



**SARAO**

South African Radio  
Astronomy Observatory

## **RE-ADVERTISEMENT**

**BID REFERENCE: NRF/SARAO SKA1/07/2022-23**

### **SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF OPTICAL FIBRE DROP CABLES WITH 5-YEAR WARRANTY (RE-ADVERTISEMENT)**

The South African Radio Astronomy Observatory ('SARAO') hereby invites submissions for the following tender -

<b>Bid Number</b>	<b>Bid Description</b>	<b>Bid Closing Date and Time</b>
NRF/SARAO SKA1/07/2022-23	SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF OPTICAL FIBRE DROP CABLES WITH 5-YEAR WARRANTY	Friday, 17 February 2023 at 11.00AM

#### **PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT SYSTEM:**

The 80/20 price and preference points system, as prescribed by Section 4 of the Preferential Procurement Regulations, 2022 issued under the Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act, (Act No 5 of 2000) (PPPFA) will be applied to evaluate this bid.

#### **EVALUATION CRITERIA:**

Bidders must meet each mandatory evaluation criterion specified in Stages 1 and 2 of the bid selection process in order to be evaluated further on price and BBBEE status level (Stage 3). Failure to do so will result in disqualification.

#### **BID PUBLICATION:**

The bid documentation may be obtained on the SARAO website: <http://www.sarao.ac.za/tenders/>, or the E-Tender Portal: <https://www.etenders.gov.za>

**BID SUBMISSION:**

Electronic submissions must be sent to [tenders@sarao.ac.za](mailto:tenders@sarao.ac.za) on or before the closing date, **Friday, 17 February 2023 at 11.00AM.**

Submissions received after 11.00AM will NOT be accepted.

Bid submissions should preferably be in PDF searchable format.

Bids must be submitted in two separate electronic folders, one with the compliance and technical response, and the second with the financial response. Technical submissions should preferably be in searchable PDF format.

Folders must be titled with the bidder's company name and folder title. Attachments are limited to 25 MB per email.

Bidders may use WeTransfer, Dropbox, or Google Drive to submit their bid submissions.

**BID ENQUIRIES:**

For technical queries, contact George Isoe, Email: [gisoe@sarao.ac.za](mailto:gisoe@sarao.ac.za)

For procedural queries, contact Anwuli Okecha, Email: [anwuli@sarao.ac.za](mailto:anwuli@sarao.ac.za)

**NOTE ON FRAUD OR CORRUPTION IN THE TENDER PROCESS:**

The NRF/SARAO would never offer payment or any other consideration in return for the favourable consideration of a bid. Please report any suspected acts of fraud or corruption to the following toll-free number - **0800 701 701 or SMS 39772.**