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	Date	Supplier Clarification Question	Eskom Response
1	2026-07-28	On page 33 of the NEC: The Standby allowance rate is a rate per person per day is that correct?	The Standby allowance rate is a rate per Team per day
2		A request for an extension of one week to the closing date, in order to allow sufficient time for the review of outstanding documentation and the preparation of a complete submission.	The extension has been granted from the 2026-08-06 to 2026-08-14
3		Item 2.1 on SDL&I (Annexure C) what is the intention since it's a rate base contract – separate item from BOQ to be submitted.	Designation is an Industrial Policy Instrument designed by the Department of Trade, Industry and Competition to stimulate demand goods that are designated for local production. State Owned Entities like Eskom are obliged to procure designated items locally as per Eskom's Preferential Procurement Policy. Local procurement of designated items applies to both direct procurement of goods and indirect procurement (services). Therefore the scaffolding service is viewed as indirect procurement of designated items i.e scaffolding and PPE. Eskom expects the tenderers to procure scaffolding and PPE that will be utilised in rendering a service to Eskom, locally. Tenderers are required to complete SBD6.2 and Annexure C if they will be procuring scaffolding and PPE specifically for this contract. If the tenderer has already acquired the scaffolding and the PPE, then there is no need to complete SBD 6.2 and Annexure C. The expectation for C9 is a list of items that the tenders will procure locally for the purposes of this transaction. A guide on how to complete Annexure C is attached for easy reference. It should be noted that SBD6.2 and Annexure C are not for price of

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			evaluation of the bid. SBD 6.2 and Annexure C are utilised to verify the local content of the designated products. Keletso to respond and the supplier to send the question
4		The document makes reference to Appendix A – Price List 3: Thermal Insulation Unit Rates. However, this appendix is not included as part of the Invitation to Tender (ITT) package.	Appendix A has been uploaded
5	2026-07-29	The tender does not specify the applicable labour rates. Bidder requests confirmation whether the labour rates are to be based on the MEIBC or BCEA?	Labour rates must be based on the applicable bargaining council rates and statutory requirements relevant to the work location and scope of services. For this scaffolding and lagging contract, bidders are required to comply with the applicable MEIBC bargaining council rates, where these apply, and all relevant labour legislation, including the Basic Conditions of Employment Act (BCEA) as a minimum standard. It is the bidder's responsibility to ensure that the tendered rates are compliant with all applicable labour agreements, wage determinations, and statutory requirements in force at the time of tender submission and contract execution.
6		Bidder requests clarification on the current transportation (bussing) arrangements for contractor personnel.	1.2 factor added for outage additional resources
7		TSC3 Document – Pg 29 of 83 – Item 11. “Average Weight – 7.49kg /m3 & 24,09kg / m2”, Eskom weight seems low as the industry usually work on 18kg/m3 and 38kg/m2 for	Bidders are required to price their submissions based on the quantities and weight assumptions stipulated in the tender document. Where a bidder's scaffold system has

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		Galv. Steel Kwikstage Scaffold. Bidder requests clarity	different material weight characteristics, any associated impacts must be accommodated within the bidder's pricing. The stated values are intended solely for tendering purposes and are not representative of industry-standard Kwikstage scaffold weights. Tenderers must base their offers on the tender requirements as issued, and any assumptions or deviations that may affect pricing must be clearly identified and disclosed in their submission.
8		TSC3 Document – Pg 27 of 83 – Item 1- 8. "Scaffold Structure", Bidder request clarity if the structures are for Towers, Birdcage, or independent structures?	Refer to measurements of volumes and examples for calculation methods linked to all the sizes on the draft contract
9		Prices 3: Thermal Insulation unit rates refer to Appedix A for insulation Unit Rates, this was not part of the RFQ, Bidder kindly requests this document (We have attached the 2022 document for reference which we assume is now Appendix A)	Appendix A has been uploaded
10		Insulation Specifications – Bidder kindly requests a copy of the insulation Specifications as it does not appear in the RFQ document.	Appendix A has been uploaded
11		TSC3 Document – Pg 37 of 83 – Includes for "5.1 Site Establishment" Fixed P&G, Bidder requests clarity where Time Related P&G Cost for Site Facilities, Office Equipment, and Site Equipment are to be included?? In 2022 we clarified this point of which the response from Eskom was that bidders to provide an additional schedule for other P&G's, kindly confirm if this is the case for this tender?	The pricing schedule provided in the tender document is intended to cater for all costs associated with the execution of the works, including both fixed and time-related Preliminary and General (P&G) items. Tenderers are required to make adequate provision within the applicable pricing schedule items for site facilities, office equipment, site equipment, and any other time-related costs necessary for the execution of the contract. No additional P&G schedule will be

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			issued for this tender; therefore, bidders must submit their pricing based on the schedules provided and ensure that all fixed and time-related P&G costs are incorporated within their tendered rates and prices. Any assumptions affecting pricing must be clearly stated in the bidder's submission.
12		TSC3 Document – Pg 38 of 83 – Items 7.1 - 7.3 Tenderers are requested to exclude Installation, delivery, Operator, etc. costs, bidder request clarity where these items are to be priced in?	Where such costs are required and are not included as part of the complete service, they will be compensated on a cost-reimbursable basis. Payment will be made in accordance with the NEC TSC provisions for Defined Cost plus the applicable Fee at the time the service is provided.
13		On-Boarding Process - Bidder requests clarity on the Time and Cost allocation	Fitness for duty and On-Boarding related costs are for the Contractors account.
14		Supplier needs to provide completed projects which involved Engineering support over the past 5 years highlighting the breakdown of scaffolding, lagging, and asbestos. kindly clarify the kind of engineering support evidence required in relation to Scaffolding, Lagging and Asbestos.	Any structural design work requiring engineering support, as stipulated in the NEC draft contract.