

# **BA-PHALABORWA LOCAL MUNICIPALITY**

TENDER FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF SERVICE PROVIDER IN BA-PHALABORWA LOCAL MUNICIPALITY FOR THE:

# APPOINTMENT OF AN INVESTIGATION CONSULTANT FOR BA-PHALABORWA MUNICIPALITY

TENDER NUMBER: 08/23/24

# CLOSING DATE: 15 SEPTEMBER 2023

**CLOSING TIME: 10H00** 

BA-PHALABORWA LOCAL MUNICIPALITY
Private Bag x 01020
Phalaborwa
1390
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NAME OF BIDDER:.....

**Commission fees (Vat Inclusive)** 

% of the amount successfully collected.....

### TENDER NO: 08/23/24

# 1. Tender Notice and Invitation to bid



# BA- PHALABORWA MUNICIPALITY

Ba-Phalaborwa Municipality hereby invites suitable professional services providers to render service), for the below listed project in the Ba-Phalaborwa Municipality of the Mopani District in Limpopo Province.

Tender documents are obtainable from the municipal website and E-tender portal. Below are the significant details per project:-

TENDER NUMBER	CIDB GRAD ING	DESCRIPTION	COMPULSO	RY BRIEFIN	g session	FUNCTIONALITY	EVALU ATIO N CRITER IA	CLOSING DATE AND TIME	Minimu m Score for functio nality	CONTAC T PERSON
			DATE	VENUE	COST					
08/23/24	N/A	Appointment of an investigation consultant for Ba- Phalaborwa Municipality	04/09/2023 @10H00	Municip al Activity Hall	Free at the municipal website and Etender portal	Experience (25) Capacity (30) Methodology (30) Traceable record (appointment letters) (15)	80/20	15/09/2023 @10H00	60%	Mr. TS Mashale (015) 780 6300

A compulsory briefing session will be held on the dates and times specified above at Activity Hall, BaPhalaborwa Municipality

Main Office, CNR Mandela and Sealene Street.

# NB: Covid 19 principles should be adhered to. I.e. Wearing of masks, Social distancing, and Sanitizing (No bidder will be allowed if not wearing a mask)

The bids are to be deposited in the tender box of Ba-Phalaborwa Municipality Offices situated at CNR Mandela Drive & Sealene Street in Phalaborwa, by the closing date and time as above mentioned, where

after they be opened in public. No late, telefaxed or Document found in any other place or proposal from service providers who have not attended the compulsory briefing session will not be considered

Bidders should take note of the following bidding conditions:

- 1. Ba-Phalaborwa Municipality Supply Chain Management Policy shall apply in the evaluation and awarding of the Tender.
- 2. Ba-Phalaborwa Municipality does not bind itself to accept the lowest tender, reserves the right to accept the whole or part of the Tender and reserves the right not to appoint.
- 3. The Bid validity shall be 90 (Ninety) days from the date of closure.
- 4. Bidders must provide proof of the following to avoid disqualification: CSD report not older than 3 months, certified ID Copies of all directors, statement of municipal rates and taxes for both company and director (s) (not older than 3 months)/letter from traditional authority not older than 3 months/ lease agreement, key personnel/service team's experience (attach certified copies of qualifications and CV; CK/Company registration, Valid tax clearance or tax pin, proof of work experience (attach relevant appointment letter). All the relevant returnable documents are attached to the tender document,
- 5. The minimum score for functionality will be as stated above and bidders who score below will not be evaluated further on price and specific goals specified for the tender.

DR. PILUSA KKL MUNICIPAL MANAGER Notice No. 26 /23

### 1. Background

- 1.1 The Ba-Phalaborwa Municipality seeks to appoint a recognized consultant/firm to render an investigation service in respect of appointments and transactions of six service providers.
- 1.2 Firms who are already registered on the Central Supplier Database (CSD) must submit their proposal.

#### 2. Scope of services

- 2.1 The investigation will comprise the following:
  - (a) Analysing all documents that supported the appointment of the service providers alluded to in 1 above.
  - (b) conduct interviews and
  - (c) Make a findings of regularity or otherwise based on the relevant provisions of the Municipal Finance Management Act and Regulations as amended, Tax Law and the Prevention and Combating of Corrupt Activities Act

2.2 The successful service provider must deliver the following within one month from date of appointment:

(a) Completed report sets out procedures followed, findings and

recommendations

#### 3. Company Profile and Proposal

Provide a brief company profile comprising of the following:

(a) History

Provide a brief history of the consultant/law firm and an outline of the consultant/firm's organogram, indicating names and level of experience of individuals to be used on the assignment.

#### 4. Evaluation criteria

Minimum threshold on functionality is 60% to qualify for the next evaluation phase of price and specific goals specified for the tender

Item	Description	Details	Scale
1.	Experience	<ul> <li>Proof that the bidder has been in existence and in practice for a period of not less than five (5) years.</li> <li>Proof to be attached even when sole proprietor</li> <li>5 years- (10 points)</li> <li>6-8 years- (15 points)</li> <li>&gt; 8 years - (25 points)</li> </ul>	25
2	2       Capacity       Knowledge & expertise of the service provider. Demonstrate that the team comprises:         □       Legal team (admitted attorneys/advocates) (15 points)         □       Accountants (15 points)         □       CV's and qualifications of your core service team that will be attending to the Ba-Phalaborwa Municipality work with specific reference to their educational/ professional background and their relevant experience. Proof attached		30
3	Methodology	Demonstration of the process to be followed when conducting an investigation.	30
4	Track record (references)	Provide appointment letters of contactable references where similar services were provided. 1-2 appointment letter = 5 3-4 appointment letters = 10 5+ appointment letters 15	15
Total	functionality poi	nts	100
Price			80
Specific Goals			20
Total Price & Specific points			100

Final proposal will be evaluated on the basis of the PPPFA 80/20 points system, where 80 points will be allocated for price only and 20 points will be allocated based on the specific goals points specified for tender

SPECIFIC GOALS POINTS SYSTEM	NUMBER OF POINTS (80/20 SYSTEM)
1	20
100% Black	
2	18
At least 51% Black Owned	
4	
Less than 51% Black owned	12

# LIST OF PREQUISITES/RETURNABLE DOCUMENTS

- 1. Bidders must attend the compulsory briefing session
- 2. Bidders must attach signed declaration of interest forms attached to the tender document
- 3. Attach company registration certificate
- 4. Attach letter from SARS with a valid Pin code
- 5. Power of attorney if applicable
- 6. CSD Summary report
- 7. Each page must be initialized
- 8. All copies must be certified by SAPS
- 9. Proof of municipal account not in arrears for more than 3 months/ letter from the tribal office/ lease agreement for all the directors and the business
- 10. Proof of medical certificate for directors with disability
- 11. Attach certified ID copies not older than 6 months

# COMPULSORY MUNICIPAL BID DOCUMENTS

# (a) YOU ARE HEREBY INVITED TO BID FOR REQUIREMENTS OF THE BA-PHALABORWA LOCAL MUNICIPALITY

BID NUMBER:	CLOSING DATE:	CLOSING TIME:
DESCRIPTION		

The successful bidder will be required to fill in and sign a written Contract Form (MBD 7).

BID DOCUMENTS MAY BE DEPOSITED IN THE BID BOX SITUATED AT:

Cnr Nelson Mandela & Sealane Street Phalaborwa 1390

Bidders should ensure that bids are delivered timeously to the correct address inside the relevant bid box. If the bid is late or not inside the correct bid box, it will not be accepted for consideration.

- (b) The bid box is generally open 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.
- (c) ALL BIDS MUST BE SUBMITTED ON THE OFFICIAL FORMS (NOT TO BE RE-TYPED)

THIS BID IS SUBJECT TO THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT POLICY FRAMEWORK ACT AND THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS, 2011, THE GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT (GCC) AND, IF APPLICABLE, ANY OTHER SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT

(d) NB: NO BIDS WILL BE CONSIDERED FROM PERSONS IN THE SERVICE OF THE STATE (as defined in Regulation 1 of the Local Government: Municipal Supply Chain Management Regulations)

# THE FOLLOWING PARTICULARS MUST BE FURNISHED (FAILURE TO DO SO MAY RESULT IN YOUR BID BEING DISQUALIFIED)

NAME OF BIDDER	
POSTAL ADDRESS	
STREET ADDRESS	
TELEPHONE.NUMBER CODENUMBER	
CELLPHONE.NUMBER	
FACSIMILE NUMBER CODE	
E-MAIL ADDRESS	
VAT REGISTRATION NUMBER	
HAS AN ORIGINAL AND VALID TAX CLEARANCE CERTIFICATE BEEN ATTACHED? (MBD 2)	YES/NO
HAS A B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL VERIFICATION CERTIFICATE BEEN SUBMITTED? (MBD 6.1)	YES/NO
IF YES, WHO WAS THE CERTIFICATE ISSUED BY?	
AN ACCOUNTING OFFICER AS CONTEMPLATED IN THE CLOSE CORPORATION ACT (CCA)	
□ A VERIFICATION AGENCY ACCREDITED BY THE SOUITH AFRICAN NATIONAL ACCREDITA SYSTEM (SANAS) □ A REGISTERED AUDITOR □	TION
(Tick applicable box)	

# (A B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL VERIFICATION CERTIFICATE 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?

YES/NO (IF YES ENCLOSE PROOF)

SIGNATURE OF BIDDER				
DATE				
CAPACITY UNDER WHICH THIS BID IS SIGNED				
TOTAL BID PRICE OFFERED	TOTAL	NUMBER	OF	ITEMS

MBD 2

### TAX CLEARANCE CERTIFICATE

It is a condition of bid that the taxes of the successful bidder must be in order, or that satisfactory arrangements have been made with South African Revenue Service (SARS) to meet the bidder's tax obligations.

- In order to meet this requirement bidders are required to complete in full form TCC001 "Application for a Tax Clearance Certificate" and submit it to any SARS branch office nationally. The Tax Clearance Certificate Requirements are also applicable to foreign bidders / individuals who wish to submit bids. Copies of form TCC 001 are available from any SARS branch office nationally or on the website www.sars.gov.za.
- 2. SARS will then furnish the bidder with a Tax Clearance Certificate that will be valid for a period of 1 (one) year from the date of approval.
- 3. The original Tax Clearance Certificate must be submitted together with the bid. Failure to submit the original and valid Tax Clearance Certificate will result in the invalidation of the bid. Certified copies of the Tax Clearance Certificate will not be acceptable.
- 4. In bids where Consortia / Joint Ventures / Sub-contractors are involved, each party must submit a separate Tax Clearance Certificate.
- 5. Applications for the Tax Clearance Certificates may also be made via eFiling. In order to use this provision, taxpayers will need to register with SARS as eFilers through the website <u>www.sars.gov.za</u>.
- 6. Exemption to the provision of a Tax Clearance Certificate will be granted provided that:
  - a) The bidder is registered on the vendor database of the municipality and a valid tax clearance certificate was submitted together with the application for registration
  - b) If the closing date of the price quotation or bid falls within the expiry date of the tax clearance certificate that is in the municipality's possession.

#### **DECLARATION OF INTEREST**

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

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

3.1	Full Name of bidder or his or her representative:
3.2	Identity Number:
3.3	Position occupied in the Company (director, trustee, hareholder <sup>2</sup> ):
3.4	Company Registration Number:
3.5	Tax Reference Number:
3.6	VAT Registration Number:
3.7	The names of all directors / trustees / shareholders members, their individual identity numbers and state employee numbers must be indicated in paragraph 4 below.
3.8	Are you presently in the service of the state? YES / NO
	3.8.1 If yes, furnish particulars
a me (i)	I Regulations: "in the service of the state" means to be – ember of – any municipal council; any provincial legislature; or
(ii) (iii)	the national Assembly or the national Council of provinces;

- (b) a member of the board of directors of any municipal entity;
- (c) an official of any municipality or municipal entity;
- (d) an employee of 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); (e) a member of the accounting authority of any national or provincial public entity; or (f) an employee of Parliament or a provincial legislature.

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

3.9	Have you been in the service of the state for the past twelve months?	YES / NO
3.9.1 lf	yes, furnish particulars	
3.10	In the service of the state and who may be involved with The evaluation and or adjudication of this bid?	
	3.10.1 If yes, furnish particulars.	
3.11	Are you, aware of any relationship (family, friend, other) between Any other bidder and any persons in the service of the state who May be involved with the evaluation and or adjudication of this bid? 3.11.1 If yes, furnish particulars	
3.12	Are any of the company's directors, trustees, managers, Principle shareholders or stakeholders in service of the state? 3.12.1 If yes, furnish particulars.	YES / NO
3.13	<ul> <li>Are any spouse, child or parent of the company's directors?</li> <li>Trustees, managers, principle shareholders or stakeholders In service of the state?</li> <li>3.13.1 If yes, furnish particulars.</li> </ul>	 YES / NO 

3.14	Do you or any of the directors, trustees, managers, Principle shareholders, or stakeholders of this company Have any interest in any other related companies or Business whether or not they are bidding for this contract. YES / NC	,
	3.14.1 If yes, furnish particulars:	

# (a) 4. Full details of directors / trustees / members / shareholders.

Full Name	Identity Number	State Employee Number

Signature	Date
Capacity	Name of Bidder

# PREFERENCE POINTS CLAIM FORM IN TERMS OF THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS 2022

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

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

# 1. GENERAL CONDITIONS

- 1.1 The following preference point systems are applicable to invitations to tender:
  - the 80/20 system for requirements with a Rand value of up to R50 000 000 (all applicable taxes included); and
  - the 90/10 system for requirements with a Rand value above R50 000 000 (all applicable taxes included).

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

(delete whichever is not applicable for this tender).

- a) The applicable preference point system for this tender is the 90/10 preference point system.
- b) The applicable preference point system for this tender is the 80/20 preference point system.
- c) Either the 90/10 or 80/20 preference point system will be applicable in this tender. The lowest/ highest acceptable tender will be used to determine the accurate system once tenders are received.
- 1.3 Points for this tender (even in the case of a tender for income-generating contracts) shall be awarded for:
  - (a) Price; and
  - (b) Specific Goals.

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

The maximum points for this tender are allocated as follows:

	POINTS
PRICE	
SPECIFIC GOALS	
Total points for Price and SPECIFIC GOALS	100

1.5 Failure on the part of a tenderer to submit proof or documentation required in terms of this tender to claim

points for specific goals with the tender, will be interpreted to mean that preference points for specific goals are not claimed.

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

# 2. DEFINITIONS

- (a) "tender" means a written offer in the form determined by an organ of state in response to an invitation to provide goods or services through price quotations, competitive tendering process or any other method envisaged in legislation;
- (b) "**price**" means an amount of money tendered for goods or services, and includes all applicable taxes less all unconditional discounts;
- (c) "rand value" means the total estimated value of a contract in Rand, calculated at the time of bid invitation, and includes all applicable taxes;
- (d) "tender for income-generating contracts" means a written offer in the form determined by an organ of state in response to an invitation for the origination of income-generating contracts through any method envisaged in legislation that will result in a legal agreement between the organ of state and a third party that produces revenue for the organ of state, and includes, but is not limited to, leasing and disposal of assets and concession contracts, excluding direct sales and disposal of assets through public auctions; and
- (e) "the Act" means the Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act, 2000 (Act No. 5 of 2000).

# 3. FORMULAE FOR PROCUREMENT OF GOODS AND SERVICES

# 3.1. POINTS AWARDED FOR PRICE

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

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

90/10

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

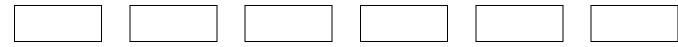
Where

Ps = Points scored for price of tender under consideration

Pt = Price of tender under consideration

Pmin = Price of lowest acceptable tender

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



### PROCUREMENT

#### 3.2.1. POINTS AWARDED FOR PRICE

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

80/20 or 90/10  $Ps = 80\left(1 + \frac{Pt - P \max}{P \max}\right)$  or  $Ps = 90\left(1 + \frac{Pt - P \max}{P \max}\right)$ 

Where

Ps = Points scored for price of tender under consideration

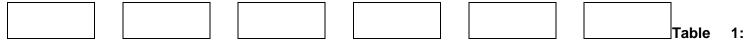
Pt = Price of tender under consideration

Pmax = Price of highest acceptable tender

### 4. POINTS AWARDED FOR SPECIFIC GOALS

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

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



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

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

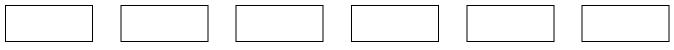
The specific goals allocated points in terms of this tender	Number of points allocated (90/10 system) (To be completed by the organ of state)	Number of points allocated (80/20 system) (To be completed by the organ of state)	Number of points claimed (90/10 system) (To be completed by the tenderer)	Number of points claimed (80/20 system) (To be completed by the tenderer)

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

# DECLARATION WITH REGARD TO COMPANY/FIRM

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

[TICK APPLICABLE BOX]



- 4.6. I, the undersigned, who is duly authorised to do so on behalf of the company/firm, certify that the points claimed, based on the specific goals as advised in the tender, qualifies the company/ firm for the preference(s) shown and I acknowledge that:
  - i) The information furnished is true and correct;
  - ii) The preference points claimed are in accordance with the General Conditions as indicated in paragraph 1 of this form;
  - iii) In the event of a contract being awarded as a result of points claimed as shown in paragraphs 1.4 and 4.2, the contractor may be required to furnish documentary proof to the satisfaction of the organ of state that the claims are correct;
  - iv) If the specific goals have been claimed or obtained on a fraudulent basis or any of the conditions of contract have not been fulfilled, the organ of state may, in addition to any other remedy it may have –
    - (a) disqualify the person from the tendering process;
    - (b) recover costs, losses or damages it has incurred or suffered as a result of that person's conduct;
    - (c) cancel the contract and claim any damages which it has suffered as a result of having to make less favourable arrangements due to such cancellation;
    - (d) recommend that the tenderer or contractor, its shareholders and directors, or only the shareholders and directors who acted on a fraudulent basis, be restricted from obtaining business from any organ of state for a period not exceeding 10 years, after the *audi alteram partem* (hear the other side) rule has been applied; and
    - (e) forward the matter for criminal prosecution, if deemed necessary.

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

#### MBD 6.1



# PREFERENCE POINTS CLAIM FORM IN TERMS OF THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS 2017 a)

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); and
  - the 90/10 system for requirements with a Rand value above R50 000 000 (all applicable taxes included).

1.2

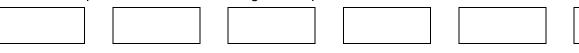
The value of this bid is estimated to exceed/not exceed R50 000 000 (all applicable taxes included) and therefore the ...... preference point system shall be applicable; or

- a) Either the 80/20 or 90/10 preference point system will be applicable to this tender (*delete whichever is not applicable for this tender*).
- 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	
B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL OF CONTRIBUTOR	
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 OR 90/10 PREFERENCE POINT SYSTEMS

A maximum of 80 or 90 points is allocated for price on the following basis: **80/20** or **90/10** 

	Where								
	or <i>Ps</i> □ 90□□1□	$\underline{\qquad} Pt \square Pmin \square \square$							
$Ps \square 80 \square \square \square \_Pt \square Pmin \square$	D D	$P$ min $\Box$							
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- Ps = Points scored for price of bid under consideration
- Pt = Price of bid under consideration
- Pmin = Price of lowest acceptable bid

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

4.1 In terms of Regulation 6 (2) and 7 (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 Contribu		Number of points (80/20 system)	
1	10		2
2	9		18
3	6		14
4	5		12
5	4		8
6	3		6
7	2		4
8	1		2
Non-compliant contributor	0		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

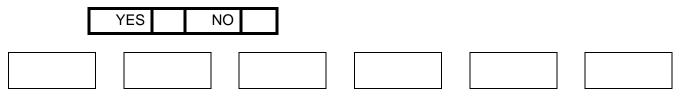
6.1 B-BBEE Status Level of Contributor: . = ......(maximum of 10 or 20 points)

(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)



# 7.1.1 If yes, indicate:

i) What percentage of the contract will be subcontracted	.%
ii) The name of the sub-contractor	
The B-BBEE status level of the sub-contractor	,

iv) Whether the sub-contractor is an EME or QSE *(Tick applicable box)* 

YES		NO	
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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	EME	QSE
by:	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
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

- D Partnership/Joint Venture / Consortium
- One person business/sole propriety
- □ Close corporation
- □ Company
- (Pty) Limited



[TICK APPLICABLE BOX]

8.5	DESCRIBE	PRINCIPAL	BUSINESS	ACTIVITIES
8.6	COMPANY CLASSIFICAT	ION		
	Manufacturer			
	□ Supplier			
	Professional service	provider		
	Other service provide	ers, e.g. transporter, etc.		
	[TICK APPLICABLE BOX]			
8.7	MUNICIPAL INFORMATION			
	Municipality where busin	ess is situated:		
	Registered Account Num	ıber:		
	Stand Number:			
8.8	Total number of years the	company/firm has been in b	usiness:	

8.9 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.

#### WITNESSES

- 1. .....
- 2. .....

SIGNATURE(S) OF BIDDERS(S)
DATE:
ADDRESS

# CONTRACT FORM - PURCHASE OF GOODS/SERVICES

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

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

- 1. I hereby undertake to supply all or any of the goods and/or services described in the attached bidding documents to (name of institution)..... in accordance with the requirements and specifications stipulated in bid number..... at the price/s quoted. My offer/s remain binding upon me and open for acceptance by the purchaser during the validity period indicated and calculated from the closing time of bid.
- 2. The following documents shall be deemed to form and be read and construed as part of this agreement:
  - (i) Bidding documents, *viz* 
    - Invitation to bid;
    - Proof of Tax Compliance Status;
    - Pricing schedule(s);
    - Technical Specification(s);
    - Preference claim form for Preferential Procurement in terms of the Preferential Procurement Regulations;
    - Declaration of interest;
    - Declaration of bidder's past SCM practices;
    - Certificate of Independent Bid Determination;
    - Special Conditions of Contract;
  - (ii) General Conditions of Contract; and
  - (iii) Other (specify)
- 3. I confirm that I have satisfied myself as to the correctness and validity of my bid; that the price(s) and rate(s) quoted cover all the goods and/or works specified in the bidding documents; that the price(s)

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and rate(s) cover all my obligations and I accept that any mistakes regarding price(s) and rate(s) and calculations will be at my own risk.

- 4. I accept full responsibility for the proper execution and fulfilment of all obligations and conditions devolving on me under this agreement as the principal liable for the due fulfillment of this contract.
- 5. I declare that I have no participation in any collusive practices with any bidder or any other person regarding this or any other bid.
- 6. I confirm that I am duly authorised to sign this contract.

NAME (PRINT)	
(******)	WITNESSES
CAPACITY	 1
SIGNATURE	
NAME OF FIRM	
DATE	

MBD 7.1

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

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

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

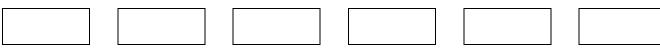
ITEM NO.	PRICE (ALL APPLICABLE TAXES INCLUDED)	BRAND	DELIVERY PERIOD	TOTAL PREFERENCE POINTS CLAIMED	POINTS CLAIMED FOR EACH SPECIFIC GOAL

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

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

NAME (PRINT)	WITNESSES	
SIGNATURE	1	





#### **CONTRACT FORM - RENDERING OF SERVICES**

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

#### PART 1 (TO BE FILLED IN BY THE SERVICE PROVIDER)

- 7. I hereby undertake to render services described in the attached bidding documents to (name of the institution)..... in accordance with the requirements and task directives / proposals specifications stipulated in Bid Number..... at the price/s quoted. My offer/s remain binding upon me and open for acceptance by the Purchaser during the validity period indicated and calculated from the closing date of the bid.
- 8. The following documents shall be deemed to form and be read and construed as part of this agreement:
  - (iv) Bidding documents, viz
    - Invitation to bid;
    - Proof of tax compliance status;
    - Pricing schedule(s);
    - Filled in task directive/proposal;
    - Preference claim form for Preferential Procurement in terms of the Preferential Procurement Regulations;
    - Declaration of interest;
    - Declaration of Bidder's past SCM practices;
    - Certificate of Independent Bid Determination;
    - Special Conditions of Contract;
  - (v) General Conditions of Contract; and
  - (vi) Other (specify)
- 9. I confirm that I have satisfied myself as to the correctness and validity of my bid; that the price(s) and rate(s) quoted cover all the services specified in the bidding documents; that the price(s) and rate(s) cover all my obligations and I accept that any mistakes regarding price(s) and rate(s) and calculations will be at my own risk.

- 10. I accept full responsibility for the proper execution and fulfilment of all obligations and conditions devolving on me under this agreement as the principal liable for the due fulfillment of this contract.
- 11. I declare that I have no participation in any collusive practices with any bidder or any other person regarding this or any other bid.
- 12. I confirm that I am duly authorised to sign this contract.

NAME (PRINT)	
	 WITNESSES
CAPACITY	 1
SIGNATURE	
NAME OF FIRM	
DATE	

MBD 7.2

# **CONTRACT FORM - RENDERING OF SERVICES**

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

4. I..... in my capacity as.....

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Contractor Witness 1 Witness 2 Employer Witness 1 Witness 2

accept your bid under reference number ......dated......doted.....for the rendering of services indicated hereunder and/or further specified in the annexure(s).

- 5. An official order indicating service delivery instructions is forthcoming.
- 6. I undertake to make payment for the services rendered in accordance with the terms and conditions of the contract, within 30 (thirty) days after receipt of an invoice.

DESCRIPTION OF SERVICE	PRICE (ALL APPLICABLE TAXES INCLUDED)	COMPLETION DATE	TOTAL PREFERENCE POINTS CLAIMED	POINTS CLAIMED FOR EACH SPECIFIC GOAL

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

SIGNED AT	ON			
NAME (PRINT)				
SIGNATURE				
OFFICIAL STAMP		][	WITNESSES	-
Contractor Witness 1 Witness			1	
			2	

# CONTRACT FORM - TENDER FOR INCOME-GENERATING CONTRACTS<sup>1</sup>

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

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

- 14. The following documents shall be deemed to form and be read and construed as part of this agreement:
  - (vii) Bidding documents, viz
    - Invitation to bid;
    - Proof of tax compliance status;
    - Pricing schedule(s);
    - Preference claim form for Preferential Procurement in terms of the Preferential Procurement Regulations;
    - Declaration of interest;
    - Declaration of Bidder's past SCM practices;
    - Special Conditions of Contract;
  - (viii) General Conditions of Contract; and
  - (ix) Other (specify)
- 15. I confirm that I have satisfied myself as to the correctness and validity of my bid; that the price(s) quoted covers the leased property/ all the goods and/or services specified in the bidding documents; that the price(s) cover all my obligations and I accept that any mistakes regarding price(s) and calculations will be at my own risk.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> "Tender for income-generating contracts" has the same meaning as defined in the Preferential Procurement Regulations, 2022.

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- 16. I accept full responsibility for the proper execution and fulfilment of all obligations and conditions devolving on me under this agreement as the principal liable for the due fulfillment of this contract.
- 17. I undertake to make payment for the leased property/ goods/services as specified in the bidding documents.
- 18. I declare that I have no participation in any collusive practices with any bidder or any other person regarding this or any other bid.
- 19. I confirm that I am duly authorised to sign this contract.

NAME (PRINT)	 
	WITNESSES
CAPACITY	 1
SIGNATURE	 
NAME OF FIRM	
DATE	

**MBD 7.3** 

# CONTRACT FORM - TENDER FOR INCOME-GENERATING CONTRACTS

# PART 2 (TO BE FILLED IN BY THE LESSOR/ SELLER)

 I.....in my capacity as.....dated......dated.....for the leasing of property/ purchase of goods/services indicated hereunder and/or further specified in the annexure(s).

8. I undertake to make the leased property/ goods/services available in accordance with the terms and conditions of the contract.

ITEM NO.	DESCRIPTIO N	PRICE (ALL APPLICABLE TAXES INCLUDED)	TOTAL PREFERENCE POINTS CLAIMED	POINTS CLAIMED FOR EACH SPECIFIC GOAL

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

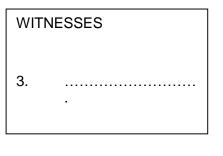
SIGNED AT .....ON.....

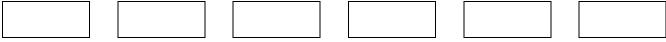
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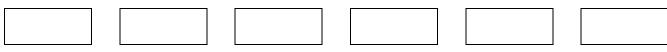
SIGNATURE .....

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# DECLARATION OF BIDDER'S PAST SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT PRACTICES

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

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

Item	Question	Yes	No
4.1	Is the bidder or any of its directors listed on the National Treasury's Database of Restricted	Yes	No
	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 audi alteram partem rule was applied).		
	The Database of Restricted Suppliers now resides on the National		
	Treasury's website( <u>www.treasury.gov.za</u> ) and can be accessed by		
	clicking on its link at the bottom of the home page.		
4.1.1	If so, furnish particulars:		

Contractor Witness 1 Witness 2 Employer Witness 1 Witness 2

4.2	Is the bidder or any of its directors listed on the Register for Tender	Yes	No
	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 ( <u>www.treasury.gov.za</u> ) by clicking on its link at the		
	bottom of the home page.		
4.2.1	If so, furnish particulars:		
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4.3	Was the bidder or any of its directors convicted by a court of law (including	Yes	No
	a court of law outside the Republic of South Africa) for fraud or corruption		
	during the past five years?		
4.3.1	If so, furnish particulars:		
Item	Question	Ves	No
Item	Question	Yes	No
ltem 4.4	Does the bidder or any of its directors owe any municipal rates and taxes or	Yes	No
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4.4	Does the bidder or any of its directors owe any municipal rates and taxes or municipal charges to the municipality / municipal entity, or to any other municipality / municipal entity, that is in arrears for more than three months? If so, furnish particulars: Was any contract between the bidder and the municipality / municipal entity	Yes	No
4.4	Does the bidder or any of its directors owe any municipal rates and taxes or municipal charges to the municipality / municipal entity, or to any other municipality / municipal entity, that is in arrears for more than three months? If so, furnish particulars: Was any contract between the bidder and the municipality / municipal entity or any other organ of state terminated during the past five years on account of failure to perform on or comply with the contract?	Yes	No
4.4	Does the bidder or any of its directors owe any municipal rates and taxes or municipal charges to the municipality / municipal entity, or to any other municipality / municipal entity, that is in arrears for more than three months? If so, furnish particulars: Was any contract between the bidder and the municipality / municipal entity or any other organ of state terminated during the past five years on account	Yes	No
4.4	Does the bidder or any of its directors owe any municipal rates and taxes or municipal charges to the municipality / municipal entity, or to any other municipality / municipal entity, that is in arrears for more than three months? If so, furnish particulars: Was any contract between the bidder and the municipality / municipal entity or any other organ of state terminated during the past five years on account of failure to perform on or comply with the contract?	Yes	No

# CERTIFICATION

#### I, THE UNDERSIGNED (FULL NAME)

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**CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION** 

### FURNISHED ON THIS DECLARATION FORM TRUE AND CORRECT.

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

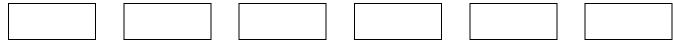
Signature	Date

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Position

Name of Bidder

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

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

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

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

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

MBD 9

I, the undersigned, in submitting the accompanying bid:

(Bid Number	and Description)	

in response to the invitation for the bid made by:

#### (Name of Municipality / Municipal Entity)

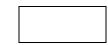
do hereby make the following statements that I certify to be true and complete in every respect:

T	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 consortium<sup>3</sup> will not be construed as collusive bidding.
- 7. In particular, without limiting the generality of paragraphs 6 above, there has been no consultation, communication, agreement or arrangement with any competitor regarding:
  - (a) prices;
  - (b) geographical area where product or service will be rendered (market allocation);
  - (c) methods, factors or formulas used to calculate prices;
  - (d) the intention or decision to submit or not to submit a bid;
  - (e) the submission of a bid which does not meet the specifications and conditions of the bid; or (f) bidding with the intention not to win the bid.





- 8. In addition, there have been no consultations, communications, agreements or arrangements with any competitor regarding the quality, quantity, specifications and conditions or delivery particulars of the products or services to which this bid invitation relates.
- 9. The terms of the accompanying bid have not been, and will not be, disclosed by the bidder, directly or indirectly, to any competitor, prior to the date and time of the official bid opening or of the awarding of the contract.

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

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

Signature	Date
Position	Name of Bidder

