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CLARIFICATIONS 1

CLARIFICATION REQUEST	CLARIFICATION RESPONSE
1. Are we expected to put forward CVs for disciplines referenced as Architectural. If so, how will these CVs be scored?	Not an eval criterion, so won't be scored
2. Can we use one CV for multi-disciplines?	No, unique CVs need to be provided per discipline
3. Can we confirm that Geotech resources won't necessarily have ECSA registration, however they will have certification accepted by ECSA.	No, Geotech resources must be ECSA registered
4. Will a single reference letter be acceptable for several projects?	Yes, provided that the reference letter is detailed in terms of the projects worked on and the associated timeframes
5. Regarding financial statements, will it be acceptable if we were to send an abridged version of such?	Only three years audited financial statements
6. We require further clarity on the evaluation method for bidders that pass the 65% functionality threshold. How will the final evaluation be performed with no competitive financial component?	If two or more tenderers score an equal total number of points, the contract must be awarded to the tenderer that scored the highest points for specific goals. If two or more tenderers score equal total points in all respects, the award must be decided by the drawing of lots.
7. Page 1 of 6 and 2 of 6: CV's for personnel for all identified posts will be assessed according to the scoring in the table below – All professionals are classified as BSc / BEng / BTech (which is Pr. Eng / Pr. Tech Eng).	Correct
8. Page 3 of 6: The scoring of the Staff and Resources will be as follows – The scoring table only speaks to the Pr Eng whereas above included either Pr. Eng or Pr Tech Eng.	Yes Pr Tech Eng will be accepted
9. Do we have to print out the tender document (143 pages) and complete with ink or can we edit/ type on document	No need to print out the document, electronic signatures. No amendments to the RFP will be accepted
10. Please advise if specialist consultants like Railway Engineers and Coastal / Harbour Engineers can be in more than one bidding consortium team. These are specialist engineering disciplines with a few companies offering them.	No can only form part of one bidding team
Clarifications 2	

FOR THE PROVISION OF ENGINEERING AND CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT SERVICES FOR THE PROJECTS AT VARIOUS PORT TERMINALS FOR TRANSNET SOC LTD (REG. NO. 1990/000900/30) OPERATING AS TRANSNET PORT TERMINALS (HEREINAFTER REFERRED TO AS "TPT") FOR A PERIOD OF THREE (3) YEARS.



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<p>1. One more question for clarification, will the subcontractors also be required to submit them CVs just like I will be doing for my team members.</p> <p>In other words, is it a requirement for all personnel involved In the project, including subcontractors to submit their CVs for review and approval?</p>	<p>It is not required as part of the tender submission. However, sub-contractors will be required to meet the criteria. This will be assessed on task order proposal assessment.</p>
<p>2. In terms of scoring resources with regards to the project list below, it is very unlikely to find candidates that will successfully meet the functionality criterion i.e. its very unlikely to find a geotechnical engineer that has experience in concrete paving or stormwater projects or an electrical engineer that has experience on stormwater projects or concrete paving projects. Please can this evaluation criteria be relooked at in line of realistic industry norms and experience per a resource.</p> <p><i>(Types of Projects: (1) Building Projects, (2) Container Handling Projects, (3) Bulk Material Handling Projects, (4) Concrete Paving, (5) Road Upgrade Projects, (6) Rail Upgrade Projects, (7) Fire-fighting Projects (8) Stormwater Projects (9) sub-station refurbishment Projects (10) Port Terminal Capacity Upgrade Projects)</i></p> <p>Furthermore, please confirm that PrTech Engineers are excluded and only PR Eng candidates will be scored?</p>	<p>We have requested discipline specific experience in certain project types. So tenderers need to demonstrate that the resource has worked in its specific discipline on the respective type of project.</p> <p>Yes Pr Tech Eng will be accepted</p>
<p>3. Can we request tender closing extension</p>	<p>Awaiting permission to extend the tender closing date</p>
<p>4. Please advise if we should submit bonds/insurance as general returnable T2.2-15</p>	<p>Yes, please submit as per requirement</p>
<p>5. Are fire-fighting and stormwater projects grouped for a particular reason?</p>	<p>While it is noted that different engineering skills are required for these types of projects, there is also an overlap and they are grouped for this reason.</p>
<p>6. In light of the requests for clarification, we kindly ask for an extension to ensure we can fully align on expectations and other relevant details.</p>	<p>Awaiting permission to extend the tender closing date</p>