



BA-PHALABORWA LOCAL MUNICIPALITY

CONTRACT No: 05/22/23

BA-PHALABORWA LOCAL MUNICIPALITY REQUESTS FOR APPOINTMENT OF ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING CONTRACTOR FOR THE UPGRADING OF SUBSTATION 8B PROTECTION

CIDB class grading 3EP or Higher

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NAME OF BIDDER	
BID AMOUNT	
TEL NUMBER	
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TENDER DOCUMENT**VERY IMPORTANT NOTICE ON DISQUALIFICATIONS:**

BY SUBMITTING THE BID, THE BIDDER UNDERTAKES TO ABIDE BY THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THIS TENDER INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO THE RULES OUTLINED BELOW

A bid not complying with the requirements stated hereunder will be regarded as not being an "Acceptable bid", and as such will be rejected.

"Acceptable bid" means any bid which, in all respects, complies with the conditions of bid and specifications as set out in the bid documents, including conditions as specified in the Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act (Act 5 of 2000) and related legislation and regulations, in terms of which provision is made for this policy.

In this document and other documents referred to but not attached, the following words are synonymous with each other.

- a. CLIENT, EMPLOYER, BA-PHALABORWA LOCAL MUNICIPALITY, MUNICIPALITY
- b. BID, TENDER AND VARIATIONS THEREOF
- c. JOINT VENTURE / CONSORTIUM
- d. TENDERER, BIDDER, CONTRACTOR

FULL DESCRIPTION OF THE TENDER

BA-PHALABORWA LOCAL MUNICIPALITY would like to appoint a competent service provider registered on the national Central Supplier Database, for the **UPGRADING OF SUBSTATION 8B PROTECTION**

1. RULES FOR BIDDING

BY SUBMITTING THE BID, THE BIDDER UNDERTAKES TO ABIDE BY THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THIS TENDER INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO THE FOLLOWING RULES:

2.1 The bidding entity shall be the same entity that will execute the bid. Any bid found to be fronting for another entity or entities shall be disqualified immediately.

2.2 All Bidders submitting bids as part of a consortium or joint venture must submit separate central supplier database reports per each company.

2.3 The municipality reserves the right to return late bid submission unopened.

2.4 Bidders may not contact the municipality on any matter pertaining to their bid from the time when the bids are submitted to the time the contract is awarded. Any effort by a bidder to influence bid evaluation, bid comparisons or bid award decisions in any manner, may result in rejection of the bid concerned.

2.5 The Bid document must be properly signed by a party having the authority to do so, according to the example of “Authority or Signatory”

2.6 Bidders will be disqualified if Municipal rates and taxes or municipal service charges owed by the bidder or any of its directors to the municipality or municipal entity, are in arrears for more than three (03) months.

2.7 All pages of the Bid document must be fully initialized and or signed by Company Director or any authorised personnel.

2.8 If at any time during the project implementation phase the contractor's rates or prices are found to be abnormal, irregular and or not market related among other things, the Engineer may after written approval from the Municipality revise them to a practical or market related rate. The amount on the form of offer will be considered as the final cost of works.

2.10 Bidders will be disqualified if:

2.10.1 Any bidders who during the last five years has failed to perform satisfactorily on a previous contract with the municipality, municipal entity or any other organ of state after a reasonable written notice was given to that bidder that performance was unsatisfactory or appears on the register / database of defaulters.

2.10.2 They are bankrupt or being wound up, are having their affairs administered by the courts,

2.10.3 Have entered into an arrangement with creditors, have suspended business activities, are the subject of proceedings concerning those matters, or are in any analogous situation arising from a similar procedure provided for in national legislation or regulations;

2.10.4 Are guilty of misrepresentation in supplying the information required in the document as a condition of participation in the procurement procedure or fail to supply this information;

2.11 The accounting officer must ensure that irrespective of the procurement process followed, no award may be given to a person –

2.11.1 Who is in the service of the state, or;

2.11.2 If that person is not a natural person, of which any director, manager, principal shareholder or stakeholder, is a person in the service of the state; or;

2.11.3 Who is an advisor or consultant contracted with the municipality in respect of contract that would cause a conflict of interest?

2.12 Bid offers will be rejected if the bidder or any of his/ her directors is listed on the Register of Bid Defaulters in terms of the Prevention and Combating of Corrupt Activities Act of 2004 as a person prohibited from doing business with the public sector and all bids would be subjected to vetting.

2.13 Failure by the bidder to disclose with the bid submission any form of conflict of interest including disclosure on a person(s) who is in the service of the state or any immediate blood relative in the service of the state will lead to disqualification.

2.14 Bids received by courier services will be considered provided they arrive on time before the due date. Late bids shall neither be accepted nor considered.

2.15 Bidders are advised to fully index and attach a table of contents for their attachments.

2.16 The municipality will accept bid documents delivered via courier companies and by post.

2.17 Tender documents must be submitted in a sealed envelope clearly marked with the project name and number.

2.18 Fully completed and signed tender documents must be deposited into the tender box located at BA-PHALABORWA Local municipality at the entrance of the main building.

2.19 The Municipality is strictly not obliged to appoint the lowest or cheapest bidder.

2.20 All rates or prices must be inclusive of Covid19 Legislative Protocols, Prospective Bidders must strictly adhere to all Covid19 Legislative Regulations when appointed to implement the project.

2.21 For all Technical Inquiries Bidders must in writing contact Mr. K.R Sekgobela email: sekgobelakr@ba-phalaborwa.gov.za **seven (7) calendar days** before the due date. Written responses will be posted **five (5) calendar days** before the due date on the Municipal Website.



UPGRADING OF SUBSTATION 8B PROTECTION

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BA-PHALABORWA LOCAL MUNICIPALITY

T1.1 Bid Notice and Invitation to Bid

Bidders are hereby invited to bid for the following projects:

No.	Project Number	Project Description.	Compulsory Briefing Date & Venue	Closing Date.	CIDB Grade
1	05/22/23	UPGRADING OF SUBSTATION 8B PROTECTION	08/09/2022	15/09/2022	3EP or Higher

The employer is BA-PHALABORWA Local Municipality represented by the Municipal Manager.

Bid documents will be obtainable from BA-PHALABORWA Local Municipal website from **01 September 2022 (Mon-Fri)**. Bid documents can also be downloaded from municipal website or online service (www.etenders.gov.za) at **no cost**.

Completed and signed tender documents must be sealed in an envelope and marked with the relevant project number and project description and be deposited in the tender box at **BA-PHALABORWA Local Municipality** Offices in Phalaborwa before the closing date and time.

The municipality shall adjudicate and award tenders in accordance with the Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act, 5/2000 and revised procurement regulation April 2017 on points for functionality and 80/20 points system where 80 points are for the price and 20 points are for B-BBEE (according to the said legislation). Details of Functionality are in the bid document. Bids will remain valid for 90(ninety) days.

The lowest and any tender will not necessarily be accepted and the Municipality reserves the right not to consider any tender not fully completed. Bidders are required to initial each page of the tender document and sign where necessary.

For enquiries contact:

Supply Chain Management : **Mr W Selepe – 015 780 6362**
Technical Services : **Mr KR Sekgobela- 015 780 6308**

Dr KKL Pilusa
ACTING MUNICIPAL MANAGER,
PRIVATE BAG X 01020
Phalaborwa 1390

1.2 BID DATA

The **Standard Conditions of Bid** makes several references to the bid data for details that apply specifically to this bid. The bid data shall have precedence in the interpretation of any ambiguity or inconsistency between it and the standard conditions of bid.

Clause number	Data
F.1.1 ACTIONS	The Employer is: The Municipal Manager BA-PHALABORWA LOCAL MUNICIPALITY Cnr Nelson Mandela Drive and Selati Street Phalaborwa 1390
F.1.4 COMMUNICATION AND EMPLOYER'S AGENT	The Employer's Agent is: Name: KR Sekgobela Tel: 015 780 6308
F.2.1 ELIGIBILITY	Companies that fit all the requirements of this bid as specified.
F.2.12 ALTERNATIVE TENDER OFFERS	<i>No alternative bid is to be accepted!</i>
F.2.13.2 SUBMITTING A TENDER OFFER	The <u>whole original</u> bid document, as issued by the Municipality , shall be Submitted. No copies will be accepted. Bids may only be submitted on the Bid documentation issued by the municipality
F.2.14 CLOSING DATE & TIME	DATE: TIME : It is the responsibility of the tenderer to ensure that their tender is complete and reaches the correct address by the designated deadline. Late, faxed or e-mailed tenders will not be considered.
F.2.15 TENDER OFFER VALIDITY	1. The employer will have up to 90 days (working days) validity period from the closing date within which to consider submitted bids. 2. The successful bidder will have up to 14 days to respond to the service offer.

Data

The bidder is required to attach the following **Valid documents** to the tender

Document:

- a) The recent up-to-date central supplier data (CSD) registration report detailing all compliance requirements; [Last verified between the advert date and the closing date]; b) The Master registration number or Tax compliance status pin (or valid copy of tax clearance certificate).
- c) Copy of the statement of municipal rates and taxes for the company or of its directors (not in arrears for more than three (3) months before the closing date), if renting a lease agreement and owner's proof of municipal rates must be submitted (not in arrears for more than three (3) months before the closing
- d) Letter of Good Standing issued by the Department of Labour in respect to the Compensation for Occupational Injuries and Diseases Act 130 of 1993 (as amended).
- e) CIDB Grading of 3EP or Higher, joint venture must submit consolidated
CIDB
- f) Occupational Health and Safety letter issued by the Department of Labour
Republic of South Africa in respect to the Electrical Installation Regulation
Registration 6(4)
- g) Installation Electrician Certificate/ Three phase Wireman's License or Master
Electrician License
- h) Proof of registration with Engineering Council of South Africa (ECSA) for Responsible
Engineer
- i) Joint venture/consortium agreements (if applicable);
- j) Submit the above documents (A to E) for each company if bidding as a joint venture;

N.B Failure to attach the above mentioned documents will disqualify the bidder from further evaluation

The time and location for opening of the bid offers

Immediately after the closing time **11H00** on the closing date **15//09/2022**

OPENING OF BID SUBMISSIONS	BA-PHALABORWA LOCAL MUNICIPALITY Location: CNR Nelson Mandela and Selati Street Phalaborwa 1390 Any bid received after the deadline for submission of bids prescribed, will be rejected and/or returned unopened to the Bidder.
F.1.12 TWO-ENVELOPE SYSTEM	A two-envelope procedure will not be followed.
F.1.12.1 ARITHMETICAL ERRORS	a) Where there is a discrepancy between the amounts in figures and in words, the amount in figures shall govern. b) If bills of quantities (or schedule of quantities or schedule of rates) apply and there is an error in the line item total resulting from the product of the unit rate and the quantity, <u>the rate shall govern and the line item total shall be corrected.</u> c) Where there is an error in the total of the prices either as a result of corrections required by this checking process or in the tenderer's addition of prices, the total of the prices shall be adjusted to reflect the arithmetically correct summation of corrected line item totals. Consider the rejection of a tender offer if the tenderer does not accept the correction of the arithmetical errors in the manner described above.
F.1.13 EVALUATION OF BID OFFERS	The preference procedure for evaluation of responsive bid offers shall be the 80/20 point preference system. where 80 points will be allocated in respect of price 20 points will be allocated towards targeted goals Note: All bids will be evaluated for compliance and functionality before the evaluation on 80/20 point system
F.1.13.1 PROJECT DURATION	The project duration of this contract is seven (7) months after approval of contractual documents, accepting of contract and signing a Service Level Agreement with the Municipal Manager.
F.1.14 ACCEPTANCE OF BID OFFER	Bids containing any one or more of the errors or omissions, or bids not having complied with any one of the required bid conditions as detailed in this bid document, shall not be considered and shall automatically be rejected.
F.1.15	The number of paper copies of the signed contract to be provided by

PROVIDE COPIES OF THE CONTRACTS	Municipality is one .
ADDITIONAL CONDITIONS APPLICABLE TO THIS BID	The additional conditions of bid are: 1 The Employer may also request that the bidder provide written evidence on the adequacy of financial, labour and other resources for carrying out the contract. 2 The Employer reserves the right to appoint a firm of chartered accountants and auditors and/or execute any other financial investigations on the financial resources of any bidder. The bidder shall provide all reasonable assistance in such investigations.
	3 The bidder shall be required to complete the Form of Offer and Acceptance (C1.1) and Bills of Quantity. 4 The bid document shall be submitted as a whole and shall not be submitted in parts. 5 List of returnable documents (PART T2) must be completed in full. (i.e.: A bidder's company profile will not be used by the BPLM to complete PART T2 on behalf of the bidder) NB: If PART T2 is not completed in full by the bidder, the offer will be rejected.

Bid Data in detail F.1 Standard Conditions of the Bid

F.1.1 Actions

The employer and each tenderer submitting a tender offer shall comply with these conditions of tender. In their dealings with each other, they shall discharge their duties and obligations as set out in F.2 and F.3, timeously and with integrity, and behave equitably, honestly with openness and transparency.

F.1.2 Tender Documents

The documents issued by the employer for the purpose of a tender offer are listed in the tender data.

F.1.3 Interpretation

F.1.3.1. the tender data and additional requirements contained in the tender schedules that are included in the returnable documents are deemed to be part of these conditions of tender.

F.1.3.2. these conditions of tender, the tender data and tender schedules which are only required for tender evaluation purposes, shall not form part of any contract arising from the invitation to tender.

F.1.3.3 For the purposes of these conditions for the calling of expressions of interest, the following definitions apply:

- a) Comparative offer means the tenderer's financial offer after the factors of non-firm prices, all unconditional discounts and any other tendered parameters that will affect the value of the financial offer have been taken into consideration
- b) Corrupt practice means the offering, giving, receiving or soliciting of anything of value to influence the action of the employer or his staff or agents in the tender process; and
- c) Fraudulent practice means the misrepresentation of the facts in order to influence the tender process or the award of a contract arising from a tender offer to the detriment of the employer, including collusive practices intended to establish prices at artificial levels.

F.1.4 Communication and employer's agent

Each communication between the employer and a tenderer shall be to or from the employer's agent only, and in a form that can be read, copied and recorded. Writing shall be in the English language. The employer shall not take any responsibility for non-receipt of communications from or by a tenderer. The name and contact details of the employer's agent are stated in the tender data.

F.1.5 The employer's right to accept or reject any tender offer

F.1.5.1 The employer may accept or reject any variation, deviation, tender offer, or alternative tender offer, and may cancel the tender process and reject all tender offers at any time before the formation of a contract. The employer shall not accept or incur any liability to a tenderer for such cancellation and rejection, but will give written reasons for such action upon written request to do so.

F.1.5.2 The employer may not, subsequent to the cancellation or abandonment of a tender process or the rejection of all responsive tender offers re-issue a tender covering substantially the same scope of work within a period of three months. **F.2 Tenderer's obligations**

F.2.1 Eligibility

Submit a tender offer only if the tenderer satisfies the criteria stated in the tender data and the tenderer, or any of his/ her principals, is not under any restriction to do business with the employer.

F.2.2 Cost of tendering

Accept that the employer will not compensate the tenderer for any costs incurred in the preparation and submission of a tender offer, including the costs of any testing necessary to demonstrate that aspects of the offer to satisfy requirements.

It is a term of this bid that the employer is indemnified from any liability arising or accruing from expenses or damages or losses incurred by the bidder including in the event the employer opts to cancel or discontinue the bidding process of this tender.

F.2.3 Check documents

Check the tender documents on receipt for completeness and notify the employer of any discrepancy or omission.

F.2.4 Confidentiality and copyright of documents

Treat as confidential all matters arising in connection with the tender. Use and copy the documents issued by the employer only for the purpose of preparing and submitting a tender offer in response to the invitation. The distribution of the tender documents is for the sole purpose of obtaining offers. The distribution does not grant permission or licence to use the documents for any other purpose. Tenderers are required to treat the details of all documents supplied in connection with the tender process as private and confidential. All responses to this invitation to tender will be treated in confidence and no information contained therein will be communicated to any third party without the written permission of the tenderer except in so far as is specifically required for the consideration and evaluation of the response or as may be required under law.

F.2.5 Reference documents

Obtain, as necessary for submitting a tender offer, copies of the latest versions of standards, specifications, conditions of contract and other publications, which are not attached but which are incorporated into the tender documents by reference.

F.2.6 Acknowledge addenda

Acknowledge receipt of addenda to the tender documents, which the employer may issue, and if necessary apply for an extension to the closing time stated in the tender data, in order to take the addenda into account.

F.2.7 Clarification meeting

Attend, where required, a clarification meeting at which tenderers may familiarize themselves with aspects of the proposed work, services or supply and raise questions. Details of the meeting are stated in the tender data.

F.2.8 Seek clarification

Request clarification of the tender documents, if necessary, by notifying the employer at least five (5) working days before the closing date stated in the tender data.

F.2.9 Insurance

Be aware that the extent of insurance to be provided by the employer (if any) might not be for the full cover required in terms of the conditions of contract identified in the contract data.

F.2.10 Pricing the tender offer

F.2.10.1 Include in the rates, prices, and the tendered total of the prices (if any) all duties, taxes, Value Added Tax (VAT), and other levies payable to the successful tenderer, such duties, taxes and levies being those applicable fourteen (14) days before the closing time stated in the tender data.

F.2.10.2 Provide rates and prices that are fixed for the duration of the contract, payable after delivery, subject to inspection by the employer or any agent appointed by the employer. .

F.2.10.3 State the rates and prices in South African Rand.

F.2.10.4 The municipality has limited resources and bids must be competitive, with market related pricing, as this will be one of the deciding factors in the final award of the contract.

F.2.11 Alterations to documents

Not make any alterations or additions to the tender documents, except to comply with instructions issued by the employer, or necessary to correct errors made by the tenderer. All signatories to the tender offer shall initial all such alterations. Erasures and the use of masking fluid or TIPPEX are prohibited.

F.2.12 Alternative tender offers

F.2.12.1 Submit alternative tender offers only if a main tender offer, strictly in accordance with all the requirements of the tender documents, is also submitted. The alternative tender offer is to be submitted with the main tender offer together with a schedule that

compares the requirements of the tender documents with the alternative requirements of the tenderer proposes.

F.2.12.2 Accept that an alternative tender offer may be based only on the criteria stated in the tender data or criteria otherwise acceptable to the employer.

F.2.13 submitting a tender offer

F.2.13.1 Submit a tender offer to provide the whole of the works, services or supply identified in the contract data and described in the scope of works, unless stated otherwise in the tender data.

F.2.13.2 Return all returnable documents to the employer after completing them in their entirety.

F.2.13.3 Submit the parts of the tender offer communicated on paper as an original plus the number of copies stated in the tender data, with an English translation of any documentation in a language other than English.

F.2.13.4 Sign the original copies of the tender offer where required in terms of the tender data. The employer will hold all authorized signatories liable on behalf of the tenderer. Signatories for tenderers proposing to contract as joint ventures shall state; which of the signatories is the lead partner whom the employer shall hold liable for the purpose of the tender offer.

F.2.13.5 Seal the original package marking the package as "ORIGINAL"

F.2.13.6 Seal the original tender offer package in an outer package that states on the outside only the employer's address and identification details as stated in the tender data.

F.2.13.7 Accept that the employer will not assume any responsibility for the misplacement or premature opening of the tender offer if the outer package is not sealed and marked as stated.

F.2.14 Information and data to be completed in all respects

Accept that tender offers, which do not provide all the data or information requested completely and in the form required, will be regarded by the employer as non-responsive.

F.2.15 Closing Time

F.2.15.1 Ensure that the employer receives the tender offer at the address specified in the tender data not later than the closing time stated in the tender data. Proof of posting shall not be accepted as proof of delivery. The employer shall not accept tender offers submitted by telegraph, facsimile or e-mail.

F.2.15.2 Accept that, if the employer extends the closing time stated in the tender data for any reason, the requirements of these conditions of tender apply equally to the extended deadline.

F.2.16 Tender Offer Validity

F.2.16.1 Hold the tender offer(s) valid for acceptance by the employer at any time during the validity period stated in the tender data after the closing time stated in the tender data.

F.2.16.2 If requested by the employer, consider extending the validity period stated in the tender data for an agreed additional period.

F.2.17 Clarification of tender offer after submission

Provide clarification of a tender offer in response to a request to do so from the employer during the evaluation of tender offers. This may include providing a breakdown of rates or prices and correction of arithmetical errors by the adjustment of certain rates or item prices (Or both).

No change in the competitive position of tenderers or substance of the tender offer is sought, offered, or permitted.

Note: Sub-clause F.2.17 does not preclude the negotiation of the final terms of the contract with a preferred tenderer following a competitive selection process, should the Employer elect to do so.

F.2.18 Provide other material

F.2.18.1 Provide, on request by the employer, any other material that has a bearing on the tender offer, the tenderer's commercial position (including notarized joint venture agreements), referencing arrangements, or samples of materials, considered necessary by the employer for the purpose of a full and fair risk assessment. Should the tenderer not provide the material, or a satisfactory reason as to why it cannot be provided, by the time for submission stated in the employer's request, the employer may regard the tender offer as nonresponsive.

F.2.19 Inspections, tests and analysis

Provide access during working hours to premises for inspections, tests and analysis as provided for in the tender data.

F.2.20 Submit securities, bonds, policies, etc.

If requested, submit for the employer's acceptance before formation of the contract, all securities, bonds, guarantees, policies and certificates of insurance required in terms of the conditions of contract identified in the contract data.

F.2.21 Check final draft

Check the final draft of the contract provided by the employer within the time available for the employer to issue the contract.

F.2.22 Return of other tender documents

If so instructed by the employer, return all retained tender documents within twenty-eight (28) days after the expiry of the validity period stated in the tender data.

F.2.23 Certificates

Include in the tender submission or provide the employer with any certificates as stated in the tender data. **F.3 The employer's undertakings**

F.3.1 Respond to clarification

Respond to a request for clarification received up to five (5) working days before the tender closing time stated in the Tender Data and notify all tenderers who drew procurement documents.

F.3.2 Issue Addenda

If necessary, issue addenda that may amend or amplify the tender documents to each tenderer during the period from the date that tender documents are available until seven

(7) days before the tender closing time stated in the Tender Data. If, as a result a tenderer applies for an extension to the closing time stated in the Tender Data, the Employer may grant such extension and, shall then notify all tenderers who drew documents.

F.3.3 Return late tender offers

Return tender offers received after the closing time stated in the Tender Data, unopened, (unless it is necessary to open a tender submission to obtain a forwarding address), to the tenderer concerned.

F.3.4 Opening of tender submissions

F.3.4.1 Unless the two-envelope system is to be followed, open valid tender submissions in the presence of tenderers' agents who choose to attend at the time and place stated in the tender data. Tender submissions for which acceptable reasons for withdrawal have been submitted will not be opened.

F.3.4.2 Announce at the meeting held immediately after the opening of tender submissions, at a venue indicated in the tender data, the name of each tenderer whose tender offer is opened, the total of his prices, preferences claimed and time for completion, if any, for the main tender offer only.

F.3.4.3 Make available the record outlined in F.3.4.2 to all interested persons upon a formal request.

F.3.5 Two-envelope system

F.3.5.1 Where stated in the tender data that a two-envelope system is to be followed, open only the technical proposal of valid tenders in the presence of tenderers' agents who choose to attend at the time and place stated in the tender data and announce the name of each tenderer whose technical proposal is opened.

F.3.5.2 Evaluate the quality of the technical proposals offered by tenderers, then advice tenderers who remain in contention for the award of the contract of the time and place when the financial proposals will be opened. Open only the financial proposals of tenderers, who score in the quality evaluation more than the minimum number of points for quality stated in the tender data, and announce the score obtained for the technical proposals and the total price and any preferences claimed. Return unopened financial proposals to tenderers whose technical proposals failed to achieve the minimum number of points for quality.

F.3.6 Non-disclosure

Not disclose to tenderers, or to any other person not officially concerned with such processes, information relating to the evaluation and comparison of tender offers, the final evaluation price and recommendations for the award of a contract, until after the award of the contract to the successful tenderer.

F.3.7 Grounds for rejection and disqualification

Determine whether there has been any effort by a tenderer to influence the processing of tender offers and instantly disqualify a tenderer (and his tender offer) if it is established that he engaged in corrupt or fraudulent practices.

F.3.8 Test for responsiveness

F.3.8.1 Determine, after opening and before detailed evaluation, whether each tender offer properly received:

- a. Complies with the requirements of these Conditions of Tender,
- b. Has been properly and fully completed and signed, and
- c. Is responsive to the other requirements of the tender documents.

F.3.8.2 A responsive tender is one that conforms to all the terms, conditions, and specifications of the tender documents without material deviation or qualification. A material deviation or qualification is one which, in the Employer's opinion, would:

- a. Detrimentially affect the scope, quality, or performance of the works, services or supply identified in the Scope of Work,
- b. Change the Employer's or the tenderer's risks and responsibilities under the contract,
- c. Affect the competitive position of other tenderers presenting responsive tenders, if it were to be rectified.

F.3.9 Arithmetical errors

F.3.9.1 Check responsive tender offers for arithmetical errors, correcting them in the following manner:

- a. Where there is a discrepancy between the amounts in figures and in words, the amount in figures shall govern.
- b. If bills of quantities (or schedule of quantities or schedule of rates) apply and there is an error in the line item total resulting from the product of the unit rate and the quantity, the rate shall govern and the total shall be corrected.
- c. Where there is an error in the total of the prices either as a result of other corrections required by this checking process or in the tenderer's addition of prices, the rate shall govern and the tenderer will be asked to revise selected item prices to achieve the tendered total of the prices.

F.3.9.2 Consider the rejection of a tender offer if the tenderer does not correct or accept the correction of his/her arithmetical errors in the manner described in F.3.9.1.

F.3.10 Clarification of a tender offer

Obtain clarification from a tenderer on any matter that could give rise to ambiguity in a contract arising from the tender offer.

F.3.11 EVALUATION METHODOLOGY

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In addition to all items highlighted under Page 2 titled **“Very Important Notice on Disqualifications”**, the tenders will be evaluated in terms of the Municipality

Supply Chain Management policy, Preferential Procurement Framework Act (Act 5 of 2000) and its regulations as enacted in 2001.

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Tenders will be evaluated using the 80/20 points allocation system. The total points out of a possible maximum of will be calculated using various formulae to calculate price as well as for preferential procurement.

F.3.13 Acceptance of tender offer

F.3.13.1 Accept tender offer only if the tenderer complies with the legal requirements stated in the Tender Data.

F.3.13.2 Notify the successful tenderer of the employer's acceptance of his/her tender offer by completing and returning one copy of the form of offer and acceptance before the expiry of the validity period stated in the tender data, or agreed additional period. Providing the form of offer and acceptance does not contain any qualifying statements, it will constitute the formation of a contract between the employer and the successful tenderer as described in the form of offer and acceptance.

F.3.14 Notice to unsuccessful tenderers

After the successful tenderer has acknowledged the employer's notice of acceptance, the employer will publicise a list of successful bidders on the municipal website

F.3.14 Municipality's right to accept or reject any or all Bids

The municipality reserves the right to:

- Accept or reject any bid;
- Annul the tender process and reject all bids at any time prior to contract award;
- Award the contract to one or more bidders; without thereby incurring any liability to the affected Bidder or bidders.
- Accept one or more bids submit.
- Reject all bids submitted.
- Request further information from any bidder after the closing date.
- Cancel this bid or any part thereof any time, or
- Award this bid or any part thereof to any one or more bidders.

- Vary the site or number of sites and/or guards due to operational or budgetary requirements.

F.3.15. Prepare contract documents

Revise documents that shall form part of the contract and that were issued by the employer as part of the tender documents to take account of:

addenda issued during the tender period, inclusion of the returnable documents, other revisions agreed between the employer and the successful tenderer, and the schedule of deviations attached to the form of offer and acceptance, if any.

F.3.16 Issue final contract

Prepare and issue the final draft of contract documents to the successful tenderer for acceptance within fourteen (14) days after the date of the employer's signing of the form of offer and acceptance (including the schedule of deviations, if any). Only those documents that the conditions of tender require the tenderer to submit, after acceptance by the employer, shall be included.

F.3.17 Provide copies of the contracts

Provide to the successful tenderer the number of copies stated in the Tender Data of the signed copy of the contract as soon as possible after completion and signing of the form of offer and acceptance.

4. List of attachments required for Evaluation Purposes

The bidder is required to attach the following **valid documents** to the tender

Document:

- a) The recent up-to-date central supplier database (CSD) registration report detailing all compliance requirements; [Last verified between the advert date and the closing date];
- b) The Master registration number or Tax compliance status pin.
- c) COPY of the statement of municipal rates and taxes for the company or of its directors (not in arrears for more than three (3) months before the closing date), if renting a lease agreement and owner's proof of municipal rates must be submitted (not in arrears for more than three (3) months before the closing date). If the bidder is operating where municipal rates are not applicable, a proof of residence from the traditional authority must be submitted (not older than three (3) months before the closing date).
- d) Letter of Good Standing issued by the Department of Labour in respect to the Compensation for Occupational Injuries and Diseases Act 130 of 1993 (as amended).
- e) CIDB Grading of 3EP or Higher, joint venture must submit consolidated CIDB
- f) Occupational Health and Safety letter issued by the Department of Labour Republic of South Africa in respect to the Electrical Installation Regulation Registration 6(4)
- g) Installation Electrician Certificate/Wire-man's License or Master Electrician License

- h) Proof of registration with Engineering Council of South Africa (ECSA) for Responsible Engineer
- i) Joint venture/consortium agreements (if applicable);
- j) Submit the above documents for each company if bidding as a joint venture;

N.B Failure to attach the above mentioned documents will disqualify the bidder from further evaluation

5. Bid Evaluation guideline

This bid will be evaluated and adjudicated in terms of the following criteria: 1. Bid will evaluated in terms of the following stages:

Step 1

Bidders will firstly be evaluated on their responsiveness as follows:

A bid not complying with the peremptory requirements stated hereunder will be regarded as not being an "Acceptable bid", and as such will be rejected.

"Acceptable bid" means any bid which, in all respects, complies with the conditions of bid and specifications as set out in the bid documents, including conditions as specified in the Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act (Act 5 of 2000) and related legislation as published in Government Gazette number 22549, dated 10 August 2001, in terms of which provision is made for this policy.

1. If a tax clearance certificate, tax pin or certified copy thereof not older than three months (or in the case of a joint venture, of all the partners in the joint venture) has not been submitted with the bid document on closing date of the bid.
2. If any pages have been removed from the bid document, and have therefore not been submitted, or a copy of the original bid document has been submitted.
3. Failure to complete the schedule of quantities as required, i.e. only lump sums provided.
4. Scratching out, writing over or painting out rates, without initialling next to the amended rates or information, affecting the evaluation of the bid.
5. The use of correction fluid (i.e. tippex) or any erasable ink, e.g. pencil.
6. Non-attendance of mandatory/compulsory briefing session
7. The Bid has not been properly signed by a party having the authority to do so, according to the example of "Authority for Signatory"
8. No authority for signatory submitted – See example, where it is stated that a duly signed and dated original or certified copy of the company's relevant resolution (for each specific bid) of their members or their board of directors, must be submitted.
9. The bidder attempts to influence, or has in fact influenced the evaluation and/or awarding of the contract

10. The bid has been submitted either in the wrong bid box or after the relevant closing date and time
11. If any municipal rates and taxes or municipal service charges owed by the bidder or any of its directors to the municipality, or to any other municipality or municipal entity, are in arrears for more than three months.
12. The accounting officer must ensure that irrespective of the procurement process followed, no award may be given to a person –
 - a) who is in the service of the state, or;
 - b) if that person is not a natural person, of which any director, manager, principal shareholder or stakeholder, is a person in the service of the state; or;
 - c) who is an advisor or consultant contracted with the municipality in respect of contract that would cause a conflict of interest.
13. Failure to provide:
 - a) written proof of registration with the ECSA registration.
 - b) Proof of CIDB registration of grading 3EP or Higher/in case of joint venture consolidated CIDB grading certificate must be submitted
 - c) Proof of registration as Electrical Contractor with the Department of Labour
14. Bid offers will be rejected if the bidder or any of his directors is listed on the Register of Bid Defaulters in terms of the Prevention and Combating of Corrupt Activities Act of 2004 as a person prohibited from doing business with the public sector.
15. Bid offers will be rejected if the bidder has furnished the municipality with fraudulent documents.
16. Failure to attach a copy of a valid signed Joint Venture/Consortium agreement (if applicable) to the bid document.
17. Form of offer not completed and signed by the authorized signatory.
18. Certified ID copies of the directors/ members/ proprietors not older than three months
19. BBB-EE certificate (optional)/In case of joint venture consolidated BBB-EE certificate must be submitted
20. Bank Grading of the company (contractor) /in case of joint venture Lead company(Contractor) must submit.
21. COIDA Letter of Good Standing
22. Latest registration report of Central Supply database (CSD) with valid reference number..

Step 2

The following is the criteria that the Bidders will be evaluated for Functionality:

According to the MFMA Circular No. 53 of the Municipal Finance Act No. 56 of 2003, Bidders will also be evaluated on Functionality. The minimum Score for functionality is 60%, 60 points out of 100.

Table 1: Experience of Firm/s**(Maximum Points obtainable 20)**

Note: Proof of experience should be compiled in the form of the table indicated Section 4.2 of this document. Please attach proof of certified (not older than three months) appointments Letters and Completion Certificates i.e. from your firm or contractors who completed the works under your supervision. Failure to provide both appointment letters/work order plus completion certificate, will results in zero points.

Similar projects refer to electrical construction projects that involves: i.

Protection Project

Evaluation Criteria	Minimum Required	Elimination Factor	Points obtainable	Points Claimed
1. Construction Work				
Project Appointment letters and completion certificates to be attached	Completed similar Project of value R 1 mil and above in the past 5 years. Project Description:	No	10	
Project Appointment letters and completion certificates to be attached	Completed similar Project of value R 1 mil and above in the past 5 years. Project Description:	No	10	
Sub Total			20	
Sub-Total			20	

Table 2: Plant and Equipment**(Maximum Points obtainable 25)**

Evaluation Criteria	Minimum Required	Elimination Factor	Points obtainable	Points Claimed
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Plant equipment &	Primary Test Equipment	No	10	
	Secondary Test Equipment	No	10	
	1 Ton LDV	No	5	
Sub-Total			25	

Note: Proof (E Natis) must be provided that equipment is owned by your company (full point) or Leased (half point). A special condition is that on appointment, it will be required that it must be proven that all the necessary technical equipment is available.

Table 3: Financial References & Method Statement**(Maximum Points obtainable 10)**

Evaluation Criteria	Evaluation Criteria	Elimination Factor	Points obtainable	Points Claimed
Company Financial References and Method Statements	Bank rating of A B C D downwards	No	5 4 3 0	
	Letter of intent for Guarantee. Construction Works	No	5	
Sub-Total			10	

Table 1: Key Personnel**(Maximum Points obtainable 45)**

Evaluation Criteria	Minimum Required	Elimination Factor	Points obtainable	Points Claimed
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1. Project Engineer				
Name:				
Academic Qualifications (Note 1 & 2)	BSc (Hons), BEng (Hons), (Doctoral), DSc or PhD, MSc or Electrical engineering or equivalent and above. Professional Engineer / Technologist (ECSA) OR BTech, BEng, BSc, in Electrical Engineering or equivalent. Professional Engineer / Technologist (ECSA)	No	15 10	
Years of experience after qualification (Note 1)	1 – 3 or 4 – 6 7 upwards	No	1 3 5	
Sub Total			20	
2. Commissioning Technician				
Name:				
Years of experience after qualification (Note 1)	National Diploma In Electrical Engineering. With ECSA registration as a Professional Engineering Technician. Minimum of 3 Years.	No	10	
Certified Certificate	Electrician with Wireman's Licence (Registered as an installation electrician).	No	5	
Certified Certificate	ORHVS level 1-12	No	10	
Sub Total			25	
Total			100	

Step 3**SUPPLY CHAIN POLICY USING 80/20 PREFERENCE POINT SYSTEM Note:****Combined B-BBEE (JV) status will be used.**

Description	Maximum points to be allocated	Points claimed by tenderer	Allocated points
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Price(80 Points)	Price	80		
	Sub total	80		
BBBEE Status (20 Points)	B-BBEE status level of contributor	20		
	Sub total	20		
TOTAL		100		

c. Scoring for BBBEE

Bids will be evaluated in accordance with the prescripts of the Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act (PPPFA) and the associated Preferential Procurement Regulations of 2017, which stipulate a 80/20 preference point system for acquisition of goods or services for Rand value equal to or above R30 000 and up to R50 million

Bidders must attach certified copies of BBBEE to claim BBBEE points. Failure to attach the valid BBBEE points shall not disqualify the Bidder from further evaluation; but only points will be forfeited.

B-BBEE Status Level of Contributor Number of points (80/20 system)

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

SUBSTATION 8B PROTECTION ART T2 LIST
OF RETURNABLE DOCUMENTS

The bidder must complete the following returnable documents.

- T2.1 RETURNABLE SCHEDULES REQUIRED FOR BID
 EVALUATION PURPOSES
- T2.2 OTHER DOCUMENTS REQUIRED FOR BID
 EVALUATION PURPOSES
- T2.3 RETURNABLE SCHEDULES THAT WILL BE INCORPORATED
 IN THE CONTRACT
- T2.4 OTHER DOCUMENTS THAT WILL BE INCLUDED IN
 THE CONTRACT

NOTE:

Although the documents under Part T2 is headed “Returnable Documents” in line with the CIDB model, these are not the only documents to be returned together with the bid. **All** the documents indicated on Part T1 must be completed and signed where applicable and submitted as a **complete set of documents**.

T2.1 RETURNABLE SCHEDULES REQUIRED FOR BID EVALUATION PURPOSES

CONTENTS

FORM 2.1.1: SIZE OF ENTERPRISE AND CURRENT WORKLOAD

FORM 2.1.2: CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY FOR JOINT VENTURE (WHERE APPLICABLE)

FORM 2.1.3: SCHEDULE OF PREVIOUS WORK CARRIED OUT BY BIDDER

FORM 2.1.5: FINANCIAL REFERENCES

FORM 2.1.6: DETAILS OF ALTERNATIVE BIDS SUBMITTED

FORM 2.1.7: AMENDMENTS & QUALIFICATIONS BY BIDDER

[PLEASE NOTE: IT IS COMPULSORY FOR ALL FORMS TO BE COMPLETED. WRITE N/A ACROSS THE TABLE IF NOT APPLICABLE. ANNEX SIGNATURE EVEN IF YOU WROTE N/A]

FORM 2.1.1 SIZE OF ENTERPRISE AND CURRENT WORKLOAD [please attach Annual report for the Previous financial year]

- a) Total Turnover in the previous financial year? R_____
- c) Estimated turnover for current financial year? R_____

List your current contracts (IF ANY) and obligations [maximum]:

Description	Location	Value (R)	Start date	Duration	Expected completed date

FORM 2.1.2 CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY FOR JOINT VENTURE [WRITE N/A IF NOT APPLICABLE]

PLEASE ATTACH A CERTIFIED COPY OF THE CERTIFICATE

FORM 2.1.3 SCHEDULE OF PREVIOUS WORK CARRIED OUT BY BIDDER

Provide the following information on **relevant previous experience**. Indicate comparable projects of similar or larger size. This information is material to the award of the Contract.

Give a minimum of two (2) names and telephone numbers and e-mail address per reference. Please provide latest contact details.

CLIENT NAME AND PLACE WHERE PROJECT WAS IMPLEMENTED	TEL NO & EMAIL ADDRESS	DESCRIPTION OF WORK	CONTRACT VALUE (R)	DURATION CONTRACT PERIOD

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CLIENT NAME AND PLACE WHERE PROJECT WAS IMPLEMENTED	TEL NO & EMAIL ADDRESS	DESCRIPTION OF WORK	CONTRACT VALUE (R)	DURATION CONTRACT PERIOD

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FORM 2.1.4 SCHEDULE OF PROPOSED SUB-CONTRACTORS
N/A ACROSS THE TABLE

[IF NOT WRITE

Provide details on all sub-contractors you intend utilising for this contract

Type of work to be used for	a % of contract	Name of sub-contractor	b % HDI ownership	c = a x b Total contribution to HDI ownership
Total % of contract sub-contracted		Total contribution of HDI ownership:		

FORM 2.1.5 FINANCIAL REFERENCES**FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (delete which is not applicable)**

I/We _____ (name of authorized representative

Confirm that we have attached audited copy of annual financial statements together with my/our
Directors' and Auditors' report.

DETAILS OF BIDDING ENTITY'S BANK

If the bidder is a Joint Venture or partnership, the information requested below is required for each member / partner.

I/ We hereby authorise the Employer to approach all or any of the following banks for the purposes of obtaining a financial reference:

DESCRIPTION OF BANK DETAIL	BANK DETAILS APPLICABLE TO BIDDER
Name of bank	
Contact person	
Branch name & code	
Street address	
Bank Telephone number	()
Account number	

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Type of account, (i.e. cheque account)	
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Attach Bank letter with Company Bank Rating

FORM 2.1.6 DETAILS OF ALTERNATIVE BIDS SUBMITTED [WRITE N/A ACROSS THE TABLE IF NOT APPLICABLE]

See condition of bid.

DESCRIPTION

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FORM 2.1.7 AMENDMENTS AND QUALIFICATIONS BY BIDDER
[WRITE N/A ACROSS THE TABLE IF NOT APPLICABLE]

See condition of bid

Attach additional information on a separate sheets and initial all of them

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SUBSTATION 8B PROTECTION

T2.2 OTHER DOCUMENTS REQUIRED FOR BID EVALUATION PURPOSES

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FORM 2.2.1 DECLARATION

FORM 2.2.2 DECLARATION OF INTEREST

FORM 2.2.3 MBD 9

FORM 2.2.4 MBD 6.1, 6.2 and 8

FORM 2.2.1 DECLARATION:

I/ We, the undersigned:

- (a) Bid to provide to BA-PHALABORWA LOCAL MUNICIPALITY (BPLM) with electrification network described both in this and the other Schedules to this Contract to which I shall annex my signature;
- (b) Agree that we will be bound by the specifications, prices, terms and conditions stipulated in those Schedules attached to this bid document, regarding execution of duties;
- (c) Further agree to be bound by those conditions, set out in, "PARTS T1; T2; C1; C2; and C3", attached hereto, should this bid be accepted;
- (d) Confirm that this bid may only be accepted by BA-PHALABORWA LOCAL MUNICIPALITY by way of a duly authorised Letter of Acceptance within ten (10) days from the date of appointment;

- (e) Declare that we are fully acquainted with the Bid document and Schedules and the contents thereof and that we have signed the Bill of Quantities and completed the Returnable Schedules and declarations, attached hereto;
- (f) Declare that all amendments to the bid document have been initialled by the relevant authorised person and that the document constitutes a proper contract between BPLM and the undersigned;
- (g) Certify that the item/s mentioned in the bid document, qualifies/qualify for the preference(s) shown;
- (h) Acknowledge that the information furnished is true and correct;
- (i) Accept that in the event of the contract being awarded as a result of preference claimed in this bid document, I may be required to furnish documentary proof to the satisfaction of BPLM that the claims are correct. If the claims are found to be inflated, BPLM may in addition to any other remedy it may have, recover from the company or me all costs, losses or damages incurred or sustained by BPLM as a result of the award of the contract and/or cancel the contract and claim any damages which BPLM may suffer by having to make less favourable arrangements after such cancellation;
- (j) Declare that no municipal rates and taxes or municipal service charges owed by the bidding company or any of its directors to the municipality, or to any other municipality or municipal entity, are in arrears for more than three months; and
- (k) Declare that I have not failed to perform satisfactorily during the last five (5) years on a previous contract with the Municipality, Municipal entity or any other organ of state, after written notice was given to me that my performance was not satisfactory.

[PLEASE SIGN ON BEHALF OF THE BIDDER]

Signed at _____ **on this** _____ **day of** _____ **20** _____

Authorised Signature: _____

Name of Bidding Entity: _____

Date: _____

As witness: _____



FORM 2.2.2 DECLARATION OF INTEREST

1. **No bid will be accepted from persons in the service of the state including in instances of non-directors of the entity and also those who may be sub-contracting.**
2. Any person, having a kinship with persons in the service of the state, including a blood relationship, may make an offer or offers in terms of this invitation to bid. In view of possible allegations of favouritism, should the resulting bid, or part thereof, be awarded to persons connected with or related to persons in service of the state, it is required that the bidder or their authorised representative declare their position in relation to the evaluating/adjudicating authority and/or take an oath declaring his/her interest.

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

Full Name: _____

Identity Number: _____

Tax Number: _____

VAT Number: _____

3.1 Are you presently in the service of the state **YES / NO** _____

SCM Regulations: "in the service of the state" means to be – _____

- (a) a member of –
 any municipal Council; any
 provincial legislature; or
 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
- (e) a member of the accounting authority of any national or provincial public entity; or
- (f) an employee of Parliament or a provincial legislature

If yes, furnish particulars _____

3.2 Have you been in the service of the state for the past twelve (12) months? **YES /NO**

If yes, furnish particulars _____

3.3 Do you have any relationship (family, friend, other) with persons in the service of the state and who may be involved with the evaluation and or adjudication of this bid? **YES / NO** _____

If yes, furnish particulars _____ 3.4
Are any of the company's directors, managers, shareholders or stakeholders in service of the state? **YES / NO**

If yes, furnish particulars _____

3.5 Are any spouse, child or parent of the company's directors, managers, principle shareholders or stakeholders in service of the state? **YES / NO**

If yes, furnish particulars _____

I, THE UNDERSIGNED (NAME) _____
CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION FURNISHED ON THIS DECLARATION FORM
IS CORRECT.

**I ACCEPT THAT THE STATE MAY ACT AGAINST ME SHOULD THIS DECLARATION PROVE
TO BE FALSE.**

SHOULD THE INFORMATION REQUIRED ON THIS FORM NOT DULY BE SUPPLIED, THIS
BID WILL BE AUTOMATICALLY REJECTED.

Signature

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Date

Position

Company Name

within the meaning of the Public Finance Management Act, 1999 (Act No.1 of 1999); .
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FORM 2.2.3 CERTIFICATE OF INDEPENDENT BID DETERMINATION

- a) This Municipal Bidding Document (MBD) must form part of all bids¹ invited.
- b) 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
- c) 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:
 - i. 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.
 - ii. 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.
- d) 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.
- e) In order to give effect to the above, the attached Certificate of Bid Determination (MBD 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.

TENDER DOCUMENT

MBD 9**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

(Name of Bidder)

that:

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:
 - has been requested to submit a bid in response to this bid invitation; ▪ could potentially submit a bid in response to this bid invitation, based on their qualifications, abilities or experience; and
 - 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 consortium³ 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 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.

³ 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.

[PLEASE SIGN BELOW ON BEHALF OF THE BIDDER]

Signature

Date

_____ **Position**

Name of Bidder

DECLARATION CERTIFICATE FOR LOCAL PRODUCTION AND CONTENT FOR DESIGNATED SECTORS

This Municipal Bidding Document (MBD) must form part of all bids invited. It contains general information and serves as a declaration form for local content (local production and local content are used interchangeably).

Before completing this declaration, bidders must study the General Conditions, Definitions, Directives applicable in respect of Local Content as prescribed in the Preferential Procurement Regulations, 2011 and the South African Bureau of Standards (SABS) approved technical specification number SATS 1286:2011 (Edition 1) and the Guidance on the Calculation of Local Content together with the Local Content Declaration Templates [Annex C (Local Content Declaration: Summary Schedule), D (Imported Content Declaration: Supporting Schedule to Annex C) and E (Local Content Declaration: Supporting Schedule to Annex C)].

1. General Conditions

1.1. Preferential Procurement Regulations, 2011 (Regulation 9) makes provision for the promotion of local production and content.

1.2. Regulation 9.(1) prescribes that in the case of designated sectors, where in the award of bids local production and content is of critical importance, such bids must be advertised with the specific bidding condition that only locally produced goods, services or works or locally manufactured goods, with a stipulated minimum threshold for local production and content will be considered.

1.3. Where necessary, for bids referred to in paragraph 1.2 above, a two stage bidding process may be followed, where the first stage involves a minimum threshold for local production and content and the second stage price and B-BBEE.

1.4. A person awarded a contract in relation to a designated sector, may not sub-contract 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.

1.5. The local content (LC) expressed as a percentage of the bid price must be calculated in accordance with the SABS approved technical specification number SATS 1286: 2011 as follows:

$$LC = [1 - x / y] *$$

Where

- x is the imported content in Rand
- y is the bid price in Rand excluding value added tax (VAT)

Prices referred to in the determination of x must be converted to Rand (ZAR) by using the exchange rate published by the South African Reserve Bank (SARB) at 12:00 on the date of advertisement of the bid as required in paragraph 4.1 below.

The SABS approved technical specification number SATS 1286:2011 is accessible on [http://www.thedti.gov.za/industrial development/ip.jsp](http://www.thedti.gov.za/industrial%20development/ip.jsp) at no cost.

1.6. A bid may be disqualified if –

- (a) this Declaration Certificate and the Annex C (Local Content Declaration: Summary Schedule) are not submitted as part of the bid documentation; and
- (b) the bidder fails to declare that the Local Content Declaration Templates (Annex C, D and E) have been audited and certified as correct.

2. Definitions

2.1. **“bid”** includes written price quotations, advertised competitive bids or proposals;

2.2. **“bid price”** price offered by the bidder, excluding value added tax (VAT);

2.3. **“contract”** means the agreement that results from the acceptance of a bid by an organ of state;

2.4. **“designated sector”** means a sector, sub-sector or industry that has been designated by the Department of Trade and Industry in line with national development and industrial policies for local production, where only locally produced services, works or goods or locally manufactured goods meet the stipulated minimum threshold for local production and content;

2.5. **“duly sign”** means a Declaration Certificate for Local Content that has been signed by the Chief Financial Officer or other legally responsible person nominated in writing by the Chief Executive, or senior member / person with management responsibility (close corporation, partnership or individual).

2.6. **“imported content”** means that portion of the bid price represented by the cost of components, parts or materials which have been or are still to be imported (whether by the supplier or its subcontractors) and which costs are inclusive of the costs abroad (this includes labour and intellectual property costs), plus freight and other direct importation costs, such as landing costs, dock duties, import duty, sales duty or other similar tax or duty at the South African port of entry;

2.7. **“local content”** means that portion of the bid price which is not included in the imported content, provided that local manufacture does take place;

2.8. **“stipulated minimum threshold”** means that portion of local production and content as determined by the Department of Trade and Industry; and

2.9. **“sub-contract”** means the primary contractor’s assigning, leasing, making out work to, or employing another person to support such primary contractor in the execution of part of a project in terms of the contract.

3. **The stipulated minimum threshold(s) for local production and content (refer to Annex A of SATS 1286:2011) for this bid is/are as follows:**

<u>Description of services, works or goods</u>	<u>Stipulated minimum threshold</u>
_____	_____ %
_____	_____ %
_____	_____ %

4. Does any portion of the services, works or goods offered have any imported content?

(Tick applicable box)

YES		NO	
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- 4.1 If yes, the rate(s) of exchange to be used in this bid to calculate the local content as prescribed in paragraph 1.5 of the general conditions must be the rate(s) published by the SARB for the specific currency at 12:00 on the date of advertisement of the bid.

The relevant rates of exchange information is accessible on **www.reservebank.co.za**.

Indicate the rate(s) of exchange against the appropriate currency in the table below (refer to Annex A of SATS 1286:2011):

Currency	Rates of exchange
US Dollar	
Pound Sterling	
Euro	
Yen	
Other	

NB: Bidders must submit proof of the SARB rate (s) of exchange used.

5. Were the Local Content Declaration Templates (Annex C, D and E) audited and certified as correct?

(Tick applicable box)

YES		NO	
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- 5.1 If yes, provide the following particulars:

(a) Full name of auditor: (b) Practice number:.....

(c) Telephone and cell number:.....

(d) Email address:

(Documentary proof regarding the declaration will, when required, be submitted to the satisfaction of the Accounting Officer / Accounting Authority)

6. Where, after the award of a bid, challenges are experienced in meeting the stipulated minimum threshold for local content the dti must be informed accordingly in order for the dti to verify and in consultation with the Accounting Officer / Accounting Authority provide directives in this regard.

LOCAL CONTENT DECLARATION
(REFER TO ANNEX B OF SATS 1286:2011)

~~LOCAL CONTENT DECLARATION BY CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER OR OTHER LEGALLY RESPONSIBLE PERSON NOMINATED IN WRITING BY THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OR SENIOR MEMBER/PERSON WITH MANAGEMENT RESPONSIBILITY (CLOSE CORPORATION, PARTNERSHIP OR INDIVIDUAL)~~

IN RESPECT OF BID NO.

ISSUED BY: (Procurement Authority / Name of Municipality / Municipal Entity):

NB

1 The obligation to complete, duly sign and submit this declaration cannot be transferred to an external authorized representative, auditor or any other third party acting on behalf of the bidder.

2 Guidance on the Calculation of Local Content together with Local Content Declaration Templates (Annex C, D and E) is accessible on <http://www.thedti.gov.za/industrialdevelopment/ip.jsp>. Bidders should first complete Declaration D. After completing Declaration D, bidders should complete Declaration E and then consolidate the information on Declaration C. **Declaration C should be submitted with the bid documentation at the closing date and time of the bid in order to substantiate the declaration made in paragraph (c) below.** Declarations D and E should be kept by the bidders for verification purposes for a period of at least 5 years. The successful bidder is required to continuously update Declarations C, D and E with the actual values for the duration of the contract.

I, the undersigned, (full names),
 do hereby declare, in my capacity as
 of(name of bidder
 entity), the following:

- (a) The facts contained herein are within my own personal knowledge.
- (b) I have satisfied myself that

(i) the goods/services/works to be delivered in terms of the above-specified bid comply with the minimum local content requirements as specified in the bid, and as measured in terms of SATS 1286:2011; and

(ii) the declaration templates have been audited and certified to be correct.

(c) The local content percentages (%) indicated below has been calculated using the formula given in clause 3 of SATS 1286:2011, the rates of exchange indicated in paragraph 4.1 above and the information contained in Declaration D and E which has been consolidated in Declaration C;

Bid price, excluding VAT (y)	R
Imported content (x), as calculated in terms of SATS 1286:2011	R
Stipulated minimum threshold for local content (paragraph 3 above)	
Local content %, as calculated in terms of SATS 1286:2011	

If the bid is for more than one product, the local content percentages for each product contained in Declaration C shall be used instead of the table above. The local content percentages for each product has been calculated using the formula given in clause 3 of SATS 1286:2011, the rates of exchange indicated in paragraph 4.1 above and the information contained in Declaration D and E.

) I accept that the Procurement Authority / Municipality /Municipal Entity has the right to request that the local content be verified in terms of the requirements of SATS 1286:2011.

) I understand that the awarding of the bid is dependent on the accuracy of the information furnished in this application. I also understand that the submission of incorrect data, or data that are not verifiable as described in SATS 1286:2011, may result in the Procurement

Authority / Municipal / Municipal Entity imposing any or all of the remedies as provided for in Regulation 13 of the Preferential Procurement Regulations, 2011 promulgated under the Preferential Policy Framework Act (PPPFA), 2000 (Act No. 5 of 2000).

SIGNATURE: _____

DATE: _____

WITNESS No. 1

DATE: _____

WITNESS No. 2

DATE:

**BROAD-BASED BLACK ECONOMIC EMPOWERMENT (B-BBEE) STATUS
LEVEL CERTIFICATES**

**Bidders are required to submit original and valid B-BBEE Status Level
Verification Certificates or certified copies thereof together with their bids, to
substantiate their BBEE rating claims.**

Bidders who do not submit B-BBEE Status T Level Verification Certificates or are non-compliant contributors to B-BBEE do not qualify for preference points for B-BBEE but should not be disqualified from the bidding process. They will score points for out of 90 or 80 for price only and zero points out of 10 or 20 for B-BBEE.

PREFERENCE POINTS CLAIM FORM IN TERMS OF THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS 2011

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 BBEE, AS PRESCRIBED IN THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS, 2011.

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 R1 000 000 (all applicable taxes included) and therefore the.....system shall be applicable.

1.3 Preference points for this bid shall be awarded for:

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

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

POINTS

1.3.1.1 PRICE.....

1.3.1.2 B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL OF CONTRIBUTION.....

Total points for Price and B-BBEE must not exceed

100

1.4 Failure on the part of a bidder to fill in and/or to sign this form and submit a B-BBEE

Verification Certificate from a Verification Agency accredited by the South African Accreditation System (SANAS) or a Registered Auditor approved by the Independent Regulatory Board of Auditors (IRBA) or an Accounting Officer as contemplated in the Close Corporation Act (CCA) together with the bid, will be interpreted to mean that preference points for B-BBEE status level of contribution are not claimed.

1.5. 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

- 2.1 **“all applicable taxes”** includes value-added tax, pay as you earn, income tax, unemployment insurance fund contributions and skills development levies;
- 2.2 **“B-BBEE”** means broad-based black economic empowerment as defined in section 1 of the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act;
- 2.3 **“B-BBEE status level of contributor”** means the B-BBEE status received by a measured entity based on its overall performance using the relevant scorecard contained in the Codes of Good Practice on Black Economic Empowerment, issued in terms of section 9(1) of the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act;
- 2.4 **“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 services, works or goods, through price quotations, advertised competitive bidding processes or proposals;
- 2.5 **“Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act”** means the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act, 2003 (Act No. 53 of 2003);
- 2.6 **“comparative price”** means the price after the factors of a non-firm price and all unconditional discounts that can be utilized have been taken into consideration;
- 2.7 **“consortium or joint venture”** 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;
- 2.8 **“contract”** means the agreement that results from the acceptance of a bid by an organ of state;
- 2.9 **“EME”** means any enterprise with an annual total revenue of R5 million or less.

- 2.10 **“Firm price”** means the price that is only subject to adjustments in accordance with the actual increase or decrease resulting from the change, imposition, or abolition of customs or excise duty and any other duty, levy, or tax, which, in terms of the law or regulation, is binding on the contractor and demonstrably has an influence on the price of any supplies, or the rendering costs of any service, for the execution of the contract;
- 2.11 **“functionality”** means the measurement according to predetermined norms, as set out in the bid documents, of a service or commodity that is designed to be practical and useful, working or operating, taking into account, among other factors, the quality, reliability, viability and durability of a service and the technical capacity and ability of a bidder;
- 2.12 **“non-firm prices”** means all prices other than “firm” prices;
- 2.13 **“person”** includes a juristic person;
- 2.14 **“rand value”** means the total estimated value of a contract in South African currency, calculated at the time of bid invitations, and includes all applicable taxes and excise duties;
- 2.15 **“sub-contract”** means the primary contractor’s assigning, leasing, making out work to, or employing, another person to support such primary contractor in the execution of part of a project in terms of the contract;
- 2.16 **“total revenue”** bears the same meaning assigned to this expression in the Codes of Good Practice on Black Economic Empowerment, issued in terms of section 9(1) of the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act and promulgated in the *Government Gazette* on 9 February 2007;
- 2.17 **“trust”** means the arrangement through which the property of one person is made over or bequeathed to a trustee to administer such property for the benefit of another person; and
- 2.18 **“trustee”** means any person, including the founder of a trust, to whom property is bequeathed in order for such property to be administered for the benefit of another person.

3. ADJUDICATION USING A POINT SYSTEM

- 3.1 The bidder obtaining the highest number of total points will be awarded the contract.
- 3.2 Preference points shall be calculated after prices have been brought to a comparative basis taking into account all factors of non-firm prices and all unconditional discounts;.

- 3.3 Points scored must be rounded off to the nearest 2 decimal places.
- 3.4 In the event that two or more bids have scored equal total points, the successful bid must be the one scoring the highest number of preference points for B-BBEE.
- 3.5 However, when functionality is part of the evaluation process and two or more bids have scored equal points including equal preference points for B-BBEE, the successful bid must be the one scoring the highest score for functionality.
- 3.6 Should two or more bids be equal in all respects, the award shall be decided by the drawing of lots.

4. POINTS AWARDED FOR PRICE

4.1 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

$$P_s = 80 - \frac{P_t - P_{\min}}{P_{\max} - P_{\min}} \times 20 \quad \text{or} \quad P_s = 90 - \frac{P_t - P_{\min}}{P_{\max} - P_{\min}} \times 10$$

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

5. Points awarded for B-BBEE Status Level of Contribution

5.1 In terms of Regulation 5 (2) and 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 (90/10 system)	Number of points (80/20 system)
1	10	20
2	9	18
3	8	14
4	5	12
5	4	8
6	3	6
7	2	4
8	1	2
Non-compliant contributor	0	0

5.2 Bidders who qualify as EMEs in terms of the B-BBEE Act must submit a certificate issued by an Accounting Officer as contemplated in the CCA or a Verification Agency accredited by SANAS or a Registered Auditor. Registered auditors do not need to meet the prerequisite for IRBA's approval for the purpose of conducting verification and issuing EMEs with B-BBEE Status Level Certificates.

5.4 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.

5.5 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 BBBEE scorecard as if they were a group structure and that such a consolidated BBBEE scorecard is prepared for every separate bid.

5.6 Tertiary institutions and public entities will be required to submit their B-BBEE status level certificates in terms of the specialized scorecard contained in the B-BBEE Codes of Good Practice.

5.7 A person will not be awarded points for B-BBEE status level if it is indicated in the bid documents that such a bidder intends sub-contracting more than 25% of the value of the contract to any other enterprise that does not qualify for at least the points that such a bidder qualifies for, unless the intended sub-contractor is an EME that has the capability and ability to execute the sub-contract.

5.8 A person awarded a contract may not sub-contract 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 than the person concerned, unless the contract is sub-contracted to an EME that has the capability and ability to execute the sub-contract.

6. BID DECLARATION

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

7. B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL OF CONTRIBUTION CLAIMED IN TERMS OF PARAGRAPHS 1.3.1.2 AND 5.1.

7.1 B-BBEE Status Level of Contribution: = (maximum of 10 or 20 points)

(Points claimed in respect of paragraph 7.1 must be in accordance with the table reflected in paragraph 5.1 and must be substantiated by means of a B-BBEE certificate issued by a Verification Agency accredited by SANAS or a Registered Auditor approved by IRBA or an Accounting Officer as contemplated in the CCA).

8 SUB-CONTRACTING

8.1 Will any portion of the contract be sub-contracted? YES / NO (delete which is not applicable)

8.1.1 If yes, indicate:

(i) what percentage of the contract will be subcontracted?
.....%

- (ii) the name of the subcontractor?.....
- (iii) the B-BBEE status level of the sub-contractor?
 (iv) whether the sub-contractor is an EME? YES /
 NO (delete which is not applicable)

9 DECLARATION WITH REGARD TO COMPANY/FIRM

- 9.1 Name of firm :
- 9.2 VAT registration number :
- 9.3 Company registration number :
- 9.4 **TYPE OF COMPANY/ FIRM**

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

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9.5 DESCRIBE PRINCIPAL BUSINESS ACTIVITIES

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9.6 COMPANY CLASSIFICATION

- ☐ Manufacturer
- ☐ Supplier
- ☐ Professional service provider
- ☐ Other service providers, e.g. transporter, etc.

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9.7 MUNICIPAL INFORMATION

Municipality where business is situated

.....

Registered Account Number

.....

Stand Number

.....

..

9.8 TOTAL NUMBER OF YEARS THE COMPANY/FIRM HAS BEEN IN BUSINESS?

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9.9 I/we, the undersigned, who is / are duly authorized to do so on behalf of the company/firm, certify that the points claimed, based on the B-BBE status level of contribution indicated in paragraph 7 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 paragraph 7, 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 contribution 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) restrict the bidder or contractor, its shareholders and directors, or only the shareholders and directors who acted on a fraudulent basis, 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.

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2. SIGNATURE(S) OF BIDDER(S)

DATE:

ADDRESS:

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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 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). 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.	Yes ☐	No ☐
4.1.1	If so, furnish particulars:		
4.2	Is the bidder or any of its directors listed on the Register for Tender Defaulters in terms of section 29 of the Prevention and Combating of Corrupt Activities Act (No 12 of 2004)? The Register for Tender Defaulters can be accessed on the National Treasury's website (www.treasury.gov.za) by clicking on its link at the bottom of the home page.	Yes ☐	No ☐

4.2.1	If so, furnish particulars:		
4.3	Was the bidder or any of its directors convicted by a court of law (including a court of law outside the Republic of South Africa) for fraud or corruption during the past five years?	Yes ☐	No ☐
4.3.1	If so, furnish particulars:		
Item	Question	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?	Yes ☐	No ☐
4.4.1	If so, furnish particulars:		
4.5	Was any contract between the bidder and the municipality / municipal entity or any other organ of state terminated during the past five years on account of failure to perform on or comply with the contract?	Yes ☐	No ☐
4.7.1	If so, furnish particulars:		

CERTIFICATION

I, THE UNDERSIGNED (FULL NAME)

.....

CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION FURNISHED ON THIS DECLARATION FORM TRUE AND CORRECT.

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

.....
Signature

.....
Date

.....
Position

.....
Name of Bidder



SUBSTATION 8B PROTECTION

T2.3 RETURNABLE SCHEDULES THAT WILL BE INCORPORATED IN THE CONTRACT

CONTENTS

FORM 2.3.1 RECORD OF ADDENDA TO BID DOCUMENTS [WRITE N/A ACROSS THE TABLE IF NOT APPLICABLE]

We confirm that the following communications received from the Procuring Department before the submission of this bid offer, amending the bid documents, have been taken into account in this bid offer:

	Date	Title or Details
1		
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Attach additional pages if more space is required.

[PLEASE SIGN BELOW FOR THE BIDDING COMPANY]

Signature of Authorized person: _____ Date: _____

Name of authorized person: _____ Position: _____

PART T3: TENDER SPECIFICATIONS

7. FULL DESCRIPTION OF THE TENDER

BA-PHALABORWA LOCAL MUNICIPALITY would like to appoint a competent service provider registered on the national Central Supplier Database for the **SUBSTATION 8B PROTECTION**

C3.1 SCOPE OF WORK

This specification sets out and states the principle requirements that cover electrical protection schemes:- the work involved in retrofitting, testing and commissioning of the following:
Medium voltage cables, switchgear and power transformers and related equipment such as current transformers, voltage transformers, battery tripping units and protection relays, Supply and installation of protection relays, providing test and commissioning certificates in respect of all the above, as required.

General

1 General Requirements

The Contract shall comprise predominantly the testing and maintenance of electrical protection systems equipment. The Contractor shall submit all required test certificates. The Contractor shall be required to carry out commissioning of new and refurbished installations of electrical protection systems and related equipment.

A test certificate shall reflect the scope of work for the commissioning activity. All the test results shall be recorded on the test certificate and signed by the authorised Test Engineer / Technician. The Chief Electrical Engineer for technical Services or the appointed representative shall approve the content of test certificates.

Test certificates shall be submitted to the Chief Electrical Engineer or the appointed representative for each portion of equipment on which the work is completed and ready for energizing.

Test sheets and results are to be handed to the Chief Electrical Engineer or the appointed representative for approval prior to energizing.

2 Schedule of Work – Medium voltage

2.1 Circuit Breaker Electrical Test: Per Switch Panel

The Contractor shall carry out the following tests:

- Measurement and recording of the contact resistance of the closed circuit breaker using min 100 A D.C. Wheatstone Bridge method; (Ductor tester)
- Testing of HV insulation resistance of panel and circuit breaker to manufacturer's specifications for new or used equipment, whichever is applicable. Test to be carried out with circuit breaker closed between phases and across the open contact of each phase;
- Testing of trip and close coil minimum operation voltage levels;
- Testing of the trip and close coil resistance and recording thereof;
- Checking that spring charge motor rating corresponds with D.C. available;
- Production of test certificates for all tests carried out.

2.2. Current Transformer Test

- The Contractor shall carry out the following tests per secondary connection:
- Ratio test: Ratio shall be tested at rated current;
- Magnetisation curve test: Magnetisation curve shall be tested and comparison curves plotted for all sets of current transformers including metering;
- Polarity shall be tested by means of D.C. flick test;
- The insulation resistance of the current transformers shall be measured and the CT earth tested on the secondary wiring;
- The loop resistance shall be measured for CT, wiring and relays, and be recorded;
- Test certificates for all tests carried out shall be produced.
- Retrofit Set of three phase CT's in one Panel

2.3 Voltage Transformer Test

- Retrofit a VT on the busbar chamber, this is for measurement purpose.
- Ratio test:
- Polarity shall be tested by means of D.C. flick test;

- The insulation resistance of the voltage transformers shall be measured and the neutral earth tested
- on the secondary wiring;
- Test certificates for all tests carried out shall be produced

2.4 Protection Relays

The Contractor shall carry out tests per relay using primary and secondary current injection on multifunctional microprocessor type relays. The contractor shall ensure that the functional operation of the relays where relevant. The following relays shall be covered.

2.4.1 Over-Current and Earth Fault Protection Relays

Feeder Protection is Required

- New panel doors retrofitted with the new relay and rewired.
- **Over-current and earth fault relay**
- **Fastest Arc-Flash Protection**, which increase the safety of your personnel and equipment, and significantly reduce incident energy by sending a trip to a breaker in as fast as 1ms.
- Sensitive earth fault relay
- **Better Visibility of the system**, Better visibility of our system with high-resolution currents and voltages sampled at 10 kHz
- **Dual Ethernet** Capability with IEC61850, DNP3 and Modbus Protocols.
- **Operator Controls**, Relay must increase operator safety using Local\Remote control on the front panel along with ability to perform breaker control. Must have programmable LEDs on the front panel to reflect the operating condition of the system.
- **Integrated Web Server**, must be able to Log in to the built-in web server to view metering and monitoring data, download events and the sequential Event Recorder (SER) report, view or edit settings, and upgrade firmware.
- **Metering and Monitoring**, use built-in metering function to eliminate separately mounted metering devices. Analyze the SER report and oscillographic event reports for rapid commissioning, testing, and post-fault diagnostics. Additional monitoring functions include signal profile monitoring and demand metering.

The Contractor shall prove the operation of the relay within the scheme, i.e. secondary wiring between the CT's and the relay element and between the relay contacts and the trip circuit.

2.4.2 Remote Communication for the Relays (RTU)

- Install all necessary communication Equipment
- Commission the communication network must be Wireless
- **Multiple Functions in One Reliable Device**. Use a single device as a remote terminal unit (RTU), Protocol gateway, logic processor, PAC, engineering port server, event processor, and SER logger/viewer.
- **IEC 61850**. Must be able to integrate high-speed control scheme between the RTU and the relays with IEC 61850 GOOSE peer-to-peer messaging.
- **Protection Against Malware and Other Cybersecurity Threats**, must use advanced cryptographic algorithms to authorize the execution of any program or service on the system. Any tasks not approved by the whitelist are blocked from operation.

- **User Security**, Assign individual user and role-based account authentication and strong passwords. Use Lightweight Directory Access Protocol (LDAP) for central authentication.
- **Flexible Protocols** Conversion. Must apply any available server protocol on any serial or Ethernet port.
- Test report for the communication
- Radios will be the preferred method of communication.
- Adding new screens on the existing scada system (Schnieder)

2.6 Installation of transformer

Install a 11 000/400V pole mounted transformer to supply the substation

The transformer will be mounted on the pole 200m away from the sub.

Test the transformer

Commission the transformer

Be able to work on heights

Pull the cable from the transformer to the substation and connect to existing DB.

2.5 Functional Tests

Functional tests shall be carried out to ensure that all combinations of operation of the protection and control switching / selection result in the correct operation of circuit breakers, either by tripping or closing.

The following checks shall be carried out:

- All relays shall be operated in turn to trip or initiate auto-reclose of the breaker;
- All types of indication and alarms shall be checked for correct operation;
- The correct latching and resetting of master trip relays and other seal-in circuits shall be checked;
- Panel switches shall be checked for correct function and selection in all positions;

3 BATTERIES

3.1 The Contractor shall:

- Carry out visual inspection on cells
- Test and check electrolyte levels
- Check and clean corrosion on post and links
- Check torque bolts and nuts
- Carry out cell readings, voltage and SG (Lead Acid), voltage (NiCad)
- Clean cells

4 Civil Works on existing walls

Paint the Control Room

Paint the walls and the floor for the new Look.

Clean the Control and All Panels from Carbon and dirt.

5 CLOSE OUT REPORT

After each section of the works completed the contractor will supply an overall report which shall include but in not limited to the following:

- Data Sheet
- Drawing
- Cost

- Condition Report
- Asset Register Report
- Detailed Design Report

1. Work

Specification Notes:

- a) All works should be in accordance with the relevant specified specification (SANS code 10142-1 and SANS 10292 (SABS 0292))
- b) All labour cost shall be included in the quoted rate.

2. Preliminaries

- a) The specific contractor shall supply, deliver and install all relevant electrical apparatus in accordance with the specified wiring code.
- b) All lighting structure must comply with ISO 9001-2000 and SANS Approved and or SABS Compliant.

3. Final site inspection

All installed electrical apparatus and plants will be inspected by a municipal official to authorise and sign off the installation documentation.

4. Payment Processes

The final invoice will be presented to the municipality with a detail report containing all the communication from the municipality and including clients, supporting documentation indicating that the refurbishment of the sub-station was conducted in accordance with the Municipality's expectation. Failure to provide this information will result in non-payment.



PART C1 PRICING DATA

C1.1 PRICING INSTRUCTIONS

- 1 The General Conditions of Contract, the Contract Data, the Specifications (including the Project Specifications) and the Drawings shall be read in conjunction with the Bill of Quantities.
- 2 The Bill comprises items covering the Contractor's profit and costs of general liabilities and of the construction of Temporary and Permanent Works.

Although the Bidder is at liberty to insert a rate of his own choosing for each item in the Bill, he should note the fact that the Contractor is entitled, under various circumstances, to payment for additional work carried out.

Clause 8 of each Standardized Specification, and the measurement and payment clause of each Particular Specification, read together with the relevant clauses of the Project Specifications, all set out which ancillary or associated activities are included in the rates for the specified operations.

- 3 Descriptions in the Bill of Quantities are abbreviated and may differ from those in the Standardized and Project Specifications. No consideration will be given to any claim by the Company submitted on such a basis. Should any requirement of the measurement and payment clause of the appropriate Standardized or Project Specification(s) be contrary to the terms of the Bill the requirement of the appropriate Standardized, Project, or Particular Specification as the case may be, shall prevail.
- 4 The amounts and rates to be inserted in the Bill of Quantities shall be the full inclusive amounts to the Employer for the work described under the several items. Such amounts shall cover all the costs and expenses that may be required in and for the **UPGRADING OF SUBSTATION 8B PROTECTION** and shall cover the costs of all general risks, profits, taxes (but excluding value-added tax), liabilities and obligations set forth or implied in the documents on which the Bid is based.

6 The quantities set out in the schedule of quantities are only approximate quantities. The quantities of work finally accepted and certified for payment, and not the quantities given in the schedule of quantities, will be used to determine payments to the contractor.

7 An amount or rate shall be entered against each item in the Bill of Quantities, whether or not quantities are stated. An item against which no amount or rate is entered will be considered to be covered by the other amounts or rates in the Bill.

The Bidder shall also fill in a rate against the items where the words "rate only" appear in the amount column. Although no work is foreseen under these items and no quantities are consequently given in the quantity column, the stated rates shall apply should work under these items actually be required.

Should the Bidder group a number of items together and bid one sum for such group of items, the single stated sum shall apply to that group of items and not to each individual item, or should he indicate against any item that full compensation for such item has been included in another item, the rate for the item included in another item shall be deemed to be nil. The stated rates, prices and sums shall, subject only to the provisions of the Conditions of Contract, remain valid irrespective of any change in the quantities during the execution of the Contract.

Rates quoted are fixed and quoted in ZAR currency; and shall not in any way be affected by rand/dollar exchange rate or any currency.

8 The quantities of work as measured and accepted and certified for payment in accordance with the Conditions of Contract, and not the quantities stated in the Bill of Quantities, will be used to determine payments to the Contractor. The validity of the Contract shall in no way be affected by differences between the quantities in the Bill of Quantities and the quantities certified for payment.

9 For the purposes of this Bill of Quantities, the following words shall have the meanings hereby assigned to them:

Unit : The unit of measurement for each item of work as defined in the Standardized, Project or Particular Specifications

Quantity : The number of units of work for each item

Rate : The payment per unit of work at which the Bidder bids to do the work.

Should be quoted in ZAR currency only

Amount : The quantity of an item multiplied by the bided rate of the (same) item.
Should be quoted in ZAR currency only

Sum : An amount bided for an item, the extent of which is described in the Bill of Quantities, the Specifications or elsewhere, but of which the quantity of

work is not measured in units. Should be quoted in ZAR currency only

10 The units of measurement indicated in the Bill of Quantities are metric units. The following abbreviations may appear in the Bill of Quantities:

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No = No
% = Percentage
Prov Sum = Provisional Sum

57)

PART C1.2 Pricing Structure

Item no	Description	Unit	Quantity	Rate	Total
1	Installation of 50 Kva 11000/400V Transformer				
	Supply	each	1		
	Installation	each	1		
2	Testing of Existing Equipment:				
2.1	Existing 11 kV circuit breakers:	each	07		
2.2	Voltage Transformers	each	2		
2.3	Current Transformers (set of 3)	set	07		
2.4	Battery Charger	each	1		
3	Determination of Protection values and setting of all relays accordingly	each	1		
4	Complete Metering/instrumentation system, complete as specified	each	1		
	Supply	each	1		

	Installation	each	1		
5	Total carried over to next Page				
	Total brought forward from previous page				
5	Complete Remote Control System for Circuitbreakers as specified				
	Supply	each	1		
	Installation	each	1		
6	Web system to enable monitoring and control as specified.				
	Supply	each	1		
	Installation	each	1		
	Total carried over to next page				
Item no	Description	Unit	Quantity	Rate	Total
	Total Brought forward from previous page				
7	Communication system as specified, complete with licensing/cellphone fees for a period of 3 years	each	1		
	Supply	each	1		
	Installation	each	1		
8	Manuals/As-built drawings/schematic diagrams of total installation	each	1		
9	Training as specified	sum	1	R30 000 .00	R30 000.00
10	Complete Maintenance of the total system for a period of 12 Months, including all travelling, accomodation,spares etc.	Each Per month	12		

	Total carried forward to next page				
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11	Total Amount: brought forward	
12	Plus 10% Contingency	
13	Subtotal	
14	Plus VAT @ 15%	
15	Total Tender Amount carried forward to form of tender	

Program

Total completion time for project from date of appointment: weeks

Total days on site to complete the work days

Total days that power will need to be off in Substation days

Signature of Tenderer

Date:

UPGRADING OF SUBSTATION 8B PROTECTION

PART C2 AGREEMENT AND CONTRACT DATA

C2.1 FORM OF OFFER AND ACCEPTANCE

C2.2 CONTRACT DATA

C1.1 FORM OF OFFER AND ACCEPTANCE [COMPULSORY]

FORM OF OFFER AND ACCEPTANCE (AGREEMENT)

1. OFFER BY THE BIDDING COMPAY

The Employer, identified in the Acceptance signature block, has solicited offers to enter into a contract in respect of the following works: UPGRADING OF SUBSTATION 8B PROTECTION

The Bidder, identified in the Offer signature block below, has examined the documents listed in the Bid Data and addenda thereto as listed in the Bid Schedules, and by submitting this Offer has accepted the Conditions of Bid.

By the representative of the Bidder, deemed to be duly authorised, signing this part of this Form of Offer and Acceptance, the Bidder offers to perform all of the obligations and liabilities of the Contractor under the Contract including compliance with all its terms and conditions according to their true intent and meaning for an amount to be determined in accordance with the Conditions of Contract identified in the Contract Data.

THE OFFERED TOTAL BID PRICE INCLUSIVE OF VALUE ADDED TAX

IN WORDS:

(IN FIGURES), R

This Offer may be accepted by the Employer by signing the Acceptance part of this Form of Offer and Acceptance and returning one copy of this document to the Bidder before the end of the period of validity

stated in the Bid Data, whereupon the Bidder becomes the party named as the Contractor in the Conditions of Contract identified in the Contract Data.

It is expressly agreed that no other matter whether in writing, oral communication or implied during the period between the issue of the Bid documents and the receipt by the Bidder of a completed signed copy of this Agreement shall have any meaning or effect in the contract between the parties arising from this Agreement.

FOR AND ON BEHALF ON THE BIDDER [PLEASE SIGN]:

Signature(s) _____

Name(s) _____ Capacity _____

(Bidding Company Name) _____

Name of Witness _____

Signature _____ Date: _____

2. ACCEPTANCE

By signing this part of this Form of Offer and Acceptance, the Employer identified below accepts the Bidder's Offer. In consideration thereof, the Employer shall pay the Contractor the amount due in accordance with the Conditions of Contract identified in the Contract Data. Acceptance of the Bidder's Offer shall form an agreement between the Employer and the Bidder upon the terms and conditions contained in this Agreement and in the Contract that is the subject of this Agreement.

The terms of the contract, are contained in

Part C1 Pricing Data

Part C2 Agreements and Contract Data, (which includes this Agreement)

Part C3 Scope of Work

AND Documents or parts thereof, which may be incorporated by reference into Parts C1 to C3 above.

Deviations from and amendments to the documents listed in the Bid Data and any addenda thereto listed in the Bid Schedules as well as any changes to the terms of the Offer agreed by the Bidder and the Employer during this process of offer and acceptance, are contained in the Schedule of Deviations attached to and forming part of this Agreement. No amendments to or deviations from said documents are valid unless contained in this Schedule, which must be duly signed by the authorised representative(s) of both parties.

The Bidder shall within two weeks after receiving a completed copy of this Agreement, including the Schedule of Deviations (if any), contact the Employer's agent (whose details are given in the Contract Data) to arrange the delivery of any bonds, guarantees, proof of insurance and any other documentation to be provided in terms of the Conditions of Contract identified in the Contract Data. Failure to fulfil any of these obligations in accordance with those terms shall constitute a repudiation of this Agreement.

Notwithstanding anything contained herein, this Agreement comes into effect on the date when the Bidder receives one fully completed original copy of this document, including the Schedule of Deviations (if any). Unless the Bidder (now Contractor) within five working days of the date of such receipt notifies the Employer in writing of any reason why he cannot accept the contents of this Agreement, this Agreement shall constitute a binding contract between the parties.

It is expressly agreed that no other matter whether in writing, oral communication or implied during the period between the issue of the Bid documents and the receipt by the Bidder of a completed signed copy of this Agreement shall have any meaning or effect in the contract between the parties arising from this Agreement.

FOR THE EMPLOYER: BA-PHALABORWA LOCAL MUNICIPALITY [TO BE SIGNED BY MUNICIPAL MANAGER]

Signature(s) _____

Name _____

Capacity _____

Name of Witness _____

Signature _____

Date _____

2. SCHEDULE OF DEVIATIONS [WRITE N/A IF NOT APPLICABLE]

Notes:

1. The extent of deviations from the bid documents issued by the Employer prior to the bid closing date is limited to those permitted in terms of the Conditions of Bid.
2. A Bidder's covering letter shall not be included in the final contract document. Should any matter in such letter, which constitutes a deviation as aforesaid become the subject of agreements reached during the process of offer and acceptance, the outcome of such agreement shall be recorded here.

3. Any other matter arising from the process of offer and acceptance either as a confirmation, clarification or change to the bid documents and which it is agreed by the Parties becomes an obligation of the contract shall also be recorded here.
4. Any change or addition to the bid documents arising from the above agreements and recorded here, shall also be incorporated into the final draft of the Contract.

1 Subject _____

Details _____

2 Subject _____

Details _____

3 Subject _____

Details _____

4 Subject _____

Details _____

By the duly authorised representatives signing this Schedule of Deviations, the Employer and the Bidder agree to and accept the foregoing Schedule of Deviations as the only deviations from and amendments to the documents listed in the Bid Data and addenda thereto as listed in the Bid Schedules, as well as any confirmation, clarification or change to the terms of the offer agreed by the Bidder and the Employer during this process of offer and acceptance.

It is expressly agreed that no other matter whether in writing, oral communication or implied during the period between the issue of the bid documents and the receipt by the Bidder of a completed signed copy of this Agreement shall have any meaning or effect in the contract between the parties arising from this Agreement.



FOR THE BIDDER [PLEASE SIGN]:

Signature(s) _____

Name(s) _____

Capacity _____

(Bidder's Name) _____

Name of Witness Signature _____

Date: _____



FOR THE EMPLOYER: BA-PHALABORWA LOCAL MUNICIPALITY [PLEASE SIGN]

Signature(s) _____

Name _____

Capacity _____

Name of Witness

Signature Date