Description/ Scope of Work	The installation of smart meters, data concentrators, ready board retrofit, access covers, insulation piercing connector (IPC), pole top split metering kiosks, secure pole mount DC kiosk and all associated accessories including the decommissioning, scrapping and disposal of existing meters for the Distribution Division in the LimLanga cluster
Duration of the Project	2 Years

Section 1: Specific Goals

A maximum of 10 points may be awarded to a tenderer for the specific goal specified for the tender. The points scored for the specific goal must be added to the points scored for price and the total must be rounded off to the nearest two decimal places. Subject to section 2(1)(f) of the Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act, the contract must be awarded to the tenderer scoring the highest points.

B-BBEE Status Level of Contributor	Number of points (90/10 system)
1	10
2	9
3	6
4	5
5	4
6	3
7	2
8	1
Non-compliant contributor	0

NB: The following documents are required to claim preference points:

- Valid B-BBEE certificate issued by a SANAS accredited verification agency / sworn affidavit / CIPS affidavit
- Proof of ownership / shareholding (preferably CIPC documentation) inclusive of shareholding breakdown
- Certified ID copies of shareholder(s)
- Proof of Disability (where applicable)

Tenderer failing to provide documentation for the allocation of preference points will not be disqualified, but:

- May only score point out of 90 for price
- Scores 0 points out of 10 for specific goals

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Section 2: SDL&I Objectives in line with Reconstruction and Development Programme (RDP) Goals

Tenderers who complete and submit the objectives as required, but who do not meet Eskom's targets, will not be disqualified. SDL&I objectives do not form part of scoring but commitments will form part of contractual obligations

2.1 Skills Development

Tenderers are required to submit proposals in the table below for developing the skills of unemployed candidates in the country. Skills development is intended to address Eskom's core, scarce and critical skills and scarce and critical skills. These skills are also included in a 2020 list of occupations in high demand as stipulated in the Government Gazette 43937. Candidates shall be from all provinces in the country, and their composition shall be representative of the population demographics of South Africa.

Skill Type / Occupation	Eskom Target	Tenderer's Proposal
Smart Meter Installer	1	

The process of developing these skills shall involve the participation by tenderers directly and through their supply network. In certain cases, the SETA's accredited training providers can be approached to participate in developing critical and scarce skills.

Note: That these targets for skills development candidates categorically exclude Eskom employees and registered learners. The tenderers are required to take full responsibility for the total cost of developing the requisite skills, and Eskom shall not make any financial contribution towards the fulfilment of this obligation. Tenderers also are advised to approach their relevant SETAs to access grants, subsidies, and incentives as well as South African Revenue Services for tax rebates that are earmarked for skills development initiatives.

2.2 Jobs

Tenderers are required to submit proposals for the type and number of jobs that will be created and retained in South Africa as a direct result of being awarded a contract

Number of jobs to be created	Number of jobs to be retained

Note: Communities based local to site (areas around site) should be prioritised for employment and all unskilled labourers sourced from areas local to site.

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Section 3: SDL&I Penalty and Performance Security

Eskom will apply a penalty of 2.5% of the invoice amount for failure to meet SDL&I obligations.
Eskom will apply a penalty of 2.5% of the Order Value for failure to meet SDL&I obligations. For the duration of the contract, Eskom will retain 2.5% of every invoice (excluding VAT) as security for the fulfilment of all SDL&I Obligations. The retained amounts shall only be released to the Contractor upon: • Eskom receives the SDL&I progress report/s from the contractor. • Fulfilment of all SDL&I obligations by the contractor. • Submission of an approved compliance report by SDL&I Department.

Section 4: Reporting and Monitoring

- The suppliers shall on a quarterly basis submit a report to Eskom in accordance with Data Collection Template on their compliance with the SDL&I obligations described above.
- Eskom shall review the SDL&I reports submitted by the suppliers within 30 (thirty) days of receipt of the reports and notify the suppliers in writing if their SDL&I obligations have not been met.
- Upon notification by Eskom that the suppliers have not met their SDL&I obligations, the suppliers shall be required to implement corrective measures to meet those SDL&I obligations before the commencement of the following report, failing which Retention clauses shall be invoked.
- Every contract shall be accompanied by the SDL&I Implementation Schedule, which must be completed by the suppliers and returned to SDL&I representative for acceptance 28 days after contract award. This will be used as a reference document for monitoring, measuring and reporting on the supplier's progress in delivering on their stated SDL&I commitments

Section 5: General Information on Validity of Sworn Affidavits

The following must be considered when it comes to validity of Affidavits;

Tenderers submitting B-BBEE Sworn Affidavits must ensure that the affidavits meet the following key pointers to ensure their validity:

- Name/s of deponent as they appear in the identity document and the identity number.
- Designation of the deponent as the **director**, **owner** or **member** must be indicated in order to know that person is duly authorised to depose of an affidavit. **(Mark the applicable option).**
- Name of enterprise as per enterprise registration documents issued by the CIPC, where applicable, and enterprise business address.
- Percentage of black ownership, black female ownership and designated group. In the case of specialised enterprises as per Statement 004, the percentage of black beneficiaries must be reflected. (**No blank spaces to be left**).
- Indicate total revenue for the year under review and whether it is based on **audited financial statements** or **management account**. **(Mark the applicable option).**
- Financial year end as per the **enterprise's registration documents**, which was used to determine the total revenue. (Financial year end to be stipulated by **day/month/year).**
- B-BBEE Status level. An enterprise can only have one status level. **(Tick applicable level)**
- Empowering supplier status must be indicated. For QSEs, the deponent must select the basis for the empowering supplier status.
- Date deponent signed and date of Commissioner of Oath must be the same. **(The sworn affidavit must be signed in the presence of the Commissioner of Oath. Furthermore the Commissioner must also sign and stamp)**
- Commissioner of Oath cannot be an employee or ex officio of the enterprise because, a person cannot by law, commission a sworn affidavit in which they have an interest.

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Name of Tenderer:

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Tenderer's Representative:

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Signature:

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Date:

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