

NATIONAL LOTTERIES COMMISSION

REQUEST FOR QUOTATION FOR APPOINTMENT OF A SERVICE PROVIDER FOR THE PROVISION OF ADOBE ACROBAT LICENSES

BID PROCESS	BID REQUIREMENTS
Tender number	RFQ/2026-002-011
Bid Advertisement Date	17 February 2026
Closing date and time	20 February 2026 at 11:00am (South African Standard Time)
Tender validity period	60 days from the closing date
Submission Instruction	<p>The quotations and documents must be submitted or delivered to the address below and dropped in tender box:</p> <p>National Lotteries Commission Block D Hatfield Gardens 333 Grosvenor Street Hatfield.</p>

SECTION 1: BACKGROUND, OVERVIEW AND RFQ SCOPE OF REQUIREMENTS

1. INTRODUCTION

- 1.1. The National Lotteries Commission (NLC) is a public entity established in terms of the Lotteries Amendment Act (No 32 of 2013) to regulate the National Lottery as well as other lotteries, including society lotteries. The NLC evolved out of the National Lotteries Board, established in terms of the Lotteries Act No 57 of 1997. Amongst other things, the NLC is charged with the primary responsibility to manage the National Lottery Distribution Trust Fund (NLDTF) into which the proceeds of the National Lottery are deposited and subsequently distributed for good causes.

2. In line with the requirements of the Public Finance Management Act No. 1 of 1999 (PFMA) and Treasury Regulations, the NLC seeks to engage the services of duly qualified service providers. The NLC aims to engage the services of duly qualified service providers to submit a quotation for the provision of Adobe acrobat licenses.

3. RFQ TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION REQUIREMENTS

Procure, Supply and deliver Adobe Acrobat software licenses to the National Lotteries Commission.

No	Item Description	Specification	Qty	Comply/ Not Comply
1.	Supply and delivery of Adobe Acrobat	Adobe software licenses Version: 2021 or later <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Acrobat Standard • Annual licences • Extension on current 12 Months licenses (31 March 2026 – anniversary date) • VIP number: 1EB31694BAD2ABA4479A 	300	
2.	Additional	a) All licenses are to be ceded to the NLC. b) Delivery Lead Time: Indicate estimated delivery time for goods from date of receipt of a PO from the NLC. c) Indicate method of delivery of goods to NLC		

SECTION 2: NOTICE TO BIDDERS

1. Terms and conditions of Request for Quotation (RFQ)

- 1.1 This document may contain confidential information that is the property of the Commission.
- 1.2 No part of the contents may be used, copied, disclosed, or conveyed in whole or in part to any party in any manner whatsoever other than for preparing a proposal in response to this RFQ without prior written permission from the Commission.
- 1.3 All copyright and intellectual property herein vests with the Commission.
- 1.4 Late and incomplete submissions will not be accepted.
- 1.5 No services must be rendered, or goods delivered, before an official Commission Purchase Order form has been received.
- 1.6 This RFQ will be evaluated in terms of the 80/20 preference point system prescribed by the Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act of 2000 and PPR of 2022.
- 1.7 Suppliers are required to register on the Central Supplier Database at www.csd.gov.za.
- 1.8 Suppliers must provide their CSD registration number (and attach a CSD Summary report) and ensure that their tax matters are compliant.
- 1.9 All questions regarding this RFQ must be forwarded to quotation@nlcsa.org.za, no later than 24 hours of the RFQ closing date.
- 1.10 Any supplier who has reasons to believe that the RFQ specification is based on a specific brand must inform the Commission via the email address in 1.9.

2. General rules and instructions

- 2.1 News and press releases
 - 2.1.1 Bidders or their agents shall not make any news releases concerning this RFQ or the awarding of the same or any resulting agreement(s) without the consent of, and then only in co-ordination with, the Commission.
- 2.2 Precedence of documents
 - 2.2.1 This RFQ consists of several sections. Where there is a contradiction in terms between the clauses, phrases, words, stipulations, or terms and herein referred to generally as stipulations in this RFQ and the stipulations in any other document attached hereto, or the RFQ submitted hereto, the relevant stipulations in this RFQ shall take precedence.
 - 2.2.2 Where this RFQ is silent on any matter, the relevant stipulations addressing such matter, and which appear in the PPPFA shall take precedence. Bidders shall refrain from

incorporating any additional stipulations in its proposal submitted in terms hereof other than in the form of a clear marked recommendation that the Commission may in its sole discretion elect to import or to ignore. Any such inclusion shall not be used for any purpose of interpretation unless it has been so imported or acknowledged by the Commission.

2.2.3 It is acknowledged that all stipulations in the PPPFA are not equally applicable to all matters addressed in this RFQ. It, however, remains the exclusive domain and election of the Commission as to which of these stipulations are applicable and to what extent. Bidders are hereby acknowledging that the decision of the

commission in this regard is final and binding. The onus to enquire and obtain clarity in this regard rests with the Bidder(s). The Bidder(s) shall take care to restrict its enquiries in this regard to the most reasonable interpretations required to ensure the necessary consensus.

2.3 Preferential procurement reform

2.3.1 The commission supports B-BBEE as an essential ingredient of its business. In accordance with government policy, the commission insists that the private sector demonstrates its commitment and track record to B- BBEE in the areas of ownership (shareholding), skills transfer, employment equity and procurement practices (SMME Development) etc.

2.4 National Industrial Participation Programme.

2.4.1 The Industrial Participation policy, which was endorsed by Cabinet on 30 April 1997, is applicable to contracts that have an imported content. The NIP is obligatory and therefore must be complied with. Bidders are required to sign and submit the Standard Bidding Document (SBD).

2.5 Language

2.5.1 Quotations shall be submitted in English.

2.6 Gender

2.6.1 Any word implying any gender shall be interpreted to imply all other genders.

2.7 Headings

2.7.1 Headings are incorporated into this RFQ document and submitted in response thereto, for ease of reference only and shall not form thereof for any purpose of interpretation or for any other purpose.

2.8 Occupational Injuries and Diseases Act 13 of 1993

2.8.1 The Bidder warrants that all its employees (including the employees of any sub-contractor that may be appointed) are covered in terms of the Compensation for Occupational Injuries and Diseases Act 13 of 1993 and that the cover shall remain in force for the duration of the

adjudication of this RFQ and/ or subsequent agreement. the commission reserves the right to request the Bidder to submit documentary proof of the Bidder's registration and "good standing" with the Compensation Fund, or similar proof acceptable to the commission.

2.9 Processing of the Bidder's Personal Information

2.9.1 All Personal Information of the Bidder, its employees, representatives, associates and sub-contractors ("Bidder Personal Information") required under this RFQ is collected and processed for the purpose of assessing the content of its tender proposal and awarding the bid. The assessment and award of the bid shall be conducted in accordance with applicable legislation including the PPPFA and NLC SCM Policy.

The Bidder is advised that Bidder Personal Information may be passed on to third parties to whom the commission is compelled by law to provide such information. For example, where appropriate, the commission is compelled to submit information to National Treasury's Database of Restricted Suppliers.

2.9.2 All Personal Information collected will be processed in accordance with POPIA and with the commission Data Privacy Policy.

2.9.3 The commission will ensure that the rights of the Bidder and of its employees and representatives (i.e., the right of access and the right to rectify) are effectively guaranteed in accordance with the procedures as specified in the commission PAIA manual.

2.9.4 In signing this document, the Bidder consents to the use of its Personal Information for the purposes as specified in section 2.9.1 above.

3. National Treasury's Central Supplier Database

3.1 Bidders are required to self-register on National Treasury's Central Supplier Database (CSD) which has been established to centrally administer supplier information for all organs of state and facilitate the verification of certain key supplier information.

3.2 The Commission may not award business to a bidder who has failed to register on the CSD.

3.3 Only foreign suppliers with no local registered entity need not register on the CSD.

3.4 The CSD can be accessed at <https://secure.csd.gov.za/>

4. Confidentiality

4.1 Bids submitted for this Request for Quotations will not be revealed to any other bidders and will be treated as contractually binding.

4.2 The Commission reserves all the rights afforded to it by the POPIA in the processing of any of its information as contained in the quotation.

4.3 The Bidder acknowledges that it will obtain and have access to personal information of The Commission and agrees that it shall only process the information disclosed by the Commission in terms of this bid award and only for the purposes as detailed in this RFQ and in accordance with any applicable law.

4.4 The Bidder shall notify the Commission in writing of any unauthorized access to personal information and the information of a third party, through cybercrimes or suspected cybercrimes, in its knowledge and report such crimes or suspected crimes to the relevant authorities in accordance with applicable laws, after becoming aware of such.

5. Communication

5.1 Specific queries relating to this RFQ should be submitted quotation@nlcsa.org.za, before the closing date.

5.2 In the interest of fairness and transparency the Commission's response to such a query may be made available to other bidders.

5.3 It is prohibited for bidders to attempt, either directly or indirectly, to canvass any officer or employee of the Commission in respect of this RFQ between the closing date and the date of the award of the business.

5.4 Bidders found to be in collusion with one another will be automatically disqualified and restricted from doing business with organs of state for a specified period.

6. Supplier Performance

6.1 The National Lotteries Commission conducts regular performance reviews in accordance with the requirements for the classification of the contract and or stakeholder by making use of supplier evaluation forms. The evaluation is conducted against the deliverables or scope of the contract with a minimum of an annual review done for contracts longer than a year and a review at completion of contract for those contracts less than a year.

6.2 Ad-hoc performance reviews shall be conducted where non-performance is identified outside the review period.

6.3 Non-performance will be addressed with at least a formal letter advising specific non-performing areas and stating remedial action/s required within specific time frames. Non-adherence to remedial actions shall lead to escalating performance management actions.

6.4 Any party to this agreement may request to participate in a joint performance review where appropriate and seek continuous improvement opportunities.

Section 3: EVALUATION CRITERIA

The Commission will evaluate all quotations in terms of the Preferential Procurement Regulation of 2022 and the Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act. No. 5 of 2000 (PPPFA), BEE Status

Level of Contributor and Specified Goals as per the Preferential Procurement Regulations of 2022

Stage 1: Tender Closing and Opening

1.1 Tender closing details

Closing date for submission is **20 February 2026** Standard South African Time. Any late quotation will be accepted.

1.2 Bid Formats

- 1.2.1 Bid submissions must be submitted in a PDF format that is protected from any modifications, deletions, or additions.
- 1.2.2 Financial/pricing information must be presented in a separate attachment from the Technical/Functional Response information. The onus is on the Bidder to ensure that all mandatory and required documents are included in the electronic submission.
- 1.2.3 Submissions must be prominently marked with the full details of the tender, namely Bidder's Name, Tender No and Tender Title.
- 1.2.4 Bidders are advised to submit quotation at least thirty minutes before the bid closing time to cater for any possible delay in transmission or receipt of the bid. The onus is on bidder to ensure that the quotation is submitted on time.
- 1.2.5 The NLC will not be responsible for any failure or delay in the email transmission or receipt of the email including but not limited to:
 - Receipt of incomplete bid
 - File size (must not exceed 30mb)
 - Delay in transmission or receipt of the bid
 - Failure of the Bidder to properly identify the bid
 - Illegibility of the bid; or
 - Security of the bid data.

Stage 2: Administrative Compliance and Mandatory requirements

All bid respondents must submit mandatory documents that comply with all mandatory requirements. Bids that do not fully comply with the mandatory requirements will be disqualified and will not be considered for further evaluation.

The Administrative Compliance Evaluation will include the following:

Evaluation Criteria	Supporting Document
Returnable documents (standard bidding documents) and/or schedules were completed, duly signed by the authorized person.	Standard Bidding Document (SBD1; SBD 6.1) Forms
Signed consent form in terms of the Protection of Personal Information Act 4 of 2013 (POPIA) (Consent Forms Attached to the Bid as part of the SBDs).	Signed POPIA Consent Form
Registered with the central supplier database (CSD) with valid tax clearance compliant status on the closing date of submission of bid.	CSD Report with Tax Compliant Status.
BEE/Sworn Affidavit	Valid Certificate/Affidavit
In the event of the bidder being in a joint venture (JV), a joint/consolidated B-BBEE must be submitted.	Valid Joint/Consolidated B-BBEE Certificate/Affidavit

Pre-Qualification Criteria (Mandatory Requirements)

All bid respondents must submit mandatory documents that comply with all mandatory requirements. Bids that do not fully comply with the mandatory requirements will be disqualified and will not be considered for further evaluation.

Evaluation Criteria	Supporting Document
1. In the event of the bidder being in a joint venture (JV), a signed JV agreement must be submitted (where applicable)	JV Agreement
2. Bidders must submit a fully completed declaration of interest form (failure to declare honestly will lead to bidder being disqualified)	SBD 4

Stage 3: The 80/20 Principle based on Price and Special goal as stated below.

Points will be awarded to a bidder as follows.

1. Procurement from entities who are Black Owned	Sub - points for specific goals	Maximum points for specific goals	Relevant Evidence
Tenderer who have 100% black Ownership	8	8	Copies of ID's/3 months CIPC Report from the closing date of the bid/ CSD Recent Report
Tenderer who have 51% to 99% black ownership	4		
Tenderer who have less than 51% black ownership	0		
2. Procurement from entities who are Black women Owned		4	B-BBEE Certificate / B-BBEE Sworn Affidavit
Tenderer who have 100% women Ownership	4		
Tenderer who have 30% to 99% women ownership	2		
Tenderer who have less than 30% women Ownership	0		
3. Black Youth Ownership		4	B-BBEE Certificate / B- BBEE Sworn Affidavit
Tenderer who have 100% black youth ownership	4		
Tenderer who have 30% to 99% black youth Ownership	2		
Tenderer who have less than 30% black youth Ownership	0		
4. Procurement from Disabilities		4	Letter from the Doctor confirming disability and CSD report not older than 1 year from the date of the closing of the RFQ.
Tenderer who have 20% or more owners with disability	4		
Tenderer who have less than 20% but more than 10% owners with disability	2		
Tenderer who have less than 10% owners with disability	0		
Total points for specific goals		20	

Stage 4: Due Diligence

The NLC reserves the right to undertake a due diligence exercise on the preferred bidder/s as part of a material risk evaluation aimed at determining to its satisfaction the validity of the information provided by the Bidder. Such exercise shall be fully documented and may include, but need not be limited to, all or any combination of the following:

- Physical inspection of the Bidder's offices, branches or other places

- Verification of accuracy, correctness and authenticity of information provided
- Validation of the extent of compliance with the RFQ requirements and evaluation criteria based on what has so far been found by the evaluation team
- Inquiry and reference checking with National Treasury Restricted Suppliers
- Inquiry and reference checking with previous clients on the performance on ongoing or completed contracts, including physical inspections of previous work, as necessary.
- Financial Stability Assessments

Stage 5: Contract and Award

The stage is for negotiation after receipt of formal tenders and before the conclusion of contracts with suppliers/contractors submitting the lowest acceptable tender with a view to obtaining an improvement in price, delivery, or content, in circumstances which do not put other tender at a disadvantage or affect adversely their confidence or trust in the competitive system. Bidders may be requested to provide their best and final offers based on contract negotiations.



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PRICE SCHEDULE FOR THE PROVISION OF ADOBE ACROBAT LICENSES

ANNEXURE A: PRICING SCHEDULE: NAME OF BIDDER.....

No	Description	QUANTITY	PRICE PER QUANTITY	TOTAL PRICE EXCLUDING VAT
1	Adobe software licenses	300	R	R
SUBTOTAL				R
VAT @ 15%				R
TOTAL COST INCLUDING VAT				R

SCM: CONSENTREQUEST FORM

REQUEST FOR THE CONSENT OF A DATA SUBJECT FOR PROCESSING OF
PERSONAL INFORMATION FOR THE PURPOSE OF PROCUREMENT OF GOODS
AND SERVICES

APPLICATION, IN LINE WITH THE NLC's SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT POLICY, IN
TERMS OF SECTION 11(1)(a) OF THE PROTECTION OF PERSONAL INFORMATION
ACT, 2013 (ACT NO. 4 OF 2013) ("**POPIA**").

TO: _____

FROM: _____

ADDRESS: _____

Contact number: _____

Email address: _____

PART A

1. In terms of the PROTECTION OF PERSONAL INFORMATION ACT, consent for processing of personal information of a data subject (the person/entity to whom personal information relates) must be obtained for the purpose of processing of application for procurement of goods and services, in line with the NLC's supply chain management policy, and storage of your personal data by means of any form of electronic communication, including automatic calling machines, facsimile machines, SMSs or e-mail, which is prohibited unless written consent to the processing is given by the data subject. You may only be approached once for your consent by us (NLC). After you have indicated your wishes in Part B,

you are kindly requested to submit this Form either by post, facsimile or e-mail to the address, facsimile number or e-mail address as stated above.

2. "Processing" means any operation or activity or any set of operations, whether or not by automatic means, concerning personal information, including—
 - 2.1 the collection, receipt, recording, organization, collation, storage, updating or modification, retrieval, alteration, consultation or use.
 - 2.2 dissemination by means of transmission, distribution or making available in another form; or
 - 2.3 merging, linking, as well as restriction, degradation, erasure or destruction of information.
3. "Personal information" means information relating to an identifiable, living, natural person, and where it is applicable, an identifiable, existing juristic person, including, but not limited to—
 - 3.1 information relating to the race, gender, sex, pregnancy, marital status, national, ethnic or social origin, colour, sexual orientation, age, physical or mental health, well-being, disability, religion, conscience, belief, culture, language and birth of the person.
 - 3.2 information relating to the education or the medical, financial, criminal or employment history of the person.
 - 3.3 any identifying number, symbol, e-mail address, physical address, telephone number, location information, online identifier or other particular assignment to the person.
 - 3.4 the biometric information of the person.
 - 3.5 the personal opinions, views or preferences of the person.
 - 3.6 correspondence sent by the person that is implicitly or explicitly of a private or confidential nature or further correspondence that would reveal the contents of the original correspondence.
 - 3.7 the views or opinions of another individual about the person; and
 - 3.8 the name of the person if it appears with other personal information relating to the person or if the disclosure of the name itself would reveal information



the person.

Full names of the designated person on behalf of the Responsible Party

Signature of Designation person

**SBD 1 PART A
INVITATION TO BID**

**YOU ARE HEREBY INVITED TO BID FOR REQUIREMENTS OF THE (NAME OF DEPARTMENT/
PUBLIC ENTITY)**

BID NUMBER:	RFQ2026-002-011	CLOSING DATE:	20/02/2026	CLOSING TIME:	11:00
DESCRIPTION	REQUEST FOR QUOTATION FOR APPOINTMENT OF A SERVICE PROVIDER FOR THE PROVISION OF ADOBE ACROBAT LICENSES				

BID RESPONSE DOCUMENTS MAY BE SUBMITTED TO BELOW ADDRESS;

National Lotteries Commission Block D Hatfield Gardens

333 Grosvenor Street Hatfield.

BIDDING PROCEDURE ENQUIRIES MAY BE DIRECTED TO		TECHNICAL ENQUIRIES MAY BE DIRECTED TO:	
CONTACT PERSON	Supply Chain Management	CONTACT PERSON	SCM
TELEPHONE NUMBER	0124321309	TELEPHONE NUMBER	012 432 1308
FACSIMILE NUMBER		FACSIMILE NUMBER	
	quotation@nlcsa.org.za	E-MAIL ADDRESS	

SUPPLIER INFORMATION

NAME OF BIDDER					
POSTAL ADDRESS					
STREET ADDRESS					
TELEPHONE NUMBER	CODE		NUMBER		
CELLPHONE NUMBER					
FACSIMILE NUMBER	CODE		NUMBER		
E-MAIL ADDRESS					
VAT REGISTRATION NUMBER					
SUPPLIER COMPLIANCE STATUS	TAX COMPLIANCE SYSTEM PIN:		OR	CENTRAL SUPPLIER DATABASE No:	MAAA
B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL VERIFICATION CERTIFICATE	TICK APPLICABLE BOX] <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL SWORN AFFIDAVIT		TICK APPLICABLE BOX] <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

[A B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL VERIFICATION CERTIFICATE/ SWORN AFFIDAVIT (FOR EMES & QSEs) MUST BE SUBMITTED IN ORDER TO QUALIFY FOR PREFERENCE POINTS FOR B-

BBEE]

ARE YOU THE ACCREDITED REPRESENTATIVE IN SOUTH AFRICA FOR THE GOODS /SERVICES /WORKS OFFERED?

☐ Yes☐ No

[IF YES ENCLOSE PROOF]

ARE YOU A FOREIGN BASED SUPPLIER FOR THE GOODS /SERVICES /WORKS OFFERED?

☐ Yes☐ No

[IF YES, ANSWER THE QUESTIONNAIRE BELOW]

QUESTIONNAIRE TO BIDDING FOREIGN SUPPLIERS

IS THE ENTITY A RESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA (RSA)?

☐ YES ☐ NO

DOES THE ENTITY HAVE A BRANCH IN THE RSA?

☐ YES ☐ NO

DOES THE ENTITY HAVE A PERMANENT ESTABLISHMENT IN THE RSA?

☐ YES ☐ NO

DOES THE ENTITY HAVE ANY SOURCE OF INCOME IN THE RSA?

☐ YES ☐ NO

IS THE ENTITY LIABLE IN THE RSA FOR ANY FORM OF TAXATION?

☐ YES ☐ NO

IF THE ANSWER IS “NO” TO ALL OF THE ABOVE, THEN IT IS NOT A REQUIREMENT TO REGISTER FOR A TAX COMPLIANCE STATUS SYSTEM PIN CODE FROM THE SOUTH AFRICAN REVENUE SERVICE (SARS) AND IF NOT REGISTER AS PER 2.3 BELOW.

PART B
TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR BIDDING

1. BID SUBMISSION:

1.1. BIDS MUST BE DELIVERED BY THE STIPULATED TIME TO THE CORRECT ADDRESS. LATE BIDS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED FOR CONSIDERATION.

1.2. **ALL BIDS MUST BE SUBMITTED ON THE OFFICIAL FORMS PROVIDED– (NOT TO BE RE-TYPED) OR IN THE MANNER PRESCRIBED IN THE BID DOCUMENT.**

1.3. THIS BID IS SUBJECT TO THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT POLICY FRAMEWORK ACT, 2000 AND THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS, 2022, THE GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT (GCC) AND, IF APPLICABLE, ANY OTHER SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT.

1.4. **THE SUCCESSFUL BIDDER WILL BE REQUIRED TO FILL IN AND SIGN A WRITTEN CONTRACT FORM.**

2. TAX COMPLIANCE REQUIREMENTS

2.1 BIDDERS MUST ENSURE COMPLIANCE WITH THEIR TAX OBLIGATIONS.

2.2 BIDDERS ARE REQUIRED TO SUBMIT THEIR UNIQUE PERSONAL IDENTIFICATION NUMBER (PIN) ISSUED BY SARS TO ENABLE THE ORGAN OF STATE TO VERIFY THE TAXPAYER'S PROFILE AND TAX STATUS.

- 2.3 APPLICATION FOR TAX COMPLIANCE STATUS (TCS) PIN MAY BE MADE VIA E-FILING THROUGH THE SARS WEBSITE WWW.SARS.GOV.ZA.
- 2.4 BIDDERS MAY ALSO SUBMIT A PRINTED TCS CERTIFICATE TOGETHER WITH THE BID.
- 2.5 IN BIDS WHERE CONSORTIA / JOINT VENTURES / SUB-CONTRACTORS ARE INVOLVED; EACH PARTY MUST SUBMIT A SEPARATE TCS CERTIFICATE / PIN / CSD NUMBER.
- 2.6 WHERE NO TCS IS AVAILABLE BUT THE BIDDER IS REGISTERED ON THE CENTRAL SUPPLIER DATABASE (CSD), A CSD NUMBER MUST BE PROVIDED.
- 2.7 NO BIDS WILL BE CONSIDERED FROM PERSONS IN THE SERVICE OF THE STATE, COMPANIES WITH DIRECTORS WHO ARE PERSONS IN THE SERVICE OF THE STATE, OR CLOSE CORPORATIONS WITH MEMBERS PERSONS IN THE SERVICE OF THE STATE.”

NB: FAILURE TO PROVIDE / OR COMPLY WITH ANY OF THE ABOVE PARTICULARS MAY RENDER THE BID INVALID.

SIGNATURE OF BIDDER:

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CAPACITY UNDER WHICH THIS BID IS SIGNED:

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(Proof of authority must be submitted e.g. company resolution)

DATE:

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BIDDER'S DISCLOSURE

1. PURPOSE OF THE FORM

Any person (natural or juristic) may make an offer or offers in terms of this invitation to bid. In line with the principles of transparency, accountability, impartiality, and ethics as enshrined in the Constitution of the Republic of South Africa and further expressed in various pieces of legislation, it is required for the bidder to make this declaration in respect of the details required hereunder.

Where a person/s are listed in the Register for Tender Defaulters and / Or the List of Restricted Suppliers, that person will automatically be disqualified from the bid process.

2. Bidder's declaration

2.1 Is the bidder, or any of its directors / trustees / shareholders / members / partners or any person having a controlling interest¹ in the enterprise, employed by the state? **YES/NO**

2.1.1 If so, furnish particulars of the names, individual identity numbers, and, if applicable, state employee numbers of sole proprietor/ directors / trustees / shareholders / members/ partners or any person having a controlling interest in the enterprise, in table below.

Full Name	Identity Number	Name of State institution

¹ the power, by one person or a group of persons holding the majority of the equity of an enterprise, alternatively, the person/shaving the deciding vote or power to influence or to direct the course and decisions of the enterprise.

2.2 Do you, or any person connected with the bidder, have a relationship with any person who is employed by the procuring institution? **YES/NO**

2.2.1 If so, furnish particulars:

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2.3 Does the bidder or any of its directors / trustees / shareholders / members / partners or any person having a controlling interest in the enterprise have any interest in any other related enterprise whether or not they are bidding for this contract? **YES/NO**

2.3.1 If so, furnish particulars:

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3 DECLARATION

I, _____ the _____ undersigned,
 (name).....in
 submitting the accompanying bid, do hereby make the following
 statements that I certify to be true and complete in every respect:

- 3.1** I have read and I understand the contents of this disclosure;
- 3.2** I understand that the accompanying bid will be disqualified if this disclosure is found not to be true and complete in every respect;
- 3.3** 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 consortium² will not be construed as collusive bidding.
- 3.4** In addition, there have been no consultations, communications, agreements or arrangements with any competitor regarding the quality, quantity, specifications, prices, including methods, factors or formulas used to calculate prices, market allocation, the intention or decision to submit or not to submit the bid, bidding with the intention not to win the bid and conditions or delivery particulars of the products or services to which this bid invitation relates.
- 3.4** 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.

² 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.

- 3.5 There have been no consultations, communications, agreements or arrangements made by the bidder with any official of the procuring institution in relation to this procurement process prior to and during the bidding process except to provide clarification on the bid submitted where so required by the institution; and the bidder was not involved in the drafting of the specifications or terms of reference for this bid.
- 3.6 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.

I CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION FURNISHED IN PARAGRAPHS 1, 2 and 3 ABOVE IS CORRECT.

I ACCEPT THAT THE STATE MAY REJECT THE BID OR ACT AGAINST ME IN TERMS OF PARAGRAPH 6 OF PFMA SCM INSTRUCTION 03 OF 2021/22 ON PREVENTING AND COMBATING ABUSE IN THE SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT SYSTEM SHOULD THIS DECLARATION PROVE TO BE FALSE.

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Signature

.....
Date

.....

.....

Position

Name of Bidder

PREFERENCE POINTS CLAIM FORM IN TERMS OF THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS 2022

This preference form must form part of all tenders invited. It contains general information and serves as a claim form for preference points for specific goals.

NB: BEFORE COMPLETING THIS FORM, TENDERERS MUST STUDY THE GENERAL CONDITIONS, DEFINITIONS AND DIRECTIVES APPLICABLE IN RESPECT OF THE TENDER AND PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS, 2022

1. GENERAL CONDITIONS

1.1 The following preference point systems are applicable to invitations to tender:

- the 80/20 system for requirements with a Rand value of up to R50 000 000 (all applicable taxes included); and

1.2 To be completed by the organ of state

(delete whichever is not applicable for this tender).

- a) The applicable preference point system for this tender is the **80/20** preference points system.
- b) The **80/20 preference point system** will be applicable in this tender. The lowest/highest acceptable tender will be used to determine the accurate system once tenders are received.

1.3 Points for this tender (even in the case of a tender for income-generating contracts) shall be awarded for:

- (a) Price; and
- (b) Specific Goals.

1.4 To be completed by the organ of state:

The maximum points for this tender are allocated as follows:

	POINTS
PRICE	80
SPECIFIC GOALS	20
Total points for Price and SPECIFIC GOALS	100

1.5 Failure on the part of a tenderer to submit proof or documentation required in terms of this tender to claim points for specific goals with the tender, will be

interpreted to mean that preference points for specific goals are not claimed.

- 1.6 The organ of state reserves the right to require a tenderer, either before a tender is adjudicated or at any time subsequently, to substantiate any claim in regard to preferences, in any manner required by the organ of state.

2. DEFINITIONS

- (a) **“tender”** means a written offer in the form determined by an organ of state in response to an invitation to provide goods or services through price quotations, competitive tendering process or any other method envisaged in legislation;
- (b) **“price”** means an amount of money tendered for goods or services, and includes all applicable taxes less all unconditional discounts;
- (c) **“rand value”** means the total estimated value of a contract in Rand, calculated at the time of bid invitation, and includes all applicable taxes;
- (d) **“tender for income-generating contracts”** means a written offer in the form determined by an organ of state in response to an invitation for the origination of income-generating contracts through any method envisaged in legislation that will result in a legal agreement between the organ of state and a third party that produces revenue for the organ of state, and includes, but is not limited to, leasing and disposal of assets and concession contracts, excluding direct sales and disposal of assets through public auctions; and
- (e) **“the Act”** means the Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act, 2000 (Act No.5 of 2000).

3. FORMULAE FOR PROCUREMENT OF GOODS AND SERVICES

3.1. POINTS AWARDED FOR PRICE

3.1.1 THE 80/20 OR 90/10 PREFERENCE POINT SYSTEMS

A maximum of 80 points is allocated for price on the following basis:

80/20

$$P_s = 80 \left(1 - \frac{P_t - P_{\min}}{P_t - P_{\min}} \right)$$

Where

Ps = Points scored for price of tender under consideration
Pt = Price of tender under consideration
Pmin = Price of lowest acceptable tender

3.2. FORMULAE FOR DISPOSAL OR LEASING OF STATE ASSETS AND INCOMEGENERATINGPROCUREMENT

Where

Ps = Points scored for price of tender under consideration
Pt = Price of tender under consideration
Pmax = Price of highest acceptable tender

4. POINTS AWARDED FOR SPECIFIC GOALS

- 4.1. In terms of Regulation 4(2); 5(2); 6(2) and 7(2) of the Preferential Procurement Regulations, preference points must be awarded for specific goals stated in the tender. For the purposes of this tender the tender will be allocated points based on the goals stated in table 1 below as may be supported by proof/ documentation stated in the conditions of this tender:
- 4.2. In cases where organs of state intend to use Regulation 3(2) of the Regulations, which states that, if it is unclear whether the 80/20 preference point system applies, an organ of state must, in the tender documents, stipulate in the case of—
 - (a) an invitation for tender for income-generating contracts, that either the 80/20 or preference point system will apply and that the highest acceptable tender will be used to determine the applicable preference point system; or
 - (b) any other invitation for tender, that either the 80/20 preference point system will apply and that the lowest acceptable tender will be used to determine the applicable preference point system,

then the organ of state must indicate the points allocated for specific goal for both the 90/10 and 80/20 preference point system

Table 1: Specific goals for the tender and points claimed are indicated per the table below. *Note to tenderers: The tenderer must indicate how they claim points for each preference point system.)*

1. Procurement from entities who are Black Owned	Sub - points for specific goals	Maximum points for specific goals	To be completed by the bidder
Tenderer who have 100% black Ownership	8	8	
Tenderer who have 51% to 99% black ownership	4		
Tenderer who have less than 51% black ownership	0		
2. Procurement from entities who are Black women Owned		4	
Tenderer who have 100% women Ownership.	4		
Tenderer who have 30% to 99% women ownership	2		
Tenderer who have less than 30% women ownership	0		
3. Black Youth Ownership		4	
Tenderer who have 100% black youth ownership	4		
Tenderer who have 30% to 99% black youth ownership	2		
Tenderer who have less than 30% black youth ownership	0		
4. Procurement from Disabilities		4	
Tenderer who have 20% or more owners with disability	4		
Tenderer who have less than 20% but more than 10% owners with disability	2		
Tenderer who have less than 10% owners with disability	0		

Total points for specific goals		20	
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DECLARATION WITH REGARD TO COMPANY/FIRM

4.3. Name of company/firm.....

4.4. Company registration number:

4.5. TYPE OF COMPANY/ FIRM

- ☐ Partnership/Joint Venture / Consortium
- ☐ One-person business/sole propriety Close corporation
- ☐ Public Company
- ☐ Personal Liability Company (Pty) Limited
- ☐ Non-Profit Company
- ☐ State Owned Company[TICK APPLICABLE BOX]

4.6. I, the undersigned, who is duly authorized to do so on behalf of the company/firm, certify that the points claimed, based on the specific goals as advised in the tender, qualifies the company/ firm for the preference(s) shown and I 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 paragraphs 1.4 and 4.2, the contractor may be required to furnish documentary proof to the satisfaction of the organ of state that the claims are correct;
- iv) If the specific goals have been claimed or obtained on a fraudulent basis or any of the conditions of contract have not been fulfilled, the organ of state may, in addition to any other remedy it may have –

- (a) disqualify the person from the tendering 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 favorable arrangements due to such cancellation.
- (d) recommend that the tenderer or contractor, its shareholders and directors, or only the shareholders and directors who acted on a fraudulent basis, be restricted from obtaining business from any organ of state for a period not exceeding 10 years, after the *audi*
- (e) *alteram partem* (hear the other side) rule has been applied; and
- (f) forward the matter for criminal prosecution, if deemed necessary.

SIGNATURE(S) OF TENDERER(S).....

SURNAME AND

NAME.....

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