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NOTICE 2: QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

RT64-1-2019: SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF CLOTHING AND UNIFORM

Kindly note the following:

1. The closing date and time of the above mention bids has been extended to **30 April 2021 @ 11:00**.
2. The question and answers are as follows:

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1	<p>Bidders must note that the SA NAVY specification for fabric composition for polyester 55% and wool 45% is no longer available as local mills have closed down. The SA Navy in consultation with the Department of Trade and Industry Competition (Ditc) has resolved to change the composition to allow for 100% local content, meaning there will be no letter of exemptions issued from Ditc. See Amendment 4 on the National Treasury Website.</p> <p>The changes are as follows:</p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="text-align: left;">OLD SPECIFICATION</th> <th style="text-align: left;">NEW SPECIFICATION</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Composition Polyester 55% and wool 45%</td> <td>Composition Polyester 65% and Viscose 35%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Weave 2/2 twill</td> <td>Quality: RPR66 of SANS 1387 -11</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Mass per unit area g/M² min 257</td> <td>Width: 150cm</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td>Weight: 230 gsm</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td>Treatment: Water Repellent</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	OLD SPECIFICATION	NEW SPECIFICATION	Composition Polyester 55% and wool 45%	Composition Polyester 65% and Viscose 35%	Weave 2/2 twill	Quality: RPR66 of SANS 1387 -11	Mass per unit area g/M ² min 257	Width: 150cm		Weight: 230 gsm		Treatment: Water Repellent	
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2	JMPD specification are protected and requires password	Bidders to note that the JMPD password is attached on the bid documents as JMPD Specification password JMPD. Meaning the password is capital letter JMPD.												

NO	QUESTION	ANSWER
	<p>Please note that we still require clarity on the below enquiries:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Hard Ballistic Plates required for JMPD level III vests, will it be 1kg or 1.40kg Hard Ballistic plates for both male & female. 2) As per paragraph 2.3.6 (a) of the special conditions of contract, please confirm whether one test report can be submitted for all bullet resistant vests in line with the level of protection required and offered. 	<p>Please note that Amendment 2 –JMPD BRV specification is withdrawn and replaced by Amendment 4 – JMPD. The updated specifications dealt with the issue of the 1kg vs 1.40kg.</p> <p>One test report can be submitted for all the BRV's as the specifications are exactly the same.</p> <p>Yes both test report for Level II and Level III must be submitted as the specifications are different for both items.</p>
3	<p>Therefore, tenderers shall submit proof of ballistic testing on offered products from a SANNAS accredited or recognized testing authority to confirm compliance with the SANS 1658:2007/NIJ 0101.04. That is one test report for level II and one test report for Level III. Testing results must not be older more than 12 months</p>	<p>Please note that this items are two different and have been separated and should be priced separately.</p> <p>See Amendment 3 on the National Treasury Website where both SAPS and JMPD are clarified.</p> <p>See Amendment 3 on the National Treasury Website where JMPD specification is updated.</p>
4	<p>How do we provide pricing for concealed BRV (Level II) and Level III BRV as they are not separated on the pricing schedule</p>	<p>See Amendment 3 on the National Treasury Website where both SAPS and JMPD are clarified.</p> <p>See Amendment 3 on the National Treasury Website where JMPD specification is updated.</p>
5	<p>JMPD Reflective bib RT64-044 specification missing</p>	<p>See Amendment 2 on the National Treasury Website that include all the outstanding specifications from SA Navy.</p>
6	<p>Missing specifications from SA Navy and JMPD</p>	<p>See Amendment 1 on the National Treasury Website that make reference to some of the items for Department of Defense – SA Navy that are withdrawn from the tender due to incomplete specifications. The items are RT64-206; RT64-207; RT64-208; RT64-209; RT64-210; RT64-211; RT64-212 and RT64-189.</p>
7	<p>Clarify the Cut Make and Trim items for SA Navy as the fabric is classified.</p>	<p>See Amendment 1 on the National Treasury Website that make reference to some of the items for Department of Defense – SA Navy that are withdrawn from the tender due to incomplete specifications. The items are RT64-206; RT64-207; RT64-208; RT64-209; RT64-210; RT64-211; RT64-212 and RT64-189.</p>

Kind regards



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