duly completed power of attorney, signed by the Directors / Members / Partners holding a majority of the shares / ownership of the Bidding Enterprise (proof of shareholding / ownership and power of attorney are to be attached hereto).
- Should the number of Directors / Members / Partners exceed the space available above, additional names and signatures must be supplied on a separate page.

**ENTERPRISE STAMP**



# PA-15.3: SPECIAL RESOLUTION OF CONSORTIA OR JOINT VENTURES

**RESOLUTION** of a meeting of the duly authorised representatives of the following legal entities who have entered into a consortium/joint venture to jointly bid for the project mentioned below: *(legally correct full names and registration numbers, if applicable, of the Enterprises forming a Consortium/Joint Venture)*

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6. \_\_\_\_\_  
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7. \_\_\_\_\_  
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8. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Held at \_\_\_\_\_ *(place)*

on \_\_\_\_\_ *(date)*

## RESOLVED that:

### RESOLVED that:

- A. The above-mentioned Enterprises submit a Bid in Consortium/Joint Venture to the Department of Public Works in respect of the following project:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

*(Project description as per Bid /Tender Document)*

Bid / Tender Number: \_\_\_\_\_ *(Bid / Tender Number as per Bid /Tender Document)*





B. \*Mr/Mrs/Ms: \_\_\_\_\_

in \*his/her Capacity as: \_\_\_\_\_ (Position in the Enterprise)

and who will sign as follows: \_\_\_\_\_

be, and is hereby, authorised to sign the Bid, and any and all other documents and/or correspondence in connection with and relating to the Bid, as well as to sign any Contract, and any and all documentation, resulting from the award of the Bid to the Enterprises in Consortium/Joint Venture mentioned above.

C. The Enterprises constituting the Consortium/Joint Venture, notwithstanding its composition, shall conduct all business under the name and style of:

\_\_\_\_\_

D. The Enterprises to the Consortium/Joint Venture accept joint and several liability for the due fulfilment of the obligations of the Consortium/Joint Venture deriving from, and in any way connected with, the Contract entered into with the Department in respect of the project described under item A above.

E. Any of the Enterprises to the Consortium/Joint Venture intending to terminate the consortium/joint venture agreement, for whatever reason, shall give the Department 30 days written notice of such intention. Notwithstanding such decision to terminate, the Enterprises shall remain jointly and severally liable to the Department for the due fulfilment of the obligations of the Consortium/Joint Venture as mentioned under item D above.

F. No Enterprise to the Consortium/Joint Venture shall, without the prior written consent of the other Enterprises to the Consortium/Joint Venture and of the Department, cede any of its rights or assign any of its obligations under the consortium/joint venture agreement in relation to the Contract with the Department referred to herein.

G. The Enterprises choose as the *domicilium citandi et executandi* of the Consortium/Joint Venture for all purposes arising from the consortium/joint venture agreement and the Contract with the Department in respect of the project under item A above:

Physical address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ (code)

Postal Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ (code)

Telephone number: \_\_\_\_\_

Fax number: \_\_\_\_\_



	Name	Capacity	Signature
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The bidding enterprise hereby absolves the Department of Public Works from any liability whatsoever that may arise as a result of this document being signed.

**Note:**

1. \* Delete which is not applicable.
2. **NB:** This resolution must be signed by all the Duly Authorised Representatives of the Legal Entities to the consortium/joint venture submitting this tender, as named in item 2 of Resolution PA-15.2.
3. Should the number of the Duly Authorised Representatives of the Legal Entities joining forces in this tender exceed the space available above, additional names, capacity and signatures must be supplied on a separate page.
4. Resolution PA-15.2, duly completed and signed, from the separate Enterprises who participate in this consortium/joint venture, must be attached to this Special Resolution (PA-15.3).

## PREFERENCE POINTS CLAIM FORM IN TERMS OF THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS 2017

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, 2017 AND THE AMENDED B-BBEE CODES.**

### 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 R50 000 000 (all applicable taxes included); and
- the 90/10 system for requirements with a Rand value above R50 000 000 (all applicable taxes included).

1.2. The value of this bid is estimated to **Select** R50 000 000 (all applicable taxes included) and therefore the... **80/20**.....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
<b>1.3.1.1 PRICE</b>	<b>80</b>
<b>1.3.1.2 B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL OF CONTRIBUTION</b>	<b>20</b>
<b>Total points for Price and B-BBEE must not exceed</b>	<b>100</b>

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 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. An Exempted Micro Enterprise (EME) is only required to obtain a sworn affidavit or a certificate issued by Companies and intellectual property Commission (CIPC) confirming their annual turnover of R10 Million or less and level of black ownership to claim points.

1.6. Qualifying Small Enterprise (QSE) is only required to obtain a sworn affidavit or a certificate issued by Companies and intellectual property Commission (CIPC) confirming their annual turnover of R10 Million or less and level of black ownership to claim points.

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- 1.7 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.
- 1.8 CERTIFICATES ISSUED BY IRBA AND ACCOUNTING OFFICER HAVE BEEN DISCONTINUED; HOWEVER VALID CERTIFICATES ALREADY ISSUED BEFORE 01 JANUARY 2017 MAY BE USED UNTIL THEY PHASE OUT COMPLETELY BY DECEMBER 2017

## 2. DEFINITIONS

- (a) **“all applicable taxes”** includes value-added tax, pay as you earn, income tax, unemployment insurance fund contributions and skills development levies;
- (b) **“B-BBEE”** means broad-based black economic empowerment as defined in section 1 of the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act;
- (c) **“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;
- (d) **“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;
- (e) **“Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act”** means the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act, 2003 (Act No. 53 of 2003);
- (f) **“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;
- (g) **“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;
- (h) **“contract”** means the agreement that results from the acceptance of a bid by an organ of state;
- (i) **“EME”** means an Exempted Micro Enterprise as defines by Codes of Good Practice under section 9 (1) of the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act, 2003 (Act No. 53 of 2003);
- (j) **“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;
- (k) **“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;
- (l) **“non-firm prices”** means all prices other than “firm” prices;
- (m) **“person”** includes a juristic person;
- (n) **“QSE”** means a Qualifying Small Enterprise as defines by Codes of Good Practice under



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$P_{min} =$  Comparative price of lowest acceptable bid

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

5.1 In terms of Regulation 6(2) and /or 7(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>B-BBEE Status Level of Contributor</b>	<b>Number of points (90/10 system)</b>	<b>Number of points (80/20 system)</b>
1	10	20
2	9	18
3	6	14
4	5	12
5	4	8
6	3	6
7	2	4
8	1	2
Non-compliant contributor	0	0

- 5.2 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.
- 5.3 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.
- 5.4 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.
- 5.5 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.

**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)

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(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 Sworn Affidavit for EME's and QSE's.

**8 SUB-CONTRACTING (relates to 5.5)**

8.1 Will any portion of the contract be sub-contracted? YES / NO (delete which is not applicable)

8.1.1 If yes, indicate:

(i) what percentage of the contract will be subcontracted?

.....%

(ii) the name of the sub-contractor? .....

(iii) the B-BBEE status level of the sub-contractor?

.....

(iv) whether the sub-contractor is an EME/ a QSE? YES / NO (delete which is not applicable)

Designated Group: An EME or QSE which is at least 51% owned by:	EME √	QSE √
Black people		
Black people who are youth		
Black people who are women		
Black people with disabilities		
Black people living in rural or underdeveloped areas or townships		
Cooperative owned by black people		
Black people who are military veterans		
<b>OR</b>		
Any EME		
Any QSE		

**9 DECLARATION WITH REGARD TO COMPANY/FIRM**

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

[TICK APPLICABLE BOX]

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5 DESCRIBE PRINCIPAL BUSINESS ACTIVITIES

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9.6 COMPANY CLASSIFICATION

- Manufacturer
  - Supplier
  - Professional service provider
  - 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/ Sworn Affidavit, 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) 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) 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) 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;
  - (d) restrict the bidder or contractor, its shareholders and directors, or only the shareholders and directors who acted on a fraudulent basis, from obtaining business from any organ of state for a period not exceeding 10 years, after the audi alteram partem (hear the other side) rule has been applied; and
  - (e) forward the matter for criminal prosecution

**WITNESSES:**

1. ....

2. ....

SIGNATURE(S) OF BIDDER(S)

DATE:..... ADDRESS:.....

.....



**SWORN AFFIDAVIT – B-BBEE EXEMPTED MICRO ENTERPRISE (EME)**

I, the undersigned,

<b>Full name &amp; Surname</b>	
<b>Identity number</b>	

Hereby declare under oath as follows:

1. The contents of this statement are to the best of my knowledge a true reflection of the facts.
2. I am a Member / Director / Owner of the following enterprise and am duly authorised to act on its behalf:

<b>Tender No.</b>	
<b>Enterprise Name:</b>	
<b>Trading Name (If Applicable):</b>	
<b>Registration Number:</b>	
<b>Enterprise Physical Address:</b>	
<b>Type of Entity (CC, (Pty) Ltd, Sole Prop etc.):</b>	
<b>Nature of Business:</b>	
<b>Definition of "Black People"</b>	<p>As per the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act 53 of 2003 as Amended by Act No 46 of 2013 "Black People" is a generic term which means Africans, Coloureds and Indians –</p> <p>(a) Who are citizens of the Republic of South Africa by birth or descent; or</p> <p>(b) Who became citizens of the Republic of South Africa by naturalization-</p> <p style="margin-left: 40px;">i. Before 27 April 1994; or</p> <p style="margin-left: 40px;">ii. On or after 27 April 1994 and who would have been entitled to acquire citizenship by naturalization prior to that date</p>

3. I hereby declare under Oath that:
  - The Enterprise is \_\_\_\_\_% Black Owned as per Amended Code Series 100 of the Amended Codes of Good Practice issued under section 9 (1) of B-BBEE Act No 53 of 2003 as Amended by Act No 46 of 2013,
  - The Enterprise is \_\_\_\_\_% Black Woman Owned as per Amended Code Series 100 of the Amended Codes of Good Practice issued under section 9 (1) of B-BBEE Act No 53 of 2003 as Amended by Act No 46 of 2013,
  - The Enterprise is \_\_\_\_\_% Black Designated Group Owned as per Amended Code Series 100 of the Amended Codes of Good Practice issued under section 9 (1) of B-BBEE Act No 53 of 2003 as Amended by Act No 46 of 2013,
  - Based on the Financial Statements/Management Accounts and other information available on the latest financial year-end of \_\_\_\_\_, the annual Total Revenue was R10,000,000.00 (Ten Million Rands) or less

- Please Confirm on the below table the B-BBEE Level Contributor, by ticking the applicable box.

100% Black Owned	<b>Level One</b> (135% B-BBEE procurement recognition level)	
At least 51% Black Owned	<b>Level Two</b> (125% B-BBEE procurement recognition level)	
Less than 51% Black Owned	<b>Level Four</b> (100% B-BBEE procurement recognition level)	

4. I know and understand the contents of this affidavit and I have no objection to take the prescribed oath and consider the oath binding on my conscience and on the Owners of the Enterprise which I represent in this matter.
5. The sworn affidavit will be valid for a period of 12 months from the date signed by commissioner.

Deponent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Commissioner of Oaths  
Signature & stamp



## PA- 29: CERTIFICATION OF INDEPENDENT BID DETERMINATION

<b>Project title:</b>	PORT ALFRED MAGISTRATE COURT : PROVISION OF HORTICULTURAL MAINTENANCE SERVICES FOR A PERIOD OF TWENTY FOUR (24) MONTHS		
<b>Bid no:</b>	PEHQ09/2021	<b>Reference no:</b>	

### INTRODUCTION

1. This PA-29 [Certificate of Independent Bid Determination] must form part of all bids<sup>1</sup> invited.
2. Section 4 (1) (b) (iii) of the Competition Act No. 89 of 1998, as amended, prohibits an agreement between, or concerted practice by, firms, or a decision by an association of firms, if it is between parties in a horizontal relationship and if it involves collusive bidding (or bid rigging).<sup>2</sup> Collusive bidding is a *pe se* prohibition meaning that it cannot be justified under any grounds.
3. Treasury Regulation 16A9 prescribes that accounting officers and accounting authorities must take all reasonable steps to prevent abuse of the supply chain management system and authorizes accounting officers and accounting authorities to:
  - a. disregard the bid of any bidder if that bidder, or any of its directors have abused the institution's supply chain management system and or committed fraud or any other improper conduct in relation to such system.
  - b. cancel a contract awarded to a supplier of goods and services if the supplier committed any corrupt or fraudulent act during the bidding process or the execution of that contract.
4. This form (PA-29) serves as a certificate of declaration that would be used by institutions to ensure that, when bids are considered, reasonable steps are taken to prevent any form of bid-rigging.
5. In order to give effect to the above, the attached Certificate of Bid Determination (PA-29) must be completed and submitted with the bid:

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<sup>1</sup> Includes price quotations, advertised competitive bids, limited bids and proposals.



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<sup>2</sup> Bid rigging (or collusive bidding) occurs when businesses, that would otherwise be expected to compete, secretly conspire to raise prices or lower the quality of goods and / or services for purchasers who wish to acquire goods and / or services through a bidding process. Bid rigging is, therefore, an agreement between competitors not to compete.

### CERTIFICATE OF INDEPENDENT BID DETERMINATION

I, the undersigned, in submitting the accompanying bid:

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**(Bid Number and Description)**

in response to the invitation for the bid made by:

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**(Name of Institution)**

do hereby make the following statements that I certify to be true and complete in every respect:

I certify, on behalf of: \_\_\_\_\_ that:

**(Name of Bidder)**

1. I have read and I understand the contents of this Certificate.
2. I understand that the accompanying bid will be disqualified if this Certificate is found not to be true and complete in every respect.
3. I am authorized by the bidder to sign this Certificate, and to submit the accompanying bid, on behalf of the bidder.
4. Each person whose signature appears on the accompanying bid has been authorized by the bidder to determine the terms of, and to sign the bid, on behalf of the bidder.
5. For the purposes of this Certificate and the accompanying bid, I understand that the word "competitor" shall include any individual or organization, other than the bidder, whether or not affiliated with the bidder, who:



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- (a) has been requested to submit a bid in response to this bid invitation;
  - (b) could potentially submit a bid in response to this bid invitation, based on their qualifications, abilities or experience; and
  - (c) provides the same goods and services as the bidder and/or is in the same line of business as the bidder.
6. 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 consortium<sup>3</sup> will not be construed as collusive bidding.
7. In particular, without limiting the generality of paragraphs 6 above, there has been no consultation, communication, agreement or arrangement with any competitor regarding:
  - (a) prices;
  - (b) geographical area where product or service will be rendered (market allocation)
  - (c) methods, factors or formulas used to calculate prices;
  - (d) the intention or decision to submit or not to submit, a bid;
  - (e) the submission of a bid which does not meet the specifications and conditions of the bid; or
  - (f) bidding with the intention not to win the bid.
8. In addition, there have been no consultations, communications, agreements or arrangements with any competitor regarding the quality, quantity, specifications and conditions or delivery particulars of the products or services to which this bid invitation relates.
9. 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.

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



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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

<sup>3</sup> 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.

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.

Name of Bidder	Signature	Date	Position



PA-36: DECLARATION CERTIFICATE FOR LOCAL PRODUCTION AND CONTENT FOR DESIGNATED SECTORS

This Standard Bidding Document (SBD) must form part of all bids invited. It contains general information and serves as a declaration form for local content (local production and local content are used interchangeably).

Before completing this declaration, bidders must study the General Conditions, Definitions, Directives applicable in respect of Local Content as prescribed in the Preferential Procurement Regulations, 2017, the South African Bureau of Standards (SABS) approved technical specification number SATS 1286:2011 (Edition 1) and the Guidance on the Calculation of Local Content together with the Local Content Declaration Templates [Annex C (Local Content Declaration: Summary Schedule), D (Imported Content Declaration: Supporting Schedule to Annex C) and E (Local Content Declaration: Supporting Schedule to Annex C)].

1. General Conditions

- 1.1. Preferential Procurement Regulations, 2017 (Regulation 8) make provision for the promotion of local production and content.
1.2. Regulation 8.(2) prescribes that in the case of designated sectors, organs of state must advertise such tenders with the specific bidding condition that only locally produced or manufactured goods, with a stipulated minimum threshold for local production and content will be considered.
1.3. Where necessary, for tenders referred to in paragraph 1.2 above, a two stage bidding process may be followed, where the first stage involves a minimum threshold for local production and content and the second stage price and B-BBEE.
1.4. A person awarded a contract in relation to a designated sector, may not sub-contract in such a manner that the local production and content of the overall value of the contract is reduced to below the stipulated minimum threshold.
1.5. The local content (LC) expressed as a percentage of the bid price must be calculated in accordance with the SABS approved technical specification number SATS 1286: 2011 as follows:

LC = [1 - x / y] \* 100

Where

- x is the imported content in Rand
y is the bid price in Rand excluding value added tax (VAT)

Prices referred to in the determination of x must be converted to Rand (ZAR) by using the exchange rate published by South African Reserve Bank (SARB) at 12:00 on the date of advertisement of the bid as indicated in paragraph 4.1 below.

The SABS approved technical specification number SATS 1286:2011 is accessible or http://www.thedti.gov.za/industrial development/ip.jsp at no cost.



- 1.6. A bid may be disqualified if this Declaration Certificate and the Annex C (Local Content Declaration: Summary Schedule) are not submitted as part of the bid documentation;
2. The stipulated minimum threshold(s) for local production and content (refer to Annex A of SATS 1286:2011) for this bid is/are as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Description of services, works or goods; Stipulated minimum threshold. Row 1: UNIFORM, 100%

- 3. Does any portion of the goods or services offered have any imported content? (Tick applicable box)

Form with YES and NO checkboxes

- 3.1 If yes, the rate(s) of exchange to be used in this bid to calculate the local content as prescribed in paragraph 1.5 of the general conditions must be the rate(s) published by SARB for the specific currency at 12:00 on the date of advertisement of the bid.

The relevant rates of exchange information is accessible on www.reservebank.co.za

Indicate the rate(s) of exchange against the appropriate currency in the table below (refer to Annex A of SATS 1286:2011):

Table with 2 columns: Currency, Rates of exchange. Rows: US Dollar, Pound Sterling, Euro, Yen, Other

NB: Bidders must submit proof of the SARB rate (s) of exchange used.

- 4. Where, after the award of a bid, challenges are experienced in meeting the stipulated minimum threshold for local content the dti must be informed accordingly in order for the dti to verify and in consultation with the AO/AA provide directives in this regard.





LOCAL CONTENT DECLARATION (REFER TO ANNEX B OF SATS 1286:2011)

LOCAL CONTENT DECLARATION BY CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER OR OTHER LEGALLY RESPONSIBLE PERSON NOMINATED IN WRITING BY THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OR SENIOR MEMBER/PERSON WITH MANAGEMENT RESPONSIBILITY (CLOSE CORPORATION, PARTNERSHIP OR INDIVIDUAL)

IN RESPECT OF BID NO. PEHQ /2021.....

ISSUED BY: (Procurement Authority / Name of Institution): NDPW

NB

- 1 The obligation to complete, duly sign and submit this declaration cannot be transferred to an external authorized representative, auditor or any other third party acting on behalf of the bidder.
2 Guidance on the Calculation of Local Content together with Local Content Declaration Templates (Annex C, D and E) is accessible on http://www.thdti.gov.za/industrial\_development/ip.jsp. Bidders should first complete Declaration D. After completing Declaration D, bidders should complete Declaration E and then consolidate the information on Declaration C. Declaration C should be submitted with the bid documentation at the closing date and time of the bid in order to substantiate the declaration made in paragraph (c) below. Declarations D and E should be kept by the bidders for verification purposes for a period of at least 5 years. The successful bidder is required to continuously update Declarations C, D and E with the actual values for the duration of the contract.

I, the undersigned, ..... (full names), do hereby declare, in my capacity as ..... of .....(name of bidder entity), the following:

- (a) The facts contained herein are within my own personal knowledge.
(b) I have satisfied myself that:
(i) the goods/services/works to be delivered in terms of the above-specified bid comply with the minimum local content requirements as specified in the bid, and as measured in terms of SATS 1286:2011; and
(c) The local content percentage (%) indicated below has been calculated using the formula given in clause 3 of SATS 1286:2011, the rates of exchange indicated in paragraph 4.1 above and the information contained in Declaration D and E which has been consolidated in Declaration C:

Table with 2 columns: Description and Value. Rows include Bid price, Imported content, Stipulated minimum threshold for local content, and Local content %.

If the bid is for more than one product, the local content percentages for each



**product contained in Declaration C shall be used instead of the table above. The local content percentages for each product has been calculated using the formula given in clause 3 of SATS 1286:2011, the rates of exchange indicated in paragraph 4.1 above and the information contained in Declaration D and E.**

- (d) I accept that the Procurement Authority / Institution has the right to request that the local content be verified in terms of the requirements of SATS 1286:2011.
- (e) I understand that the awarding of the bid is dependent on the accuracy of the information furnished in this application. I also understand that the submission of incorrect data, or data that are not verifiable as described in SATS 1286:2011, may result in the Procurement Authority / Institution imposing any or all of the remedies as provided for in Regulation 14 of the Preferential Procurement Regulations, 2017 promulgated under the Preferential Policy Framework Act (PPPFA), 2000 (Act No. 5 of 2000).

**SIGNATURE:** \_\_\_\_\_ **DATE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**WITNESS No. 1** \_\_\_\_\_ **DATE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**WITNESS No. 2** \_\_\_\_\_ **DATE:** \_\_\_\_\_



## PA- 40: DECLARATION OF DESIGNATED GROUPS FOR PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT

Name of Tenderer .....

EME<sup>1</sup>  QSE<sup>2</sup>  Non EME/QSE (tick applicable box)

### 1. LIST ALL PROPRIETORS, MEMBERS OR SHAREHOLDERS BY NAME, IDENTITY NUMBER, CITIZENSHIP AND DESIGNATED GROUPS.

Name and Surname #	Identity/ Passport number and Citizenship##	Percentage owned	Black	Indicate if youth	Indicate if woman	Indicate if person with disability	Indicate if living in Rural (R) / Under Developed Area (UD) / Township (T) / Urban (U).	Indicate if military veteran
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# Where Owners are themselves a Company, Close Corporation, Partnership etc, identify the ownership of the Holding Company, together with Registration number  
## State date of South African citizenship obtained (not applicable to persons born in South Africa)

<sup>1</sup> EME: Exempted Micro Enterprise

<sup>2</sup> QSE: Qualifying Small Business Enterprise

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### 2. DECLARATION:

The undersigned, who warrants that he/she is duly authorized to do so on behalf of the Tenderer, hereby confirms that:

- 1 The information and particulars contained in this Affidavit are true and correct in all respects;
- 2 The Broad-based Black Economic Empowerment Act, 2003 (Act 53 of 2003), Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act, 2000 (Act 5 of 2000), the Preferential Procurement Regulations, 2017, National Small Business Act 102 of 1996 as amended and all documents pertaining to this Tender were studied and understood and that the above form was completed according to the definitions and information contained in said documents;
- 3 The Tenderer understands that any intentional misrepresentation or fraudulent information provided herein shall disqualify the Tenderer's offer herein, as well as any other tender offer(s) of the Tenderer simultaneously being evaluated, or will entitle the Employer to cancel any Contract resulting from the Tenderer's offer herein;
- 4 The Tenderer accepts that the Employer may exercise any other remedy it may have in law and in the Contract, including a claim for damages for having to accept a less favourable tender as a result of any such disqualification due to misrepresentation or fraudulent information provided herein;
- 5 Any further documentary proof required by the Employer regarding the information provided herein, will be submitted to the Employer within the time period as may be set by the latter;

**Signed by the Tenderer**

<b>Name of representative</b>	<b>Signature</b>
	<b>Date</b>



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**1. PROJECT DESCRIPTION**

**Site:** Port Alfred Magistrate’s Office  
**Service:** horticultural maintenance  
**Period:** 24 months

**2. SCOPE**

The contractor will be responsible maintenance for the following

- Bedding plants
- Hard Surfaces
- Lawn and Grass areas
- Pest Control on plants
- Refuse removal
- Tree maintenance
- Verge area outside the facility sometimes referred to as municipal territory up to roadway.

Table. 1

LAWN	OPEN GROUND	PAVING	PLANTING	WILD GRASS	TOTAL AREA
1200m <sup>2</sup>	n/a	300m <sup>2</sup>	400m <sup>2</sup>	1200m <sup>2</sup>	4000m <sup>2</sup>

**3. CONDITIONS**

**A. Personnel**

1) Labour Requirements

The contractor is to appoint a minimum of **1 (one) groundsman**

The contractor shall ensure the stipulated staff quota on site to execute tasks on a regular work day basis; with no diverting of allocated groundsman to any other work.

The stipulated staff is a minimum, and in the event that the there is an inability to complete work in the time frames specified , the contractor will be responsible for additional resources as required to meet the specified obligations at no additional costs to the department.

All officials on site shall be in their safety clothing (continental suit and safety shoes) at all times while on duty they shall be presentable and clearly identifiable, non-compliance will result in the official being immediately removed from site by project manager or delegated official.

2) Labour Relations

For appointment of groundsman, service providers are to adhere to Basic Conditions of Employment Act No.75 of 1997 Sectoral Determination1: Contract Cleaners of South Africa.

The above Determination shall be used in conjunction with all other relevant legislation and labour laws of the Republic of South Africa.

Service providers may be asked to produce required documents at any point in the contract for all officials working on the client premises.

3) Service Times

The service shall be limited to a 45 hour work week between Monday to Friday.





## **B. Administration**

### 1) Transport

The service provider shall include the transportation costs for refuse removal; travel to service site for labour, equipment, material and site meetings with project manager.

The quoted costs must cover the duration of the contract period.

## **C. Supply of Resources and Storage**

### 1) Supply of Equipment and Materials

The contractor shall be responsible for the supply and maintenance of equipment and materials required for providing of the service at the required standard and department has the right to accept or reject any of these items.

Equipment used for any part of the service shall comply with regulations of machinery as stipulated in the Occupational Health and safety Act (Act 85 of 1993).

The department can where possible provide storage space for storage of equipment free of charge to the contractor.

Should there be an unavailability of space, then the contractor will be required to remove their equipment from the site.

The department has the right to inspect the allocated space and upon discretion cancel the arrangement.

### 2) Consumables

The contractor is at own cost responsible for supply of all consumable items (including plastic refuse bags and toilet paper) that are necessary for the supplying of effective services.

The Department has the right to accept or reject any of these items.

### 3) Power and water supply

No electricity will be provided to the contractors for the operation of equipment.

The department shall as available at existing points supply water for operational purposes to the contractor free of charge.

The contractor is to consult with the local municipality to establish the status of water restrictions and in the event that restrictions are in place they are to convey the information to the project manager within two (2) days.

In the event of water restrictions, the contractor may upon own discretion make its own arrangements in supplying water without the right of recourse against the department.

## **D. Safety**

### 1) Signage

The contractor is to supply neat warning signs which are to be of a size and design to be easily recognisable to the general public.

The signs are to be used wherever work is in progress, more especially hazardous work to alert all persons using the facility and surrounds.

The warning signs are to be made in English and another local language, and shall be used for the term of the contract.



## 2). Hazardous Chemicals and Tasks

The contractor shall not store or use poisons, flammable chemicals and materials on the property without the written consent of the department.

In the event that some tasks are deemed hazardous to the wellbeing of occupants as well as visitors to facility; such tasks will be avoided until the risk can be averted.

Measures used to mitigate risk shall not pose further financial implication to the department.

## **E. Service Responsibilities**

The successful service provider must:

- i) Ensure that fair labour practices are complied with.
- ii) Indemnify, protect, defend and hold harmless the Department from and against any and all claims, demands, actions and proceedings whatsoever including all fees, costs and expenses incurred in respect thereof and arising out of:
  - (1) Any claim in respect of the Compensation for Occupational Injuries and Diseases Act 1997 (WCA) or for any loss for which the Contractor is liable.
- iii) Supply the labour force to render the service in terms of the specification. This labour force is to conduct itself in an efficient and professional manner in carrying out their duties and keep disturbances to the occupants of the building to a minimum.
  - (1) Ensure that EPWP labour reports and registers are submitted monthly together with invoice.
- iv) Ensure that a meeting between the service provider and a project leader of the DPW takes place once a month.
- v) Ensure that replacement staff is available at all times (for e.g. absences, industrial actions etc.) The service provider must ensure that all its contracted staff adhere to the daily starting and ending times for the specified services.
- vi) Keep the facilities provided by the DPW clean and tidy.
- vii) Comply with the facility/site's security and emergency policies and procedures.
- viii) Ensure that all staff employed are issued with protective clothing with the company's logo embroidered on worksuit, as well as nametags.
- ix) Accept responsibility and liability for the safekeeping of its equipment on the premises provided by the DPW.
- x) Not store or use poisons, flammable chemicals and materials on the property without the written consent of the department.



#### **4. SPECIFICATION**

##### **A. Agricultural Remedies**

###### 1) Composting

Compost supplied is to be free of stones, disease/virus and weeds as well as odours that are regarded as noxious or pose nuisance, with a sample provided for approval by the project manager.

The compost shall be spread as a cover over the planting area/required area comprising of a layer 30mm, and shall not cause damage to plants.

The compost shall be dug into the soil to a depth of 250mm-300mm to mix thoroughly with the soil.

This is to be done at the request of the project manager, with intervals of twelve (12) months

###### 2) Fertilizing

The contractor is to ensure that the area to be fertilized is watered before and after fertilizing sufficiently to avoid burning the plants.

###### a) Granules

Granular controlled release or slow release fertilizer shall be applied at a rate of 30g per m<sup>2</sup> on the lawn every third (3<sup>rd</sup>) month.

###### b) Pellets

An organic fertilizer (pellets) shall be applied 30g per m<sup>2</sup> for bedding plants every third (3<sup>rd</sup>) month.

###### 3) Mulching

Mulch supplied will be bark chips 40mm-60mm for tree pits and 30mm-50mm for planting areas; it is to be free of stones, disease/virus and weeds and to the project manager's satisfaction.

The mulch shall be spread as a cover over the required area comprising of a layer 20mm at regular intervals of twelve (12) months and watered thoroughly.

The contractor shall avoid having the mulch touch up against the stems of any plants where possible.

###### 4) Pest Control

###### a) Vegetation

The weed shall be removed mechanically from the affected area, with no use of any herbicides.

##### **B. Miscellaneous**

###### 1) Hard Surfaces

###### a) Sweeping

All hard surfaces and drainage channels shall be swept clean of all debris on a once (1) weekly basis or as required.

###### 2) Lawn Maintenance

Supplementary horticultural practices shall be carried out once every twelve (12) months or at the project manager's discretion over all lawn areas.



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After all maintenance work has been carried out the surface shall be well drenched with water

## a) Top-dressing

Medium shall be a mixture of compost and fine river sand free of stones and weeds. Top dressing shall be applied as a complete 10mm cover over the surface of lawn and levelled off to even out surfaces.

## b) Transplanting

All damaged areas on turf shall be replaced with sods or stolons of the same species and quality of turf as soon as they appear.

## 3) Refuse

The contractor will remove all refuse (this is to include all foreign objects such as paper, plastic, glass, stones, leaves) shall be collected and removed from site on a weekly basis.

- Refuse unattended beyond the stipulated time frame or not in refuse bags and not in refuse area shall be regarded as dumping.

All costs of refuse disposal at an approved municipal dump site shall be included in the quoted price.

Where refuse is stored on site for collection, it shall be out of site and not cause any nuisance, the contractor is to communicate with project manager as to areas which may be used for refuse storage.

- **The refuse bins on site are at no point to be used for garden refuse unless provided by the service provider.**

## 4) Tree Maintenance

### a) Staking

Trees shall be supported with an appropriate wooden stake(s) which shall be:

- 30mm-40mm wider than the stem girth, and tied with a rubber tie or wire strung through a hose to the approval of the project manager.
- Stakes are to be 10mm-15mm higher than the apex of the specimen
- The stake shall be sturdy enough to support the tree in heavy winds and ensure the tree is positioned straight in calmer days.
- The staking shall cause no harm to the tree at any point, and the trees will be inspected once every month, although the contractor will remedy any stakes coming undone as soon as they appear.

### b) Tree Pits/Basins

Tree pits shall be maintained at 300mm around trunk/stem around the younger trees and 70mm-100mm deep, the soil around the stem shall not form a mound around stem and roots shall not be exposed unnecessarily.

Mulch shall be spread in the basin as a cover of 20mm-40mm.

### c) Tree Replacement

In the event where trees need to be replaced due to negligence on the contractor's part, this shall be recorded and communicated with the project manager as to approve of the specie, condition and size of the tree to be replaced.



#### 5) Mowing

A single mowing cycle shall comprise of mowing, edging, raking all grassed surfaces on the facility and removal of the clippings from the mown areas.

The areas described as "wild grass" and "lawn" will be communicated between service provider and project manager on site.

All foreign objects shall be removed from the turf before starting operation.

The blades of the turf are to be cut at a height of 10mm-20mm using only a rotary mower with a grass collection box fitted to it, only in the event that the lawn is not reasonably level, or it would be steeply sloped and impractical to use a wheeled lawn mowers to ensure even cut will there be consideration of other implements.

This height stipulation may be altered due to specie requirements

The turf shall be cut at regular intervals of once (1) every week from the period 1 September to 30 April, and once (1) every second (2<sup>nd</sup>) week from 1 May to 31 August.

The edges shall be neatly trimmed in conjunction with the mowing programme using a line to keep the edges straight in sections requiring so.

The equipment used in edging shall be limited to equipment ensuring even, neat and vertical edges avoiding the widening of gaps along sidewalks, bedding or roads.

Clippings may not remain on mown surface overnight and shall be removed on the same day of operation.

All areas to be cut are to be cut within three (3) days of beginning the mowing cycle.

The grassed area shall be maintained to the satisfaction of the project manager.

Equipment used in the mowing programme shall be in good working condition to give a professional cut.

An acceptable lawn shall be free of ridges, have an even surface, no lines and clippings. The service provider shall ensure sufficient and suitable implements so as to keep within time frames of the task.

Should the need for additional resources to carry out the task arise to keep within the time frames, the service provider shall ensure contractual obligations are achieved at no additional cost to the department.

The proposed intervals will be reviewed as per growth rate and prevailing weather conditions dictate and are to be communicated with project manager on an ongoing basis.

#### 6) Pruning

The plants shall be pruned in accordance to season and plant species.

Healthy plants are not to be cut unless otherwise instructed by the project manager.

The equipment used is to be in good working condition with sharp blades and sterilized so as to be free of pathogens.

All refuse generated from the pruning shall be removed from site immediately after operation.

Broken and dead branches shall be pruned as soon as they are noticed.



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The contractor shall communicate with the project manager before, to avoid excessive pruning of plants which shall be carried out once (1) every three (3) months.

## a) Bedding

Shrubs and perennials with vigorous growth shall be pruned to maintain good shape and encourage growth.

## b) Trees

All trees growing on the property which are accessible with a pole pruner or equivalent implement, not in excess of height of 5 m and a diameter of 40 mm, shall be maintained by the contractor to display a good quality specimen which shall have the following traits:

- Single main stem growing from the ground.
- Depending on the size, the lower 25-40% shall be free of lateral branches.
- No multi stems or water shoots arising from the soil shall be accepted and are to be pruned as soon as they emerge.

All trees requiring pruning shall be done so as not to damage property and furthermore the specimen itself.

The pruned appendage shall not:

- Have jagged edges
- Tears in the bark
- Die back from improper pruning technique
- Disease from improper pruning and sub standard equipment.

The pruned appendages shall be treated immediately with a sealant or approved solution to prevent exposure of the wound to disease and virus.

The solution shall be applied as per the product label.

Palm trees where present are to be pruned so as to produce a "V" shaped crown and remove all the dead fronds as close as possible to the trunk.

## 7) Plant Maintenance

### a) Planting

Plants provided shall be kept in good condition until such time as they are planted, after which they shall form part of the maintenance contract and cared for accordingly.

Plant material for new areas and changing of annual plants; shall not include the replacing of plants which have died due to negligence of the service provider; such instance shall be remedied at the service providers own expense.

Plants provided shall be to the requirements and approval of the project manager.

Planting shall only be carried out at the project manager's request.

Plants provided are to display

- Vigour in growth within bags
- Be free of pests and disease



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- Bags are free of weeds and stones
- Specified size
- True to species

All areas for planting shall be demarcated and prepared beforehand with required fertilizers and composts with holes 70% larger than planting bag

All planting shall meet the time frames specified by the project manager for the duration of the contract.

### b) Transplanting

Plants requiring transplanting shall be done so as per their seasonal and specie requirements. The contractor shall communicate with the project manager before transplanting any plants. This shall form part of the contract agreement and carried out on a monthly basis when required.

Transplanting shall be carried out to control overgrowth, and bare patches where plants have died will need to be replaced with same/similar species included in the maintenance cost as part of the contract agreement.

Plants which have died due to negligence shall be replaced at contractors own cost.

Specimens shall be to project manager's approval.

Bare and open patches shall be planted up as per the project manager's discretion.

### 8) Irrigation

Irrigation is to be done on lawn and bedding areas at regular intervals in addition with natural rainfall.

Care shall be taken so as to not over water lawn and bedding areas to create mud pools and excess run-off of water on the property, more especially after heavy rains.

#### a) Bedding

The bedding areas are to be watered a minimum of once (1) a week the soil should be moist and not drenched, to a depth of 25mm-40mm below soil surface

#### b) Lawn

The lawn is to be watered a minimum of once (1) a week, the soil should be moist and not drenched, to a depth of 10mm-15mm below soil surface.



## 5. SCHEDULES

### A. Equipment

Table 2: Implements

suitable eyewear	1
hose pipe suitable length	1
nozzle sprayer	1
sprinkler head	1
tap connectors	1
brush cutter (with harness)	1
rotary mower with grass collection box	1
visor (facial protection)	1
bow saw	1
broom	1
fan rake	1
fork	1
hedge shears	1
lopper	1
planters spade	1
secateur	1
spade	1
continental suit for each official on site	2
gloves (for all work) each official on site	1
safety shoes for each official on site(toe cap)	1





**B. Bill of Quantities**

Annexure A

ROW	DESCRIPTION	CALCULATION	Yr1	Yr2
1	Basic salary - hourly rate that must not be less than that published in terms Sectoral Determination 1: Contract Cleaners of South Africa	R21.77		
2	Groundsman	1		
3	Total cost per month	hourly rate x 9 hours per day x 5 days per week x 4,33 weeks per month		
4	Annual leave provision (pro rata per month) based on minimum determined days per year.	15 days per year ÷ 12 months x hourly rate x 9 hours per days		
5	Sick Leave (pro rata per month) based on minimum determined days per year	10 days per year ÷ 12 months x hourly rate x 9 hours per day		
6	Family Responsibility Leave (pro rata per month) based on minimum determined days per year	3 days per year ÷ 12 months x hourly rate x 9 hours per day		
7	Unemployment Insurance Fund (UIF)	1% of basic monthly salary		
9	Bonus	annual bonus ÷ 12 months		
10	Workman's Compensation: (COIDA)	1.71% of total monthly wage		
11	Skills Development Levy	1% of monthly wage	n/a	n/a
12	Any other allowance/s and or employers contributions must be specified			
13	Monthly cost per groundsman	the total of items 3-12		
14	Cost for ALL personnel (monthly)	The total in row 13 x 1 groundsman		
15	<b>Total Cost for all personnel per year</b>	the total of items in row 14 x 12 months		



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ROW	ITEM	DESCRIPTION	QUANTITY	UNIT	Yr1	Yr2
16	Compost		12	m <sup>3</sup>		
17	Fertilizer	slow release	50	kg		
18	Fertilizer	organic fertilizer	400	kg		
19	Mulch		8	m <sup>3</sup>		
20	Top Dress		33	m <sup>3</sup>		
21	Pest Control			m <sup>2</sup>	n/a	n/a
22	<b>Sub-total</b>					
23	Administration	Administration incl: Liabilities insurance, Telephones and Stationary, PPE and Uniform for (12) twelve months / a year				
24	Machinery	Machinery running cost shall include fuel, service and cutting of lawn/grass for a period of 12 months				
25	Transport	Transport Cost: will incl. collection of refuse, transportation of material, equipment, site visit monthly for a period of 12 months				
26	Planting	Provision for replacement of plants			R6,500.00	R3,500.00
27	<b>Sub-Total</b>	Total Cost per year	item 15+22+23+24 +25+26			
28	Profit	Profit				
29	VAT	Vat				
30	<b>TOTAL</b>	Bid for 12 months	Item 27 to 29			
31	<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	Combined total for Yr1 and Yr2				

- Bidder to fully complete Annexure A
- Price on row 31 to be carried over to Form of Offer.