

Subject	Specifications	
Project Name	Appointment of Guarding Services at the following sites: Regional Quarters SAPO Building in Port Elizabeth, North End Post office, Lusikisiki Post office, East London Post office, Nqamakwe Post office, Queenstown Post Office ,Fort Beaufort Post Office, Cofimvaba Post office, Bizana Post Office, Flagstaff, Idutywa Post Office and Willowvale Post Office	
Reference	RFQ	

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Background & Objective of Bid

South African Post Office Limited requires a service provider/s to provide a guarding solution at the Appointment of Guarding Services at the following sites: Regional Quarters SAPO Building in Port Elizabeth, North End Post office, Lusikisiki Post office, East London Post office, Nqamakwe Post office, Queenstown Post Office, Fort Beaufort Post Office, Cofimvaba Post office, Bizana Post Office, Flagstaff, Idutywa Post Office and Willowvale Post Office.

The duration of this contract is for three months (3 months) starting on the 01 July 2023 for all 11/Eleven Branches except the Regional Office building which should start on 21 July 2023.

2. Objective of bid

To appoint a guarding company for guarding at the following sites: Regional Quarters SAPO Building in Port Elizabeth, North End Post office, Lusikisiki Post office, East London Post office, Nqamakwe Post office, Queenstown Post Office ,Fort Beaufort Post Office, Cofimvaba Post office, Bizana Post Office, Flagstaff, Idutywa Post Office and Willowvale Post Office.

3. Scope of work

The service provider shall achieve the following deliverables, each of which is a specific deliverable required by SAPO without limitation to the services or any related obligation, activity or responsibility described in this Scope of Work or the Contract:

3.1 To provide a guarding service with 1 X Grade C levels. The service must be rendered Night Shift at North End Post office, Lusikisiki Post office, Nqamakwe Post office, Queenstown Post Office ,Fort Beaufort Post Office, Cofimvaba Post office, Bizana Post Office, Flagstaff, Idutywa Post Office and Willowvale Post Office, which should include day shift service during public holidays and over the weekends. PLEASE NOTE THE FOLLOWING:

The Regional Quarters SAPO Building in Port Elizabeth should be provided with 2X night shift guards to be deployed 7 days a week. East London Main Post Office should be provided with 2 x day and night shift guards 7days a week.

The security company must be PSIRA registered and provide PSIRA registered and accredited armed guards.

- 3.2 To safeguard SAPO assets, employees, customers and service providers.
- 3.3 To control access into the premises and building during the day.
- 3.4 Security officers to have a form of communication possibly a radio or a cellphone.



3.5 To provide detailed reports to SAPO, Security and Investigations office of any incident or service irregularity within a 24 hour turnaround of the incident occurring. This does not however stop the security company from informing Security and Investigations immediately when a service irregularity or an incident occurs.

4. Requirements

- 4.1 The implementation of physical security, access control and other security measures, aimed at preventing and or deterring crime. Identified risks and threats to the Regional Quarters SAPO Building in Port Elizabeth, North End Post office, Lusikisiki Post office, East London Post office, Nqamakwe Post office, Queenstown Post Office, Fort Beaufort Post Office, Cofimvaba Post office, Bizana Post Office, Flagstaff, Idutywa Post Office and Willowvale Post Office and in so doing, safeguard SAPO assets, employees, customers and suppliers.
- 4.2 Reporting and documenting any damage, loss or incident of any nature within 48 hours of deployment, to the respective SAPO Regional Manager/ contact person.
- 4.3 Identify cause and prevent injury or death to any person within the deployment point/s.
- 4.4 Occurrence Book/s (OB) must be maintained at deployment point/s.
- 4.5 Respond to and report any irregularities, unsafe acts and unsafe conditions.
- 4.6 Regular patrolling of deployment point/s in order to enforce and maintain law and order and to prevent /detect damage, destruction, sabotage, vandalism, theft and assault.
- 4.7 Guards are to be visited three times per shift on a four hourly basis.
- 4.8 Have local SAPS telephone number at their disposal.
- 4.9 Report any suspicious people to your supervisor and security and investigation personnel.
- 4.10 Implement physical and procedural measures, aimed at preventing identified risks and threats to the Regional Quarters SAPO Building in Port Elizabeth, North End Post office, Lusikisiki Post office, East London Post office, Nqamakwe Post office, Queenstown Post Office, Fort Beaufort Post Office, Cofimvaba Post office, Bizana Post Office, Flagstaff, Idutywa Post Office and Willowvale Post Office.

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5. Resource Requirements

SAPO will contract with the successful bidder based on the (estimated) resources and the total price per grade. Bidders will submit their services rates per hour which must also be quantified in a monthly and annual rate, as per Annexure A.

The number of guarding resources indicated in the bid is but an estimate, the required resource could increase or decrease during the bidding process, at the contractual stage and during the course of the three month contract term.

6. Uniform and Equipment Requirements

All guards deployed to SAPO premises must be dressed according to the following dress code.

6.1 Uniform

All guards deployed to the service areas must be dressed and equipped appropriately. Retail and Support sites - formal (collar, tie & step in / lace up shoes):

- Rain Suit
- Handcuffs
- Hand held metal detector
- Reflector jacket
- Baton
- Torch
- Pocket book and pen
- Occurrence book
- Hand held radio incorporating a panic facility and guard tracking capability
- Firearm Competency certificate

NOTE: The costing of radios, firearms and uniform is to be costed into the prices as reflected in Annexure A.

6.2 The following operational penalties / liabilities will apply in the event of, but not limited to the following:

	Late Posting	R200.00
	Incomplete Uniform	R100.00
	Short Posting	R200.00
•	No OB or incomplete	R50.00
	No or insufficient site visits	R50.00
=	Guards posted without firearms (Where required)	R200.00

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