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| INVITATION TO BID   |                                     |                     |           |         |   |            |                   |                          |              |
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| YOU ARE HERE  | BY INVITED TO BID FOR               | <b>REQUIREMENTS</b> | of the MA | KHADO   | LOCAL                                     | . MUNICIPA | LITY              |                          | -            |
| BID NUMBER:   | 37 / 2024                           | CLOSING DATE        | : 27 N    | OVEME   | BER 20                                    | 24 CLO     | DSING -           | TIME:                    | 12H00        |
| DESCRIPTION PANEL OF SERVICE PROVIDER FOR SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF TABLETS AND Mac OS LAPTOP FOR THE PERIOD OF THREE YEARS AS AND WHEN REQUIRED |                                     |                     |           |         |   |            |                   |                          |              |
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| E-MAIL ADDRES   | S                                   |                     |           |         |   |            |                   |                          |              |
| VAT REGISTRAT   | ION NUMBER                          |                     |           |         |   |            |                   |                          |              |
| TAX COMPLIAN  | CE STATUS                           | TCS PIN:            |           |         | OR  | CSD No:    |                   |                          |              |
|   |                                     |                     |           |         | ARE                                       | YOU A FORE | IGN               |                          |              |
|   | VE IN SOUTH AFRICA                  | Yes                 | □No       |         |   | D SUPPLIE  | R FOR             | □Yes                     | □No          |
| FOR THE GOOD<br>/WORKS OFFER  |                                     | [IF YES ENCLOSE     | PROOF]    |         | THE GOODS<br>/SERVICES /WORKS<br>OFFERED? |            | ANSWER PART B:3 ] |                          |              |
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| SIGNATURE OF BIDDER   |                                     |                     |           |         |   |            |                   | R .                      |              |
|   | ER WHICH THIS BID                   |                     |           |         | DATE                                      |            |                   |                          |              |
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PART B TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR BIDDING

| 1.           | BID SUBMISSION:   |  |
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| 1.1.         | BIDS MUST BE DELIVERED BY THE STIPULATED TIME TO THE CORRECT ADDRESS. LATE BID CONSIDERATION.   | S WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED FOR                             |
| 1.2.         | ALL BIDS MUST BE SUBMITTED ON THE OFFICIAL FORMS PROVIDED-(NOT TO BE RE-TYPE  | D) OR ONLINE   |
| 1.3.         | THIS BID IS SUBJECT TO THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT POLICY FRAMEWORK /<br>PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS, 2017, THE GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT (GCC) AN<br>SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT. |  |
| 2.           | TAX COMPLIANCE REQUIREMENTS   |  |
| 2.1          | BIDDERS MUST ENSURE COMPLIANCE WITH THEIR TAX OBLIGATIONS.  |  |
| 2.2          | BIDDERS ARE REQUIRED TO SUBMIT THEIR UNIQUE PERSONAL IDENTIFICATION NUMBERABLE THE ORGAN OF STATE TO VIEW THE TAXPAYER'S PROFILE AND TAX STATUS.  | ER (PIN) ISSUED BY SARS TO                             |
| 2.3          | APPLICATION FOR THE TAX COMPLIANCE STATUS (TCS) CERTIFICATE OR PIN MAY ALSO BE<br>TO USE THIS PROVISION, TAXPAYERS WILL NEED TO REGISTER WITH SARS AS E-FIL<br>WWW.SARS.GOV.ZA.         |  |
| 2.4          | FOREIGN SUPPLIERS MUST COMPLETE THE PRE-AWARD QUESTIONNAIRE IN PART B:3.  |  |
| 2.5          | BIDDERS MAY ALSO SUBMIT A PRINTED TCS CERTIFICATE TOGETHER WITH THE BID.  |  |
| 2.6          | IN BIDS WHERE CONSORTIA / JOINT VENTURES / SUB-CONTRACTORS ARE INVOLVED, SEPARATE TCS CERTIFICATE / PIN / CSD NUMBER.   | EACH PARTY MUST SUBMIT A                               |
| 2.7          | WHERE NO TCS IS AVAILABLE BUT THE BIDDER IS REGISTERED ON THE CENTRAL SUPPOUMBER MUST BE PROVIDED.  | PLIER DATABASE (CSD), A CSD                            |
| 3.           | QUESTIONNAIRE TO BIDDING FOREIGN SUPPLIERS  |  |
| 3.1.         | IS THE ENTITY A RESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA (RSA)?   | YES NO   |
| 3.2.         | DOES THE ENTITY HAVE A BRANCH IN THE RSA?   | YES NO   |
| 3.3.         | DOES THE ENTITY HAVE A PERMANENT ESTABLISHMENT IN THE RSA?  | YES NO   |
| 3.4.         | DOES THE ENTITY HAVE ANY SOURCE OF INCOME IN THE RSA?   | YES NO   |
| 3.5.         | IS THE ENTITY LIABLE IN THE RSA FOR ANY FORM OF TAXATION?   | YES NO   |
| if ti<br>Sta | THE ANSWER IS "NO" TO ALL OF THE ABOVE, THEN IT IS NOT A REQUIREMENT TO REGIS<br>ATUS SYSTEM PIN CODE FROM THE SOUTH AFRICAN REVENUE SERVICE (SARS) AND IF NOT                          | TER FOR A TAX COMPLIANCE<br>REGISTER AS PER 2.3 ABOVE. |

NB: FAILURE TO PROVIDE ANY OF THE ABOVE PARTICULARS MAY RENDER THE BID INVALID. NO BIDS WILL BE CONSIDERED FROM PERSONS IN THE SERVICE OF THE STATE.

| SIGNATURE OF BIDDER:                     |  |
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| CAPACITY UNDER WHICH THIS BID IS SIGNED: |  |
| DATE:                                    |  |

## SA junior-welter champ to defend against Msimanga

#### By Bongani Magasela

Boxing SA manager of the year 2023, Damien Durandt, has made a bold statement that SA junior welterweight champion Ntethelelo "Baby G" Nkosi will be the greatest boxer to come out of KwaZulu-Natal.

The popular opinion is that retired former two-time WBC super middleweight champion Thulani "Sugar Boy" Malinga and former two-times IBF and IBO flyweight holder Moruti "Baby Face" Mthalane are the fighters from that best province.

Both Malinga from Ladysmith and Mthalane from Lindelani were trained in Johannesburg by Damien's father Nick "Mthakathi" Durandt.

Malinga won his belts under now late Nick Durandt, who also guided Mthalane to winning the IBF (for the fist time) and the IBO titles.

when Malinga won those belts.

Now 34, Damien is one of the top trainers/managers in the business.

He helped Nkosi from Mtubatuba to win the national crown from Prince Dlomo in November last year.

The champ will put his belt on line against Sanele Msimanga in Golden Gloves tournament dubbed "Abanqobi -The Conquerors", at Emperors Palace on Saturday.

"Stylistically, Malinga had a part while Moruti came to fight; Nkosi is an all-round fighter who can box and fight," said Durandt. "It won't be easy for Nkosi to surpass their accomplishments."

"I believe the greatest fighter to have come out of SA is Silence Mabuza. We don't give him credit he deserves be-

# Damien was five years old

# Ntethelelo Nkosi after dropping **Prince Dlomo** to win the SA title./CHRISTO SMITH

cause he lost to Rafael Marquez. Otherwise, Silence would have ruled the junior bantamweight division.

"Ntethelelo is like Silence. He's got all the attributes to go all the way. One day people will turn around and say ja, you told us. Nkosi is not fixated on a certain style. Moruti used to fight behind straight punches and he threw a volume of blows.

"Malinga was very good behind a long jab to set up for a long right hand, Ntethelelo has got power, ability to win on points, good hand speed and gives angles. This boy is a complete package."

Durandt's other charge, Brandon Thysse, will face Khensahosi Makondo for the vacant SA junior middleweight belt.

Erstwhile junior middleweight holder Shervontaigh "SK" Koopman will welcome Englishman Jason Cook for the WBA Inter-Continental junior middleweight title in the main event.

There will be two more bouts and action will begin at 7pm.

# **Mbenge happy and** refreshed after IBO win

### 'I'm still hungry for more battles, titles'

#### By Bongani Magasela

"I woke up on Sunday feeling like a brand-new man."

That is how 33-year-old newly crowned International Boxing Organisation (IBO) welterweight boxing champi-Thulani "Evolution" on Mbenge reacted to his successful mission to win back the belt he lost to Sebastian Formela in Germany in 2019.

Mbenge won it back on Saturday after defeating Englishman Michael "The Problem" McKinson on points after 12 rounds at the Copperbox Arena in London.

He put up dominating spirited performance that earned him a deserved unanimous points decision after 12 rounds. The score was 116-112 (two judges) winner and the third official scored 117-111.

cardo "Magic Man" Malajika and Jackson "M3" Chauke hold junior-banwho tamweight and flyweight tiles, respectively. "I am still hungry and I believe there are more battles still

cal IBO titlist. Others are Ri-

to be won. I am ready for any challenges." Winning the IBO belt means that the SA title Mbenge from Mdantsane has held since 2020 is now vacant.

"The fight was good and I knew that I had to win convincingly, so that is why I was on the offensive all the time and I knew that my aggression must be smarter," said the No  $11\,contender$  for the WBC belt.

"Otherwise this guv was going to do what Formela did, and I knew I was not at home; otherwise it went the way we planned it. I want to thank South Africans for their support," said Mbenge who pleaded with keen sports followers to delay popping champagne in celebration of Phumelela "The Truth" Cafu's win for the world champion," said the Jo- WBO junior-bantamweight world title until he came back with his belt.



## MAKHADO LOCAL MUNICIPALITY

#### **TENDER NOTICE**



All suitable service providers are hereby invited to bid for the below mentioned project. Bidders are requested to bid as per specification attached to the bid documents that will be obtainable 30 October 2024 at non-refundable amount of R600.00 per document at the Procurement Office No. B043 Ground Floor, 83 Krogh Street, Civic Center, Makhado or can be downloaded from e-tender portal for free https://etenders.treasury.gov.za/ content/advertised-tender or www.makhado.gov.za

| BID<br>NO:    | DESCRIPTION   | SPECIAL<br>REQUIREMENT         | TECHNICAL ENQUIRIES   | REFERENCE AND<br>NOTICE NO.            | CLOSING<br>DATE AND<br>TIME       |
|---------------|---|--------------------------------|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| 37 of<br>2024 | Panel of service provider for<br>supply and delivery of Tablets<br>and Mac OS Laptop for the<br>period three years. |                                | Director Corporate Service:<br>Mr. SG Maguga or<br>Mr. ZE Tharini at<br>0155193000        | Ref: 8/3/2/2042<br>Notice no: 109/2024 | 27 November<br>2024<br>at 12h00pm |
| 38 of<br>2024 | Supply, delivery and<br>commissioning of laptop<br>tracking and recovery solution<br>for a period of three years.   |                                | Director Corporate Service:<br>Mr. SG Maguga or<br>Mr. ZE Tharini at<br>0155193000        | Ref: 8/3/2/2043<br>Notice no: 110/2024 | 27 November<br>2024<br>at 12h00pm |
| 39 of<br>2024 | Supply and delivery of laser<br>camera for Makhado Traffic<br>law enforcement                                       |                                | Director Community<br>Services or<br>Mr Z Thukhutha at<br>0155193000                      | Ref: 8/3/2/2044<br>Notice no: 111/2024 | 18 November<br>2024<br>at 12h00pm |
| 40 of<br>2024 | Supply, delivery of material<br>and labour for tilling of<br>municipal offices                                      | CIDB Grading<br>01GB or higher | Acting Director Technical<br>Services: Mr. L Thulare<br>or Mr. TP Mashau at<br>0155193000 | Ref: 8/3/2/2045<br>Notice no: 112/2024 | 18 November<br>2024<br>at 12h00pm |
| 41 of<br>2024 | Construction of guard room,<br>septic tank, steel water tank at<br>East berg view Substation                        | CIDB Grading<br>02GB or higher | Acting Director Technical<br>Services: Mr. L Thulare<br>or Mr. TP Mashau at<br>0155193000 | Ref: 8/3/2/2046<br>Notice no: 113/2024 | 18 November<br>2024<br>at 12h00pm |
| 42 of<br>2024 | Refurbishment of Eltivillas<br>sport facility   | CIDB Grading<br>02GB or higher | Acting Director Technical<br>Services: Mr. L Thulare<br>or Mr. TP Mashau at<br>0155193000 | Ref: 8/3/2/2047<br>Notice no:114/2024  | 18 November<br>2024<br>at 12h00pm |
| 46 of<br>2024 | Panel of service provider<br>for supply and delivery of<br>hardware material for the<br>period of three years       |                                | Chief Financial Officer:<br>Mr. NG Raliphada or<br>Ms. P Mudau at<br>0155193000           | Ref: 8/3/2/2051<br>Notice no: 118/2024 | 27 November<br>2024<br>at 12h00pm |

# **Nkosi has attributes to become** a great fighter, says Durandt

"I am now a two-time IBO hannesburg-based East Londoner who is now the third lo-



Completed bid documents signed by a duly authorized person, sealed in an envelope clearly marked "As mentioned above" must reach the undersigned by depositing it into the tender box at the foyer of the main entrance to the Civic Centre by not later than "As mentioned above" when all tenders received will be opened in public in the Council Chamber, Ground Floor, Civic Centre, No.83 Krogh Street, Makhado.

The Municipality is not bound to accept the lowest or any bid and reserves the right to accept any part of a bid. Bids must remain valid for a period of ninety (90) days after closing date of submission thereof. Submitted tenders will be evaluated on 80/20 preferential points only

Bids which are late, incomplete, unsigned, or submitted in pencil or by telegraph or facsimile or electronically by e-mail, or not having the following documents attached for evaluation or not complying with the tender specifications, will not be evaluated, and will be disqualified

- · Valid Tax compliance status pin issued by SARS
- A copy of company registration documents (CK)
- Certified copy/copies of company owner(s) ID book(s), not older than three (03) months certification.
- Attach proof of payment for municipal rates not owing for more than (03) months or formal lease agreement for rental premises or letter from the traditional authority in cases of non-ratable areas. (Attach for both entity and directors of the company)
- Copy of central supplier database (CSD) report.

#### NB:

- All Service Provider doing business with Makhado municipality are required to register on the CSD (Central Supplier Database).
- A copy of a certified copy will not be accepted.

All procurement enquiries should be directed to Ms. P Mudau at Tel no. (015) 519 3044/3024

Civic Centre 83 Krogh Street MAKHĀDO

MR KM NEMANAME MUNICIPAL MANAGER

# SPECIFICATION FOR SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF Mac OS LAPTOPS AND TABLETS FOR A PERIOD OF THREE YEARS

| TABLE 1.1 TABLET SPI   |  |
|------------------------|--|
|                        | Width 214.9 mm   |
| Size and Weight        | Height 280.6 mm  |
|                        | Depth 6.4 mm   |
|                        | Weight: 682 9  |
| Cellular and Wireless  | 802.11ax Wi-Fi 6; simultaneous dual band (2.4GHz and 5GHz); HT80 with MIMO                 |
| Central and win cless  | Bluetooth 5.0 technology   |
| Operating System       | Mac OS   |
| Sensors                | Face ID and Touch  |
| Capacity               | 512GB  |
| Chip                   | Apple M1. chip 8-core CPU with 4 performance cores and 4 efficiency cores. 8-core GPU. 16- |
|                        |  |
|                        | core Neural Engine   |
|                        |  |
| Display                | Liquid Retina XDR display  |
|                        |  |
|                        | 12.9-inch (diagonal) mini-LED backlit Multi-Touch display with IPS technology              |
|                        |  |
|                        | 2D backlighting system with 2,596 full-array local dimming zones                           |
|                        |  |
| Accessibility          | Voiceover  |
| j                      |  |
|                        | Voice Control  |
|                        |  |
|                        | Zoom   |
|                        |  |
|                        | Magnifier  |
|                        | Siri and Dictation   |
|                        |  |
|                        | Switch Control   |
|                        |  |
|                        | Closed Captions  |
|                        |  |
|                        | Assistive Touch  |
|                        | Speak Screen   |
| Warrantee              |  |
|                        | The warrantee for device common in the industry must be in the name of the Municipality.   |
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| NB: Each Tablet MUST H | be supplied with a tablet Smart Case.  |
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#### TABLE 1.1 TABLET SPECIFICATION

#### TABLE 1.2 Mac OS LAPTOP SPECIFICATION

| CPU   | 9th gen Core i7 or i9, or M2 Pro or Max with 10-core or 12-core CPU        |  |  |  |  |  |
|---|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| RAM   | 16GB to 96GB of unified memory   |  |  |  |  |  |
| Hard Disk Size                                    | 512GB to 8TB SSD   |  |  |  |  |  |
| CPU Model   | AMD Radeon Pro 5300M or 5500M, or M2 Pro or Max with 32-core or            |  |  |  |  |  |
|   | 38-core GPU  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Ram Memory Installed Size                         | 32 GB  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Operating System                                  | Mac OS   |  |  |  |  |  |
| Graphics Card Description                         | Dedicated  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Display   | 16 inches (2072 x 1920 pixels)   |  |  |  |  |  |
| Battery   | 100-watt-hour up to 11 hours   |  |  |  |  |  |
| Warrantee   | The warrantee for device common in the industry must be in the name of the |  |  |  |  |  |
|   | Municipality.  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| NB: Each Laptop MUST be supplied with a carry bag |  |  |  |  |  |  |

#### **PRICING SCHEDULE:**

| DEVICE           | UNIT PRICE         | UNIT PRICE | UNIT PRICE | TOTAL |  |  |  |  |
|------------------|--------------------|------------|------------|-------|--|--|--|--|
|                  | YEAR 1             | YEAR 2     | YEAR 3     |       |  |  |  |  |
| TABLET AS PER    | R                  | R          | R          | R     |  |  |  |  |
| SPECIFICATION    |                    |            |            |       |  |  |  |  |
| ON TABLE 1.1     |                    |            |            |       |  |  |  |  |
| TABLET SMART     | R                  | R          | R          | R     |  |  |  |  |
| CASE             |                    |            |            |       |  |  |  |  |
| Mac OS LAPTOP AS | R                  | R          | R          | R     |  |  |  |  |
| PER              |                    |            |            |       |  |  |  |  |
| SPECIFICATION    |                    |            |            |       |  |  |  |  |
| ON TABLE 1.2     |                    |            |            |       |  |  |  |  |
| Mac OS LAPTOP    | R                  | R          | R          | R     |  |  |  |  |
| CARRY BAG        |                    |            |            |       |  |  |  |  |
|                  |                    |            |            | R     |  |  |  |  |
|                  | SUB-TOTAL          |            |            |       |  |  |  |  |
|                  | R                  |            |            |       |  |  |  |  |
|                  |                    |            |            |       |  |  |  |  |
|                  | TOTAL (Incl VAT) R |            |            |       |  |  |  |  |
|                  |                    |            |            |       |  |  |  |  |

#### PRICING SCHEDULE – NON-FIRM PRICES (PURCHASES)

#### NOTE: PRICE ADJUSTMENTS WILL BE ALLOWED AT THE PERIODS AND TIMES SPECIFIED IN THE BIDDING DOCUMENTS.

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

| Na   | me of Bidder                      |                    | Bid                         |                |
|------|-----------------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------------|----------------|
| nu   | mber                              |                    |                             |                |
| Cl   | osing Time                        | Closing Date       |                             |                |
| OFFE | R TO BE VALID FORDAY              | 'S FROM THE CLOSIN |                             |                |
| ITEM | QUANTITY                          | DESCRIPTION        | N BID PRICE IN RSA CURRENCY |                |
| NO.  |                                   |                    | (INCLUDING VAT)             |                |
|      |                                   |                    |                             |                |
| -    | Required by:                      |                    |                             |                |
| -    | At:                               |                    |                             |                |
| -    | Brand and model                   |                    |                             |                |
| -    | Country of origin                 |                    |                             |                |
| -    | Does offer comply with specific   | ation? *YES/NO     |                             |                |
| -    | If not to specification, indicate | e deviation(s)     |                             |                |
| -    | Period required for delivery      |                    |                             |                |
| -    | Delivery:                         |                    |                             | *Firm/not firm |
|      | *Delete if not applicable         |                    |                             |                |

#### **PRICE ADJUSTMENTS**

#### A NON-FIRM PRICES SUBJECT TO ESCALATION

1. IN CASES OF CONTRACTS, NON FIRM PRICES WILL BE ADJUSTED (LOADED) WITH THE ASSESSED CONTRACT PRICE ADJUSTMENTS IMPLICIT IN NON FIRM PRICES WHEN CALCULATING THE COMPARATIVE PRICES

2. IN THIS CATEGORY PRICE ESCALATIONS WILL ONLY BE CONSIDERED IN TERMS OF THE FOLLOWING FORMULA:

$$Pa = (1 - V)Pt \left( D1 \frac{R1t}{R1o} + D2 \frac{R2t}{R2o} + D3 \frac{R3t}{R3o} + D4 \frac{D4t}{D4o} \right) + VPt$$

Where:

| Pa                            | =             | The new escalated price to be calculated.  |  |  |  |  |  |
|-------------------------------|---------------|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| (1-V) Pt                      | =             | 85% of the original bid price. Note that Pt must always be the original bid price and not an escalated price.                                |  |  |  |  |  |
| D1, D2                        | =             | Each factor of the bid price eg. labour, transport, clothing, footwear, etc. The total of the various factors D1,D2etc. must add up to 100%. |  |  |  |  |  |
| R1t, R2t                      | =             | Index figure obtained from new index (depends on the number of factors used).  |  |  |  |  |  |
| R1o, R2o                      | =             | Index figure at time of bidding.   |  |  |  |  |  |
| VPt                           | =             | 15% of the original bid price. This portion of the bid price remains firm i.e. it is not subject to any price escalations.                   |  |  |  |  |  |
| 3.                            | The following | index/indices must be used to calculate your bid price:  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Index Dated                   |               | Index Dated Index Dated  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Index Dated Dated Dated Dated |               |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|                               |               |  |  |  |  |  |  |

4. FURNISH A BREAKDOWN OF YOUR PRICE IN TERMS OF ABOVE-MENTIONED FORMULA. THE TOTAL OF THE VARIOUS FACTORS MUST ADD UP TO 100%.

| FACTOR<br>(D1, D2 etc. eg. Labour, transport etc.) | PERCENTAGE OF BID PRICE |
|--|-------------------------|
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#### B PRICES SUBJECT TO RATE OF EXCHANGE VARIATIONS

1. Please furnish full particulars of your financial institution, state the currencies used in the conversion of the prices of the items to South African currency, which portion of the price is subject to rate of exchange variations and the amounts remitted abroad.

| PARTICULARS OF<br>FINANCIAL INSTITUTION | ITEM NO | PRICE | CURRENCY | RATE | PORTION OF<br>PRICE<br>SUBJECT TO<br>ROE | AMOUNT IN<br>FOREIGN<br>CURRENCY<br>REMITTED<br>ABROAD |
|---|---------|-------|----------|------|--|--|
|   |         |       |          | ZAR= |  |  |
|   |         |       |          | ZAR= |  |  |
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|   |         |       |          | ZAR= |  |  |
|   |         |       |          | ZAR= |  |  |

2. Adjustments for rate of exchange variations during the contract period will be calculated by using the average monthly exchange rates as issued by your commercial bank for the periods indicated hereunder: (Proof from bank required)

| AVERAGE MONTHLY EXCHANGE RATES<br>FOR THE PERIOD: | DATE<br>DOCUMENTATION<br>MUST BE SUBMITTED<br>TO THIS OFFICE | DATE FROM WHICH<br>NEW CALCULATED<br>PRICES WILL BECOME<br>EFFECTIVE | DATE UNTIL WHICH NEW<br>CALCULATED PRICE WILL<br>BE EFFECTIVE |
|---|--|--|---|
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#### DECLARATION OF INTEREST

- 1. No bid will be accepted from persons in the service of the state<sup>1</sup>.
- 2. Any person, having a kinship with persons in the service of the state, including a blood relationship, may make an offer or offers in terms of this invitation to bid. In view of possible allegations of favouritism, should the resulting bid, or part thereof, be awarded to persons connected with or related to persons in service of the state, it is required that the bidder or their authorised representative declare their position in relation to the evaluating/adjudicating authority.

3 In order to give effect to the above, the following questionnaire must be completed and submitted with the bid.

|                                 | 3.1  | Full Name of bidder or his or her representative:  |     |
|---------------------------------|--|--|-----|
|                                 | 3.2  | Identity Number:   |     |
|                                 | 3.3  | Position occupied in the Company (director, trustee, hareholder <sup>2</sup> ):  |     |
|                                 | 3.4  | Company Registration Number:   |     |
|                                 | 3.5  | Tax Reference Number:  | · • |
|                                 | 3.6  | VAT Registration Number:   |     |
|                                 | 3.7  | The names of all directors / trustees / shareholders members, their individual identity numbers and state employee numbers must be indicated in paragraph 4 below.   |     |
|                                 | 3.8  | Are you presently in the service of the state?YES / N3.8.1 If yes, furnish particulars.  |     |
| (a)<br>(b)<br>(c)<br>(d)<br>(e) | a me<br>(i)<br>(ii)<br>(iii)<br>a me<br>an c<br>cons<br>1999<br>a me | any provincial legislature; or<br>the national Assembly or the national Council of provinces;<br>nember of the board of directors of any municipal entity;<br>official of any municipality or municipal entity;<br>employee of any national or provincial department, national or provincial public entity or<br>istitutional institution within the meaning of the Public Finance Management Act, 1999 (A |     |
|                                 |  | cholder" means a person who owns shares in the company and is actively involved in the ement of the company or business and exercises control over the company.  | Э   |
|                                 | 3.9  | Have you been in the service of the state for the past twelve months?YES / N<br>3.9.1 If yes, furnish particulars  |     |
| 3.10                            | Do   | you have any relationship (family, friend, other) with persons   |     |

|      |                                     | vice of the state and who may be involved with ation and or adjudication of this bid?   | YES / NO |
|------|-------------------------------------|---|----------|
|      | 3.10.1 lf                           | yes, furnish particulars.   |          |
| 3.11 | any other<br>may be in              | aware of any relationship (family, friend, other) between<br>bidder and any persons in the service of the state who<br>volved with the evaluation and or adjudication of this bid?<br>yes, furnish particulars              | YES / NO |
| 3.12 | principle s                         | f the company's directors, trustees, managers,<br>shareholders or stakeholders in service of the state?<br>yes, furnish particulars.  | YES / NO |
| 3.13 | trustees,<br>in service             | pouse, child or parent of the company's directors<br>managers, principle shareholders or stakeholders<br>of the state?<br>yes, furnish particulars.   | YES / NO |
| 3.14 | principle s<br>have any<br>business | any of the directors, trustees, managers,<br>shareholders, or stakeholders of this company<br>interest in any other related companies or<br>whether or not they are bidding for this contract.<br>yes, furnish particulars: | YES / NO |
|      |                                     |   |          |

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

| Full Name | Identity Number | State Employee<br>Number |
|-----------|-----------------|--------------------------|
|           |                 |                          |
|           |                 |                          |
|           |                 |                          |
|           |                 |                          |

Signature

Date

Capacity

Name of Bidder

#### 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 To be completed by the organ of state

(delete whichever is not applicable for this tender).

- a) The applicable preference point system for this tender is the 90/10 preference point system.
- b) The applicable preference point system for this tender is the 80/20 preference point system.
- c) 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 (even in the case of a tender for income-generating contracts) shall be awarded for:
  - (a) Price; and
  - (b) Specific Goals.

#### 1.4 To be completed by the organ of state:

The maximum points for this tender are allocated as follows:

|  | POINTS |
|--|--------|
| PRICE  | 80     |
| SPECIFIC GOALS                               | 20     |
| Total points for Price and SPECIFIC<br>GOALS | 100    |

1.5 Failure on the part of a tenderer to submit proof or documentation required in terms of this tender to claim points for specific goals with the tender, will be interpreted to mean that preference points for specific goals are not claimed.

1.6 The organ of state reserves the right to require of a 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:

80/20 or 90/10

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

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:

80/20 or 90/10

$$Ps = 80\left(1 + \frac{Pt - P\max}{P\max}\right) \text{ or } \qquad Ps = 90\left(1 + \frac{Pt - P\max}{P\max}\right)$$

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 below 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<br>allocated points in terms<br>of this tender | Number of<br>points<br>allocated<br>(90/10<br>system)<br>(To be<br>completed by<br>the organ of<br>state) | Number of<br>points<br>allocated<br>(80/20<br>system)<br>(To be<br>completed<br>by the<br>organ of<br>state) | Number of<br>points claimed<br>(90/10 system)<br>(To be<br>completed by<br>the tenderer) | Number of<br>points<br>claimed<br>(80/20<br>system)<br>(To be<br>completed by<br>the tenderer) |
|---|---|--|--|--|
| 100% Black ownership<br>(attach CSD detail report)                | N/A   | 10   | N/A  |  |

| Woman Ownership (attach<br>CSD detail report or<br>Certified copy of Smart ID) | N/A | 05 | N/A |  |
|--|-----|----|-----|--|
| Disability (Attach Disability<br>letter from a Doctor)                         | N/A | 05 | N/A |  |
|  |     |    |     |  |

#### DECLARATION WITH REGARD TO COMPANY/FIRM

- 4.3. Name of company/firm.....
- 4.4. Company registration number: .....
- 4.5. TYPE OF COMPANY/ FIRM
  - D 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 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:<br>DATE: |                             |
| ADDRESS:                   |                             |
|                            |                             |
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#### **CONTRACT FORM - PURCHASE OF GOODS/WORKS**

# THIS FORM MUST BE FILLED IN DUPLICATE BY BOTH THE SUCCESSFUL BIDDER (PART 1) AND THE PURCHASER (PART 2). BOTH FORMS MUST BE SIGNED IN THE ORIGINAL SO THAT THE SUCCESSFUL BIDDER AND THE PURCHASER WOULD BE IN POSSESSION OF ORIGINALLY SIGNED CONTRACTS FOR THEIR RESPECTIVE RECORDS.

#### PART 1 (TO BE FILLED IN BY THE BIDDER)

- 1. I hereby undertake to supply all or any of the goods and/or works described in the attached bidding documents to **Makhado Local Municipality** in accordance with the requirements and specifications stipulated in bid number **37 of 2024** at the price/s quoted. My offer/s remain binding upon me and open for acceptance by the purchaser during the validity period indicated and calculated from the closing time of bid.
- 2. The following documents shall be deemed to form and be read and construed as part of this agreement:
  - (i) Bidding documents, *viz* 
    - Invitation to bid;
    - Tax clearance certificate;
    - Pricing schedule(s);
    - Technical Specification(s);
    - Preference claims for Broad Based Black Economic Empowerment Status Level of Contribution in terms of the Preferential Procurement Regulations 2011;
    - Declaration of interest;
    - Declaration of bidder's past SCM practices;
    - Certificate of Independent Bid Determination;
    - Special Conditions of Contract;
  - (ii) General Conditions of Contract; and
  - (iii) Other (specify)
- 3. I confirm that I have satisfied myself as to the correctness and validity of my bid; that the price(s) and rate(s) quoted cover all the goods and/or works specified in the bidding documents; that the price(s) and rate(s) cover all my obligations and I accept that any mistakes regarding price(s) and rate(s) and rate(s) and rate(s) and rate(s).
- 4. I accept full responsibility for the proper execution and fulfilment of all obligations and conditions devolving on me under this agreement as the principal liable for the due fulfillment of this contract.
- 5. I declare that I have no participation in any collusive practices with any bidder or any other person regarding this or any other bid.
- 6. I confirm that I am duly authorised to sign this contract.

| NAME (PRINT) |  |
|--------------|--|
| CAPACITY     |  |
| SIGNATURE    |  |
| NAME OF FIRM |  |
| DATE         |  |

| WITNESSES |  |  |  |
|-----------|--|--|--|
| 1         |  |  |  |
| 2         |  |  |  |
| DATE:     |  |  |  |

#### **CONTRACT FORM - PURCHASE OF GOODS/WORKS**

#### PART 2 (TO BE FILLED IN BY THE PURCHASER)

- 1. I KM NEMANAME in my capacity as Municipal Manager accept your bid under reference number 8/3/2/2042 dated.....for the supply of goods/works indicated hereunder and/or further specified in the annexure(s).
- 2. An official order indicating delivery instructions is forthcoming.
- 3. I undertake to make payment for the goods/works delivered in accordance with the terms and conditions of the contract, within 30 (thirty) days after receipt of an invoice accompanied by the delivery note.

| ITEM<br>NO. | PRICE (ALL<br>APPLICABLE<br>TAXES<br>INCLUDED) | BRAND  | DELIVERY<br>PERIOD | B-BBEE<br>STATUS<br>LEVEL OF<br>CONTRIBU<br>TION | MINIMUM<br>THRESHOLD<br>FOR LOCAL<br>PRODUCTION<br>AND CONTENT<br>(if applicable) |
|-------------|--|--|--------------------|--|---|
|             |  | SUPPLY AND<br>DELIVERY OF<br>TABLETS AND<br>MAC OS<br>LAPTOP FOR<br>THE PERIOD OF<br>THREE YEARS |                    | N/A  |   |

4. I confirm that I am duly authorized to sign this contract.

SIGNED AT .....ON.....

NAME (PRINT) .....

SIGNATURE .....

OFFICIAL STAMP



|      | WITNESSES |  |  |  |
|------|-----------|--|--|--|
| 1.   |           |  |  |  |
| 2.   |           |  |  |  |
| DATE | E         |  |  |  |
|      |           |  |  |  |

#### DECLARATION OF BIDDER'S PAST SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT PRACTICES

- 1 This Municipal Bidding Document must form part of all bids invited.
- 2 It serves as a declaration to be used by municipalities and municipal entities in ensuring that when goods and services are being procured, all reasonable steps are taken to combat the abuse of the supply chain management system.
- 3 The bid of any bidder may be rejected if that bidder, or any of its directors have:
  - a. abused the municipality's / municipal entity's supply chain management system or committed any improper conduct in relation to such system;
  - b. been convicted for fraud or corruption during the past five years;
  - c. willfully neglected, reneged on or failed to comply with any government, municipal or other public sector contract during the past five years; or
  - d. been listed in the Register for Tender Defaulters in terms of section 29 of the Prevention and Combating of Corrupt Activities Act (No 12 of 2004).
- 4 In order to give effect to the above, the following questionnaire must be completed and submitted with the bid.

| Item  | Question   | Yes | No |
|-------|--|-----|----|
| 4.1   | Is the bidder or any of its directors listed on the National Treasury's Database of Restricted Suppliers as companies or persons prohibited from doing business with the public sector?  | Yes | No |
|       | (Companies or persons who are listed on this Database were informed in writing of this   |     |    |
|       | restriction by the Accounting Officer/Authority of the institution that imposed the restriction after  |     |    |
|       | the <i>audi alteram partem</i> rule was applied).  |     |    |
|       | The Database of Restricted Suppliers now resides on the National Treasury's website  |     |    |
|       | (www.treasury.gov.za) and can be accessed by clicking on its link at the bottom of the   |     |    |
|       | home page.   |     |    |
| 4.1.1 | If so, furnish particulars:  |     |    |
| 4.2   | Is the bidder or any of its directors listed on the Register for Tender Defaulters in terms of section 29 of the Prevention and Combating of Corrupt Activities Act (No 12 of 2004)? The Register for Tender Defaulters can be accessed on the National Treasury's website (www.treasury.gov.za) by clicking on its link at the bottom of the home page. | Yes | No |
| 4.2.1 | If so, furnish particulars:  |     |    |
| 4.3   | Was the bidder or any of its directors convicted by a court of law (including a court of law outside the Republic of South Africa) for fraud or corruption during the past five years?   | Yes | No |

| 4.3.1       | If so, furnish particulars:  |     |    |
|-------------|--|-----|----|
| ltem<br>4.4 | Question<br>Does the bidder or any of its directors owe any municipal rates and taxes or municipal charges<br>to the municipality / municipal entity, or to any other municipality / municipal entity, that is in<br>arrears for more than three months? | Yes | No |
| 4.4.1       | If so, furnish particulars:  |     |    |
| 4.5         | Was any contract between the bidder and the municipality / municipal entity or any other organ of state terminated during the past five years on account of failure to perform on or comply with the contract?   | Yes | No |
| 4.7.1       | If so, furnish particulars:  |     |    |

#### CERTIFICATION

I, THE UNDERSIGNED (FULL NAME) ...... CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION FURNISHED ON THIS DECLARATION FORM TRUE AND CORRECT

I ACCEPT THAT, IN ADDITION TO CANCELLATION OF A CONTRACT, ACTION MAY BE TAKEN AGAINST ME SHOULD THIS DECLARATION PROVE TO BE FALSE.

.....

Signature

Date

.....

Position

......

.....

Name of Bidder

#### **CERTIFICATE OF INDEPENDENT BID DETERMINATION**

- 1 This Municipal Bidding Document (MBD) must form part of all bids<sup>1</sup> invited.
- 2 Section 4 (1) (b) (iii) of the Competition Act No. 89 of 1998, as amended, prohibits an agreement between, or concerted practice by, firms, or a decision by an association of firms, if it is between parties in a horizontal relationship and if it involves collusive bidding (or bid rigging).<sup>2</sup> Collusive bidding is a *per se* prohibition meaning that it cannot be justified under any grounds.
- 3 Municipal Supply Regulation 38 (1) prescribes that a supply chain management policy must provide measures for the combating of abuse of the supply chain management system, and must enable the accounting officer, among others, to:
  - a. take all reasonable steps to prevent such abuse;
  - b. reject the bid of any bidder if that bidder or any of its directors has abused the supply chain management system of the municipality or municipal entity or has committed any improper conduct in relation to such system; and
  - c. cancel a contract awarded to a person if the person committed any corrupt or fraudulent act during the bidding process or the execution of the contract.
  - 4 This MBD serves as a certificate of declaration that would be used by institutions to ensure that, when bids are considered, reasonable steps are taken to prevent any form of bid-rigging.
  - 5 In order to give effect to the above, the attached Certificate of Bid Determination (MBD 9) must be completed and submitted with the bid:

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

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

#### CERTIFICATE OF INDEPENDENT BID DETERMINATION

I, the undersigned, in submitting the accompanying bid:

(Bid Number and Description)

in response to the invitation for the bid made by:

(Name of Municipality / Municipal Entity)

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

I certify, on behalf of: \_

.....

that

(Name of Bidder)

1. I have read and I understand the contents of this Certificate;

- 2. I understand that the accompanying bid will be disqualified if this Certificate is found not to be true and complete in every respect;
- 3. I am authorized by the bidder to sign this Certificate, and to submit the accompanying bid, on behalf of the bidder;
- 4. Each person whose signature appears on the accompanying bid has been authorized by the bidder to determine the terms of, and to sign, the bid, on behalf of the bidder;
- 5. For the purposes of this Certificate and the accompanying bid, I understand that the word "competitor" shall include any individual or organization, other than the bidder, whether or not affiliated with the bidder, who:
  - (a) has been requested to submit a bid in response to this bid invitation;
  - (b) could potentially submit a bid in response to this bid invitation, based on their qualifications, abilities or experience; and
  - (c) provides the same goods and services as the bidder and/or is in the same line of business as the bidder
- The bidder has arrived at the accompanying bid independently from, and without consultation, communication, agreement or arrangement with any competitor. However communication between partners in a joint venture or consortium<sup>3</sup> will not be construed as collusive bidding.
- 7. In particular, without limiting the generality of paragraphs 6 above, there has been no consultation, communication, agreement or arrangement with any competitor regarding:
  - (a) prices;
  - (b) geographical area where product or service will be rendered (market allocation)
  - (c) methods, factors or formulas used to calculate prices;
  - (d) the intention or decision to submit or not to submit, a bid;
  - (e) the submission of a bid which does not meet the specifications and conditions of the bid; or
  - (f) bidding with the intention not to win the bid.
- 8. In addition, there have been no consultations, communications, agreements or arrangements with any competitor regarding the quality, quantity, specifications and conditions or delivery particulars of the products or services to which this bid invitation relates.
- 9. The terms of the accompanying bid have not been, and will not be, disclosed by the bidder, directly or indirectly, to any competitor, prior to the date and time of the official bid opening or of the awarding of the contract

# <sup>3</sup> Joint venture or Consortium means an association of persons for the purpose of combining their expertise, property, capital, efforts, skill and knowledge in an activity for the execution of a contract.

10. 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.

| Signature | Date           |
|-----------|----------------|
|           |                |
|           |                |
| Position  | Name of Bidder |

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# THE NATIONAL TREASURY

# **Republic of South Africa**



# **GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT:**

# **GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT**

July 2010

## **GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT**

## GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT July 2010

### 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<br>purchaser and the supplier, as recorded in the contract form signed by<br>the parties, including all attachments and appendices thereto and all<br>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<br>of any thing of value to influence the action of a public official in the<br>procurement process or in contract execution.  |
|                | 1.5  | "Countervailing duties" are imposed in cases where an enterprise<br>abroad is subsidized by its government and encouraged to market its<br>products internationally.   |
| :              | 1.6  | "Country of origin" means the place where the goods were mined,<br>grown or produced or from which the services are supplied. Goods are<br>produced when, through manufacturing, processing or substantial and<br>major assembly of components, a commercially recognized new<br>product results that is substantially different in basic characteristics or<br>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<br>unloaded in the specified store or depot or on the specified site in<br>compliance with the conditions of the contract or order, the supplier<br>bearing all risks and charges involved until the supplies are so<br>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. These general conditions are applicable to all bids, contracts and orders 2. Application 2.1 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 5.1 The supplier shall not, without the purchaser's prior written consent, contract disclose the contract, or any provision thereof, or any specification, documents plan, drawing, pattern, sample, or information furnished by or on and behalf of the purchaser in connection therewith, to any person other information: than a person employed by the supplier in the performance of the inspection. 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.  |
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|                         | 7.2 | The proceeds of the performance security shall be payable to the<br>purchaser as compensation for any loss resulting from the supplier's<br>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<br>returned to the supplier not later than thirty (30) days following the<br>date of completion of the supplier's performance obligations under the<br>contract, including any warranty obligations, unless otherwise<br>specified in SCC.  |
| 8. Inspections,         | 8.1 | All pre-bidding testing will be for the account of the bidder.   |
| tests and<br>analyses   | 8.2 | If it is a bid condition that supplies to be produced or services to be<br>rendered should at any stage during production or execution or on<br>completion be subject to inspection, the premises of the bidder or<br>contractor shall be open, at all reasonable hours, for inspection by a<br>representative of the Department or an organization acting on behalf of<br>the Department. |
|                         | 8.3 | If there are no inspection requirements indicated in the bidding<br>documents and no mention is made in the contract, but during the<br>contract period it is decided that inspections shall be carried out, the<br>purchaser shall itself make the necessary arrangements, including<br>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<br>comply with the contract requirements, irrespective of whether such<br>supplies or services are accepted or not, the cost in connection with<br>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<br/>and documents10.1Delivery of the goods shall be made by the supplier in accordance with<br/>the terms specified in the contract. The details of shipping and/or other<br/>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<br/>services13.1 The supplier may be required to provide any or all of the following<br/>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.
- 14.1 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.
- 15.1 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

14. Spare parts

15. Warranty

|  |      | such remedial action as may be necessary, at the supplier's risk and<br>expense and without prejudice to any other rights which the purchaser<br>may have against the supplier under the contract.   |
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| 16. Payment                              | 16.1 | The method and conditions of payment to be made to the supplier<br>under this contract shall be specified in SCC.  |
|  | 16.2 | The supplier shall furnish the purchaser with an invoice accompanied<br>by a copy of the delivery note and upon fulfillment of other obligations<br>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<br>performed under the contract shall not vary from the prices quoted by<br>the supplier in his bid, with the exception of any price adjustments<br>authorized in SCC or in the purchaser's request for bid validity<br>extension, as the case may be.   |
| <b>18.</b> Contract amendments           | 18.1 | No variation in or modification of the terms of the contract shall be<br>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<br>perform under the contract, except with the purchaser's prior written<br>consent.  |
| 20. Subcontracts                         | 20.1 | The supplier shall notify the purchaser in writing of all subcontracts<br>awarded under this contracts if not already specified in the bid. Such<br>notification, in the original bid or later, shall not relieve the supplier<br>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<br>the supplier in accordance with the time schedule prescribed by the<br>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<br>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 canceling 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.
  - ination23.1The purchaser, without prejudice to any other remedy for breach of<br/>contract, by written notice of default sent to the supplier, may<br/>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 not exceeding 10 years.

23.4 If a purchaser intends imposing a restriction on a supplier or any

23. Termination for default

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

- 23.5 Any restriction imposed on any person by the Accounting Officer / Authority will, at the discretion of the Accounting Officer / Authority, also be applicable to any other 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 enterprise or person 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 restriction; and
  - (iv) the reasons for the restriction.

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

- 23.7 If a court of law convicts a person of an offence as contemplated in sections 12 or 13 of the Prevention and Combating of Corrupt Activities Act, No. 12 of 2004, the court may also rule that such person's name be endorsed on the Register for Tender Defaulters. When a person's name has been endorsed on the Register, the person will be prohibited from doing business with the public sector for a period not less than five years and not more than 10 years. The National Treasury is empowered to determine the period of restriction and each case will be dealt with on its own 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 24.1 When, after the date of bid, provisional payments are required, or anticountervailing and dumping or countervailing duties are imposed, or the amount of a duties and rights 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<br>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.  |
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|                                   | 25.2 | If a force majeure situation arises, the supplier shall promptly notify<br>the purchaser in writing of such condition and the cause thereof.<br>Unless otherwise directed by the purchaser in writing, the supplier<br>shall continue to perform its obligations under the contract as far as is<br>reasonably practical, and shall seek all reasonable alternative means for<br>performance not prevented by the force majeure event.   |
| 26. Termination<br>for insolvency | 26.1 | The purchaser may at any time terminate the contract by giving written<br>notice to the supplier if the supplier becomes bankrupt or otherwise<br>insolvent. In this event, termination will be without compensation to<br>the supplier, provided that such termination will not prejudice or affect<br>any right of action or remedy which has accrued or will accrue<br>thereafter to the purchaser.   |
| 27. Settlement of Disputes        | 27.1 | If any dispute or difference of any kind whatsoever arises between the<br>purchaser and the supplier in connection with or arising out of the<br>contract, the parties shall make every effort to resolve amicably such<br>dispute or difference by mutual consultation.   |
|                                   | 27.2 | If, after thirty (30) days, the parties have failed to resolve their dispute<br>or difference by such mutual consultation, then either the purchaser or<br>the supplier may give notice to the other party of his intention to<br>commence with mediation. No mediation in respect of this matter may<br>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 procedure specified in the SCC.   |
|                                   | 27.5 | Notwithstanding any reference to mediation and/or court proceedings herein,  |
|                                   |      | <ul><li>(a) the parties shall continue to perform their respective obligations under the contract unless they otherwise agree; and</li><li>(b) the purchaser shall pay the supplier any monies due the supplier.</li></ul>   |
| 28. Limitation of<br>liability    | 28.1 | <ul> <li>Except in cases of criminal negligence or willful misconduct, and in the case of infringement pursuant to Clause 6;</li> <li>(a) the supplier shall not be liable to the purchaser, whether in contract, tort, or otherwise, for any indirect or consequential loss 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</li> </ul> |

|  |      | (b) the aggregate liability of the supplier to the purchaser, whether<br>under the contract, in tort or otherwise, shall not exceed the total<br>contract price, provided that this limitation shall not apply to the<br>cost of repairing or replacing defective equipment.   |
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| 29. Governing<br>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<br>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<br>concerned by registered or certified mail and any other notice to him<br>shall be posted by ordinary mail to the address furnished in his bid or<br>to the address notified later by him in writing and such posting shall be<br>deemed to be proper service of such notice                                   |
|  | 31.2 | The time mentioned in the contract documents for performing any act<br>after such aforesaid notice has been given, shall be reckoned from the<br>date of posting of such notice.   |
| 32. Taxes and duties   | 32.1 | A foreign supplier shall be entirely responsible for all taxes, stamp<br>duties, license fees, and other such levies imposed outside the<br>purchaser's country.   |
|  | 32.2 | A local supplier shall be entirely responsible for all taxes, duties, license fees, etc., incurred until delivery of the contracted goods to the purchaser.  |
|  | 32.3 | No contract shall be concluded with any bidder whose tax matters are<br>not in order. Prior to the award of a bid the Department must be in<br>possession of a tax clearance certificate, submitted by the bidder.<br>This certificate must be an original issued by the South African<br>Revenue Services.  |
| 33. National<br>Industrial<br>Participation (NIP)<br>Programme | 33.1 | The NIP Programme administered by the Department of Trade and<br>Industry shall be applicable to all contracts that are subject to the<br>NIP obligation.  |
| 34 Prohibition of<br>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<br>evidence obtained by the purchaser, has / have engaged in the<br>restrictive practice referred to above, the purchaser may refer the<br>matter to the Competition Commission for investigation and possible<br>imposition of administrative penalties as contemplated in the<br>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.

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