

**RT66-2024  
SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF TACTICAL AND CRIME SCENE EQUIPMENT TO THE STATE FOR THE PERIOD OF THIRTY-SIX  
(36) MONTHS**

#	Questions	Answers
1	Should the pricing schedule be included on the bid documents or only on the USB?	Print the pricing and sign it and attach the excel sheet on the USB
2	Could you kindly assist with the information regarding the Bid Document as per the above subject as after checking all the attached documents, but the main bid documents is not attached. Your soon reply with my request will be highly appreciated.	All bid documents are attached under the same tender number as above (RT66-2024)
3	Technical specification attached does not give much of the information in terms of the size?	Notice has been uploaded with the technical spec
4	Please clarify the samples to be submitted (How many and when will this samples be submitted)?	The samples will be requested from the service providers that qualified on phase1, 2 and 3. The information will be communicated at the stage.
5	Which document should be signed and initialled by the bidder?	Only where it is required or have a space indicated for a compulsory "signature" .
6	Can I price for only one item?	Price for the item you are bidding for.
7	Do I attach both the pricing and bid document on the USB?	Yes
8	Do we use both the USB and the hard copy and how many?	Yes, but taken into consideration that the physical bidding document (hard copy) would be the primary source document to be used to evaluate bidders.  One hard copy marked original and USB with all documents attached
9	Page 6 of SCC Bidder to tick Yes if document is submitted. Will this be wrong if we don't tick?	It is required that bidder to tick the relevant boxes.

10	Page 18 of the SCC Cost Breakdown: do I have to provide the cost breakdown per item?	Provide the cost breakdown for the whole project.
11	Test Report which item will need the test report?	All the items will need the test reports, service provider will be required to submit reports for the items they have been shortlisted for.
12	How do we access the TCD 13 and other document attached to it?	From both the NT website and E-tender TCD is attached and when you open it click on OK, don't put any password.
13	TCD 13.1 and 13.2 are not attached on the bid document how do we access them?	TCD 13 it includes both the TCD 13.1 and 13.2
14	Some of the items are on the RT64, will this contract RT66 run concurrently with RT64?	It was indicated by the SAPS on the excel spreadsheet, which indicates the estimated totals, that only the columns were completed from when the current contracts expired. For instance, if the RT 64 requirement for duty kits ends 2026 April and RT66 only are active in 2024 April, then only from 2026 May onwards will the items be purchased from RT66. All items on RT64 will be purchased until the contract expires in 2026 April.
15	How will the ordering be structured between RT66 and RT64 for those items that are the same?	As indicated above, items indicated on RT64 will only be purchased from RT64 until the contract expires. Only after the contract expires will the items be purchased on RT 66 onwards.  The main aim is to move all the items which must not form part of RT64, such as the duty kits and bullet proof vests, to RT66, after RT64 expires.
16	SAPS issued a contract that is a year old for tactical flashlight what will happen to that contract will RT66 take presentence?	Only after the SAPS contract expires will RT66 automatically be utilized for the item. No item currently active on private tenders or RT66 or other contract will be purchased on RT 66 if they did not expire. It was indicated as such on the spreadsheet columns for the specific item and financial years.
17	Do we submit the TCD as per the item or for all the items?	For all the items.

18	Do we deliver nationally or centrally (SAPS offices in PTA)?	Deliveries shall be to SAPS, Division: SCM, Pretoria, Silverton stores
19	Do National Treasury have estimated usage quantities or can the ask the project owner to provide some?	NO
20	Is there an office/ location where i can go to fetch a complete document relating to this tender which Includes respective item specifications, eg Ballistic Helmet (Aside from having to download from E-tenders).	The only platform to be utilised for accessing the tender document is E-tender portal and the National Treasury website. See attached links.  <a href="http://www.treasury.gov.za/divisions/ocpo/ostb/CurrentTenders.aspx">http://www.treasury.gov.za/divisions/ocpo/ostb/CurrentTenders.aspx</a> E-tenders: <a href="https://www.etenders.gov.za/">https://www.etenders.gov.za/</a>
21	Please be advised that items: RT66-01-011 and RT66-01-005 seems to be the same thing, both based on SPEC 864/20.	The two items are not the same RT66-01-011(Shield, Riot, Large 600 X 1000mm) and RT66-01-005 (Shield, Anti-riot). Items 005 refers at Anti-riot and 011 is Riot.
22	Firstly, in the special conditions page 13, paragraph 6.5.1.1 is states that only shortlisted bidders will be required to submit samples. On the same page paragraph 6.5.1.10 it states samples must be submitted between 24-26 January 2024. Kindly clarify which statement is correct?	Its is correct that the only shortlisted bidders on phase 3 will be required to submit the samples and the bidders will be notified
23	Secondly, on page 20 paragraph, 7.2.1.3 it states that the technical specification and pricing schedule should be in XLSX format. Kindly clarify if the specification must be in PDF and pricing schedule in XLSX?	The technical specification is not on Excel format only the pricing schedule should be printed and signed off by the bidder and the signed copy be attached on the bid document, furthermore the excel pricing schedule as per the advertised copy must be attached on the USB that will be submitted with the bid document (Excel pricing Schedule).
24	My apologies for the one-day delay on enquiries however we note that the specifications for the male (dated 2011) and female (dated 2006) bulletproof vests spare parts is outdated as the new specs are dated 2015 as advertised and awarded on RT64-1-2019 & RT64-2022. If RT66-2024 is to be a supplementary to RT64-2022 and items RT66-01-017 & RT66-01-018 is to be used as spare parts on the same bulletproof vests supplied on RT64-1-2019 & RT64-2022 then the end user may have a problem fitting the parts on existing vests.  Also note that spare parts of a bulletproof vest is understood as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Outer garment</li> <li>• Respective ballistic front and rear pack</li> <li>• Ceramic plate front</li> <li>• Ceramic plate back</li> </ul> All of the above is at variable costs which can be hugely inflated costs to the state if given just one line to price. Please see SAPS's pricing schedule for their last spare parts tender. Each component was separate. Thus, please confirm whether are we bidding for spare parts, or complete level III bulletproof vests as per the specifications.  If the above and below questions was raised in the briefing session, could we please have a link to the minutes.	There should not be a problem if manufacturers stick to the current and latest specifications, which indicates size drawings. SLA with ARMSCOR includes quality evaluations on consignments to ensure that company's manufacturer and supply standard sizes. This is for outer and inner panels.  The SAPS is in process of incorporating a new vest. Thus, only spare parts would be purchased to maintain the current vest.  The comment made is noted. Cognisance is taken by the fact that some members still utilize old (from 1993) types of vests. It is then agreed that the latest version specifications be utilized for RT66 bullet proof spare parts which is the 2014 & 2015 versions. Since 2014 the SAPS purchased a huge amount of vests and issued it to members.  The complete vest contract is RT64/2022. <b>Spare parts ONLY</b> will be on RT66. RT66/2022 will be utilized by other Government Departments, which makes use the SAPS vest, as well.  Bidders to complete pricing schedule per type of item, per size. For instance: Male outer, grey, size small, Male outer, Grey, size medium, etc,
24	In paragraph 6.4.3.1 of Special Conditions of Contract for RT66-2024, it states that Bidders as required to submit test reports for specific items as listed in Annexure A. May you please advise where Annexure A can be accessed as only Annexures 1, 2,3 & 4 were supplied?	Annexure A and Annexure 4 is one and the same. Bidders should note that samples will be required for all the items only from the shortlisted bidders.

25	Technical Specification	Annexure 4 contains the technical specification; other specification document is uploaded on the website under the same tender number RT66-202 Spec SAPS 1319 Traffic Cones SAPS 3174/16: Holster, Right Hand, 1.0_20170404, SAPS 3175/16, Holster, Left Hand, V01.0/20170404 SAPS 3176/16, V01.0: Handcuff Holder: 20170404, SAPS3177/16: Magazine holder, V01.0/20170404
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