

public works & infrastructure

Department: Public Works and Infrastructure REPUBLIC OF SOUTHAFRICA

QUOTATION DOCUMENT

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

BISHO MASTER OF THE HIGH COURT AND KING WILLIAMS TOWN MAGISTRATES OFFICES PROVISION OF CLEANING SERVICES FOR A PERIOD OF FIVE (05) MONTHS

QUOTATION NO: SIX 12/04/2023

Closing Date: Monday, 10 July 2023

Time: 11h00

Tenderers CSD No:

Name of the Tenderer:

Bid Box Address:

Department of Public Works & Infrastructure Eben Donges Building Hancock Street, North End

SCM SPECIFIC ENQUIRIES:

Enquires: Ms Sharon De Kock

Tel No: **041 408 2156** during office hours

Email Address: Sharon.DeKock@dpw.gov.za

TECHNICAL / PROJECT SPECIFIC ENQUIRIES

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PA-03 (GC): NOTICE AND INVITATION FOR QUOTATION

THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS AND INFRASTRUCTURE INVITES QUOTATIONS FOR THE PROVISION OF THE BELOW GOODS AND SERVICES:

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Closing time:	11h00	Validity period:	30 Calendar days

1. RESPONSIVENESS CRITERIA

2.1 Substantive responsiveness criteria

Only tenderers who are responsive to the following substantive responsiveness criteria are eligible to submit tenders. Failure to comply with the criteria stated hereunder <u>shall</u> result in the tender offer being disqualified from further consideration:

1.	\boxtimes	Only those tenderers who satisfy the eligibility criteria stated in the Tender Data may submit quotations.
2.		Quotation offer must be properly received on the quotation closing date and time specified on the invitation, fully completed either electronically (if issued in electronic format), or by writing legibly in non-erasable ink.
3.	\boxtimes	Use of correction fluid is prohibited.
4.	\boxtimes	DPW-07 (FM): Form of Offer and Acceptance
5.		Submission of DPW-16 (EC): Site Inspection Meeting Certificate.
6.		Submission of DPW-21 (EC): Record of Addenda to tender documents.
7.		All parts of tender documents submitted must be fully completed in ink and signed where required
8.		Registration on National Treasury's Central Supplier Database.
9.	\boxtimes	Special Conditions of a Bid will apply.
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2.2 Administrative responsiveness criteria

The Employer reserves the right to request further information regarding the undermentioned criteria. Failing to submit further clarification and/or documentation within seven (7) calendar days from request or as specifically indicated, will disqualify the tender offer from further consideration.

Any correction to be initialled by the person authorised to sign the tender per PA 15.1 or PA 15.2 resolution of board/s of directors / or PA15.3 Spe Consortia or JV's.	
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2.	\boxtimes	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.
3.	\boxtimes	Submission of (PA-11): Bidder's disclosure.
4.	\boxtimes	Submission of (PA 40): Declaration of Designated Groups for Preferential Procurement.
5.	\boxtimes	Submission of proof of Registration on National Treasury's Central Supplier Database (CSD).
6.	\boxtimes	Submission of (PA-10): General Conditions of Contract.
7.	\boxtimes	Special Conditions of a Bid will apply
8.		Specify other responsiveness criteria

2. Point Scoring applicable for this bid

\boxtimes	80/20 points scoring system	

3. Method to be used to calculate points for specific goals

Serial No	Specific Goals	Preference Points allocated out of 20	Documentation to be submitted by bidders to validate their claim for points	
1.	An EME or QSE which is at least 51% owned by black people (Mandatory).	10	 SANAS Accredited BBBEE Certificate or swor affidavit where applicable. 	
2.	Located in Buffalo City Metropolitan Municipality for services to be rendered in that area (Mandatory).	2	 Official Municipal Rates Statement which is the name of the bidder. Or Any Account or statement which is in the name of the bidder. Or Permission to Occupy from local chief in case or rural areas (PTO) which is in the name of the bidder. Or Lease Agreement which is in the name of the bidder. 	
3.	An EME or QSE which is at least 51% owned by women (Mandatory).	4	SANAS Accredited BBBEE Certificate or swo affidavit where applicable.	
4.	An EME or QSE which is at least 51% owned by people with disability (Mandatory).	2	 SANAS Accredited BBBEE Certificate or sword affidavit where applicable. and Medical Certificate indicating that the disabilities permanent. Or South African Social Security Agency (SASSA registration indicating that the disability permanent. Or 	



			National Council for Persons with Physical Disability in South Africa registration (NCPPDSA).
5.	An EME or QSE which is at least 51% owned by youth (Mandatory).	2	ID Copy and SANAS Accredited BBBEE Certificate or sworn affidavit where applicable.

\boxtimes	Alternatively; quotation documents may be collected during working hours at the following address Dept. of Public Works & Infrastructure, Corner Hancock & Robertson Street, Eben Donges Building, North End. <i>Gqeberha</i> , 6056.
\boxtimes	Quotation documents are available for collection during working hours

5. SITE INSPECTION MEETING

Compulsory briefing session will be held in respect of this quotation.

The particulars for compulsory briefing session or virtual briefing session (if applicable) are:

Venue:	N/A		
Virtual meeting Link:	N/A		
Date:	N/A	Starting time:	N/A

6. **ENQUIRIES**

Enquiries related to tender documents may be addressed to:

DPWI Project Manager:	Ms Zukiswa Sixaba	Telephone no:	041 408 2014
Cellular phone no:	082 610 3000	Fax no:	
E-mail:	-mail: Zukiswa.Sixaba@dpw.gov.za		

7. DEPOSIT / RETURN OF QUOTATION 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 Tender Data.

All tenders must be completed in non-erasable ink and submitted on the official forms – (forms not to be re-typed).

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Tender documents may be posted to:

The Regional Manager
Department of Public Works and Infrastructure
Corner Hancock & Robertson Street, Eben
Donges Building, North End. Gqeberha,
6056

Deposited in the tender box at:

OR

The Regional Manager
Department of Public Works and Infrastructure
Corner Hancock & Robertson Street, Eben
Donges Building, North End
Gqeberha,



FORM OF OFFER (DPW-07)



DPW-07: FORM OF OFFER AND ACCEPTANCE

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

BISHO MASTER OF THE HIGH COURT AND KING WILLIAMS TOWN MAGISTRATES OFFICES PROVISION OF CLEANING SERVICES FOR A PERIOD OF FIVE (05) 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:

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Rand (in words):			
Rand in figures:	R		
The award of the tender may considered for acceptance as		with the	e preferred tender(s). The negotiated and agreed price will be
and returning one copy of tender data, whereupon to contract identified in the contract identified in	f this document to the Tend he Tenderer becomes the pontract data.	erer b party i	acceptance part of this form of offer and acceptance before the end of the period of validity stated in the named as the Service Provider in the conditions of TITY: (cross out block which is not applicable)
Company or Close Corpora			Natural Person or Partnership:
And: Whose Registration Number is:			Whose Identity Number(s) is/are:
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And: Whose Income Tax Reference Number is:			Whose Income Tax Reference Number is/are:
CSD supplier number:			CSD supplier number:
	AND WHO	IS (if a	applicable):
Trading under the name an	nd style of:		
	ANI) WHC) IS:
Represented herein, and w	ho is duly authorised to do so,		Note:
Mr/Mrs/Ms:			A Resolution / Power of Attorney, signed by all the Directors / Member / Partners of the Legal Entity must accompany this Offer, authorising the
In his/her capacity as:			Representative to make this offer.

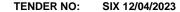




SIGNED FOR THE TENDERER:			_	
Name of representative	Sig	nature	Date	
Tender no: SIX 12/04/2023				
WITNESSED BY:				
Name of witness	Sig	nature	Date	Э
This Offer is in respect of: (Please indicate with an appropriate block) The official documents The official alternative Own alternative (only if documentation makes prov				
SECURITY OFFERED: (Not required for this quotation	n/ bid)	(N.B.: Separate Offer a are to be completed fo each alternative offer)		
The Service Provider will provide one of the following for	orms of security:			
(1) Cash deposit of 2.5% of the Contract Sum (ex	cl. VAT)		Yes 🗌	No 🖂
(2) Variable guarantee of 2.5% of the Contract Su	ım (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	e Contract Sum (exc	il. VAT)	Yes 🗌	No 🖂
NB. Guarantees submitted must be issued by either an interm Insurance Act, 1998 (Act 35 of 1998) or by a bank 1990) on the pro-forma referred to above. No alterations accepted.	duly registered in te	rms of the Banks Act, 1	990 (Act 94 o	f
The Tenderer elects as its domicilium citandi et exclegal notices may be served, as (physical address)		oublic of South Africa	, where any	and all
Other Contact Details of the Tenderer are:				
	Cellular Phone No.			
Fax No.	ochalar i none ivo.			
Postal address				
Banker		nch		
Bank Account No. Branch Code				
Registration No of Tenderer at Department of Labo	our			

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 (where applicable) 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 si	ignatory	Signature	Date	
Name of Organisation:	Department of	f Public Works		
Address of Organisation:				
WITNESSED BY:			Ι	

Signature

Date

Name of witness



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Schedule of Deviations

1.1.1. Subject:
Detail:
1.1.2. Subject:
Detail:
1.1.3. Subject:
Detail:
1.1.4. Subject:
Detail:
1.1.5. Subject:
Detail:
1.1.6. Subject:
Detail:

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.



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PA-11: BIDDER'S DISCLOSURE

1. **PURPOSE OF THE FORM**

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

Where a person/s are listed in the Register for Tender Defaulters and / or the List of Restricted Suppliers.

	that person will automatically b	be disqualified from the bid process.	a / or the Liet of Resulting Suppliers,	
2.	BIDDER'S DECLARATION			
2.1		ctors / trustees / shareholders / memb terprise, employed by the state?	pers / partners or any person having	
2.1.1		e names, individual identity numbers ectors / trustees / shareholders / mer erprise, in table below.		
Ful	l Name	Identity Number	Name of State institution	
alterr		group of persons holding the maje deciding vote or power to influence		
words	Any reference to words "Bid" or Bidder" herein and/or in any other documentation shall be construed to have the same meaning as the words "Tender" or "Tenderer". For External Use			



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2.2.1	If so, furnish particulars:
2.3	Does the bidder or any of its directors / trustees / shareholders / members / partners or any person having a controlling interest in the enterprise have any interest in any other related enterprise whether or not they are bidding for this contract?
	☐ YES ☐ NO
2.3.1	If so, furnish particulars:
3.	DECLARATION
.	I, the undersigned, (name) in submitting the accompanying bid, do hereby make the following statements that I declare to be true and complete in every respect:
3.1	I have read and I understand the contents of this disclosure;
3.2	I understand that the accompanying bid will be disqualified if this disclosure is found not to be true and complete in every respect;
3.3	The bidder has arrived at the accompanying bid independently from, and without consultation communication, agreement or arrangement with any competitor. However, communication between partners in a joint venture or consortium ⁴ will not be construed as collusive bidding.
3.4	In addition, there have been no consultations, communications, agreements or arrangements with any competitor regarding the quality, quantity, specifications, prices, including methods, factors or formulas used to calculate prices, market allocation, the intention or decision to submit or not to submit the bid bidding with the intention not to win the bid and conditions or delivery particulars of the products of services to which this bid invitation relates.
3.5	The terms of the accompanying bid have not been, and will not be, disclosed by the bidder, directly or indirectly, to any competitor, prior to the date and time of the official bid opening or of the awarding of the contract.
3.6	There have been no consultations, communications, agreements or arrangements made by the bidder with any official of the procuring institution in relation to this procurement process prior to and during the bidding process except to provide clarification on the bid submitted where so required by the institution; and the bidder was not involved in the drafting of the specifications or terms of reference for this bid.

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Any reference to words "Bid" or Bidder" herein and/or in any other documentation shall be construed to have the same meaning as the words "Tender" or "Tenderer".

For External Use





3.7 I am aware that, in addition and without prejudice to any other remedy provided to combat any restrictive practices related to bids and contracts, bids that are suspicious will be reported to the Competition Commission for investigation and possible imposition of administrative penalties in terms of section 59 of the Competition Act No 89 of 1998 and or may be reported to the National Prosecuting Authority (NPA) for criminal investigation and or may be restricted from conducting business with the public sector for a period not exceeding ten (10) years in terms of the Prevention and Combating of Corrupt Activities Act No 12 of 2004 or any other applicable legislation.

I DECLARE THAT THE INFORMATION FURNISHED IN PARAGRAPHS 1, 2 and 3 ABOVE IS CORRECT. I ACCEPT THAT THE STATE MAY REJECT THE BID OR ACT AGAINST ME IN TERMS OF PARAGRAPH 6 OF PFMA SCM INSTRUCTION 03 OF 2021/22 ON PREVENTING AND COMBATING ABUSE IN THE SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT SYSTEM SHOULD THIS DECLARATION PROVE TO BE FALSE.

Name of Bidder	Signature	Date	Position

This form is aligned to SBD 4.

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PA-15.1: RESOLUTION OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS

	legally correct full name and registration number, if applicable, of the Enterprise)	
He	Held at	_ (place)
on	on	_ (date)
RE	RESOLVED that:	
1	The Enterprise submits a Tender to the Department of Public V	Vorks in respect of the following project:
	(project description as per Tender Document)	
	(project description as per Tender Document) Tender Number:	(Tender Number as per Tender Documen
2	Tender Number:	
2	Tender Number:	

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



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Note:

- 1. * Delete which is not applicable.
- NB: This resolution must, where possible, be signed by all the Directors / Members / Partners of the Tendering 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 Tendering Enterprise (attach proof of shareholding / ownership hereto).
- 4. Directors / Members / Partners of the Tendering Enterprise may alternatively appoint a person to sign this document on behalf of the Tendering 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 Tendering 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-15.2: RESOLUTION OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS TO ENTER INTO CONSORTIA OR JOINT VENTURES

RE	ESOLUTION of a meeting of the Board of *Directors / Members / Partners of:
(Ieg	gally correct full name and registration number, if applicable, of the Enterprise)
He	eld at (place)
on	(date)
RE	ESOLVED that:
1.	The Enterprise submits a 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:
	(project description as per Tender Document)
	Tender Number:(Tender Number as per Tender Document)
1	*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.
2	The Enterprise accept 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.
3	The Enterprise chooses as its <i>domicilium citandi et executandi</i> 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:
	(code)



Postal Address:	
_	(code)
Telephone number:	Fax number:

	Name	Capacity	Signature
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The tendering 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 <u>all</u> the Directors / Members / Partners of the Tendering 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 Tendering Enterprise (attach proof of shareholding / ownership hereto).
- 4. Directors / Members / Partners of the Tendering Enterprise may alternatively appoint a person to sign this document on behalf of the Tendering 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 Tendering 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

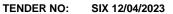
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PA-15.3: SPECIAL RESOLUTION OF CONSORTIA OR JOINT VENTURES

RESOLUTION of a meeting of the duly authorised representatives of the following legal entities who have

	oject description as per Tender Document) nder Number:	(tender number as per Tender Documer
<u></u>		
	LVED that: The above-mentioned Enterprises submediate Public Works & Infrastructure in respect of the second seco	nit a tender in consortium/joint venture to the Department of the following project:
		(date)
	t	
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В.	Mr/Mrs/Ms:						
	in *his/her Capacity as	S: (position in theEnterprise)					
	and who will sign as f	ollows:					
	in connection with and	thorised to sign the tender, and any and all other documents and/or correspondence I relating to the tender, as well as to sign any Contract, and any and all documentation, and of the tender to the Enterprises in consortium/joint venture mentioned above.					
C.	The Enterprises consi business under the na	tituting the consortium/joint venture, notwithstanding its composition, shall conduct all ame and style of:					
D.	obligations of the cor	e consortium/joint venture accept joint and several liability for the due fulfilment of the assortium/joint venture deriving from, and in any way connected with, the Contract Department in respect of the project described under item A above.					
E.	agreement, for whate Notwithstanding such	s to the consortium/joint venture intending to terminate the consortium/joint venture ever reason, shall give the Department 30 days' written notice of such intention. decision to terminate, the Enterprises shall remain jointly and severally liable to the e fulfilment of the obligations of the consortium/joint venture as mentioned under item					
F.	to the consortium/join	onsortium/joint venture shall, without the prior written consent of the other Enterprises t venture and of the Department, cede any of its rights or assign any of its obligations /joint venture agreement in relation to the Contract with the Department referred to					
G.		ose as the domicilium citandi et executandi of the consortium/joint venture for all the consortium/joint venture agreement and the Contract with the Department in under item A above:					
	Physical address:						
		(code)					
	Postal Address:						
		(code)					
	Telephone number	Fax number:					
	E-mail address:						



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

Note:

- * Delete which is not applicable.
- 2. **NB:** This resolution must be signed by <u>all</u> 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).

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PA- 40: DECLARATION OF DESIGNATED GROUPS FOR PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT

lame of Tenderer			_		EME/QSE (tick ap	plicable box)		
LIST ALL PROPRIET 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 / under developed area/township	Indicate if military veteran
1.			☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No
2.			☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No
3.			☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No
4.			☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No
5.			☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No
6.			☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No
7.			☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No
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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)

¹ EME: Exempted Micro Enterprise

² QSE: Qualifying Small Business Enterprise

1. DECLARATION:

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

- The information and particulars contained in this Affidavit are true and correct in all respects;
- 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, 2011, 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;
- 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;
- 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;
- 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						
Name of representative	Signature	Date				



PA-16: PREFERENCE POINTS CLAIM FORM IN TERMS OF THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS 2022

This preference form must form part of all tenders invited. It contains general information and serves as a claim form for preference points for specific goals.

NB: BEFORE COMPLETING THIS FORM, TENDERERS MUST STUDY THE GENERAL CONDITIONS, DEFINITIONS AND DIRECTIVES APPLICABLE IN RESPECT OF THE TENDER AND PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS, 2022

1. GENERAL CONDITIONS

- 1.1 The following preference point systems are applicable to invitations to tender:
 - 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 Preference Points System to be applied

(tick whichever is applicable).

- ☑ The applicable preference point system for this tender is the 80/20 preference point system.
 ☐ The applicable preference point system for this tender is the 90/10 preference point system.
 ☐ Either the 90/10 or 80/20 preference point system will be applicable in this tender. The lowest/ highest acceptable tender will be used to determine the accurate system once tenders are received.
- 1.3 Points for this tender shall be awarded for:
- 1.3.1 Price; and
- 1.3.2 Specific Goals

1.4 The maximum points for this tender are allocated as follows:

	80/20
PRICE	80
SPECIFIC GOALS	20
Total points for Price and Specific Goals	100





- 1.5 Breakdown Allocation of Specific Goals Points
- 1.5.1 For Procurement transactions with rand value greater than R2 000.00 and up to R1 Million (Inclusive of all applicable taxes), the specific goals as listed in table 1 below are applicable.

All Acquisitions
Table 1

Serial No	Specific Goals	Preference Points allocated out of 20	Documentation to be submitted by bidders to validate their claim for points	
1.	An EME or QSE which is at least 51% owned by black people (Mandatory).	10	SANAS Accredited BBBEE Certificate or sworn affidavit where applicable.	
2.	Located in Buffalo City Metropolitan Municipality for services to be rendered in that area (Mandatory).	2	 Official Municipal Rates Statement which is in the name of the bidder. Or Any Account or statement which is in the name of the bidder. Or Permission to Occupy from local chief in case of rural areas (PTO) which is in the name of the bidder. Or Lease Agreement which is in the name of the bidder. 	
3.	An EME or QSE which is at least 51% owned by women (Mandatory).	4	SANAS Accredited BBBEE Certificate or sworn affidavit where applicable.	
4.	An EME or QSE which is at least 51% owned by people with disability (Mandatory).	2	 SANAS Accredited BBBEE Certificate or sworn affidavit where applicable. and Medical Certificate indicating that the disability is permanent. Or South African Social Security Agency (SASSA) registration indicating that the disability is permanent. Or National Council for Persons with Physical Disability in South Africa registration (NCPPDSA). 	
5.	An EME or QSE which is at least 51% owned by youth (Mandatory).	2	ID Copy and SANAS Accredited BBBEE Certificate or sworn affidavit where applicable.	



1.5.2 For procurement transactions with rand value greater than R1 Million and up to R50 Million (Inclusive of all applicable taxes) the specific goals as listed in table 2 below are applicable:

All Acquisitions

Table 2

	Table 2					
Serial No	Specific Goals	Preference Points allocated out of 20	Documentation to be submitted by bidders to validate their claim for points			
1.	An EME or QSE which is at least 51% owned by black people (Mandatory).	10	 SANAS Accredited BBBEE Certificate or sworn affidavit where applicable. 			
2.	Located in a specific Local Municipality or District Municipality or Metro or Province area for work to be done or services to be rendered in that area (Mandatory).	2	 Official Municipal Rates Statement which is in the name of the bidder. Or Any Account or statement which is in the name of the bidder. Or Permission to Occupy from local chief in case of rural areas (PTO) which is in the name of the bidder. Or Lease Agreement which is in the name of the bidder. 			
3.	An EME or QSE which is at least 51% owned by women (Mandatory).	4	SANAS Accredited BBBEE Certificate or sworn affidavit where applicable.			
4.	An EME or QSE which is at least 51% owned by people with disability (Mandatory).	2	 SANAS Accredited BBBEE Certificate or sworn affidavit where applicable. and Medical Certificate indicating that the disability is permanent. Or South African Social Security Agency (SASSA) registration indicating that the disability is permanent. Or National Council for Persons with Physical Disability in South Africa registration (NCPPDSA). 			
5.	An EME or QSE which is at least 51% owned by youth (Mandatory).	2	ID Copy and SANAS Accredited BBBEE Certificate or sworn affidavit where applicable.			



1.5.3 For procurement transactions with rand value greater than R50 Million (Inclusive of all applicable taxes) the specific goals as listed in table 3 below are applicable

All Acquisitions

Table 3

Serial	Specific Goals	Preference	Documentation to be submitted by bidders to validate their		
No		Points allocated out of 20	claim for points		
1.	An EME or QSE which is at least 51% owned by black people (Mandatory).	4	 SANAS Accredited BBBEE Certificate or sworn affidavit where applicable. 		
2.	Located in a specific Local Municipality or District Municipality or Metro or Province area for work to be done or services to be rendered in that area (Mandatory).	2	 Official Municipal Rates Statement which is in the name of bidder. Or Any Account or statement which is in the name of the bidder.		
3.	An EME or QSE which is at least 51% owned by women (Mandatory).	2	SANAS Accredited BBBEE Certificate or sworn affidavit where applicable.		
4.	An EME or QSE which is at least 51% owned by people with disability (Mandatory). Or An EME or QSE which is at least 51% owned by youth (Mandatory).	2	 SANAS Accredited BBBEE Certificate or sworn affidavit where applicable. and Medical Certificate indicating that the disability is permanent. Or South African Social Security Agency (SASSA) registration indicating that the disability is permanent. Or National Council for Persons with Physical Disability in South Africa registration (NCPPDSA). Or 		
			• ID Copy and SANAS Accredited BBBEE Certificate or sworn affidavit where applicable.		

- 1.6 Failure on the part of the tenderer to submit proof or documentation required in terms of this tender to claim points for specific goals, if the service provider/ tenderer did not submit proof or documentation required to claim for specific goals will be interpreted to mean that preference points for specific goals are not claimed.
- 1.7 The organ of state reserves the right to require of a service provider/tenderer, either before a tender is adjudicated or at any time subsequently, to substantiate any claim in regard to preferences, in any manner required by the organ of state.

2. **DEFINITIONS**

- (a) "tender" means a written offer in the form determined by an organ of state in response to an invitation to provide goods or services through price quotations, competitive tendering process or any other method envisaged in legislation;
- (b) "price" means an amount of money tendered for goods or services, and includes all applicable taxes less all unconditional discounts;
- (c) "rand value" means the total estimated value of a contract in Rand, calculated at the time of bid invitation, and includes all applicable taxes;
- (d) "tender for income-generating contracts" means a written offer in the form determined by an organ of state in response to an invitation for the origination of income-generating contracts through any method envisaged in legislation that will result in a legal agreement between the organ of state and a







third party that produces revenue for the organ of state, and includes, but is not limited to, leasing and disposal of assets and concession contracts, excluding direct sales and disposal of assets through public auctions; and

(e) "the Act" means the Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act, 2000 (Act No. 5 of 2000).

3. FORMULAE FOR PROCUREMENT OF GOODS AND SERVICES

3.1. POINTS AWARDED FOR PRICE

3.1.1. THE 80/20 OR 90/10 PREFERENCE POINT SYSTEMS

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

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

Where

Ps = Points scored for price of tender under consideration

Pt = Price of tender under consideration Pmin = Price of lowest acceptable tender

3.2. FORMULAE FOR DISPOSAL OR LEASING OF STATE ASSETS AND INCOME GENERATING PROCUREMENT

3.2.1. POINTS AWARDED FOR PRICE

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

$$Ps = 80\left(1+rac{Pt-P\,max}{P\,max}
ight)$$
 or $Ps = 90\left(1+rac{Pt-P\,max}{P\,max}
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Where

Ps = Points scored for price of tender under consideration

Pt = Price of tender under consideration

Pmax = Price of highest acceptable tender

4. POINTS AWARDED FOR SPECIFIC GOALS

- 4.1. In terms of Regulation 4(2); 5(2); 6(2) and 7(2) of the Preferential Procurement Regulations, preference points must be awarded for specific goals stated in the tender. For the purposes of this tender the tenderer will be allocated points based on the goals stated in table 1,2 and 3 above as may be supported by proof/ documentation stated in the conditions of this tender:
- 4.2. In cases where organs of state intend to use Regulation 3(2) of the Regulations, which states that, if it is unclear whether the 80/20 or 90/10 preference point system applies, an organ of state must, in the tender documents, stipulate in the case of—
 - (a) an invitation for tender for income-generating contracts, that either the 80/20 or 90/10 preference point system will apply and that the highest acceptable tender will be used to



determine the applicable preference point system; or

(b) any other invitation for tender, that either the 80/20 or 90/10 preference point system will apply and that the lowest acceptable tender will be used to determine the applicable preference point system,

then the organ of state must indicate the points allocated for specific goals for both the 90/10 and 80/20 preference point system.

Table 1: Specific goals for the tender and points claimed are indicated per the table below.

(Note to organs of state: Where either the 90/10 or 80/20 preference point system is applicable, corresponding points must also be indicated as such.

Note to tenderers: The tenderer must indicate how they claim points for each preference point system.)

The specific goals allocated points in terms of this tender	Number of points allocated (80/20 system) (To be completed by the organ of state)	Number of points claimed (90/10 system) (To be completed by the tenderer)	Number of points claimed (80/20 system) (To be completed by the tenderer)
 An EME or QSE or any entity which is at least 51% owned by Black People (Mandatory). 	10		
Located in Buffalo City Metropolitan Municipality	2		
An EME or QSE or any entity which is at least 51% owned by women	4		
An EME or QSE or any entity which is at least 51% owned by people with disability	2		
5. An EME or QSE or any entity which is at least 51% owned by youth.*	2		

DECLARATION WITH REGARD TO COMPANY/FIRM

4.3.	Name of company/firm
4.4.	Company registration number:
4.5.	TYPE OF COMPANY/ FIRM
	Partnership/Joint Venture / Consortium One-person business/sole propriety Close corporation Public Company Personal Liability Company (Pty) Limited Non-Profit Company State Owned Company [TICK APPLICABLE BOX]

4.6. I, the undersigned, who is duly authorised to do so on behalf of the company/firm, certify that the points claimed, based on the specific goals as advised in the tender, qualifies the company/ firm for

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the preference(s) shown and I 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 paragraphs 1.4 and 4.2, the contractor may be required to furnish documentary proof to the satisfaction of the organ of state that the claims are correct;
- iv) If the specific goals have been claimed or obtained on a fraudulent basis or any of the conditions of contract have not been fulfilled, the organ of state may, in addition to any other remedy it may have
 - (a) disqualify the person from the tendering 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) recommend that the tenderer or contractor, its shareholders and directors, or only the shareholders and directors who acted on a fraudulent basis, be restricted 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, if deemed necessary.

SIGNATURE(S) OF TENDERER(S)			
SURNAME AND NAME:			
DATE:			
ADDRESS:			



SWORN AFFIDAVIT – B-BBEE EXEMPTED MICRO ENTERPRISE GENERAL This affidavit must no

I, the undersigned,

This affidavit **must not** be used for Construction/ CIDB related projects/ services

Full name & Surname	
Identity number	

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 (**Select one**) of the following enterprise and am duly authorised to act on its behalf:

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 — (a) who are citizens of the Republic of South Africa by birth or descent; or (b) who became citizens of the Republic of South Africa by naturalisation— i. before 27 April 1994; or ii. on or after 27 April 1994 and who would have been entitled to acquire citizenship by naturalization prior to that date;"
"Black Designated Groups means: (a) unemployed black people not attending and not required by law to attend an educational institution and not awaiting admission to an educational institution; (b) Black people who are youth as defined in the National Youth Commission Act of 1996; (c) Black people who are persons with disabilities as defined in the Code of Good Practice on employment of people with disabilities issued under the Employment Equity Act; (d) Black people living in rural and under developed areas; (e) Black military veterans who qualifies to be called a military veteran in terms of the Military Veterans Act 18 of 2011;"



Oath that:		
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SWORN AFFIDAVIT – B-BBEE QUALIFYING SMALL ENTERPRISE – GENERAL This affidavit must not

This affidavit **must not** be used for Construction/ CIDB related projects/ services

I, the undersigned,

Full name & Surname	
Identity number	

Hereby declare under oath as follows:

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I hereby declare under Oath that:

□ The Enterprise is				
Black Youth % =		%		
 Black Disabled % = Black Unemployed % = Black People living in F Black Military Veterans 	Rural areas % =	% % %		
	☐ Based on the Audited Financial Statements/ Financial Statements and other information available on the latest financial year-end of//			
(the annual Total Revenue was between R10,000,000.00 (Ten Million Rands) and R50,000,000.00 (Fifty Million Rands), □ Please Confirm on the below table the B-BBEE Level Contributor, by ticking the applicable box.				
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Commissioner of Oaths Signature & stamp				



B-BBEE EXEMPTED AFFIDAVIT FOR EXEMPTED MICRO ENTERPRISES (ISSUED IN TERMS OF THE AMENDED CONSTRUCTION SECTOR CODE)

(Gazette Vol. 630 No. 41287) Issued in terms of paragraph 3.6.2.4.1 (B)

I, the undersigned,

This affidavit must be used for Construction/ CIDB related projects/ service only

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Full name & Surname			
Identity number			
Hereby declare under oath	as follows:		
	ement are to the best of my knowledge a r / Owner of the following enterprise and a		
Enterprise Name:			
Trading Name (If Applicable):			
Registration Number:			
Enterprise Physical Address:			
Type of Entity (CC, (Pty) Ltd, Sole Prop etc.):			
Nature of Construction	BEP	Contractor	Supplier
Business: Definition of "Black	(Built Environment Professional) As per the Broad-Based Black Economic En		
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	Path that as per Amended Code Series 10 on 9 (1) of B-BBEE Act No 53 of 2003 as		
· The Enterprise is	% Black Owned		
· The Enterprise is	% Black Female Owned		
· The Enterprise is	% Owned by Black Designate	ed Group (provid	le Black Designated Group
Breakdown below as per th	e definition in the table above)		
o Black Youth %	%		
o Black Disabled %	%		
o Black Unemployed %	%		

%

o Black People living in Rural areas %

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o Black Military Veterans %	-		%	
4) Based on the Financial Statem	ents/Ma	nagement Accour	nts and other information available on t	he
latest financial year-end of	_/	/	_, the annual Total Revenue was less	i
than the applicable amount confir				
BEP		R1.8 million		
Contractor		R3.0 million		
Supplier		R3.0 million		
			affidavit is no longer applicable and an EME cel B-BBEE Verification Professional Regulator ap	
· Please Confirm on the below to	able the	B-BBEE Level Co	ontributor, by ticking the applicable b	ox below.
100% Black Owned	Leve	l One (135% B-Bl	BEE procurement recognition level)	
At least 51% Black Owned	Leve	I Two (125% B-Bl	BEE procurement recognition level)	
At least 30% Black Owned	Leve	l Four (100% B-B	BEE procurement recognition level)	
Less than 30% Black Owned	Leve	I Five (80% B-BB	EE procurement recognition level)	
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6) The sworn affidavit will be valid	for a pe	eriod of 12 months	from the date signed by commissione	рг.
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		Date:		
Commissioner of Oaths				
Signature & stamp				
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SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF BID

1. INTERPRETATION

- 1.1. The word "Bidder" in these conditions shall mean and include any firm of Contractors, Services Providers or any company or body incorporated or unincorporated or any other legal entities.
- 1.2. The word "Department" in these conditions shall mean the DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS AND INFRASTRUCTURE
- 1.3. Any reference to words "Bid" or "bidder" herein and or any other documentation shall be construed to have the meaning as the words "Tender" or Tenderer".

2. PRECEDENCE

- 2.1. If any other condition (bid rule) in the bid document is in contradiction with the "Special Conditions of Bid" the "Special Conditions of Bid" will take preference.
- 2.2. The "Special Conditions of Bid" can only be amended by an official addendum before the closing date of the bid.

3. GENERAL BID RULES

- 3.1. "Written" or "in writing" means hand-written in non-erasable ink or any form of electronic or digital writing and or a combination thereof.
- 3.2. The digital and or electronic completion and signing of documents is permitted.
- 3.3. A bidder participates in this bid process entirely at its own risk and cost.
- 3.4. The Department may accept or reject any bid offer and may cancel the bid process (or reject all bid offers at any time) prior to the formation of a contract, due to the following:
 - 3.4.1. due to changed circumstances, there is no longer a need for the goods or services specified in the invitation:
 - 3.4.2. funds are no longer available to cover the total envisaged expenditure;
 - 3.4.3. no acceptable tender is received;
 - 3.4.4. there is a material irregularity in the tender process; or
 - 3.4.5. there is material change in the scope of works.
- 3.5. The Department shall not accept or incur any liability for such cancellation or rejection or acceptance, but will give written reasons for such action upon receiving a written request to do so.
- 3.6. Completed bid documents in a sealed envelope, endorsed with the relevant bid number, bid description and the closing, must be deposited in the bid box as indicated in the bid document.
- 3.7. Bidders must ensure that bids submitted via courier services are deposited by the courier service in the Departmental Bid box, prior to the closing date and time. The Department will not accept responsibility for any bids, which are not timeously deposited in the Bid Box.
- 3.8. A Bid will be treated as a late bid, if it is not received in the bid box. The Department will not accept responsibility for any late depositing of bids or for the non-depositing of bids in the bid box, which are as a result from an act committed or omitted by an official. This is not limited to the following cases:
 - 3.8.1. A Bidder handed over its bid to a departmental official or to the security services personnel timeously, but they omits to deposit the bid in the bid box on or before the closing date and time
 - 3.8.2. If a courier service delivers the bid to a departmental official or to the security services personnel timeously and it is not deposited in the bid box timeously.
 - 3.8.3. The bid documents were send through mail / Post Office and it is not timely collected and or timely deposited in the Departmental Bid Box.
- 3.9. Bids received after the closing date and time will not be accepted for consideration and where practical, be returned unopened to the Bidder(s).
- 3.10. Bidders who are not registered on the CSD, must register on the CSD within 7 working days, if requested to do so. No award letters or purchase orders or contracts will be signed, with a bidder not registered on the CSD.
- 3.11. Bidders are not allowed to recruit or shall not attempt to recruit an employee of the Department for purposes of preparation of the bid or for the duration of the execution of this contract or any part thereof.



4. AMBIGUITIES/ CONTRADICTIONS / OMISSIONS

- 4.1. If a bidder becomes aware of any ambiguities or contradictions or omissions in the bid document or the specifications, drawings or descriptions or functionality or quality, or any part of the bid document, this should be clarified with the Department, at least five (5) working days before the closing time stated in the tender data.
- 4.2. If the Department found, after the closing date of the bid, that there is an ambiguity/ contradiction or omission in the bid document, the Department reserves the right to:
 - 4.2.1. If the ambiguity or contradiction or omission in the bid document is of an administrative nature, request bidders to correct any non-compliances caused by the ambiguity or contradiction or omission or
 - 4.2.2. If the ambiguity or contradiction or omission is immaterial, proceed to finalise the procurement process and notify the delegated authority in the submission of the ambiguity or contradiction or omission for the consideration of the approving authority or
 - 4.2.3. Cancel the bid and process

5. PERIOD OF VALIDITY FOR BIDS AFTER CLOSING DATE

- 5.1 All Bids must remain valid from the closing date for a period as stipulated in the bid document.
- 5.2 The Department reserves the right to request for the validity extensions of bids, should it deemed necessary. The following conditions will apply when the Department request for a validity extension of a bid:
 - 5.2.1 The request for a validity extension will be done while the validity period of the bids are still valid.
 - 5.2.2 Bidders have the right to refuse the extension of the validity period of their bids.
 - 5.2.3 If a request for validity extensions are send to bidders while the validity period of the bids are still valid, non-replying to the request for validity extension before the expiry date will be deemed a tacit agreement to the extension of the validity period. The Department will communicate with the affected bidders to confirm such tacit agreement.
 - 5.2.4 Should the bidder not agree with the tacit agreement, the bidder shall be deemed to be non-responsive and not considered for further evaluation.
 - 5.2.5 If a bidder(s) refused a validity extension, it will be deemed that the bidder(s) had withdrawn their bids from the bidding process. The Department reserves the right to continue with its bid evaluation and adjudication of the remaining bids and finalise the process.

6. BRAND NAMES

6.1 Wherever a brand name is specified in this bid document (i.e. in the specifications, pricing schedule or bill of quantities or anywhere in this document), the department's requirement is not limited to the specified brand name, but requires an item similar/equivalent or better than specified.

7. CONTRACTUAL PRICE ADJUSTMENTS

- 7.1 Bidders must submit offers as per the Gazetted Labour Rates for the particular Sector and Area as at the closing of the bid
- 7.2 Failure to comply minimum rates will lead to disqualification form further evaluation.
- 7.3 The bid price will to subject price escalation as follows, for the following sections in the pricing schedule:
 - 7.3.1 The total labour costs is subjected to price escalation and will be escalated in accordance with the percentage rate increase for cleaning (grounds man) and or with any other costs as gazetted the relevant Sectorial Determination, including any other relevant gazetted/legislated costs by the Department of labour

8. <u>AUTHORITY TO SIGN BID DOCUMENTS</u>

- 8.1 No authority to sign (PA 15.1: Resolution of Board of Directors) is required from an enterprise which has only one director or is a sole ownership.
- 8.2 In the case of a bid being submitted on behalf of a company, close corporation or partnership, evidence should be submitted with the bid at the closing time, that the Bid has been signed by a



person properly authorised by resolution of the directors or under the articles of the entity. For that purpose, forms PA-15.1-15.3 (Resolution of Board of Directors) are included in the bid document for completion by the relevant Board(s) of Directors

- 8.3 The department further accepts that, in the absence of a PA 15.1: Resolution of Board of Directors, any director or any member of the enterprise may have the authority to bind the enterprise. Therefore the following will apply when only one director or one member of the enterprise signed the bid documents:
 - 8.3.1 The signature of any one of the directors or any one of the members of the enterprise will bind the enterprise and all the directors/ members of the enterprise. This condition will therefore render the bid valid; and
 - 8.3.2 The Department will verify the authority to sign (if deemed necessary) and where possible, may request proof of such authority of the relevant director or relevant member to act on behalf of the enterprise in the form of a "Resolution of the Board of Directors", if such ", (PA 15.1: Resolution of Board of Directors)," was not submitted with the bid or was not completed or was incorrectly completed,
- 8.4 In the case of a sub-contractor agreement, a joint venture or consortia, the signing of the sub-contractor agreement, or Joint Venture or Consortia agreement by any director or member of each of the parties to the agreement, will render the sub-contractor agreement or Joint Venture or Consortia agreement valid. Therefore:
 - 8.4.1 The Department reserves the right to request from each party to the sub-contractor agreement or Joint Venture or Consortia" agreement, proof of such authority of the relevant director or relevant member to act on behalf of the enterprise(s), in the form of a "Resolution of the Board of Directors", if it was not submitted with the bid or was not completed or was incorrectly completed,
- 8.5 In the event that a non-member or non-director to the enterprise(s) sign the bid documents and or sign a joint venture or consortia agreement, an "Authority to sign" issued by a director of the enterprise(s) or by the Board of Directors of the enterprise(s) must be submitted with the bid at the closing date. Failure to comply with this requirement at the closing date of the bid, will invalidate the bid submitted.

9. CONTRACT PERIOD

9.1 The expected contract period is as stipulated in the Contract Data. The construction period is as stipulated within the Contract Data from date of handing over of site in the case of contractors.

10. NEGOTIATION WITH THE IDENTIFIED PREFERRED BIDDER

- 10.1 The Bid will be awarded to the bidder who scores the highest PPPFA number of points:
 - 10.1.1 However, should an offer not be market related, the Department reserves the right to negotiate with bidders a reasonable market price /offer?

11. AWARD OF CONTRACTS TO TENDERERS NOT SCORING HIGHEST POINTS

The Department reserves the right to award the bid to a tenderer, other than the highest scoring bidder, after having applied an objective criteria (i.e risk assessment, as per the risk assessment criteria in the notice to invitation to tender/quote).

12. TAX COMPLIANCE

- 12.1 No tender shall be awarded to a bidder who is non tax -compliant.
- 12.2 All bidders' tax matters must be in order prior to award.
- 12.3 Bidders' tax matters will be verified through CSD.
- 12.4 If the recommended bidder's tax status is non-compliant, the recommended bidder must submit written proof from SARS of their tax compliant status or submit written proof that they have made an arrangement with SARS to meet their outstanding tax obligations.
- 12.5 The recommended bidder will be given a maximum of seven (7) working days to correct their tax compliance status.
- 12.6 Failure to comply within seven (7) working days, from the date of the request, the Department will reject the bid submitted by the bidder.

13. REGISTRATION AS A VAT-VENDOR

13.1 Non-VAT vendors do not have to include VAT in their bid prices.



- 13.2 Non-VAT vendors who submit bids for contracts that would, if successful, take their annual turnover above the threshold of R1 million, must include VAT in the prices quoted and must therefore immediately upon award of the contract, register with the South African Revenue Service (SARS) as VAT vendors.
- 13.3 The award of contract would be conditional (for Non-VAT vendors who included VAT in their prices) conditional pending the successful bidder submitting proof of registration as VAT vendor with SARS within 21 days of award.
- 13.4 Failure to comply within 21 days after being notified to do so will lead to the automatic withdrawal of the "provisional letter of award" and elimination of the bidder's offer.
- 13.5 VAT vendors must include VAT in their bid prices and failure to comply will lead to an automatic elimination of the bidder's offer.
- 13.6 In all other instances, where bidders have excluded VAT from the prices quoted, if the bidder is successful, the letter of award will clearly state that the price at which the contract is awarded is exclusive of VAT and that VAT will not be added on at any stage after the contract has been signed.
- 13.7 If a Non-VAT vendor/ bidder is contracted with the Department with a price which is Excluded Vat, and it becomes a VAT vendor after award or alternatively becomes a VAT vendor due to a cumulative number of awards, the bidder will have to absorb the adverse financial implications of not including VAT in their price quoted. VAT cannot be claimed from the Department for any payments already made or from any future payments.

14. CERTIFICATION OF DOCUMENTS

- 14.1 Where so required in the bid documents, bidders are required to submit copies which are certified as a "true copy of the original".
- 14.2 If a bidder submitted an uncertified copy of an original document, or an original copy which is not correctly certified, the bidder will be afforded an opportunity to correct such non-compliance within a minimum period of 48 hours as follows:
 - 14.2.1 The corrected noncompliance must be made from the initial copied document and not from a new document or from another document.
- 14.3 All bidders' whose copies complies with the minimum requirements above, will be "deemed in order" and will be subjected for consideration in further evaluation processes, even if the Department did not request any corrections.
- 14.4 No submissions of new or alternative documents or certified copies of new or alternative documents will be allowed after the bid closing date.
- 14.5 The Department will not accept a copy of a copied document and will not provide any bidder an opportunity to correct such a non-compliance.

15. REQUIREMENTS FOR A VALID BBBEE CERTIFICATES AND SWORN AFFIDAVITS

A valid B-BBEE Certificate is a B-BBEE Certificate which has not expired at the closing date of the bid.

- 15.1 A "Sworn Affidavit" must comply with the following minimum requirements to be considered valid:
 - 15.1.1 The "Sworn Affidavit" must not be expired at the closing date.
 - 15.1.2 All the mandatory sections in the affidavit must be completed in ink.
 - 15.1.3 If a percentage ownership is zero (0) % on paragraph 3, it is not mandatory to complete the field. It can be left blank.
 - 15.1.4 The BBBEE Level Contributor must be indicated (ticked)
 - 15.1.5 The Annual Total Revenue must be based on the latest financial year-end's Financial Statements/Management Accounts and other information of the bidder.
 - 15.1.6 A "Sworn Affidavit" based on information from financial periods prior to the latest financial year-end of the bidder or for a financial year which has not yet ended, is invalid.
 - 15.1.7 The latest financial year-end must be clearly indicated by the bidder (Deponent) in the "Sworn Affidavit". An omission of the financial year will invalidate the submitted "Sworn Affidavit".
 - 15.1.8 The financial year must clearly indicate: day/month/year.
 - 15.1.9 The "Sworn Affidavit" must be correctly completed, signed and dated by the bidder (Deponent).



- 15.1.10 The "Sworn Affidavit" submitted must be correctly signed and stamped by the "Commissioner of Oath".
- 15.1.11 For construction bids, a "Sworn Affidavit" issued in terms of the Amended Construction Sector Code; (Gazette Vol. 630 No. 41287) and in terms of paragraph 3.6.2.4.1 (B) must be used. All other the conditions applicable to "valid sworn affidavits" as per this "Special Conditions of Bid" will apply. In addition, for Construction Sector Affidavits, the annual turnover table must also be completed

16. AWARDING OF POINTS FOR SPECIFIC GOALS (PA-16)

- 16.1 In accordance with the PPPFA regulations 2022, bidders will not be eliminated if they do not submit a BBBEE – certificate or a "valid sworn affidavits". The bidder will not be scored for points, but will be evaluated further.
- 16.2 For a bidder to be awarded points for specific goals as per the bid, the bidder must submit proof as specified in the bid document with the bid at the closing date and time.
- 16.3 The requirements of a valid BBBEE-Certificate and or "Sworn Affidavit" as specified in the Special Conditions of Tender applies.
- 16.4 Parties in an unincorporated joint venture must submit its own consolidated B-BBEE certificate, which has not expired at the closing date of the bid.
- 16.5 If a bidder submit with the bid at the closing date the required proof for specific goals, as specified in the bid document, but the proof is not certified or is certified incorrectly, the bidder will be given a minimum of 48 hours to submit a copy which is correctly certified. The copy maybe certified after the closing date of the bid.
- 16.6 Non-submission of the PA-16 form or non-completion the PA-16 form or an incomplete PA-16 form, is not an elimination criteria.
- 16.7 If a bidder submit at the closing date of the bid a valid proof as specified in the bid document, but the bidder's PA 16 is not signed or dated or witnessed or it is not properly completed, or its not completed or submitted or did not claim points, the bidder will be given a minimum of 48 hours to submit or correctly complete its PA 16.
- 16.8 All bidders' whose submitted proof as specified in the bid document and it complies with the minimum requirements above, will be "deemed in order" and will be subjected for consideration in further evaluation, even if the Department did not request any corrections/ certifications.
- 16.9 No submissions of alternative proof for specific goals as specified in the bid document will be allowed after the bid closing date.
- 16.10 Bidders who failed to submit the required proof for points for specific goals, will not be scored for the relevant specific goal(s), but there offers will still be evaluated further.

17 BIDDER'S DISCLOSURE/ BIDDER'S DECLARATION (PA - 11)

- 17.1 The Department will afford a bidder an opportunity to correct its PA-11 form, if the bidder omitted to sign or to complete or to properly complete this form.
- 17.2 A bidder's offer maybe eliminated if the bidder's declaration is proven false during the bid evaluation process.

18 FORM OF OFFER AND ACCEPTANCE

- 18.1 The tender amount in words takes precedence, where there is a discrepancy between the amount in figures, and the amount in words will govern.
- 18.2 The successful bidder will be required to balance its rates prior signing of a contract.
- 18.3 If the tenderer makes an obvious grammatical error in the amount of words, the wording will be compared to all the submitted comparative figures (i.e. the amount in figures on the submitted "Form of Offer and Acceptance" and the amount stipulated in the bills of quantities or the final summary page, or activity schedule or pricing schedule) and if deemed the same:
 - 18.3.1 The tenderer's offer will not be disqualified.
 - 18.3.2 The tenderer can be requested to correct the error and ratify its "Form of Offer and Acceptance".

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- 18.4 If there is no amount in words, the amount in figures on the submitted "Form of Offer and Acceptance" will be compared to all the submitted comparative figures (i.e. the amount stipulated in the submitted bills of quantities or the final summary page or the activity schedule, or the pricing schedule) and if deemed the same:
 - 18.4.1 The tenderer's offer will not be disqualified.
 - 18.4.2 The tenderer can be requested to correct the omission of the amount in words and ratify its "Form of Offer and Acceptance".
- 18.5 In addition to the above, the form of Offer and Acceptance, must at the closing date of the bid, comply with the following minimum criteria:
 - 18.5.1 It must be signed by an authorised person of the Bidder;
 - 18.5.2 The Surname with Initials/ Name of the authorised person must be clearly indicated;
 - 18.5.3 The date on the form of offer must be completed;
 - 18.5.4 The name of the bidder/ legal entity must be clearly indicated.
 - 18.6 If both the "amount in words" and the "amount in figures" is not completed, the bid will not be considered further.

19 CORRECTION OF ERRORS

- 19.1 Only the authorised signatory to the tender should initial corrections in the tender document.
- 19.2 All corrections must be in non-erasable ink and the use of correcting fluid (tippex) is prohibited.
- In the event that a correction is not initialled or the correction is initialled by a person not having the prescribed authority, the Department will:
- 19.3.1 Seek the necessary clarification from the tenderer and;
- 19.3.2 If accepting the response from the tenderer, evaluate the bid further and or;
- 19.3.3 Allow the tenderer to correct/ ratify any noncompliance, where necessary.

20 CONDITIONS WITHDRAWN FROM THE GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT

20.1 N/A

21 INCOMPLETE SECTIONS OR SCHEDULES IN BID DOCUMENTS

Bidders' who omitted or incorrectly completed a section(s) or a schedule(s) in the bid document, but have submitted with the bid the required/ specified proof or supportive documents for that particular sections of the document, maybe allowed to correct such non-compliance.

22 TESTIMONIALS

- 22.1 The word "testimonial" and "reference letter" means the same
- 22.2 Testimonials must be submitted with the bid and must comply with the following minimum requirements to be considered valid:
 - 22.2.1 The testimonials must be signed.
 - 22.2.2 The project must be within the period specified in the bid.
 - 22.2.3 The testimonial's contract period and R- value must be for a single contract and not the sum of various contracts.
 - 22.2.4 The project must have a minimum contract period as specified in the bid.
 - 22.2.5 The testimonial must clearly indicate the contract start date and contract end date/ practical completion date.
 - 22.2.6 The testimonial must indicate the client's name, contact particulars and Email address.
 - 22.2.7 The testimonial must be dated.
 - 22.2.8 The testimonial must be stamped by the client. If the testimonial is not stamped, the Department may still consider the testimonial after the authenticity has been verified by the Department.
- 22.3 In the case of a rates based contract, the actual expenditure or work certified will be deemed the contract value.
- 22.4 The bidders performance should be indicated in the testimonial either as (or indicated as a combination of):
 - 22.4.1 An unacceptable performance or
 - 22.4.2 Not unacceptable, but needs Improvement or
 - 22.4.3 A Satisfactory performance or

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- 22.4.4 Above Satisfactory
- 22.4.5 Excellent performance
- 22.5 If the bidder's performance is not indicated in the testimonial, the Department will deemed that the bidder's performance was unsatisfactory and will not verify the contrary.
- 22.6 It is the bidder's responsibility to ensure that their references are contactable.
- The Departmental will only engage once with the bidder to provide alternative contact numbers to verify the testimonial, if it is not contactable on the Department's first attempt.
- 22.8 If the Department receives no response on the bidder's testimonials, the bidder will be deemed to have performed unsatisfactory work on the relevant project. Also a "no comment" reply will be deemed as an unsatisfactory performance.
- 22.9 Bidders will not be afforded to submit new testimonials, if there initial references/ testimonials are not responding.
- 22.10 An appointment letter/ award letter and or signed contract are not accepted as a testimonial.
- 22.11 Bidders may use the testimonial template provided in the bid document (if included in the Bid Document) or may use the format of their clients. The testimonial must cover the minimum requirements as specified in this special conditions.

23 POINTS FOR SPECIFIC GOALS:

- 23.1 The Department will give points for specific goals for this bid as per the table below:
- 23.1.1 For cases with a rand value greater than R 2000,00 and up to a R 1million (inclusive of all applicable taxes), the specific goals as listed in the table below applies:

The following specific goals are applicable (Maximum 20 points			
Description of Specific Goal for which points will be allocated	Points		
An EME or QSE or any entity which is at least 51% owned by black people	10 points		
2. An EME or QSE which is at least 51% owned by women	4 points		
3. An EME or QSE which is at least 51% owned by people with disabilities	2 points		
4. An EME or QSE which is at least 51% owned by youth	2 points		
5. Located in Buffalo City Municipality for service to be rendered in that area	2 points		
TOTAL POINTS	20 points		

23.1.2 For cases with a rand value greater than R 1 million and up to a R 50 million (inclusive of all applicable taxes), the specific goals as listed in the table below applies:

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The fo	The following specific goals are applicable (Maximum 20 points			
Description of Specific Goal for which points will be allocated Po				
1.	An EME or QSE or any entity which is at least 51% owned by Historically	10 points		
	Disadvantaged Individuals (HDI)			
2.	An EME or QSE which is at least 51% owned by women	4 points		
3.	An EME or QSE which is at least 51% owned by people with disabilities	2 points		
4.	An EME or QSE which is at least 51% owned by youth	2 points		
5.	Located in a specific Municipality or District Municipality or Metro or Province for	2 points		
	work to be done or service to be rendered in that area			
TOTAL	. POINTS	20 points		

- 23.1.3 For a bidder to be awarded the points for specific goals as per the table above, the bidder must submit proof with the bid at the closing date and time.
- 23.1.4 The required proof to be submitted is specified in the tables of Form PA 16.

24 THE OTHER ADDITIONAL INFORMATION WHICH MAY BE REQUIRED FOR EVALUATION

CRITERIA	SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF BID
a) A close corporation, incorporated prior to 1 May 2011 under the Close Corporations Act, 1984 (Act 69 of 1984, as amended)	Copies of the Founding Statement - CK1



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b) A profit company duly registered as a private company. [including a profit company that meets the criteria for a private company, whose Memorandum of Incorporation states that the company is a personal liability company in terms of Section 8(2)(c) of the Companies Act, 2008 (Act 71 of 2008, as amended)].	Copies of: i. Certificate of Incorporation - CM1; ii. Shareholding Certificates of all Shareholders of the company, plus a signed statement of the company's Auditor, certifying each Shareholder's ownership / shareholding percentage relative to the total; and/or iii. Memorandum of Incorporation in the case of a personal liability company.
c) A profit company duly registered as a private company in which any, or all, shares are held by one or more other close corporation(s) or company(ies) duly registered as profit or non- profit company(ies).	Copies of documents referred to in a. and/or b. above in respect of all such close corporation(s) and/or company(ies).
d) A profit company duly registered as a public company.	Copy of Certificate of Incorporation - CM1, and a signed statement of the company's Secretary or Auditor confirming that the company is a public company.
e) A non-profit company, incorporated in terms of Section 10 and Schedule 1 of the Companies Act, 2008 (Act 71 of 2008, as amended).	Copies of: i. The Founding Statement - CK1; and ii. The Memorandum of Incorporation setting out the object of the company, indicating the public benefit, cultural or social activity, or communal or group interest.
f) A natural person, sole proprietor or a Partnership	Copy(ies) of the Identity Document(s) of: i. such natural person/ sole proprietor, or each of the Partners to the Partnership.
g) A Trust	Deed of Trust duly indicating names of the Trustee(s) and Beneficiary (ies) as well as the purpose of the Trust and the mandate of the Trustees.

25 **DISCLAIMER**

- 25.1 It is impractical and cumbersome for the Department to communicate with all qualifying bidders to correct/ratify all eligible matters as articulated in this "Special Conditions of Bid". The Department therefore reserves the right and discretion, during its evaluation and other administrative processes to:
 - 25.1.1 Limit its correspondences for corrections/ ratifications/ clarities to potential higher point scoring bidders only and to
 - 25.1.2 Further evaluate any potential qualifying lower scoring bidder(s) as "deemed responsive" without requesting the corrections/ ratifications of a matter which is eligible as per the "Special Conditions of Bid".



PA-10: GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT (GCC)

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.
- 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

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 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.
- 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
 - (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

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.

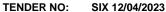
18. Contract amendments

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

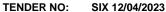
- 21.1. Delivery of the goods and performance of services shall be made by the supplier in accordance with the time schedule prescribed by the purchaser in the contract.
- 21.2. If at any time during performance of the contract, the supplier or its subcontractor(s) should encounter conditions impeding 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:
 - (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.
- 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 count 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 pubic 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.

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.

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.

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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.



TERMS OF REFERENCE/ SPECIFICATIONS



Paragraph no.	Service/Site specification	INDICATION OF COMPLIANCE NB Frequency in which the services to be rendered.	
1.	DESCRIPTION OF THE PREMISES Physical address Bisho Master of High Court, King Williams Town Magistrates Office No. of occupants : ±20 Visitors per day : average of ±201 per day Structure: Brick buildings with offices, holding cell, security booth, strong room, six magistrate court chambers, magistrates office, waiting areas, toilets, kitchens, etc	YES	NO
2.	REQUIRED PERSONNEL Number of cleaners : 7 cleaners SERVICE TO BE RENDERED BETWEEN MONDAY & FRIDAY Unless otherwise requested by the client at no extra cost, the workers can be expected to do the stripping of floors on a weekend. Time between 7h30 and 16h00 eight hours a day.	YES	NO
3.	SIZES OF AREAS TO BE SERVICED: Building Area to be cleaned is estimated to be m ² Bisho Master of High court and King Williamstown Magistrates Office.	YES	NO
4. 4.1	DELIVERABLES: STANDARD METHOD & FREQUENCY OF CLEANING Unless otherwise stated, the under-mentioned should be done daily using mostly germs killing cleaning detergent content of sanitizers to limit the spread of possible deadly virus on daily basis. (a) The contents of each room – daily. (b) All surfaces and partitions - daily. (c) The stock in the storerooms – as listed in page in 9.	YES	NO
4.2	Courtyards (a) Sweep and wash so that all dust, leaves etc. are removed – daily (b) Paving: hose down with clean water or scrub - weekly.	daily every 4 hours	
4.3	Blinds (a) Dust indoor blinds - weekly (b) Damp sanitized cloth-wipe indoor blinds - (c) Sanitize window sill once - daily	daily every 3 hours	
4.4	Doors (a) Remove dirty spots on wooden and metal doors - daily. (b) Sanitize door-knobs/handle with an approved metal polish where applicable - daily (c) Wipe and sanitize glass door clean - daily.	daily every 3 hours	

	(d) Wash glass doors with a degreasing agent and equipment that will not scratch the surface, and polish as required - weekly or on request.		
4.5	Glass		
	 (a) All outdoor glass surfaces of buildings specified in the contract, washed with a degreasing agent and equipment that will not scratch the surface, and later sanitized –daily. (b) All indoor glass surfaces of building specified in the contract, washed with a degreasing agent and equipment that will not scratch the surface, and sanitized daily. (c) A cloth damped into a bleach solution or sanitizer may be used-daily. 	Dai every 3	
4.6	Elevators:		
	Disinfect elevators-daily	dai	lv
	Thoroughly clean sanitise-daily	every 3	
	Sweep inside and clean the mirrors- daily		
4.7	 Furniture (a) Wipe, dust and polish wooden furniture everywhere with an approved polish. Such polish should not be greasy or sticky, and should not come off on anything it comes into contact with after it has been polished - weekly. (b) Remove dirty spots from glass tops, desks and other furniture in an appropriate way - daily. (c) Sanitizer/ dipped damp cloth-wash glass tops of furniture and polish - daily. (d) Remove dirty spots from glass doors of bookcases/file rack and sanitize - daily. (e) Sanitizer dipped damp cloth-wipe glass doors of bookcases - daily. (f) Sanitizer dipped damp-cloth wipe those parts of furniture covered in leather or other cover - daily. (g) Sanitizing of table counters - daily. (h) Wipe empty shelves with a sanitizer damp cloth - daily. (i) Disinfect open shelves and contents as well as desks without removing the contents - daily. (j) Vacuum those parts of furniture covered with fabric - weekly. 	dai every 3	
4.8	Inside walls (a) disinfect fingerprints spots on walls, paintwork, electric switches, etc daily (b) Disinfect wooden panels and partitions - daily. (c) Wash wall tiles with bleach - daily. (d) Disinfect window sills with soap and water - daily. (e) Clean notice boards - daily.	daily	every 4 hours
4.9	Toilets The sanitary waste collected from the ladies bathrooms, should be safely in an appropriate disposal bag. Then transported to a designated disposal site for incineration. A disposal certificate/roof must be provided thereafter. This must be done fortnightly. A surface sanitizer should be provided for both ladies & gents.	Fortnightly	



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4.10	Rubbish-bins The rubbish bind should be removed, disinfected and disposed in a designated dumping area. This must be done in a clean manner by placing the contents in separate appropriate plastic bags. The contents must be removed from site on a daily basis.	daily twice a day.		
4.11	 Toilet pans, seats, covers, urinals, towel rails and taps (a) Clean and disinfect with a 70% alcohol based sanitizer disinfectant - twice daily. (b) Sanitise and polish all metal surfaces - daily. (c) A normal hand soap should at all times be available in the ablutions-daily 	daily every 2 hours		
4.12	Showers Clean and disinfect with an approved disinfectant - daily.	twice a daily.		
4.13	Mirrors Remove marks and apply a disinfectant in all mirrors - daily.	twice a	twice a daily.	
4.14	(a) Remove dirty spots and disinfect - daily.(b) Wash with soap and water to which a sufficient amount of approved disinfectant has been added - daily.	twice a daily.		
4.15	 Walls, doors (painted) and partitions (a) Remove dirty spots, including from unpainted doors - daily. (b) Wash with soap and water to which a sufficient amount of approved disinfectant has been added - daily. (c) 	twice a daily.		
4.16	Visible pipes Clean all visible pipes - daily.	twice a daily.		
4.17	Floors (a) Damp cloth-wash floors with an approved disinfectant -daily. (b) Remove dirty spots and rubbish -daily. (c) Clean floors with a water mixed with bleach and apply non-slippery polish agent always display a warning sign.	twice a daily.		
4.18	Incinerators Damp cloth-wash with approved disinfectant - daily.	daily	twice a day	
4.19	Clogging Approved agents should be put in basins and urinals to prevent clogging - daily.	daily	twice a	
4.20	Glazed/enamelled surfaces Wash only with an approved alcohol based disinfectant agent. No abrasives or scouring materials may be used.	daily	twice a day	
4.21	Toiletries (a) The following toiletries must be provided by the service provider, sufficient amounts as stipulated in the term of	daily	every 3 hours	



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	reference, and should be available at all times. It should be put in the various toilets holder/dispensers and must available at all times:		
	 i. Disposable hand paper towels dispensers to be installed and be at all-times be available when needed for use by the client. 		
	ii. Single-ply toilet paper – be available at all times need for use.		
	iii. Toilet soap dispensers - be replenished daily, as and when required.		
	 iv. Air-fresheners dispensers for all toilets v. Sanitary bins only to be provided in ladies and serviced bi-weekly. To be constantly monitored 		
4.22	Telephones Wipe hard surfaces including telephone and		
	computers with a damp cloth with suitably diluted		
	disinfectant – in the event that they are sharing a	daily	every 3
	line daily.	,	hours
	Disinfect -decorating ornaments- daily		
	Disinfect -framed photos		
4.23	Stairs (including fire-escapes) (a) Dust as in paragraph 3.1 (b) Wipe banisters with a damp sanitized cloth – twice daily. (c) Apply furniture Polish where necessary- daily.	daily	every 3 hours
4.24	Floors and Staircase		
	Wash Floors with a disinfectant floors- daily Polish with a non-slip floor polish-daily Maintain neatness in the floor-daily Scrub and seal -every week	daily	3 times a day
4.25	Court rooms and office		
	(a) If floors or parts thereof have not been treated with two coats of an approved dry gloss, non-slip, metallised, hard coat polymer agent, the Contractor should apply it. The relevant surface should be properly cleaned	daily	twice a day
	prior to application and, if required, old polish should be removed with an appropriate floor stripping agent. Stripping of floors to be done every quarter. If a polish remover is used, the floor should be rinsed with clean water and properly dried.		
	(b) If floors have already been treated with a metallised polymer agent, it should be re-applied as soon as it		
	becomes worn out. (c) Should entry to offices/court room or high traffic make it difficult to treat floors during normal office hours, it should be done after office hours.		
	(d) Wipe and remove marks like mud spots - daily. (e) Spray polishing for which an approved polymer agent is used (e.g. a solution of water and the agent) should		



	only be done after the floor has been wiped with a "dust magnet", and frequently enough to maintain the polymer coating.		
4.26	Inmates holding cells		
	 (a) Sweep and remove all dirty marks - daily. (b) Disinfect the entire cell room. (c) Use bleach or an alcohol based floor and surface sanitizer. 	daily	twice a
4.27	High traffic (like passages)	daily	3 times
4.28	Wash with a bleach and other bacteria homicide disinfectant Offices, with or without loose carpets		
4.20	 (a) Apply polishing agent and polish - weekly. (b) As soon as an unsightly layer of old polish has built up, it should be scrubbed off and a new coat re-applied. (c) The floor should be sanitize with an alcohol based sanitizer or a thick bleach mixed thick water. 	daily	twice a
4.29	Carpets (wall-to-wall and loose)		
	(a) Vacuum all carpets – weekly and deep cleaned to remove stains quarterly using carpet cleaning detergents. NB! The carpets to be deep cleaned every 3 months and cleaning detergents to be supplied by the winning bidder. (b) Thorough vacuuming as follows: (1) High traffic (like passages) To be thoroughly cleaned daily. (2) Offices To be spring cleaned once a week	daily	twice a
4.30	Clean spots if it is not permanent stains and a carpet wash is not required. Guard against the use of cleaning agents that could damage or discolour the carpet.	daily	twice a
	(a) When carpets are washed, dirty marks or stains should be removed after which the carpet should be thoroughly vacuumed. The carpets should then be		
	washed with an appropriate carpet washing machine. It should be ensured at all times that the carpets do not become excessively wet. All water should be removed until the carpets are damp only. Occupants should be requested not to walk on the damp carpets, if possible - two times during the contract duration, after hours.		
	(b) Shake out and clean entrance carpets and dust		
4.31	carpets - daily. Indoor concrete floors (marble, ceramics, terrace tiles etc. excluding those in toilets)		huiss
	(a) Remove all dirty spots and sweep - daily.(b) Scrub with bleach and water - weekly.(c) Polish all polished surfaces - daily.	daily	twice a
4.32	Outdoors concrete surfaces and paving (marble, ceramics, terrace tiles etc. excluding those in toilets)	، دائدان	twice a
	 (a) Stoops, passages, footways and water canals should be swept with appropriate brooms and dirty spots removed - daily. (b) Pick up all rubbish on paving - daily. 	daily	day



	 (c) Sweep paving with a hard broom - daily. (d) Unpolished stoops and walkways should be washed or scrubbed with soap and water - weekly. (e) Polishing of polished stoops - weekly. 		
4.33	Ceilings		
	 (a) Remove visible dust, cobweb only in reachable areas. (b) Building related work, to be referred to DOJ. (c) This can only be done with a feather duster. 	YES	NO
4.34	Parking areas, garages and loading zone.		
	 (a) Clear all conspicuous rubbish - daily. (b) Remove oil, petrol and brake fluid stains with an appropriate approved cleaning agent - monthly. (c) Sweep parking area - weekly, 	YES	NO
4.35	Rubbish removal Waste baskets		
	 (a) Empty office waste bins - daily. (b) Damp-wash and disinfect waste buckets -daily. (c) Empty rubbish-bins in lobbies and passages - daily. (d) Rubbish removed from these containers should be 	daily	twice a day
	placed in other suitable containers or bags and may not be dragged across floors or carpet tiles.		
4.36	 (a) Empty and damp-wash/wash all ash-trays - daily. (b) Empty and damp-wash/wash all large ash-trays outside conference rooms - three times daily. (c) The contents of wastebaskets and ashtrays and other office rubbish should be removed neatly in bags and deposited in the rubbish bins provided for this purpose. (d) Rubbish removed from these containers should be placed in other suitable containers or bags and may not be dragged across floors or carpet tiles. (e) The Contractor will be responsible for sorting waste paper for rendering to waste paper dealers. The manner of disposal to be indicated - daily. (f) Leaves, paper and other rubbish falling on or blowing onto the premises should be collected and placed in plastic bags to be provided by the service provider, and put in an appropriate place on the premises. (g) Rubbish should be temporarily stored on the premises in proper rubbish bins provided by the State or garbage bags provided by the service provider. (h) Rubbish should be taken to the collection point of the relevant municipality as prescribed on those days the municipality removes rubbish. 	daily	twice a day
4.37	Prinking water Fresh drinking water should be provided in the water- Jugs/bottles made available in offices, passages, conference and training rooms – Twice daily. Making of tea for DOJ staff members Washing of dishes with dishwashing liquid & bleach.	daily	twice a day
4.38	Curtains	daily	twice a day



- Miles			
	Remove dust from the curtains Maintain a good shape and look		
	A worn out one to be reported and fixed by DOJ		
4.39			
	Kitchens		
	(a) Floors dusted and washed daily.		
	(b) Counters washed daily.(c) Cupboards cleaned, dusted inside weekly to enhance		
	(c) Cupboards cleaned, dusted inside weekly to enhance pest control.		
	(d) Disinfect all surface area every two hours		
5		YES	NO
	EQUIPMENT, CLEANING MATERIAL AND HYGIENIC		
	SERVICES TO BE USED		
	5.1 Equipment		
	All equipment is to be heavy duty industrial		
	i. 1 x Buffing machine		
	ii. 1 X Vacuum machine		
	iii. 1 X Hygiene trolley & mop system iv. All other equipment (brooms, mops, etc.)		
	iv. All other equipment (brooms, mops, etc.)		
	5.2 Cleaning Material		
	i. Kim Dry Boxes x 4 (Sample required)		
	ii. Multipurpose cleaner 5 ltr X 1		
	iii. Floor Polish 25ltr X 1		
	iv. Thick Bleach 5ltr X 1		
	v. Dish washing liquid soap 5ltr X 1		
	vi. Furniture Polish 6 X 400mil		
	vii. Mutton cloth roll 1kg X 3		
	viii. Industrial dust pan half yearly X 2 once off		
	ix. 1.8 meter feather dust X 3 once off		
	x. Kitchen towel once off 5		
	xi. Safety commercial gloves half arm X 60 pm		
	xii. Insecticides 400mil X 6		
	xiii. Office bins liner 15ltr bin X 20 pkt x 2		
	xiv. Pine Gel 10ltr x 1		
	xv. Gems disinfectant Fluid 5ltr X 1		
	xvi. Refuse bag pack of 20 X 2		
	5.3 Hygienic Services quantities to be supplied		
	monthly Auto conitory Ring 42 hing (convice twice a month)		
	I. Auto sanitary Bins, 12 bins (service twice a month)		
	II. Auto urinal sanitizer dispenser & 500mil refill X 6 III. (Sample required)		
	III. (Sample required)IV. Auto hand soap dispenser & 500mil soap refill X		
	12 (Sample required)		
	V. Auto hand disposable paper towel dispensers &		
	3200metre paper towel rols x 10 (Sample required)		
	VI. Auto toilet spray dispenser & 200ml spray refills x		
	16(Sample required)		
	VII. Seat sanitizers dispenser & 250ml seat sanitizer		
	refill x 15		
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5.4 Toiletries 14 bales of 48's two ply toilet paper SABS Approved, (Sample required) individually wrapped 350 sheets ii. 14 bales of 48's one ply toilet paper SABS Approved (Sample Required) 500 sheets 5.5 Uniform All employees of the appointed service provider must be neatly dressed in the service provider's prescribed uniform. ii. The Department accepts that service providers' might already have uniform in stock in their stores/ warehouses and therefore did not allow for pricing of uniform in this bid. iii. Bidder must only price for branding costs. RESPONSIBILITY OF THE SUCCESSFUL SERVICE **PROVIDER** 6.1 The successful service provider must: Submit proof of a valid certified letter of good (a) standing issued by the Department of Labour (COIDA) 6 within 21 days upon requesting to do so. Submit proof of a Valid UIF compliance certificate or letter within 21 days upon requesting to do so. Submit proof of a Valid Proof of Provident Fund compliance certificate within 21 days upon requesting to do so Must submit proof of a valid Public Liability Insurance (d) of at least R5 000,000.00 per incident, within 21 days upon receipt of appointment letter. Provide all cleaning material and equipment necessary for the proper execution of the cleaning service in terms of the specifications. Maintain its equipment in working order. (g) Ensure that fair labour practices are complied with. Indemnify, protect, defend and hold harmless the (h) 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 any taxes payable by the Contractor. 2. 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. Any claim in respect of the Occupational 3. Health and Safety Act. Bidders are referred to the Written Agreement on Occupational Health and Safety bound into this document. 4. Any claim by any third person including any employees of the Department or of the Contractor for any loss resulting from any

bodily injury and/or damage to property by



an act or omission of the Contractor or any of its employees, servants or agents.

- (i)Observe all statutory Conditions of Employment e.g., wages and other contributions, hours of work, overtime or leave applicable etc. to the Contract Cleaning Industry. (refer to paragraph 8.2(a))
- (j)Supply the labour force to render the cleaning 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.
- (k) After award of the contract, the bidder submit a complete a Written Agreement on Occupational Health and Safety within 21 days.
- (I)Ensure that its supervisor, who must be identified in writing to the DPW's project leader and empowered to act for him/her, is present on site during the official working hours. Must attend to any problems or complaints that may arise and directives given to him/her by the DPW's project leader. Ensure that the supervisor is contactable at all times.
- (m) Ensure that a meeting between the service provider and a project leader of the DPW takes place once a month.
- (n) Ensure that EPWP labour reports are submitted monthly. (Attendance register and labour payment register)
- (o) 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 and that the DPW could request to replace cleaning staff when necessary.
- (p) Keep the facilities provided by the DPW clean and tidy.
- (q) Conform to all applicable legislation, Municipal By-Laws or directives issued by the Eastern Cape Provincial Government (ECPG).
- (r) Comply with the facility/site's security and emergency policies and procedures.
- (s) Ensure that all staff employed are issued with protective clothing with the company's logo, as well as nametags.
- (t) Accept responsibility and liability for the safekeeping of its equipment on the premises provided by the DPW.
- (u) Supply toiletries as indicated in paragraph 5.4
- (v) Provide regulatory warning signs in all areas of operation.
- (w) The contractor must be fully equipped to clean windows in the building (inside as well as outside). The windows should at least be lower than 2 metres from the ground. They must atleast below 2 metres above. The cleaner should be able stand whilst cleaning the reachable window, including windows sill and frames.





7. LIABILITY

- a. The service provider will 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:
 - Any claim in respect of any taxes payable by the service provider.
 - ii. 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. Any claim in respect of the Occupational Health and Safety Act. Bidders are referred to the Written Agreement on Occupational Health and Safety bound into this document.
 - iv. Any claim by any third person including any employees of the Department or of the service provider for any loss resulting from any bodily injury and/or damage to property by an act or omission of the service provider or any of its employees, servants or agents.



EXPANDED PUBLIC WORKS PROGRAMME (EPWP)

The contractor shall comply with all the requirements of the Code of Good Practice for Employment and Conditions of Work for Public Works Programme issued in terms of the Basic Conditions of Employment Act, 1997 (Act No 75 of 1997) and the related Ministerial Determination, for the employment of locally employed temporary workers on a labour-intensive infrastructure project under the Expanded Public Works Programme (EPWP)

The **contractor** shall enter into an employment agreement with all workers and provide certified copies of such agreements and Identity documents of the workers to the principal agent within 28 calendar days.

The **contractor** shall maintain daily records with regard to the workers employed and shall, on monthly basis, submit a report to the **principal agent** in the prescribed format. Compulsory indicators such as the project budget, actual project expenditure, number of job opportunities created, demographic characteristics of workers employed, minimum daily wage rate, number of person-days of employment created and number of training person-days, shall be included in the said report all as defined in the guidelines for the Implementation of Labour-Intensive Projects under the Expanded Public Works Programme (EPWP)

Bill No. 1 EPWP Job creation reporting Bisho Master of High Court and King Williamstown Magistrates Office. Number of beneficiaries7				
Service reporting fee not to exceed R100 per beneficiary Rper/beneficiary				
Total cost for 7 beneficiaries R/ month (Calculation 7 beneficiaries x Service reporting fee / beneficiary)				
Carried to bullet point B-19 of the pricing schedule (page 69) Carried to Summary				





PRICING SCHEDULE

ANNEXURE A

ALL BIDDERS MUST BE COMPLETE THIS ANNEXURE

NB: (FAILURE TO DO SO WILL RESULT IN YOUR BID BEING DISQUALIFIED)

7 x Cleaners					
Е	Description.	Demonstrated On the	Bidder's offer		
Item	Description	Departmental Guide	Month's Rate		
1.	Basic salary - hourly rate that must not be less than that published in terms of Government Notice	Please note: If this rate is incorrect, the bidder is required to at least comply with the minimum sectorial determination rate for the relevant area as gazetted at the closing date of the bid.	Bidder's hourly rate R/ hour		
2.	Total Wage Cost per month	hourly rate x 8 hours per day x 5 days per week x 4,33 weeks per month	R/ month		
	Provisions to be made as additional costs incurred to the minimum rate of pay:				
3.	Annual leave provision (pro rata per month) based on minimum determined days per year.	5 days per year ÷ 5 months x hourly rate x 8 hours per days	R/ month		
4.	Sick Leave (pro rata per month) based on minimum determined days per year	3 days per year ÷ 5 months x hourly rate x 8 hours per day	R/ month		
6.	Unemployment Insurance Fund (UIF)	1% of basic monthly salary	R/ month		
9.	(EPWP BRANDING & UNIFORM)	See page 13, bullet point 5.5	R/ month		
10.	Workman's Compensation: (COIDA)	1.6% of total monthly wage	R/ month		
11.	Any other allowance/s and or employers contributions must be specified		R/ month		
12.	Estimated Monthly Cost per cleaner	Add items 2 to 11	R/ month		
13.	Total Costs for (7) SEVEN cleaner(s) personnel per month	Item 12 x number of cleaner(s)	R/ month		
14.	Total Labour Cost for Five months, carry over to bullet 27	Item 13 x 5 months	R for 5 months		





NB:

ANNEXURE B (Continues)

ALL BIDDERS MUST BE COMPLETE THIS QUESTIONNAIRE. (FAILURE TO DO SO WILL RESULT IN YOUR BID BEING DISQUALIFIED)

Costs to be incurred by the bidder:				
Item	Description of item(s) required	A Rates		
15.	Total Transport Costs	R/ month		
16.	Equipment (See paragraph 5.1) to hire	R/ month		
17.	Monthly cleaning material requirements Add monthly cleaning materials in paragraph 5.2 & 5.4)	R/ month		
18.	Hygienic Services 5.3) Add monthly items in paragraph 4	R/ month		
19.	EPWP Job creation reporting per beneficiary (Carried over from page 67)	R/ month		
20.	Operating Costs (excl VAT) (Item 15+ 16+ 17+18+19)	R/ month		
21.	Profit and overheads (Excluding VAT)	R/ month		
22.	Total Operating costs + Profit and Overheads) excluding VAT per month (B20 + B 21)	R/ month		
23.	Five months: Total Operating costs + Profit and Overheads) excluding VAT for 5 months (B22 x 5)	R for 5 month		
26.	Total Operating Cost for 5 Months (Bullet 23)	R for 5 months		
27.	Total Labour costs for 5 months (carried over from bullet 14)	R for 5 months		
28.	Once-off cleaning material requirements (Add all once off cleaning material in paragraph 5.2)	Rfor 5 months		
29.	Total Cost (Excluding Vat) (Bullet 26 + Bullet 27 + Bullet 28)	Rfor 5 months		
30.	VAT @ 15% (Bullet 29 x 15%)	R for 5 months		
31.	TOTAL BID COSTS/OFFER for 5 months including VAT (Bullet 29 + Bullet 30)	Rfor 5 months		
32.	OFFER IN WORDS:			