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No.	Date	Supplier Clarification Question	Eskom Response
1.	14/05/2025	Please provide drawing 201/61/D/1001 as mentioned in Attachment 1 - Dredging - NEC3 Term Service Contract (TSC3) draft	Drawing uploaded on tender bulletin
2.	14/05/2025	Please could you share Annexure D (Basin Layout), Annexure C (Sample of material) and the Basin Survey as referred to in the Description of Services document as I could not find it in the tender pack.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Annexure D (Basin Layout) – Drawing is attached 201/61/D/1001 b. Annexure C (Sample of material) - See attached c. Basin Survey as referred to in the Description of Services document as I could not find it in the tender pack. – See attached, last surveyed on 2024-08-23
3	14/05/2025	We hereby formally request an extension to the submission deadline for the dredging tender	Tender closing date extended to 28 May 2025.
4	14/05/2025	Can the Quality team please summarise the motivation and clarification for each of the requirements in the Functional Criteria (as discussed extensively)	The Quality requirement in the functional evaluation is a summarised version of what was discussed.
5	14/05/2025	Please provide the estimated distance from the point of dredging to the designated disposal area (pipeline distance)	The distance is about 800m
6	14/05/2025	The issue of equipment is tricky; we have our own equipment but for your particular site conditions we may need to outsource (depending on the drawings we receive). If we do outsource the equipment but can prove that we have unconditional access to the equipment (letter, plus maintenance history) does this still count as rental or ownership? And if we subcontract a supplier of a particular equipment does this count as rental or ownership?	Ownership and rental do not reduce any points. We just need to know that you will be able to perform the activity, with either ownership or hiring. Please bear in mind that the dredger will posted here at Koeberg Nuclear Power Station for the 8 years duration of contract. We will only pay for one Mobilisation and one Demobilisation.
7	14/05/2025	What is the length of the pipeline required.	The distance is about 800m
8	14/05/2025	Where will any floating debris such as Logs, vegetation & any plastic material which enters into the Koeberg Cooling water Intake Basin be dump and where on the pricing schedule do we record the price	Eskom provides skips for that purpose that are placed at the area and are collected when full.
9	14/05/2025	Attached is a specification sheet of the barge configuration we intend utilising and kindly request you to advise if such a	As long it will be able to do the work efficiently.

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		dredging system would be acceptable or must we stay with the traditional systems.	
10	26/05/2025	Are all vessels that are to be working in the intake basin to be SAMSA registered and have full SAMSA checks done yearly? The reason I ask this is that there is no provision made in the BOQ for the decommissioning and recommissioning of the dredge and other vessels. If this is the case are we to include this in the dredging rate	Yes, the vessel must have valid SAMSA LGSC at all times to be allowed to be at sea. It is the owner's responsibility to ensure compliance. LGSC is the licence (Sea worthy certificate) for the boat renewable annually by the owner.
11	26/05/2025	Will ESKOM be supplying and take responsibility for the 11kV switch to which we will connect our Transformer	An electrical design needs to be submitted and needs to be approved by system engineering before it will be allowed to be connected to the Eskom system
12	26/05/2025	Is the contractor obligated to undertake a minimum volume of dredging every month, or would it be possible to dredge say once per quarter after the first dredging campaign?	After the initial dredging as per the in-survey is done and the areas are green there will be months in winter where no dredging will take place and you wait for material till there is enough to dredge again. That's normally the time the contractor do services on his machine etc
13	26/05/2025	Is a performance bond required? The NEC contract is not clear on this	Performance bond not required
14	26/05/2025	Is the contractor required to have his staff on standby for the duration of the contract? In this case, can the contractor must charge a standby allowance to overcome the risk of staff not meeting Koeberg's alcohol testing policy in case of an emergency callout (2 hrs notice)	Koeberg does not require the dredging contractor to be on standby. It will be prerogative of the contractor to place his own stuff on standby to cover up for not meeting the target.
15	26/05/2025	Is 12hr shifts only required for emergency or outage related work and normal working hours applied outside of outage periods?	The dredging company will work normal hours during the outage or outside outage period. The contractor will decide when to place their stuff or extended shift or night shift based on the target they want to meet
16	26/05/2025	The requirement for the Site Manager to have an NEC Contract Certificate	This is Eskom requirement.
17	26/05/2025	The requirement for the Administrator to be trained in the SAP front-end program.	This is Eskom requirement