

**PART A
INVITATION TO BID**

YOU ARE HEREBY INVITED TO BID FOR REQUIREMENTS OF THE (NAME OF DEPARTMENT/ PUBLIC ENTITY)					
BID NUMBER:	NT001-2020	CLOSING DATE:	28-02-2020	CLOSING TIME:	11:00 AM
DESCRIPTION	NT001-2020: APPOINTMENT OF A SERVICE PROVIDER TO RENDER SECURITY GUARDING SERVICES FOR THE NATIONAL TREASURY BUILDINGS, 240 MADIBA STREET BUILDING, 40 CHURCH SQUARE BUILDING, TENDER INFORMATION CENTRE, KARABO PARKING (POLICE ARCADE), SAMMY MARKS PARKING, HALLMARK PARKING AND 3RD FLOOR OF THE SITA BUILDING IN CENTURION FOR THE PERIOD OF THREE (3) YEARS.				
THE SUCCESSFUL BIDDER WILL BE REQUIRED TO FILL IN AND SIGN A WRITTEN CONTRACT FORM (SBD7).					
BID RESPONSE DOCUMENTS MAY BE DEPOSITED IN THE FOLLOWING ADDRESS:					
TENDER INFORMATION CENTRE (TIC)					
DEPOSITED IN THE BID BOX SITUATED AT (STREET ADDRESS)					
240 Madiba Street between					
ABSA and Urban Eatery Restaurant					
SUPPLIER INFORMATION					
NAME OF BIDDER					
POSTAL ADDRESS					
STREET ADDRESS					
TELEPHONE NUMBER	CODE		NUMBER		
CELLPHONE NUMBER					
FACSIMILE NUMBER	CODE		NUMBER		
E-MAIL ADDRESS					
VAT REGISTRATION NUMBER					
	TCS PIN:		OR	CSD No:	
B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL VERIFICATION CERTIFICATE [TICK APPLICABLE BOX]	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL SWORN AFFIDAVIT	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
IF YES, WHO WAS THE CERTIFICATE ISSUED BY?					
AN ACCOUNTING OFFICER AS CONTEMPLATED IN THE CLOSE CORPORATION ACT (CCA) AND NAME THE APPLICABLE IN THE TICK BOX	<input type="checkbox"/>	AN ACCOUNTING OFFICER AS CONTEMPLATED IN THE CLOSE CORPORATION ACT (CCA)			
	<input type="checkbox"/>	A VERIFICATION AGENCY ACCREDITED BY THE SOUTH AFRICAN ACCREDITATION SYSTEM (SANAS)			
	<input type="checkbox"/>	A REGISTERED AUDITOR			
	NAME:				
[A B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL VERIFICATION CERTIFICATE/SWORN AFFIDAVIT(FOR EMEs& QSEs) MUST BE SUBMITTED IN ORDER TO QUALIFY FOR PREFERENCE POINTS FOR B-BBEE]					

ARE YOU THE ACCREDITED REPRESENTATIVE IN SOUTH AFRICA FOR THE GOODS /SERVICES /WORKS OFFERED?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No [IF YES ENCLOSE PROOF]	ARE YOU A FOREIGN BASED SUPPLIER FOR THE GOODS /SERVICES /WORKS OFFERED?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No [IF YES ANSWER PART B:3 BELOW]
SIGNATURE OF BIDDER	DATE	
CAPACITY UNDER WHICH THIS BID IS SIGNED (Attach proof of authority to sign this bid; e.g. resolution of directors, etc.)			
TOTAL NUMBER OF ITEMS OFFERED		TOTAL BID PRICE (ALL INCLUSIVE)	
BIDDING PROCEDURE ENQUIRIES MAY BE DIRECTED TO:		TECHNICAL INFORMATION MAY BE DIRECTED TO:	
DEPARTMENT/ PUBLIC ENTITY	National Treasury	CONTACT PERSON	Faith Leeuw / Mmule Majola
CONTACT PERSON	Thivhileli Matshinyatsimbi / Sithembile Skosana	TELEPHONE NUMBER	
TELEPHONE NUMBER		FACSIMILE NUMBER	
FACSIMILE NUMBER		E-MAIL ADDRESS	Faith.leeuw@treasur.gov.za Mmule.majola@treasury.gov.za
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PART B TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR BIDDING

1. BID SUBMISSION:

- 1.1. BIDS MUST BE DELIVERED BY THE STIPULATED TIME TO THE CORRECT ADDRESS. LATE BIDS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED FOR CONSIDERATION.
- 1.2. ALL BIDS MUST BE SUBMITTED ON THE OFFICIAL FORMS PROVIDED—(NOT TO BE RE-TYPED) OR ONLINE
- 1.3. BIDDERS MUST REGISTER ON THE CENTRAL SUPPLIER DATABASE (CSD) TO UPLOAD MANDATORY INFORMATION NAMELY: (BUSINESS REGISTRATION/ DIRECTORSHIP/ MEMBERSHIP/IDENTITY NUMBERS; TAX COMPLIANCE STATUS; AND BANKING INFORMATION FOR VERIFICATION PURPOSES). B-BBEE CERTIFICATE OR SWORN AFFIDAVIT FOR B-BBEE MUST BE SUBMITTED TO BIDDING INSTITUTION.
- 1.4. WHERE A BIDDER IS NOT REGISTERED ON THE CSD, MANDATORY INFORMATION NAMELY: (BUSINESS REGISTRATION/ DIRECTORSHIP/ MEMBERSHIP/IDENTITY NUMBERS; TAX COMPLIANCE STATUS MAY NOT BE SUBMITTED WITH THE BID DOCUMENTATION. B-BBEE CERTIFICATE OR SWORN AFFIDAVIT FOR B-BBEE MUST BE SUBMITTED TO BIDDING INSTITUTION.
- 1.5. THIS BID IS SUBJECT TO THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT POLICY FRAMEWORK ACT 2000 AND THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS, 2017, THE GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT (GCC) AND, IF APPLICABLE, ANY OTHER LEGISLATION OR 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 NUMBER (PIN) ISSUED BY SARS TO ENABLE THE ORGAN OF STATE TO VIEW THE TAXPAYER'S PROFILE AND TAX STATUS.
- 2.3 APPLICATION FOR TAX COMPLIANCE STATUS (TCS) OR PIN MAY ALSO BE MADE VIA E-FILING. IN ORDER TO USE THIS PROVISION, TAXPAYERS WILL NEED TO REGISTER WITH SARS AS E-FILERS THROUGH THE WEBSITE WWW.SARS.GOV.ZA.
- 2.4 BIDDERS MAY ALSO SUBMIT A PRINTED TCS TOGETHER WITH THE BID.
- 2.5 IN BIDS WHERE CONSORTIA / JOINT VENTURES / SUB-CONTRACTORS ARE INVOLVED, EACH PARTY MUST SUBMIT A SEPARATE PROOF OF TCS / PIN / CSD NUMBER.
- 2.6 WHERE NO TCS IS AVAILABLE BUT THE BIDDER IS REGISTERED ON THE CENTRAL SUPPLIER DATABASE (CSD), A CSD NUMBER MUST BE PROVIDED.

3. QUESTIONNAIRE TO BIDDING FOREIGN SUPPLIERS

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| 3.1. IS THE BIDDER A RESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA (RSA)? | <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO |
| 3.2. DOES THE BIDDER HAVE A BRANCH IN THE RSA? | <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO |
| 3.3. DOES THE BIDDER HAVE A PERMANENT ESTABLISHMENT IN THE RSA? | <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO |
| 3.4. DOES THE BIDDER HAVE ANY SOURCE OF INCOME IN THE RSA? | <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO |

IF THE ANSWER IS "NO" TO ALL OF THE ABOVE, THEN, IT IS NOT A REQUIREMENT TO OBTAIN A TAX COMPLIANCE STATUS / TAX COMPLIANCE SYSTEM PIN CODE FROM THE SOUTH AFRICAN REVENUE SERVICE (SARS) AND IF NOT REGISTER AS PER 2.3 ABOVE.

NB: FAILURE TO PROVIDE ANY OF THE ABOVE PARTICULARS MAY RENDER THE BID INVALID.



national treasury

Department:
National Treasury
REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

TENDER: SECURITY MANAGEMENT GUARDING SERVICES

TERMS OF REFERENCE

NT001-2020: APPOINTMENT OF A SERVICE PROVIDER TO RENDER SECURITY GUARDING SERVICES FOR THE NATIONAL TREASURY BUILDINGS, 240 MADIBA STREET BUILDING, 40 CHURCH SQUARE BUILDING, TENDER INFORMATION CENTRE, KARABO PARKING (POLICE ARCADE), SAMMY MARKS PARKING, HALLMARK PARKING AND 3RD FLOOR OF THE SITA BUILDING IN CENTURION FOR THE PERIOD OF THREE (3) YEARS

DURATION AND CONDITIONS OF THE TENDER

1. Duration

- (a) The duration of the contract will be for a period of three years, commencing on the date the company begins with the security guarding services on site.
- (b) The successful bidder shall be obliged to sign a Service Level Agreement a month after the bid is awarded.

2. MANDATORY REQUIREMENTS

2.1 Bidders shall provide the following information to the National Treasury:

- (i) PSIRA company registration certificate.
- (ii) PSIRA registration certificates for managing director(s) (Owner(s) of the company) as well as the management team to render security services.
- (iii) Registration with the South African Police Services as a National Key Point service provider.
- (iv) Contact details of their regional and head offices;
- (v) Names, addresses and telephone numbers where their bank accounts are held or other financial institutions that manage their finances and the names of contact persons at each financial institution;
- (vi) Consent that the financial institutions may answer enquiries about the company's financial status and supply statements on request by National Treasury;
- (vii) The names, identity numbers and street addresses of all partners, shareholders of their companies;
- (viii) The names and identity numbers of all their Security Officers registered with in terms of the Private Security Industry Regulatory Act (Act 56 of 2001);
- (ix) In cases where a person, partnership, closed corporation, company or any other undertaking, enter into business for the first time, the following information should be provided to National Treasury:
 - Names of the persons or institutions that will help in case of financial crises;
 - Names and contact details of the persons or institutions who helped with calculation of this tender;
- (x) Consent that all Managing Directors, Shareholders of the company and Site Managers, Supervisors and Security Officers assigned to the site will be subjected to pre-screening before they can assume duties with National Treasury;
- (xi) Consent that employees of the company will sign a Declaration of Secrecy once they have access to NT resources and information

(xii) Provide letter of good standing in line with the Compensation for Occupational Injuries and Diseases Act (COIDA)

(xiii) Provide Unemployment Insurance Fund (UIF) compliance certificate

2.3 Operational Conditions

ITEM NO.	DESCRIPTION	COMPLY			REMARK
		NO.	NO	YES	
2.3.1	Service required				
2.3.1.1	The rendering of Guarding Services for a period of 36 months in and around National Treasury premises in the following buildings: <u>240 Madiba Street building</u> , <u>40 Church Square</u> , <u>Tender Information Centre</u> , <u>Hallmark Parking area</u> , <u>Karabo Parking (Police Arcade) area</u> ; <u>Sammy Marks Parking</u> , and 3 rd floor of the <u>SITA building</u> in Centurion.	7 sites			
2.3.2	Manpower Requirements				
2.3.2.1	<p><u>40 Church Square Building</u></p> <p>Day Shift Monday – Friday: 06H00 – 18H00</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Reception Supervisor Grade B x 1 2. Reception Help Desk Grade C x 1 3. Main Entrance X-Ray Grade C x1 4. Main Entrance Metal Detector Grade C x1 5. Turnstile Grade C x 1 <p>Day Shift Monday – Sunday: 06H00 – 18H00</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 6. Courtyard Supervisor Grade B x 1 7. Courtyard Help Desk Grade C x 1 8. Courtyard Entrance X-Ray Grade C x 1 9. Courtyard Entrance Metal Detector Grade C x 1 10. Basement Grade C x 1 11. Main Gate Grade C x 1 <p>Night Shift Monday – Sunday: 18H00 – 06H00</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Shift Supervisor Grade B x 1 2. Reception Help Desk Grade C x 1 	16 Officers			

ITEM NO.	DESCRIPTION	COMPLY			REMARK
	3. Courtyard Entrance X-Ray Grade C x 1 4. Courtyard Entrance Metal Detector Grade C x 1 5. Main Gate Grade C x 1				
2.3.2.2	<p><u>240 Madiba Street Building</u></p> <p>Day Shift Monday – Friday: 06H00 – 18H00</p> 1. Reception Supervisor Grade B x 1 2. Reception Help Desk Grade C x 1 3. Reception Registers Desk Grade C x 1 4. Main Entrance X – Ray Grade C x 1 5. Main Entrance Metal Detector Grade C x 1 6. Exit X – Ray Grade C x 1 7. Exit Metal Detector Grade C x 1 8. Foyer Grade C x 1 9. P1 X Ray Grade C x 1 10. P1 Metal Detector Grade C x 1 11. P2 X – Ray Grade C x 1 12. P2 Metal Detector Grade C x 1 13. Boom Gate Entrance Grade C x 2	30 Officers			
<p>Day Shift Saturday – Sunday 06:00 – 18:00</p> 1. Shift Supervisor Grade B x 1 2. Reception Registers Desk Grade C x 1 3. Main Entrance X – Ray Grade C x 1 4. Main Entrance Metal Detector Grade C x 1 5. P2 X – Ray Grade C x 1 6. P2 Metal Detector Grade C x 1 7. Boom Gate Entrance Grade C x 1					
<p>Night Shift Monday – Sunday: 18H00 – 06H00</p> 1. Reception Help Desk Grade C x 1 2. Main Entrance X – Ray Grade C x 1 3. Main Entrance Metal Detector Grade C x 1 4. Exit X – Ray Grade C x 1 5. Exit Metal Detector Grade C x 1 6. Foyer Grade C x 1 7. P2 X – Ray Grade C x 1					

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	8. P2 Metal Detector Grade C x 1 9. Boom Gate Entrance Grade C x 1				
2.3.2.3	<u>Sammy Marks Parking Facilities</u> Day Shift Monday - Friday: 06H00 - 18H00 1. Reserved Parking Grade C x 2	2 Officers			
2.3.2.4	<u>Hallmark Parking Facilities</u> Day Shift Monday - Friday: 06H00 - 18H00 1. Reserved Parking Entrance Grade C x 2	2 Officers			
2.3.2.5	<u>Karabo Parking Facilities (Police Arcade)</u> Day Shift Monday - Friday: 06H00 - 18H00 1. Parking Levels Grade C x 14 (Two officers per level including basement)	14 Officers			
2.3.2.6	<u>SITA Building</u> Day Shift Monday – Sunday: 06H00 – 18H00 1. SITA Help Desk National Key Point x 2 Night Shift Monday – Sunday: 18H00 – 06H00 1. SITA Help Desk National Key Point x 2	4 Officers			
2.3.2.7	<u>Tender Information Centre</u> Day Shift Monday – Friday: 06H00 – 18H00 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • TIC Entrance X-Ray Grade C x 1 • TIC Entrance Metal Detector Grade C x 1 	2 Officers			

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2.3.2.8	<p><u>Street Posting</u></p> <p>Day Shift Monday – Friday: 06H00 – 18H00</p> <p>1. Thabo Sehume Street Grade C x 1 2. Hallmark Entrance Grade C x 1 3. ABSA Street Patrol Grade C x 1 4. Nedbank Street Patrol Gr C x 1</p>	4 Officers			
2.3.2.9	<p><u>Site Manager</u></p> <p>Day Shift Monday – Friday: 06H00 – 18H00</p> <p>Site Manager Grade A and National Key Point x 1</p>	1 Office			
2.3.2.10	<p><u>Contingency compliment</u></p> <p>Day Shift Monday – Friday: 06H00 – 18H00</p> <p>Grade C x 4</p>	4 Officers			No additional charges will be processed against the NT (Contingency manpower)
	<u>Total Officers</u>	79			
2.3.2.11	Base radios/or portable radios (to be programmed to the contractor's frequency) (240 Madiba, 40 Church, SITA and Service provider's office to be able to communicate with the three parking facilities)	4			
2.3.2.12	Portable hand-held radios with head speaker and earphone (to be programmed to contractor's frequency)	35			
2.3.2.13	Torches (including batteries) SITA, 240 Madiba, 40 Church, TIC, Hallmark, Sammy Marks & Karabo Parking	30			
<p>Monday to Friday shifts exclude Public Holidays.</p> <p>Monday to Sunday shift include Public Holidays.</p>					

3. Detailed requirements

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3.1	Private Security Industry Regulatory Association			
3.1.1	The bidder must be registered in terms of the Private Security Industry Regulatory Act (Act 56 of 2001). <i>Proof thereof, a valid copy of registration, must be attached to the bid.</i>			
3.1.2	The bidder must be registered with the South African Police Service as a National Key Point Security Service provider in terms of the National Key Points Act, 1980 (Act No. 102 of 1980) <i>Proof thereof, a valid copy of registration, must be attached to the bid</i>			
3.1.3	All Security Officers that the bidder supplies to render the service must be registered as Security Officers in terms of the Private Security Industry Regulatory Act (Act 56 of 2001).			
3.1.4	A copy of the registration certificates in respect of all the Security Officers must be supplied to Director: Security Management, National Treasury within seven (7) days after commencement of the service.			
3.2	Security Officers			
3.2.1	For purposes of this contract, use will be made of the relevant category Security Officer's, as defined in the order made in terms of Section 61A (2) of the Labour Relations Act, 1956, as published by Government Gazette No. 20933 dated 25 February 2000.			
3.2.2	The bidder shall, in order to ensure the continuity of the service to be rendered, allocate specific personnel to the specific sites according to the capabilities.			
3.2.3	Exchange of any security personnel may only be executed with prior consent of the Director: Security Management .			
3.3	Security Officers' Training			
3.3.1	Security Officers supplied to render the service must be trained in accordance with the PSIRA and SASSETA standards and at PSIRA accredited centres. The Security Officers must understand and be able to implement the Control of Access to Public Premises and Vehicle Act No. 53 of 1985.			
3.4	Supervision of Emergency Assistance			
3.4.1	The bidder must have a well established and equipped twenty-four (24) hour security control room in Pretoria or within 60km radius. The control room must be accessible during emergency situations.			

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3.4.2	The bidder must furnish details of equipment, etc. that is available in the security control room. NB: National Treasury holds the right to inspect such control room at any point during the contract.			
3.4.3	The bidder must have a Site Manager assigned with a vehicle, cell phone and reachable on a twenty-four (24) hours basis.			
3.5	Minimum wages			
3.5.1	It is expected that the bidder shall pay his/her employees at least the minimum monthly basic wage, as prescribed by the law (Order for the Security Services Trade (Government Gazette 20933 dated 25 February 2000) and the Determination Act. The wages must be in line with the grades which the security officers have acquired at the time of deployment at the National Treasury sites.			
3.5.2	The bidder is expected to be financially stable and be able to cover minimum salaries of its employees. Certificate from a financial institution indication that the bidder is liquid.			
3.6	Assumption of duty			
3.6.1	Bidders must be in a position to assume duty within two (2) weeks after the signing of the Service Level Agreement.			
3.7	Price escalation fees			
3.7.1	Escalation fees are to be requested in writing by the bidder within one month of publication on the Gazette by the Department of Labour.			
3.8	Provision of personnel in emergency situations			
3.8.1	Bidders must have a contingency plan that enables provision of reasonable number of security officers on site during emergency situations.			
3.9	Security Services			
3.9.1	The bidder undertakes to provide high standards of service based on the NT Standard Operating Procedures			
3.9.2	The bidder must ensure that their officers are always presentable and dressed in line with a corporate environment. Proof of suppliers were uniform is provided and samples to be made available during site inspection.			
3.9.3	All possible steps shall be taken by the contractor to ensure that the contract execution of this agreement will take place. These steps include, inter alia, the following			

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	a) The protection of state officials from injury, death or any other offences, including offences referred to in Schedule 1 of the Criminal Procedure Act, 1977 (Act 51 of 1977); b) The protection of state property at the intended sites and the protection of said property against damage, vandalism, or theft; c) The protection of Information; and d) Ensure that there is no interruption of National Treasury business process. e) The protection of state officials from injury, death or any other offences, including offences referred to in Schedule 1 of the Criminal Procedure Act, 1977 (Act 51 of 1977); f) The protection of state property at the intended sites and the protection of said property against damage, vandalism, or theft; g) The protection of Information; and h) Ensure that there is no interruption of National Treasury business process.			
3.10	Security personnel			
3.10.1	Site Manager The site manager should possess the following qualifications: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Grade 12 • Grade A PSIRA • National Key Point course • Supervisory skills training • First Aid training level II • Basic OHS training • Administrative skills • At least three (3) years' experience as a site manager • Good report-writing skills • Good site management skills • Good communications skills (read and write) 			
3.10.2	Supervisors Supervisors should possess the following qualifications: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Grade 12 • PSIRA Grade B • Supervisory skills training • First Aid level I • Computer skills • At least two (2) years' experience as a supervisor 			

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Good communication skills (read and write) 			
3.10.3	<p>Security officers</p> <p>Security officers should possess the following qualifications:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Grade 12 • PSIRA Grade C • First Aid level I • Computer skills • At least two (2) years' experience • Good communication skills (read and write) • National Key point (4 Officers) 			
3.10.4	<p>The National Treasury holds the right to screen and interview the Security Officers supplied to render the service within seven (7) days after commencement of the service and verbally request an immediate replacement should the Security Officer not meet the criteria or perform to the accepted standard.</p>			
3.10.5	<p>The bidder must submit a recent SAPS Criminal Record Centre record clearance certificate (at his/her own expense) to the National Treasury Security Manager, in respect of all personnel he/she supplies to render the service, within fourteen (14) days after commencement of the service.</p>			
3.10.6	<p>Security Officers performing duties at the reception counters must be computer literate and possess basic typing skills.</p>			
3.11	Security screening and Oath of secrecy			
3.11.1	<p>Directors of the company shall be subjected to a security screening process prior to the commencement of the contract.</p>			
3.11.2	<p>All security personnel, general personnel and management will be security screened by the State Security Agency. The screening is valid for twelve (12) months and shall be renewed on an annual basis.</p>			
3.11.3	<p>All personnel of the company including directors shall sign a “Declaration of Secrecy” upon commencement of the contract.</p>			
3.11.4	<p>The Site Manager, Supervisors and Security Officers will be required to sign an undertaking in which they declare that they will refrain from any action which might bring the name of the National Treasury or the state into disrepute.</p>			
3.12	General requirements for security personnel			
	The following general requirements apply:			
3.12.1	At all times Security Officers must present			

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	an acceptable image and appearance which implies, inter alia, that they may not sit, lounge about, read the newspaper, smoke, eat or drink while attending to clients of National Treasury or members of the public.			
3.12.2	The Site Manager, Supervisors and Security Officers must at all times present a dedicated attitude, implying, inter alia, that there shall be no unnecessary arguments with visitors/staff or display discourteous behaviour towards them.			
3.12.3	The Site Manager, Supervisors and Security Officers must be physically healthy and medically fit to execute their duties.			
3.12.4	National Treasury retains the right to ascertain from PSIRA as to whether the Site Manager, Supervisors and Security Officers are in good standing with the PSIRA.			
3.13	Uniforms, identification and documents			
3.13.1	The contractor shall ensure that, at the commencement of the contract, all security officers are deployed in complete uniform. The uniform for the security officers shall be as corporate and shall include that of summer and winter.			
	The contractor shall ensure that each member of his/her security personnel is at all times when on duty fully equipped in respect of:			
	A neat and clearly identifiable uniform of the company, which will include matching rain coats, overcoats, gloves, appropriate headgear and warm winter uniform for personnel performing duties outside the building.			
	A clear identification card of the company with the member's photo, identification and staff number on it, worn conspicuously on his/her person at all times.			
	Alternatively:			
	The valid identification card issued by the PSIRA shall be worn by security officers			
	Bidders must keep proper files as well as appropriate documents of all security personnel, who are employed for rendering the service to National Treasury. These documents must be available for inspection by representatives of National Treasury.			
The appropriate documents shall include, inter alia, the following: academic qualifications, training certificates, and medical certificates.				
3.14	Registers to be utilized and maintained			

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3.14.1	The service provider will be required to utilize Occurrence Book/Register and Access Control Register/Forms, to be made available on the site.			
3.14.2	Occurrence Book/Register – The purpose of this register is to keep record of all incidents, occurrences, or observations made by the Security Officers whilst on duty for later reference.			
3.14.3	Compulsory Entries: All listed routine procedures such as patrols undertaken, handing over of shifts, etc. mentioning the procedures followed, by whom and the time of commencement. These entries must all be legible and in black ink.			
3.14.4	Occurrence/events however important, slight or unusual with reference to the correct time and relevant actions taken.			
3.14.5	All security personnel activities – especially deviations in respect of the duty list – indicating particulars of the personnel and relevant times.			
3.14.6	The issue and/or receipt of keys, indicating the time and by whom they were received and delivered.			
3.14.7	The locking/unlocking of doors/gates, indicating the time, date and by whom.			
3.14.8	The handing over of shifts must be recorded including, names of all shift personnel and accompanying equipment and aids. In this case personnel taking over as well as personnel handing over must sign the entries.			
3.14.9	Occurrence Book/Register: After handing over of the shifts the person who has come on shift must make an entry that he/she has read the occurrence register in order to acquaint himself/herself with events that occurred during the previous shift.			
3.14.10	Records all site visits by Supervisors and Management: These entries must be made in red ink.			
3.14.11	Under no circumstances may an entry in the occurrence register be erased, painted out with correction fluid or totally deleted. It shall only be crossed out by a single line and initialled at the side.			
3.15	Shift Rosters			
3.15.1	The purpose of the shift roster is to serve as proof at all reasonable times personnel be on duty per shift are indeed present.			
3.15.2	Daily, weekly, monthly shift roster of all security personnel must be drawn up by the contractor and kept at all 7 sites.			
3.15.3	Any changes to the shift roster shall be			

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	crossed out by a single line, initialled, dated and noted in the occurrence register.			
3.15.4	The purpose of the duty sheet is to ensure that all security personnel on duty are familiar with their duties as required for the contract.			
3.15.5	The bidder will be expected to provide a duty sheet for each customer contact point.			
3.16.	Two-way Radios			
3.16.1	The purpose of the two-way radio communication is to ensure that there is immediate communication between the various duty points on the site, National Treasury's security control room and the contractor's control room.			
3.16.2	The base radio is to be installed by the contractor at a static duty point for better communication between the site and the contractor's control room. <i>(the bidder may propose another method of communication if a base radio is not preferred but such must be compatible with current NT systems)</i>			
3.17	Contact with Departmental Representative			
3.17.1	The bidder is required to be available for any meetings that may be arranged by the National Treasury.			
3.17.2	The bidder will be expected to submit in writing periodic operational site reports to the National Treasury.			
3.18	Maximum shift hours			
	Shifts are to be limited to twelve (12) hours per security officers.			
3.19	Labour unrest incidents			
	Contingency Plans must be made available on how the bidder will ensure non-interruption of business processes due to Labour unrest i.e. labour unrest, labour dispute, civilian disorder, a local or national disaster or any other cause beyond the control of the contractor. Such must be agreed upon between the parties before implementation.			
3.20	General			
	The contractor's personnel must at all-time refrain from littering and keep the grounds/building/work area occupied by them clean, hygienic and neat.			
	Under no circumstances will any security personnel be allowed to trade on the premises.			
	The contractor shall not erect or display any sign, printed matter, painting, name plates, advertisement and article or object of any nature whatsoever, in or against the National			

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	Treasury's buildings or sites or any part thereof without written consent. The contractor shall not publicly display at any site any article or object which might be regarded as objectionable or undesirable.			
	Any sign, printed matter, painting, name plates, advertisements, article or object displayed without written consent or which is regarded as objectionable or undesirable will immediately be removed. The contractor shall be held responsible for the costs of such removal.			

4 EVALUATION CRITERIA

4.1 Competency

	Criteria	Weight	Scoring Criteria
1.	<p>The bidder has performed security guarding services continuously for a period of 5 years.</p> <p><i>(Attach company profile and a list of contactable references to support the years in operation. Reference details must include contact details of references, name/surname, e-mail address, cell phone and landline)</i></p> <p><i>NB: The references included should be willing to accept National Treasury to conduct site inspections and have brief interviews with contacts regarding the services rendered by the bidder.</i></p>	30	<p>5- Excellent 10 years or more experience in providing physical security services.</p> <p>4- Very Good 6 to 9 years of experience in providing physical security services.</p> <p>3 -Good 5 years of experience in providing physical security.</p> <p>2- Average Less than 5 years of experience in providing physical security services.</p> <p>1-Poor No experience in providing physical security services.</p>
2	<p>Close out report of companies serviced which indicates a rating out of or equivalent score.</p> <p>.</p>	20	<p>5- Excellent Close out report provided with a rating of excellent service of at least 8 to 10 out of 10 or equivalent percentage</p> <p>4- Very good Close out report provided with a rating of very good service of at least 7 out of 10 or equivalent percentage</p> <p>3 -Good Close out report provided with a rating of good service of at least 6 out of 10 or equivalent percentage</p>

			<p>2 -Average Close out report provided with a rating of acceptable service of at least 5 out of 10 or equivalent percentage.</p> <p>1-Poor Close out report provided with a rating of poor service of at least 0 to 4 out of 10 or equivalent percentage</p>
3.	<p>5 continuous years of experience of the Managing Directors in the management of a company that renders security guarding services.</p> <p>(Attach detailed CV's with relevant experience)</p> <p>a. Roles and responsibilities b. References (Including 2.1 bullet 2)</p>	20	<p>5- Excellent 9 or more continuous years of work experience in managing a company that renders security guarding services.</p> <p>4- Very Good 6 to 8 continuous years of work experience in managing a company that renders security guarding services.</p> <p>3- Good 5 continuous years of work experience managing a company that renders security guarding services.</p> <p>2- Average Less than 5 continuous years of work experience managing a company that renders security guarding services.</p> <p>1.-Poor No work experience in managing a company that renders security guarding services.</p>
4	<p>Contingency Plan</p> <p>(Bidders must have a contingency plan approved by their management that enables provision of reasonable number of security officers on site during emergency situations)</p> <p>Contingency plan should address:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Turnaround plan for replacement of officers on site during emergencies • Protest action/strike plan • Other unforeseen incidents 	30	<p>5 Excellent Contingency Plan with Turnaround Plan, Risk Management Plan on site, Security Industry strike plan making provision for unplanned and unforeseen incidents.</p> <p>4- Very Good Contingency Plan with Turnaround Plan, Risk Management Plan on site and Security Industry strike plan.</p> <p>3 -Good Contingency Plan with Turnaround Plan, Risk Management Plan on site</p> <p>2- Average Contingency Plan with Turnaround time but no risk management plan or provision for industry strikes.</p>

			1- Poor Contingency Plan not provided
	TOTAL	100	
	Minimum threshold (failure to meet 70% threshold for functionality the bid will be not be evaluated further for the site inspection)	70%	

4.2 COMPULSORY SITE INSPECTION CRITERIA

	Criteria	Weight	Scoring criteria
	Infrastructure: Operational Office and/or Location of Control Room must be in Pretoria or within a 60km radius from National Treasury buildings (240 Madiba Street building) (e.g. block of flats, residential area, own property, etc.) <i>(Proof of ownership or lease agreement of office building must also be made available).</i>	20	5- Excellent Operational Office and/ or control room in Pretoria within 15 km radius from 240 Madiba Street Building.
4- Very Good Operational Office and/ or control room in Pretoria within 30 km radius from 240 Madiba Street Building.			
3- Good Operational Office and/ or control room in Pretoria within 60 km radius from 240 Madiba Street Building.			
2- Average Operational Office and/ or control room in Pretoria within 65 km radius from 240 Madiba Street Building.			
1-Poor No control room or office in place			
	Human Resources Administration system in line with the Employment Services Act <i>(Structure in place to deal with recruitment, employee relations, training and Finance) (documentation will be inspected)</i>	30	5- Excellent Organogram provided with at least three HR Policies to address requirements, electronic HR filing system in place with capabilities to easily extract personnel records.
4- very Good Organogram provided with at least three HR Policies to address requirements and electronic filing system in place to preserve the information.			
3- Good Organogram provided with at least three HR Policies to address requirements and filing system in place to preserve the information.			
2- Average Organogram provided with at least two HR Policies to address requirements and a filing system in place to preserve the information.			
1-Poor No proof of HR structure and employee information			

3.	<p>Fully equipped control room</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Base Radio/ portable radios that can be able to communicate 2km radius • Proper / acceptable communication system (valid email account and landlines) • Emergency Numbers in Control Room • UPS / Back-up Generator • CCTV cameras • List of vehicles and mobile procedures (<i>Provide proof of ownership or lease agreement for vehicles</i>) 	50	<p>5- Excellent Control room in place and fully equipped with qualified operators. Electronic monitoring systems installed to communicate with mobile resources to ensure quick turnaround times as well as all the sites within a 60km radius. All items are clearly and thoroughly articulated</p> <p>4- Very Good Control room fully equipped with communication system and qualified operators and able to communicate with all their sites. All items are discussed</p> <p>3- Good Control room in place fully equipped and able to communicate with at multiple sites within 15 km radius. Some items are discussed in detail</p> <p>2- Fair Control room in place equipped and able to communicate with at least two sites situated with the 30km radius. Sites Items discussed are irrelevant/poorly articulated</p> <p>1-Poor Control room in place but not equipped with communication systems. Items not addressed as requested</p>
	Total	100	
	Threshold	60%	

5. SITE DUTIES

5.1 Duties of the Site Manager

- (a) Oversee all security activities performed by his/her security personnel.
- (b) Handle all problems experienced by contractor's security personnel on site.
- (c) Attend all problems regarding remuneration, training requirements, family problems of Security Officers.
- (d) Ensure that all security equipment required on site e.g. two-way radio, etc. is available.
- (e) Be involved in any security operational projects and manage special events from the contractor's perspective.
- (f) Advise the National Treasury Security Manager on any security breaches.
- (g) Investigate any security breaches committed by the contractor's Security Officers and update the National Treasury accordingly.
- (h) Make initiatives to the improvement of security in general.
- (i) Liaise with the official responsible for guarding services and where applicable, with Senior Security Officer on duty.

- (j) Ensure that parade is conducted daily at 06H00 and 18H00.
- (k) Ensure that Security Officers understand how to handle an emergency situation.
- (l) Ensure that registers are clean, neat and up to date at all times.
- (m) Ensure that escorts of employees between the two buildings are conducted correctly.
- (n) Ensure that Security Officers are always in uniform and display their PSIRA registration cards or access cards.
- (o) Hold meetings
 - Weekly with his/her supervisors
 - Fortnightly meetings with the National Treasury Security Administration Officer: Physical Security
 - Monthly meetings with the contractor's security personnel
- (p) Ensure that all Security Officers understand the needs and expectations of the secondary clients (e.g. visitors) and primary clients (e.g. employees) of the Directorate: Security Management.
- (q) Ensure that all Security Officers understand the principles of Batho Pele and apply them in their work.
- (r) Monitor and advise Security Officers on duty at the reception areas regarding the service level agreement, National Treasury Security Policy and Standard Operating Procedure, accordingly.

In addition to abovementioned responsibilities, the site manager will be expected to be able to administer First-Aid to patients while on the premises of National Treasury, prevent the patient's condition from worsening, speed up the recovery process and to save lives.

5.2. Supervisors

- (a) Take overall responsibility of the shift.
- (b) Ensure that Security Officers are posted accordingly.
- (c) Ensure that the site is covered and if not report to the control room immediately.
- (d) Report any security breaches to the National Treasury Senior Security Officer.
- (e) Ensure that security personnel present themselves well to the staff members and to the public.
- (f) Draft shift roster for the site.
- (g) Ensure that security registers are kept neat and up to date at all times.
- (h) Ensure that security equipment is in good condition.
- (i) Conduct parades every morning and afternoon.
- (j) Act as an emergency officer during emergency situations until the arrival of the National Treasury Security Officials.

5.3 Security Officers on site

- (a) Practice Access Control procedures in terms of the Control of Access to Public Premises and Vehicles Act (Act 53 of 1985) and National Treasury Standard Operating Procedures on Access Control.
- (b) The Security Officers shall be responsible for the protection of state property on the site and the protection of the said property against theft, fire and vandalism.
- (c) The protection of the state's officials against any injuries and threat of any offences, including offences referred to in Schedule 1 of the Criminal Procedure Act (Act 51 of 1977).
- (d) Protect state information against any espionage or leaking to unauthorised individuals.
- (e) Control or report on the movement of persons or vehicles through checkpoints or gates.
- (f) Patrol the premises and the offices of National Treasury.
- (g) React to emergency situations.
- (h) Ensure that security registers are kept neat and up to date at all times.
- (i) Escort employees who carry valuable assets between the two buildings and to their parking areas.



Special Conditions of Contract

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CLOSING DATE: 28 February 2020 AT 11:00 AM

VALIDITY PERIOD: 90 DAYS

S U P P L Y C H A I N M A N A G E M E N T

A LEGISLATIVE AND REGULATORY FRAMEWORK

This bid and all contracts emanating there from will be subject to the General Conditions of Contract issued in accordance with of the Treasury Regulations 16A published in terms of the Public Finance Management Act, 1999 (Act 1 of 1999). The Special Conditions of Contract are supplementary to that of the General Conditions of Contract. Where, however, the Special Conditions of Contract are in conflict with the General Conditions of Contract, the Special Conditions of Contract takes precedence.

1. EVALUATION PROCESS AND CRITERIA

1.1. All bids will be evaluated in terms of functionality and preference point system which comprises of the following:

1.1.1 Phase I: Initial screening process

In terms of National Treasury Instruction No. 4A of 2016/2017 regarding the National Central Supplier Database (CSD), all bidders must register on the CSD to provide the following information to be verified through the CSD:

- a) Business registration, including details of directorship and membership;
- b) Bank Account holder information;
- c) In the service of the State status;
- d) Tax compliance status;
- e) Identity number;
- f) Tender default and restriction status; and
- g) Any additional and supplementary verification information communicated by National Treasury.

1.1.2 Phase III: Functionality evaluation as per attached Terms of Reference

- a) Bids will be evaluated strictly according to the bid evaluation criteria stipulated in the terms of reference.
- b) Bidders must, as part of their bid documents, submit supportive documentation for all technical requirements as indicated hereunder. The panel responsible for scoring the

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respective bids will evaluate and score all bids based on their submissions and the information provided.

- c) Bidders will not rate themselves, but need to ensure that all information is supplied as required. The Bid Evaluation Committee (BEC) will evaluate and score all responsive bids and will verify all documents submitted by the bidders.
- d) The panel members will individually evaluate the responses received against the following criteria as set out below:

TECHNICAL EVALUATION CRITERIA

No	Criteria	Weight	Scoring Criteria
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	TOTAL	100	
	Minimum threshold <i>(failure to meet 70% threshold for functionality, the bid will be not be evaluated further for the site inspection)</i>	70%	

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			<p>2- Average Organogram provided with at least two HR Policies to address requirements and a filing system in place to preserve the information</p> <p>1-Poor No proof of HR structure and employee information</p>
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	Total	100	
	Threshold	60%	

Each panel member will rate each individual criterion on the score sheet using the following scale:

1 – Poor; 2 – Below Average, 3-Good, 4-Very Good, 5-Excellent

- e) Individual value scores will be multiplied with the specified weighting for the criterion to obtain the marks scored for all elements. These marks will be added and expressed as a fraction of the best possible score for all criteria. This score will be converted to a percentage and only bidders that have met or exceeded the minimum threshold of 70%

for functionality and 60% for site inspection will be evaluated and scored in terms of pricing and socio-economic goals as indicated hereunder.

- f) Any proposal not meeting a minimum score of 70% for functionality proposal and 60% for site inspection will be disqualified and the financial proposal will remain unopened
- g) The value scored for each criterion will be multiplied with the specified weighting for the relevant criterion to obtain the marks scored for each criterion. These marks will be added and expressed as a fraction of the best possible score for all criteria.
- h) This score will be converted to a percentage and only bidders that have met or exceeded the minimum threshold of 70% for functionality and 60% for site inspection will be evaluated and scored in terms of pricing and socio economic goals as indicated hereunder.

1.1.4 Phase IV: Price/Financial stage and B-BBEE

Price/ Financial proposals must be submitted in South African Rand.

NT reserves the right to negotiate rates submitted by bidders.

2. EVALUATION CRITERIA

- a. In terms of regulation 5 of the Preferential Procurement Regulations pertaining to the Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act, 2000 (Act 5 of 2000), responsive bids will be adjudicated by the State on the 80/20-preference point for Broad-Based Black economic empowerment in terms of which points are awarded to bidders on the basis of:
 - The bid price (maximum 80 points)
 - Broad-based black Economic Empowerment as well as specific goals (maximum 20 points)
- b. The following formula will be used to calculate the points for price in respect of bidders with a Rand value up to R50 000 000 :

$$P_s = 80 \left(1 - \frac{P_t - P_{\min}}{P_{\min}} \right)$$

Where

P_s = Points scored for comparative price of bid under consideration

P_t = Comparative price of bid under consideration

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

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A maximum of 20 points may be awarded to a bidder for being a Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment and/or subcontracting with a Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment stipulated in the Preferential Procurement regulations. For this bid the maximum number of Broad-based black Economic Empowerment status that could be allocated to a bidder is indicated in paragraph 3.1.

- c. The State reserves the right to arrange contracts with more than one contractor

2.1 POINTS

The Preferential Procurement Regulations 2017 were gazetted on 20 January 2017 (No. 40553) with effect from 1 April 2017. These regulations require bidders provide relevant proof of their B-BBEE Status Level , the 80/20 preference points systems will be applied in accordance with the formula and applicable points provided for in the respective status level contributor tables in the Regulations.

B-BBEE Status Level of Contributor	Number of points (80/20 system)
1	20
2	18
3	14
4	12
5	8
6	6
7	4
8	2
Non-complaint contributor	0

Failure to submit a fully complete B-BBEE certificates / sworn affidavit will lead to no award of points for preference.

- d. The points scored by a bidder in respect of points indicated above will be added to the points scored for price.
- e. Bidders are requested to complete the various preference claim forms in order to claim preference points.

- f. Only a bidder who has completed and signed the declaration part of the preference claim form will be considered for B-BBEE status.
- g. National Treasury may, before a bid is adjudicated or at any time, require a bidder to substantiate claims made with regard to their B-BBEE status.
- h. Points scored will be rounded off to the nearest 2 decimals.
- i. In the event that two or more bids have scored equal total points, the contract will be awarded to the bidder scoring the highest number of points for B-BBEE status. Should two or more bids be equal in all respects, the award shall be decided by drawing of lots.
- j. A contract may, on reasonable and justifiable grounds, be awarded to a bid that did not score the highest number of points.

k. Joint Ventures, Consortiums and Trusts

A trust, consortium or joint venture, will qualify for points for their B-BBEE status level as a legal entity, provided that the entity submits their B-BBEE status level certificate.

A trust, consortium or joint venture will qualify for points for their B-BBEE status level as an unincorporated entity, provided that the entity submits their consolidated B-BBEE scorecard as if they were a group structure and that such a consolidated B-BBEE scorecard is prepared for every separate bid.

Bidders must submit concrete proof of the existence of joint ventures and/or consortium arrangements. National Treasury will accept signed agreements as acceptable proof of the existence of a joint venture and/or consortium arrangement.

The joint venture and/or consortium agreements must clearly set out the roles and responsibilities of the Lead Partner and the joint venture and/or consortium party. The agreement must also clearly identify the Lead Partner, with the power of attorney to bind the other party/parties in respect of matters pertaining to the joint venture and/or consortium arrangement.

l. Subcontracting after award of tender

A person awarded a contract may only enter into a subcontracting arrangement with the approval of the organ of state.

A person awarded a contract in relation to a designated sector, may not subcontract in such a manner that the local production and content of the overall value of the contract is reduced to below the stipulated minimum threshold.

A person awarded a contract may not subcontract more than 25% of the value of the contract to any other enterprise that does not have an equal or higher B-BBEE status level

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of contributor than the person concerned, unless the contract is subcontracted to an EME that has the capability and ability to execute the subcontract

3. MANDATORY REQUIREMENTS

- 3.1 Proof of Registration summary report from Central Supplier Database
- 3.2 PSIRA company registration certificate
- 3.3 PSIRA registration certificates for managing director(s) (Owner(s) of the company) as well as the management team to render security services.
- 3.4 Registration with the South African Police Services as a National Key Point service provider.
- 3.5 Contact details of their regional and head offices;
- 3.6 Names, addresses and telephone numbers where their bank accounts are held or other financial institutions that manage their finances and the names of contact persons at each financial institution;
- 3.7 Consent that the financial institutions may answer enquiries about the company's financial status and supply statements on request by National Treasury
- 3.8 The names, identity numbers and street addresses of all partners, shareholders of their companies;
- 3.9 The names and identity numbers of all their Security Officers registered with in terms of the Private Security Industry Regulatory Act (Act 56 of 2001);
- 3.10 In cases where a person, partnership, closed corporation, company or any other undertaking, enter into business for the first time, the following information should be provided to National Treasury:
 - Names of the persons or institutions that will help in case of financial crises;
 - Names and contact details of the persons or institutions who helped with calculation of this tender;
- 3.11 Consent that all Managing Directors, Shareholders of the company and Site Managers, Supervisors and Security Officers assigned to the site will be subjected to pre-screening before they can assume duties with National Treasury;
- 3.12 Consent that employees of the company will sign a Declaration of Secrecy once they have access to NT resources and information
- 3.13 Provide letter of good standing in line with the Compensation for Occupational Injuries and Diseases Act (COIDA)
- 3.14 Provide Unemployment Insurance Fund (UIF) compliance certificate

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FAILURE TO ADHERE TO THE CONDITION MAY LEAD TO THE BID BEING INVALIDATED.

4. TAX COMPLIANCE STATUS

Bids received from bidders with a non-compliant tax status may be disqualified with failure to update the Tax Status within 7 days.

5. VALUE ADDED TAX

All bid prices must be inclusive of 15% Value-Added Tax where applicable.

6. CLIENT BASE

6.1 National Treasury reserves the right to contact references during the evaluation and adjudication process to obtain information.

7. LEGAL IMPLICATIONS

Successful service providers will enter into a service level agreement with National Treasury.

8. COMMUNICATION

National Treasury may communicate with bidders for, among others, where bid clarity is sought, to obtain information or to extend the validity period. Any communication either by facsimile, letter or electronic mail or any other form of correspondence to any government official, department or representative of a testing institution or a person acting in an advisory capacity for the National Treasury in respect of this bid between the closing date and the award of the bid by the bidder is prohibited.

9. LATE BIDS

Bids received at the address indicated in the bid documents, after the closing date and time will not be accepted for consideration and where applicable, be returned unopened to the bidder.

10. COUNTER CONDITIONS

Bidders' attention is drawn to the fact that amendments to any of the Special Conditions by bidders will result in such bids being disqualified.

11. PROHIBITION OF RESTRICTIVE PRACTICES

- a. In terms of section 4(1) 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:
- directly or indirectly fixing a purchase or selling price or any other trading condition;
 - dividing markets by allocating customers, suppliers, territories or specific types of goods or services; or
 - collusive bidding.
- b. If a bidder(s) or contractor(s), in the judgment of the purchaser, has/have engaged in any of the restrictive practices referred to above, the purchaser may, without prejudice to any other remedy provided for, invalidate the bid(s) for such item(s) offered or terminate

the contract in whole or in part and refer the matter to the Competition Commission for investigation and possible imposition of administrative penalties as contemplated in the Competition Act No. 89 of 1998.

11. FRONTING

- a. The National Treasury supports the spirit of broad based black economic empowerment and recognizes that real empowerment can only be achieved through individuals and businesses conducting themselves in accordance with the Constitution and in an honest, fair, equitable, transparent and legally compliant manner. Against this background the National Treasury condemns any form of fronting.
- b. The National Treasury, in ensuring that bidders conduct themselves in an honest manner will, as part of the bid evaluation processes, conduct or initiate the necessary enquiries/investigations to determine the accuracy of the representation made in bid documents. Should any of the fronting indicators as contained in the Guidelines on Complex Structures and Transactions and Fronting, issued by the Department of Trade and Industry be established during such enquiry/investigation, the onus will be on the bidder / contractor to prove that fronting does not exist. Failure to do so within a period of 14 days from date of notification may invalidate the bid/contract and may also result

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in the restriction of the bidder/contractor to conduct business with the public sector for a period not exceeding ten years, in addition to any other remedies the National Treasury may have against the bidder/contractor concerned.

12. PRESENTATION

National Treasury may require presentations/interviews from short-listed bidders as part of the bid process.

13. TIMEFRAMES AND FORMAL CONTRACT

Successful bidder(s) will enter into formal contract with the National Treasury.

14. PACKAGING OF BID

The bidder shall place both the sealed Technical Proposal and Price/ Financial Proposal envelopes into an outer sealed envelope or package, and must be clearly marked as follows:

15.1 FUNCTIONALITY/TECHNICAL PROPOSAL

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Bid closing date and time: 28 February 2020 AT 11H00

Name and address of the bidder:

In this envelope, the bidder shall only address the technical aspects of the bid.

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15.2 PRICE/ FINANCIAL PROPOSAL

Bid No: NT001-2020:

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Bid closing date and time: 28 February 2020 AT 11H00

Name and address of the bidder:

In this envelope, the bidder shall provide the price/ financial proposal.

The Technical Proposal envelope must contain one original hard copy document, clearly marked "Original", and four (4) hardcopies, clearly marked "Copy".

16 CONTACT DETAILS

Supply Chain Management, 4th floor at National Treasury,

Private Bag x 115, Pretoria, 0001

Physical address: 240 Madiba Street (Vermeulen), Pretoria

For General enquiries: Thivhileli Matshinyatsimbi / Sithembile Skosana

E-mail : Thivhileli.Matshinyatsimbi@treasury.gov.za /
sithembile.skosana@treasury.gov.za

For Technical enquiries:

Faith Leeuw

Email: faith.leeuw@treasury.gov.za

Mmule Majola

Email: mmule.majola@treasury.gov.za

PRICING SCHEDULE
(Professional Services)

NAME OF BIDDER: BID NO: NT001-2020

CLOSING TIME 11:00 ON 28 February 2020.

OFFER TO BE VALID FOR 90 DAYS FROM THE CLOSING DATE OF BID.

ITEM NO	DESCRIPTION	BID PRICE IN RSA CURRENCY INCLUSIVE OF VALUE ADDED TAX
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- Services must be quoted in accordance with the attached terms of reference

NB: Bidders are also advised to indicate a total cost breakdown for this assignment.

- Period required for commencement with project after acceptance of bid _____
- Are the rates quoted firm for the full period? Yes/No
- If not firm for the full period, provide details of the basis on which Adjustments will be applied for, for example consumer price index.

Any enquiries regarding bidding procedures may be directed to –

Department: National Treasury

Contact Person: Thivhileli Matshinyatsimbi

E-mail address: Thivhileli.Matshinyatsimbi@treasury.gov.za

Any enquiries regarding technical enquiries may be directed to –

Contact Person: Faith Leeuw / Mmule Majola

Email: faith.leeuw@treasury.gov.za / mmule.majola@treasury.gov.za

PLEASE REFER TO THE ATTACHED TERMS OF REFERENCE FOR MORE INFORMATION.

SBD 4

DECLARATION OF INTEREST

1. Any legal person, including persons employed by the state¹, or persons having a kinship with persons employed by the state, including a blood relationship, may make an offer or offers in terms of this invitation to bid (includes an advertised competitive bid, a limited bid, a proposal or written price quotation). In view of possible allegations of favouritism, should the resulting bid, or part thereof, be awarded to persons employed by the state, or to persons connected with or related to them, it is required that the bidder or his/her authorised representative declare his/her position in relation to the evaluating/adjudicating authority where-

- the bidder is employed by the state; and/or
- the legal person on whose behalf the bidding document is signed, has a relationship with persons/a person who are/is involved in the evaluation and or adjudication of the bid(s), or where it is known that such a relationship exists between the person or persons for or on whose behalf the declarant acts and persons who are involved with the evaluation and or adjudication of the bid.

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

2.1 Full Name of bidder or his or her representative:

2.2 Identity Number:.....

2.3 Position occupied in the Company (director, trustee, shareholder², member):
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2.4 Registration number of company, enterprise, close corporation, partnership agreement or trust:
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2.5 Tax Reference Number:

2.6 VAT Registration Number:

- 2.6.1 The names of all directors / trustees / shareholders / members, their individual identity numbers, tax reference numbers and, if applicable, employee / PERSAL numbers must be indicated in paragraph 3 below.

¹"State" means -

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

²"Shareholder" means a person who owns shares in the company and is actively involved in the management of the enterprise or business and exercises control over the enterprise.

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

2.7.1 If so, furnish the following particulars:

Name of person / director / trustee / shareholder/ member:
Name of state institution at which you or the person connected to the bidder is employed :
Position occupied in the state institution:

Any other particulars:
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2.7.2 If you are presently employed by the state, did you obtain the appropriate authority to undertake remunerative work outside employment in the public sector? **YES / NO**

2.7.2.1 If yes, did you attach proof of such authority to the bid document? **YES / NO**

(Note: Failure to submit proof of such authority, where applicable, may result in the disqualification of the bid.

2.7.2.2 If no, furnish reasons for non-submission of such proof:

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

2.8.1 If so, furnish particulars:

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2.9 Do you, or any person connected with the bidder, have any relationship (family, friend, other) with a person employed by the state and who may be involved with the evaluation and or adjudication of this bid? **YES / NO**

2.9.1 If so, furnish particulars.

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2.10 Are you, or any person connected with the bidder, aware of any relationship (family, friend, other) between any other bidder and any person employed by the state who may be involved with the evaluation and or adjudication of this bid?

YES/NO

2.10.1 If so, furnish particulars.

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2.11 Do you or any of the directors / trustees / shareholders / members of the company have any interest in any other related companies whether or not they are bidding for this contract?

YES/NO

2.11.1 If so, furnish particulars:

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.....

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

Full Name	Identity Number	Personal Income Tax Reference Number	State Employee Number / Persal Number



4 DECLARATION

I, THE UNDERSIGNED (NAME).....

CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION FURNISHED IN PARAGRAPHS 2 and 3 ABOVE IS CORRECT.
I ACCEPT THAT THE STATE MAY REJECT THE BID OR ACT AGAINST ME SHOULD THIS
DECLARATION PROVE TO BE FALSE.

.....
Signature

.....
Date

.....
Position

.....
Name of bidder

November 2011

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

This preference form must form part of all bids invited. It contains general information and serves as a claim form for preference points for Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment (B-BBEE) Status Level of Contribution

NB: BEFORE COMPLETING THIS FORM, BIDDERS MUST STUDY THE GENERAL CONDITIONS, DEFINITIONS AND DIRECTIVES APPLICABLE IN RESPECT OF B-BBEE, AS PRESCRIBED IN THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS, 2017.

1. GENERAL CONDITIONS

1.1 The following preference point systems are applicable to all bids:

- the 80/20 system for requirements with a Rand value of up to R50 000 000 (all applicable taxes included).

1.2 The value of this bid is estimated to not exceed R50 000 000 (all applicable taxes included) and therefore the 80/20 preference point system shall be applicable.

1.3 Points for this bid shall be awarded for:

- (a) Price; and
- (b) B-BBEE Status Level of Contributor.

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

	POINTS
PRICE	80
B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL OF CONTRIBUTOR	20
Total points for Price and B-BBEE must not exceed	100

1.5 Failure on the part of a bidder to submit proof of B-BBEE Status level of contributor together with the bid, will be interpreted to mean that preference points for B-BBEE status level of contribution are not claimed.

1.6 The purchaser reserves the right to require of a bidder, either before a bid is adjudicated or at any time subsequently, to substantiate any claim in regard to preferences, in any manner required by the purchaser.

2. DEFINITIONS

- (a) "B-BBEE" means broad-based black economic empowerment as defined in section 1 of the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act;
- (b) "B-BBEE status level of contributor" means the B-BBEE status of an entity in terms of a code of good practice on black economic empowerment, issued in terms of section 9(1) of the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act;
- (c) "bid" means a written offer in a prescribed or stipulated form in response to an invitation by an organ of state for the provision of goods or services, through price

- quotations, advertised competitive bidding processes or proposals;
- (d) **“Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act”** means the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act, 2003 (Act No. 53 of 2003);
- (e) **“EME”** means an Exempted Micro Enterprise in terms of a code of good practice on black economic empowerment issued in terms of section 9 (1) of the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act;
- (f) **“functionality”** means the ability of a tenderer to provide goods or services in accordance with specifications as set out in the tender documents.
- (g) **“prices”** includes all applicable taxes less all unconditional discounts;
- (h) **“proof of B-BBEE status level of contributor”** means:
- 1) B-BBEE Status level certificate issued by an authorized body or person;
 - 2) A sworn affidavit as prescribed by the B-BBEE Codes of Good Practice;
 - 3) Any other requirement prescribed in terms of the B-BBEE Act;
- (i) **“QSE”** means a qualifying small business enterprise in terms of a code of good practice on black economic empowerment issued in terms of section 9 (1) of the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act;
- (j) **“rand value”** means the total estimated value of a contract in Rand, calculated at the time of bid invitation, and includes all applicable taxes;

3. POINTS AWARDED FOR PRICE

3.1 THE 80/20 PREFERENCE POINT SYSTEMS

A maximum of 80 points is allocated for price on the following basis:
80/20

$$P_s = 80 \left(1 - \frac{P_t - P_{\min}}{P_{\min}} \right)$$

Where

- P_s = Points scored for price of bid under consideration
 P_t = Price of bid under consideration
 P_{\min} = Price of lowest acceptable bid

4. POINTS AWARDED FOR B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL OF CONTRIBUTOR

- 4.1 In terms of Regulation 6 (2) of the Preferential Procurement Regulations, preference points must be awarded to a bidder for attaining the B-BBEE status level of contribution in accordance with the table below:

B-BBEE Status Level of Contributor	Number of points (80/20 system)
1	20
2	18
3	14
4	12
5	8
6	6

7	4
8	2
Non-compliant contributor	0

5. BID DECLARATION

5.1 Bidders who claim points in respect of B-BBEE Status Level of Contribution must complete the following:

6. B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL OF CONTRIBUTOR CLAIMED IN TERMS OF PARAGRAPHS 1.4 AND 4.1

6.1 B-BBEE Status Level of Contributor: . = (maximum of 20 points)
 (Points claimed in respect of paragraph 7.1 must be in accordance with the table reflected in paragraph 4.1 and must be substantiated by relevant proof of B-BBEE status level of contributor.

7. SUB-CONTRACTING

7.1 Will any portion of the contract be sub-contracted?
 (*Tick applicable box*)

YES	<input type="checkbox"/>	NO	<input type="checkbox"/>
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7.1.1 If yes, indicate:

- i) What percentage of the contract will be subcontracted.....%
- ii) The name of the sub-contractor.....
- iii) The B-BBEE status level of the sub-contractor.....
- iv) Whether the sub-contractor is an EME or QSE
 (*Tick applicable box*)

YES	<input type="checkbox"/>	NO	<input type="checkbox"/>
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v) Specify, by ticking the appropriate box, if subcontracting with an enterprise in terms of Preferential Procurement Regulations,2017:

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

8. DECLARATION WITH REGARD TO COMPANY/FIRM

8.1 Name _____ of
 company/firm:.....

8.2 VAT registration
number:.....

8.3 Company registration
number:.....

8.4 TYPE OF COMPANY/ FIRM
Partnership/Joint Venture / Consortium
One person business/sole propriety
Close corporation
Company
(Pty) Limited
[TICK APPLICABLE BOX]

8.5 DESCRIBE PRINCIPAL BUSINESS ACTIVITIES
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8.6 COMPANY CLASSIFICATION
Manufacturer
Supplier
Professional service provider
Other service providers, e.g. transporter, etc.
[TICK APPLICABLE BOX]

8.7 Total number of years the company/firm has been in
business:.....

8.8 I/we, the undersigned, who is / are duly authorised to do so on behalf of the
company/firm, certify that the points claimed, based on the B-BBE status level of
contributor indicated in paragraphs 1.4 and 6.1 of the foregoing certificate, qualifies
the company/ firm for the preference(s) shown and I / we acknowledge that:

- i) The information furnished is true and correct;
- ii) The preference points claimed are in accordance with the General Conditions as indicated in paragraph 1 of this form;
- iii) In the event of a contract being awarded as a result of points claimed as shown in paragraphs 1.4 and 6.1, the contractor may be required to furnish documentary proof to the satisfaction of the purchaser that the claims are correct;
- iv) If the B-BBEE status level of contributor has been claimed or obtained on a fraudulent basis or any of the conditions of contract have not been fulfilled, the purchaser may, in addition to any other remedy it may have –
 - (a) disqualify the person from the bidding process;
 - (b) recover costs, losses or damages it has incurred or suffered as a result of that person’s conduct;
 - (c) cancel the contract and claim any damages which it has suffered as a result of having to make less favourable arrangements due to

such cancellation;

- (d) recommend that the bidder or contractor, its shareholders and directors, or only the shareholders and directors who acted on a fraudulent basis, be restricted by the National Treasury 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.

<p>WITNESSES</p> <p>1.</p> <p>2.</p>

<p>..... SIGNATURE(S) OF BIDDERS(S)</p> <p>DATE:</p> <p>ADDRESS</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p>
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DECLARATION OF BIDDER'S PAST SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT PRACTICES

- 1 This Standard Bidding Document must form part of all bids invited.
- 2 It serves as a declaration to be used by institutions 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 disregarded if that bidder, or any of its directors have-
 - a. abused the institution's supply chain management system;
 - b. committed fraud or any other improper conduct in relation to such system; or
 - c. failed to perform on any previous contract.
- 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	<p>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? (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).</p> <p>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.</p>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
4.1.1	If so, furnish particulars:		
4.2	<p>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.</p>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
4.2.1	If so, furnish particulars:		
4.3	<p>Was the bidder or any of its directors convicted by a court of law (including a court outside of the Republic of South Africa) for fraud or corruption during the past five years?</p>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
4.3.1	If so, furnish particulars:		

4.4	Was any contract between the bidder and any organ of state terminated during the past five years on account of failure to perform on or comply with the contract?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
4.4.1	If so, furnish particulars:		

SBD 8

CERTIFICATION

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

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

.....
Signature

.....
Date

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Position

.....
Name of Bidder

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CERTIFICATE OF INDEPENDENT BID DETERMINATION

- 1 This Standard Bidding Document (SBD) must form part of all bids¹ 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).² Collusive bidding is a *pe se* prohibition meaning that it cannot be justified under any grounds.
- 3 Treasury Regulation 16A9 prescribes that accounting officers and accounting authorities must take all reasonable steps to prevent abuse of the supply chain management system and authorizes accounting officers and accounting authorities to:
 - a. disregard the bid of any bidder if that bidder, or any of its directors have abused the institution's supply chain management system and or committed fraud or any other improper conduct in relation to such system.
 - b. cancel a contract awarded to a supplier of goods and services if the supplier committed any corrupt or fraudulent act during the bidding process or the execution of that contract.
- 4 This SBD 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 (SBD 9) must be completed and submitted with the bid:

¹ Includes price quotations, advertised competitive bids, limited bids and proposals.

² 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 Institution)

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

I certify, on behalf of: _____ that:

(Name of Bidder)

1. I have read and I understand the contents of this Certificate;
2. I understand that the accompanying bid will be disqualified if this Certificate is found not to be true and complete in every respect;
3. I am authorized by the bidder to sign this Certificate, and to submit the accompanying bid, on behalf of the bidder;
4. Each person whose signature appears on the accompanying bid has been authorized by the bidder to determine the terms of, and to sign the bid, on behalf of the bidder;
5. For the purposes of this Certificate and the accompanying bid, I understand that the word "competitor" shall include any individual or organization, other than the bidder, whether or not affiliated with the bidder, who:
 - (a) has been requested to submit a bid in response to this bid invitation;
 - (b) could potentially submit a bid in response to this bid invitation, based on their qualifications, abilities or experience; and
 - (c) provides the same goods and services as the bidder and/or is in the same line of business as the bidder

6. The bidder has arrived at the accompanying bid independently from, and without consultation, communication, agreement or arrangement with any competitor. However communication between partners in a joint venture or consortium⁹ 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.

⁹ 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.

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Signature

.....
Date

.....
Position

.....
Name of Bidder

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PLEASE COMPLETE QUESTIONNAIRE A OR B

**Contractors'/Suppliers' Questionnaire – Individuals:
Questionnaire A**

Please answer the questions by marking the appropriate column with an "X".
Please do not leave out any question relating to your specific circumstances.

Contractor/Supplier Name:	
Natural Persons:	
Surname:	
Initials:	
First two names:	
Title:	
ID number or passport number:	
Nationality:	
Income Tax reference number:	
Date of birth:	
If not a citizen of the RSA, furnish a certified copy of a work permit:	
Postal address and code:	
Residential address and code:	
Telephone numbers:	
Facsimile numbers:	
E-mail address:	
If in possession of a tax clearance certificate or exemption certificate (IRP30), furnish a certified copy thereof:	
Jurisdiction in which contractor is "ordinarily resident" i.e. place of permanent residence:	

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Question		Yes	No
1.	Do you supply services on behalf of a Labour Broker?		
2.	Are you subject to the control or supervision of the National Treasury (NT)? Including, but not limited to, the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The manner of duties performed; • The hours of work; • The quality of work. 		
3.	Are you paid at regular intervals i.e. daily, weekly, monthly etc? (If the payments are made at regular intervals or by a rate per time period)		
4.	Will payment to you include any benefits? Including, but not limited to, the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Leave pay; • Medical aid; • Training; • Sick Leave. 		
5.	Will, or have you be/been in the full time employment of the NT?		
6.	Will you require of the NT to provide any equipment, tools, materials or office space, in order to fulfil the contract?		
7.	Do you supply these, or similar, services only to the NT and not to any other client or the general public?		
8.	Will you be required to work more than 22 hours per week?		
8.1	If "yes", will payment be made on an hourly, daily weekly or monthly basis?		
8.2.1	Will you work solely for the NT?		
8.2.2	Will you provide a written statement to this effect?		
Non-Residents of the RSA			
9.	Will you return to your jurisdiction of residence upon the termination of the contract?		
10.	Is the contract to exceed a period of three years?		
11.	Will you be returning to the jurisdiction of residence during the course of the contract? If so, for what periods of time?		
12.	Is your employer resident in the Republic of South		

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Question	Yes	No
13. Africa or does a permanent establishment or branch represent the employer in the Republic? If a permanent establishment or branch represents the employer in the Republic, will your salary be paid from such permanent establishment or branch?		
14. Will you be required to perform any work outside of the Republic?		
15. Do you agree to submit copies of your passport should the NT, so require?		

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Signature:		Date:



PLEASE COMPLETE QUESTIONNAIRE A OR B

**Contractors'/Suppliers' Questionnaire – All Service Providers
(excluding Individuals): Questionnaire B:**

Please answer the questions by marking the appropriate column with an "X".
Please do not leave out any question relating to your specific circumstances.

Contractor/Supplier Name:	
Corporate Contractors (Including companies, close corporations and trusts):	
Registered name and furnish a certified copy of registration:	
Nature of legal entity:	
Trade name:	
Registration number:	
Date of incorporation:	
Jurisdiction of incorporation:	
Jurisdiction where effective management is performed:	
Income tax reference number:	
Employees' Tax reference number:	
Value Added Tax number and furnish a certified copy of VAT 103 Certificate:	
Postal address and code:	
Physical address and code:	
Telephone numbers:	
Facsimile numbers:	
E-mail address:	

DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL TREASURY

Question	Yes	No	
1.	Are you a "Labour Broker" i.e. do you provide payment for supplying the National Treasury (NT) with a person/s? If so, furnish a certified copy of an IRP30, which is valid for the period of the contract.		
2.	Is the service to be rendered personally by any person, who is a connected person, in relation to the entity? (For example a shareholder, member or their direct family)		
3.	Do you employ four or more employees on a full time basis throughout the year, excluding connected parties? If so, are these employees engaged in rendering the service to the NT? (For example secretarial employees would NOT be so engaged)		
4.	Would you be regarded as an employee of the NT if the service was rendered by the person directly to the NT, other than on behalf of the contractor?		
5.	Do you, the Company, Close Corporation or Trust receive any form of training supplied or paid for by NT? If "yes", please specify the nature and extent of the training:		
6.	Are you, the Company Close Corporation or Trust free to choose which tools or equipment, or staff, or raw materials, or routines, patents and technology to use in performing your main duties?		
7.	In order to perform your main duties, do you, or does such a person, Company, Close Corporation or Trust, use any tools or equipment supplied or paid for by NT? If "yes", please state the nature thereof:		
8.	Are you subject to the control or supervision of the NT, as to the manner in which, or hours during which, the duties are performed or are to be performed in rendering the service?		
9.	Will the amounts paid or payable in respect of the service consist of, or include, earnings of any description, which are payable at regular daily, weekly, monthly, or other intervals?		
10.	Will more than 80% of your income, during the year		

Question		Yes	No
	of assessment, from services rendered, consist of or be likely to consist of amounts received directly or indirectly from any one client , or any associated institution, in relation to the client?		
11.	Does your contract contain any elements of an employment contract? [i.e. Job titles, reporting structure in organisation, fixed working hours, employment benefits, performance bonuses (excluding bonus and penalties for early or late delivery)]		
12.	Does your contract contain any clause that will enable you to receive payment, even if no work was done?		
13.	Have you ever been classified as a Labour Broker or personal services company (including Close Corporation and Trust) by SARS or any other client?		
14.	If the answer to question 13 was "yes", did anything change that no longer classifies you as a labour broker or personal services company? If "yes", elaborate:		

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**GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT
GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT**

NOTES

The purpose of this document is to:

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

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

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

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General Conditions of Contract

1. Definitions

1. The following terms shall be interpreted as indicated:
 - 1.1 "Closing time" means the date and hour specified in the bidding documents for the receipt of bids.
 - 1.2 "Contract" means the written agreement entered into between the purchaser and the supplier, as recorded in the contract form signed by the parties, including all attachments and appendices thereto and all documents incorporated by reference therein.
 - 1.3 "Contract price" means the price payable to the supplier under the contract for the full and proper performance of his contractual obligations.
 - 1.4 "Corrupt practices" means the offering, giving, receiving, or soliciting of any thing of value to influence the action of a public official in the procurement process or in contract execution.
 - 1.5 "Countervailing duties" are imposed in cases where an enterprise abroad is subsidized by its government and encouraged to market its products internationally.
 - 1.6 "Country of origin" means the place where the goods were mined, grown or produced or from which the services are supplied. Goods are produced when, through manufacturing, processing or substantial and major assembly of components, a commercially recognized new product results that is substantially different in basic characteristics or in purpose or utility from its components.
 - 1.7 "Day" means calendar day.
 - 1.8 "Delivery" means delivery in compliance of the conditions of the contract or order.
 - 1.9 "Delivery ex stock" means immediate delivery directly from stock actually on hand.
 - 1.10 "Delivery into consignees store or to his site" means delivered and unloaded in the specified store or depot or on the specified site in compliance with the conditions of the contract or order, the supplier bearing all risks and charges involved until the supplies are so delivered and a valid receipt is obtained.
 - 1.11 "Dumping" occurs when a private enterprise abroad market its goods on own initiative in the RSA at lower prices than that of the country of origin and which have the potential to harm the local industries in the RSA.
 - 1.12 "Force majeure" means an event beyond the control of the supplier and not involving the supplier's fault or negligence and not foreseeable.

Such events may include, but is not restricted to, acts of the purchaser in its sovereign capacity, wars or revolutions, fires, floods, epidemics, quarantine restrictions and freight embargoes.

- 1.13 "Fraudulent practice" means a misrepresentation of facts in order to influence a procurement process or the execution of a contract to the detriment of any bidder, and includes collusive practice among bidders (prior to or after bid submission) designed to establish bid prices at artificial non-competitive levels and to deprive the bidder of the benefits of free and open competition.
- 1.14 "GCC" means the General Conditions of Contract.
- 1.15 "Goods" means all of the equipment, machinery, and/or other materials that the supplier is required to supply to the purchaser under the contract.
- 1.16 "Imported content" means that portion of the bidding price represented by the cost of components, parts or materials which have been or are still to be imported (whether by the supplier or his subcontractors) and which costs are inclusive of the costs abroad, plus freight and other direct importation costs such as landing costs, dock dues, import duty, sales duty or other similar tax or duty at the South African place of entry as well as transportation and handling charges to the factory in the Republic where the supplies covered by the bid will be manufactured.
- 1.17 "Local content" means that portion of the bidding price which is not included in the imported content provided that local manufacture does take place.
- 1.18 "Manufacture" means the production of products in a factory using labour, materials, components and machinery and includes other related value-adding activities.
- 1.19 "Order" means an official written order issued for the supply of goods or works or the rendering of a service.
- 1.20 "Project site," where applicable, means the place indicated in bidding documents.
- 1.21 "Purchaser" means the organization purchasing the goods.
- 1.22 "Republic" means the Republic of South Africa.
- 1.23 "SCC" means the Special Conditions of Contract.
- 1.24 "Services" means those functional services ancillary to the supply of the goods, such as transportation and any other incidental services, such as installation, commissioning, provision of technical assistance, training, catering, gardening, security, maintenance and other such obligations of the supplier covered under the contract.
- 1.25 "Written" or "in writing" means handwritten in ink or any form of electronic or mechanical writing.

- 2. Application**
- 2.1 These general conditions are applicable to all bids, contracts and orders including bids for functional and professional services, sales, hiring, letting and the granting or acquiring of rights, but excluding immovable property, unless otherwise indicated in the bidding documents.
- 2.2 Where applicable, special conditions of contract are also laid down to cover specific supplies, services or works.
- 2.3 Where such special conditions of contract are in conflict with these general conditions, the special conditions shall apply.
- 3. General**
- 3.1 Unless otherwise indicated in the bidding documents, the purchaser shall not be liable for any expense incurred in the preparation and submission of a bid. Where applicable a non-refundable fee for documents may be charged.
- 3.2 With certain exceptions, invitations to bid are only published in the Government Tender Bulletin. The Government Tender Bulletin may be obtained directly from the Government Printer, Private Bag X85, Pretoria 0001, or accessed electronically from www.treasury.gov.za
- 4. Standards**
- 4.1 The goods supplied shall conform to the standards mentioned in the bidding documents and specifications.
- 5. Use of contract documents and information; inspection.**
- 5.1 The supplier shall not, without the purchaser's prior written consent, disclose the contract, or any provision thereof, or any specification, plan, drawing, pattern, sample, or information furnished by or on behalf of the purchaser in connection therewith, to any person other than a person employed by the supplier in the performance of the contract. Disclosure to any such employed person shall be made in confidence and shall extend only so far as may be necessary for purposes of such performance.
- 5.2 The supplier shall not, without the purchaser's prior written consent, make use of any document or information mentioned in GCC clause 5.1 except for purposes of performing the contract.
- 5.3 Any document, other than the contract itself mentioned in GCC clause 5.1 shall remain the property of the purchaser and shall be returned (all copies) to the purchaser on completion of the supplier's performance under the contract if so required by the purchaser.
- 5.4 The supplier shall permit the purchaser to inspect the supplier's records relating to the performance of the supplier and to have them audited by auditors appointed by the purchaser, if so required by the purchaser.
- 6. Patent rights**
- 6.1 The supplier shall indemnify the purchaser against all third-party claims of infringement of patent, trademark, or industrial design rights arising from use of the goods or any part thereof by the purchaser.
- 7. Performance security**
- 7.1 Within thirty (30) days of receipt of the notification of contract award, the successful bidder shall furnish to the purchaser the performance security of the amount specified in SCC.

7.2 The proceeds of the performance security shall be payable to the purchaser as compensation for any loss resulting from the supplier's failure to complete his obligations under the contract.

7.3 The performance security shall be denominated in the currency of the contract, or in a freely convertible currency acceptable to the purchaser and shall be in one of the following forms:

- (a) a bank guarantee or an irrevocable letter of credit issued by a reputable bank located in the purchaser's country or abroad, acceptable to the purchaser, in the form provided in the bidding documents or another form acceptable to the purchaser; or
- (b) a cashier's or certified cheque

7.4 The performance security will be discharged by the purchaser and returned to the supplier not later than thirty (30) days following the date of completion of the supplier's performance obligations under the contract, including any warranty obligations, unless otherwise specified in SCC.

**8. Inspections,
tests and
analyses**

8.1 All pre-bidding testing will be for the account of the bidder.

8.2 If it is a bid condition that supplies to be produced or services to be rendered should at any stage during production or execution or on completion be subject to inspection, the premises of the bidder or contractor shall be open, at all reasonable hours, for inspection by a representative of the Department or an organization acting on behalf of the Department.

8.3 If there are no inspection requirements indicated in the bidding documents and no mention is made in the contract, but during the contract period it is decided that inspections shall be carried out, the purchaser shall itself make the necessary arrangements, including payment arrangements with the testing authority concerned.

8.4 If the inspections, tests and analyses referred to in clauses 8.2 and 8.3 show the supplies to be in accordance with the contract requirements, the cost of the inspections, tests and analyses shall be defrayed by the purchaser.

8.5 Where the supplies or services referred to in clauses 8.2 and 8.3 do not comply with the contract requirements, irrespective of whether such supplies or services are accepted or not, the cost in connection with these inspections, tests or analyses shall be defrayed by the supplier.

8.6 Supplies and services which are referred to in clauses 8.2 and 8.3 and which do not comply with the contract requirements may be rejected.

8.7 Any contract supplies may on or after delivery be inspected, tested or analyzed and may be rejected if found not to comply with the requirements of the contract. Such rejected supplies shall be held at the cost and risk of the supplier who shall, when called upon, remove them immediately at his own cost and forthwith substitute them with

supplies which do comply with the requirements of the contract. Failing such removal the rejected supplies shall be returned at the suppliers cost and risk. Should the supplier fail to provide the substitute supplies forthwith, the purchaser may, without giving the supplier further opportunity to substitute the rejected supplies, purchase such supplies as may be necessary at the expense of the supplier.

8.8 The provisions of clauses 8.4 to 8.7 shall not prejudice the right of the purchaser to cancel the contract on account of a breach of the conditions thereof, or to act in terms of Clause 23 of GCC.

9. Packing

9.1 The supplier shall provide such packing of the goods as is required to prevent their damage or deterioration during transit to their final destination, as indicated in the contract. The packing shall be sufficient to withstand, without limitation, rough handling during transit and exposure to extreme temperatures, salt and precipitation during transit, and open storage. Packing, case size and weights shall take into consideration, where appropriate, the remoteness of the goods' final destination and the absence of heavy handling facilities at all points in transit.

9.2 The packing, marking, and documentation within and outside the packages shall comply strictly with such special requirements as shall be expressly provided for in the contract, including additional requirements, if any, specified in SCC, and in any subsequent instructions ordered by the purchaser.

10. Delivery and documents

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

10.2 Documents to be submitted by the supplier are specified in SCC.

11. Insurance

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

12. Transportation

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

13. Incidental services

13.1 The supplier may be required to provide any or all of the following services, including additional services, if any, specified in SCC:

- (a) performance or supervision of on-site assembly and/or commissioning of the supplied goods;
- (b) furnishing of tools required for assembly and/or maintenance of the supplied goods;
- (c) furnishing of a detailed operations and maintenance manual for each appropriate unit of the supplied goods;
- (d) performance or supervision or maintenance and/or repair of the supplied goods, for a period of time agreed by the parties, provided that this service shall not relieve the supplier of any warranty obligations under this contract; and

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

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

14. Spare parts

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

- (a) such spare parts as the purchaser may elect to purchase from the supplier, provided that this election shall not relieve the supplier of any warranty obligations under the contract; and
- (b) in the event of termination of production of the spare parts:
 - (i) Advance notification to the purchaser of the pending termination, in sufficient time to permit the purchaser to procure needed requirements; and
 - (ii) following such termination, furnishing at no cost to the purchaser, the blueprints, drawings, and specifications of the spare parts, if requested.

15. Warranty

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

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

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

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

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

- 16. Payment**
- 16.1 The method and conditions of payment to be made to the supplier under this contract shall be specified in SCC.
- 16.2 The supplier shall furnish the purchaser with an invoice accompanied by a copy of the delivery note and upon fulfillment of other obligations stipulated in the contract.
- 16.3 Payments shall be made promptly by the purchaser, but in no case later than thirty (30) days after submission of an invoice or claim by the supplier.
- 16.4 Payment will be made in Rand unless otherwise stipulated in SCC.
- 17. Prices**
- 17.1 Prices charged by the supplier for goods delivered and services performed under the contract shall not vary from the prices quoted by the supplier in his bid, with the exception of any price adjustments authorized in SCC or in the purchaser's request for bid validity extension, as the case may be.
- 18. Contract amendments**
- 18.1 No variation in or modification of the terms of the contract shall be made except by written amendment signed by the parties concerned.
- 19. Assignment**
- 19.1 The supplier shall not assign, in whole or in part, its obligations to perform under the contract, except with the purchaser's prior written consent.
- 20. Subcontracts**
- 20.1 The supplier shall notify the purchaser in writing of all subcontracts awarded under this contract if not already specified in the bid. Such notification, in the original bid or later, shall not relieve the supplier from any liability or obligation under the contract.
- 21. Delays in the supplier's performance**
- 21.1 Delivery of the goods and performance of services shall be made by the supplier in accordance with the time schedule prescribed by the purchaser in the contract.
- 21.2 If at any time during performance of the contract, the supplier or its subcontractor(s) should encounter conditions impeding timely delivery of the goods and performance of services, the supplier shall promptly notify the purchaser in writing of the fact of the delay, its likely duration and its cause(s). As soon as practicable after receipt of the supplier's notice, the purchaser shall evaluate the situation and may at his discretion extend the supplier's time for performance, with or without the imposition of penalties, in which case the extension shall be ratified by the parties by amendment of contract.
- 21.3 No provision in a contract shall be deemed to prohibit the obtaining of supplies or services from a national department, provincial department, or a local authority.
- 21.4 The right is reserved to procure outside of the contract small quantities or to have minor essential services executed if an emergency arises, the supplier's point of supply is not situated at or near the place where the supplies are required, or the supplier's services are not readily available.

- 21.5 Except as provided under GCC Clause 25, a delay by the supplier in the performance of its delivery obligations shall render the supplier liable to the imposition of penalties, pursuant to GCC Clause 22, unless an extension of time is agreed upon pursuant to GCC Clause 21.2 without the application of penalties.
- 21.6 Upon any delay beyond the delivery period in the case of a supplies contract, the purchaser shall, without 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.
- 23. Termination for default**
- 23.1 The purchaser, without prejudice to any other remedy for breach of contract, by written notice of default sent to the supplier, may terminate this contract in whole or in part:
- (a) if the supplier fails to deliver any or all of the goods within the period(s) specified in the contract, or within any extension thereof granted by the purchaser pursuant to GCC Clause 21.2;
 - (b) if the Supplier fails to perform any other obligation(s) under the contract; or
 - (c) if the supplier, in the judgment of the purchaser, has engaged in corrupt or fraudulent practices in competing for or in executing the contract.
- 23.2 In the event the purchaser terminates the contract in whole or in part, the purchaser may procure, upon such terms and in such manner as it deems appropriate, goods, works or services similar to those undelivered, and the supplier shall be liable to the purchaser for any excess costs for such similar goods, works or services. However, the supplier shall continue performance of the contract to the extent not terminated.
- 24. Anti-dumping and countervailing duties and rights**
- 24.1 When, after the date of bid, provisional payments are required, or anti-dumping or countervailing duties are imposed, or the amount of a provisional payment or anti-dumping or countervailing right is increased in respect of any dumped or subsidized import, the State is not liable for any amount so required or imposed, or for the amount of any such increase. When, after the said date, such a provisional payment is no longer required or any such anti-dumping or countervailing right is abolished, or where the amount of such provisional payment or any such right is reduced, any such favourable

difference shall on demand be paid forthwith by the contractor to the State or the State may deduct such amounts from moneys (if any) which may otherwise be due to the contractor in regard to supplies or services which he delivered or rendered, or is to deliver or render in terms of the contract or any other contract or any other amount which may be due to him

- 25. Force Majeure**
- 25.1 Notwithstanding the provisions of GCC Clauses 22 and 23, the supplier shall not be liable for forfeiture of its performance security, damages, or termination for default if and to the extent that his delay in performance or other failure to perform his obligations under the contract is the result of an event of force majeure.
- 25.2 If a force majeure situation arises, the supplier shall promptly notify the purchaser in writing of such condition and the cause thereof. Unless otherwise directed by the purchaser in writing, the supplier shall continue to perform its obligations under the contract as far as is reasonably practical, and shall seek all reasonable alternative means for performance not prevented by the force majeure event.
- 26. Termination for insolvency**
- 26.1 The purchaser may at any time terminate the contract by giving written notice to the supplier if the supplier becomes bankrupt or otherwise insolvent. In this event, termination will be without compensation to the supplier, provided that such termination will not prejudice or affect any right of action or remedy which has accrued or will accrue thereafter to the purchaser.
- 27. Settlement of Disputes**
- 27.1 If any dispute or difference of any kind whatsoever arises between the purchaser and the supplier in connection with or arising out of the contract, the parties shall make every effort to resolve amicably such dispute or difference by mutual consultation.
- 27.2 If, after thirty (30) days, the parties have failed to resolve their dispute or difference by such mutual consultation, then either the purchaser or the supplier may give notice to the other party of his intention to commence with mediation. No mediation in respect of this matter may be commenced unless such notice is given to the other party.
- 27.3 Should it not be possible to settle a dispute by means of mediation, it may be settled in a South African court of law.
- 27.4 Mediation proceedings shall be conducted in accordance with the rules of procedure specified in the SCC.
- 27.5 Notwithstanding any reference to mediation and/or court proceedings herein,
- (a) the parties shall continue to perform their respective obligations under the contract unless they otherwise agree; and
- (b) the purchaser shall pay the supplier any monies due the supplier.
- 28. Limitation of liability**
- 28.1 Except in cases of criminal negligence or willful misconduct, and in the case of infringement pursuant to Clause 6;
- (a) the supplier shall not be liable to the purchaser, whether in contract, tort, or otherwise, for any indirect or consequential loss

or damage, loss of use, loss of production, or loss of profits or interest costs, provided that this exclusion shall not apply to any obligation of the supplier to pay penalties and/or damages to the purchaser, and

- (b) the aggregate liability of the supplier to the purchaser, whether under the contract, in tort or otherwise, shall not exceed the total contract price, provided that this limitation shall not apply to the cost of repairing or replacing defective equipment.

29. Governing language

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

30. Applicable law

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

31. Notices

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

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

32. Taxes and duties

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

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

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