UMZINYATHI DISTRICT MUNICIPALITY



Q02291

SPECIFICATION AND BID DOCUMENT <u>002291 SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF</u> STATIONERY FOR TECHNICAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

CLOSING DATE:	17 JANUARY 2023
CLOSING TIME:	12H00 PM
NAME OF BIDDER:	
POSTAL ADDRESS:	······································
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FAX NUMBER:	
F. MAIL ADRESS.	

ADVERTISEMENT

The bid documents must be clearly marked. Supply and delivery of Stationery for Technical Services Department.

Bid documents will be available from the date of the advert at www.etenders.gov.za

Bid documents must be placed in the tender box situated at the offices of the UMzinyathi District Municipality Offices, 39 Victoria Street, Princess Magogo Building, Dundee, 3000, on or before **12h00 on Tuesday, 17 January 2023** where all bids will be opened in public. Telegraphic, faxed, emailed tender documents will not be accepted. Bidders must attach the following mandatory returnable documents in order to be considered for this bid:

- Printed copy tax clearance certificate or a pin for further verification.
- Certified ID(s) copies of company director(s)
- Certified Proof of company registration,
- Company municipal rates, electricity or water account not older than 3 Months, proof
 of Residential lease or rental or sworn affidavit if the business operates at a place of
 residence.
- Completed, stamped (company stamp)and signed Municipal Bidding Document attached in the tender document.
- In addition to MBD'S, quotation must be submitted on the company letterhead
- Proof of registration Central Supplier database.
- Certified proof of BBBEE certificate/Original sworn affidavit

Tenders will be adjudicated in terms of the Council Supply Chain Management Policy on the 80/20 Preferential Point System. It is therefore compulsory that the municipal tender document be used. UMzinyathi District Municipality is not bound to accept the lowest or any quote.

The following conditions will apply:

- Price(s) must be valid for at least thirty (30) days from date of your offer.
- Price(s) must be firm and must be inclusive of VAT and disbursements

NB: No Bids will be considered from persons in the service of the state.

2. SPECIFICATION FOR STATIONERY DEPARTMENT

FOR TECHINICAL SERVICES

- 1. 30 x Erase
- 2. 2 x Document trays
- 3. 10 x Sign here stickers
- 4. 20 x A4 envelope white-Box
- 5. 20 x A4 envelope brown-Box
- 6. 30 x Pritt glue stick
- 7. 10 x Calculator
- 8. 20 x Highlighter- Pack
- 9. 20 x Sticky notes
- 10. 10 x Arch LVER file storage
- 11. 50 x A4 printing papers- Box
- 12. 10 x Monthly file dividers
- 13. 20 x Correction pen- Pack
- 14. 50 x Lever arch file- Box
- 15. 10 x Butterfly clear adhesive roll-10M x 450 MM
- 16. 10 x 110 x 220 MM Envelope white
- 17. 20 x Scissors
- 18. 30 x Gel pen BLK rectreat
- 19. 20 x Small stamples size 26- Box of 5000
- 20. 20 x Verbatin AA battery
- 21. 20 x Ruler
- 22. 50 x 2 Quire counter books
- 23. 15 x USB 32 GB

- 24. 15 x USB 16 GB
- 25. 10 x Assorted text marker wallet of 4S
- 26. 20 x Bluetooth mouse
- 27. 10 x Rubber bends 100G
- 28. 15 x Staples- heavy duty
- 29. 20 x Bulldog clips-22 MM
- 30. 30 x Clutch pencils
- 31. 30 x Gel retractable (12 in a box)
- 32. 5 x Heavy duty staple remover
- 33. 15 x Laptop bags
- 34. 10 x Clear selotape
- 35. 10 x Refill lead pencil 0.5MM HB (0.020)
- 36. 5 x Engineering calculator
- 37. 10 x Hard drives
- **38. 10 x Dividers in numbers (1-31)**
- 39. 2 x 35MM Binding combs- 100 in box
- 40. 5 x Self-adhesive sticky book cover plastic film roll
- 41. 10 x Foldback clips- size 15
- 42. 10 x Pens pentel BK77-A super black
- 43. 20 x A3 White envelops-Box
- In addition to MBD'S, quotation must be submitted on the company letterhead listing all items

3. EVALUATION OF TENDER

Compulsory Returnable Documentation

Compulsory documents to be submitted:

- MBD 1: Invitation to Tender (must be completed and signed)
- Copy tax clearance certificate accompanied by a pin for further verification in the name of the tenderer
- o MBD 3.1: Pricing Schedule
- MBD 4: Declaration of Interest
- MBD 6.1: Preferential Procurement Claim Form
- MBD 8: Declaration of past Supply Chain Management Practice
- MBD 9: Certificate of Independent Bid
- Certified Proof of company registration
- certified copies of owners identity document (Not older than three months)
- Company municipal rates, electricity or water account not older than 3 Months, proof
 of Residential lease or rental or sworn affidavit if the business operates at a place of
 residence

Preference Point System 80/20

No.	DESCRIPTION	POINTS
1	Price	80
2	BBBEE Status level of contribution	20
	TOTAL	100

Bidders are encouraged to submit original or certified BBBEE certificates or sworn affidavit to claim preference points.





PRINCESS MAGOGO BUILDING, 39 Victoria Street, Dundee 3000, Tel: 034 219 1500, Fax: 034 218 1940 e-mail:rc3@umzinyathi.gov.za

MBD1 PART A

INVITATION TO BID

	INVITATION TO BID							
	YOU ARE HEREBY INVITED TO BID FOR REQUIREMENTS OF THE UMZINYATHI DISTRICT MUNICIPALITY							
BID NUMBER:	Q02291	CLOSING DATE:	17 January 2023	CLOSING TIME:	12H00			
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DESCRIPTION SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF STATINERY FOR TECHNICAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT.								
THE SUCCESSFUL BIDDER WILL BE REQUIRED TO FILL IN AND SIGN A WRITTEN CONTRACT FORM (MBD7).								

BID RESPONSE DOCUMENTS MAY BE DEPOSITED IN THE BID BOX SITUATED AT (STREET ADDRESS							
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TAX COMPLIANCE STATUS	TCS PIN:			OR	CSD No:		
B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL VERIFICATION CERTIFICATE] Yes			STATUS LEVEL		☐ Yes
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TOTAL NUMBER OF ITEMS OFFERED				TO	OTAL BID PRICE		R
SIGNATURE OF BIDDER					DATE		
CAPACITY UNDER WHICH THIS BID IS SIGNED	••••••	••••••	•••••	<u> </u>	DAIE		
BIDDING PROCEDURE ENQUIRIES MAY	BE DIRECTED TO	D :		TECHI	NICAL INFORMA	TION	I MAY BE DIRECTED TO:
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E-MAIL ADDRESS							

MBD1

PART B TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR BIDDING

	BID SUBMISSION: BIDS MUST BE DELIVERED BY THE STIPULATED TIME TO THE ACCEPTED FOR CONSIDERATION.	CORRECT ADDRESS. LATE BIDS WILL NOT I	BE
1.2.	ALL BIDS MUST BE SUBMITTED ON THE OFFICIAL FORMS PROV	VIDED- (NOT TO BE RE-TYPED) OR ONLINE	
1.3.	THIS BID IS SUBJECT TO THE PREFERENTIAL PROCURE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS, 2017, THE GENI APPLICABLE, ANY OTHER SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT.	ERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT (GCC) AND,	
2.	TAX COMPLIANCE REQUIREMENTS		
2.1	BIDDERS MUST ENSURE COMPLIANCE WITH THEIR TAX OBLIGA	ITIONS.	
2.2	BIDDERS ARE REQUIRED TO SUBMIT THEIR UNIQUE PERSONAL TO ENABLE THE ORGAN OF STATE TO VIEW THE TAXPAYER'S	IDENTIFICATION NUMBER (PIN) ISSUED BY SAF PROFILE AND TAX STATUS.	RS
2.3	APPLICATION FOR THE TAX COMPLIANCE STATUS (TCS) CERTIF IN ORDER TO USE THIS PROVISION, TAXPAYERS WILL NEED TO THE WEBSITE WWW.SARS.GOV.ZA.		
2.4	FOREIGN SUPPLIERS MUST COMPLETE THE PRE-AWARD QUES	TIONNAIRE IN PART B:3.	
2.5	BIDDERS MAY ALSO SUBMIT A PRINTED TCS CERTIFICATE TOG	ETHER WITH THE BID.	
2.6	IN BIDS WHERE CONSORTIA / JOINT VENTURES / SUB-CONTISUBMIT A SEPARATE TCS CERTIFICATE / PIN / CSD NUMBER.	RACTORS ARE INVOLVED, EACH PARTY MUS	ST
2.7	WHERE NO TCS IS AVAILABLE BUT THE BIDDER IS REGISTERED A CSD NUMBER MUST BE PROVIDED.	ON THE CENTRAL SUPPLIER DATABASE (CSI	D),
3.	QUESTIONNAIRE TO BIDDING FOREIGN SUPPLIERS		
3.1.	IS THE ENTITY A RESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRIC	CA (RSA)?	,
3.2.	DOES THE ENTITY HAVE A BRANCH IN THE RSA?	☐ YES ☐ NO	1
3.3.	DOES THE ENTITY HAVE A PERMANENT ESTABLISHMENT IN THI	E RSA? ☐ YES ☐ NO	
3.4.	DOES THE ENTITY HAVE ANY SOURCE OF INCOME IN THE RSA?	P	
3.5.	IS THE ENTITY LIABLE IN THE RSA FOR ANY FORM OF TAXATION	N?	
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	AILURE TO PROVIDE ANY OF THE ABOVE PARTICULARS WILL REDS WILL BE CONSIDERED FROM PERSONS IN THE SERVICE OF T		
SIGN	IATURE OF BIDDER:		
CAP	ACITY UNDER WHICH THIS BID IS SIGNED:		
DATE			

PRICING SCHEDULE - FIRM PRICES

(PURCHASES)

NOTE: ONLY FIRM PRICES WILL BE ACCEPTED. NON-FIRM PRICES (INCLUDING PRICES SUBJECT TO RATES OF EXCHANGE VARIATIONS) WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED

MBD 3.1

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DESCRIPTION	QUANTITY	AMOUNT
COMPANY STAMP	SUB-TOTAL	
	VAT (15%)	
	TOTAL	

Note: All delivery costs must be included in the bid price, for delivery at the prescribed destination.

CONDITIONS OF TENDER

- Price(s) quoted must be valid for at least thirty (30) days from date of offer for evaluation purposes.
- Price(s) quoted must be firm and include VAT
- Tenderers original valid tax clearance certificate must be attached.
- Tender original or certified B-BBEE Certificate must be attached to the document
- Tender documents signed by a person who does not have authority to sign will be disqualified.
- Tenderers who did not complete the compulsory questionnaire, who abuse the employer's supply chain management system will not be conceded
- Non-collusion affidavit to be executed by bidder and submitted with the bid.

^{** &}quot;all applicable taxes" includes value- added tax, pay as you earn, income tax, unemployment insurance fund contributions and skills development levies.

YES / NO

DECLARATION OF INTEREST

- 1. No bid will be accepted from persons in the service of the state.
- 2. Any person, having a kinship with persons in the service of the state, including a blood relationship, may make an offer or offers in terms of this invitation to bid. In view of possible allegations of favouritism, should the resulting bid, or part thereof, be awarded to persons connected with or related to persons in service of the state, it is required that the bidder or their authorised representative declare their position in relation to the evaluating/adjudicating authority.

	oidder or their authorised representative declare their position in relation to the evaluating/adjudicating authority.
3	n order to give effect to the above, the following questionnaire must be completed and submitted with the bid.
	.1 Full Name of bidder or his or her representative:
	.2 Identity Number:
	.3 Position occupied in the Company (director, trustee, hareholder²):
	.4 Company Registration Number:
	.5 Tax Reference Number:
	.6 VAT Registration Number:
	.7 The names of all directors / trustees / shareholders members, their individual identity numbers and state employee numbers must be indicated in paragraph 4 below.
	.8 Are you presently in the service of the state? YES / NO
	3.8.1 If yes, furnish particulars.
(a) (b) (c) (d) (e) (f)	Regulations: "in the service of the state" means to be – member of –) any municipal council; i) any provincial legislature; or ii) the national Assembly or the national Council of provinces; member of the board of directors of any municipal entity; n official of any municipality or municipal entity; n employee of any national or provincial department, national or provincial public entity or constitutional institution rithin the meaning of the Public Finance Management Act, 1999 (Act No.1 of 1999); member of the accounting authority of any national or provincial public entity; or n employee of Parliament or a provincial legislature. eholder" means a person who owns shares in the company and is actively involved in the management of the any or business and exercises control over the company.
	.9 Have you been in the service of the state for the past twelve months?YES / NO
	3.9.1 If yes, furnish particulars
	.10 Do you have any relationship (family, friend, other) with persons in the service of the state and who may be involved with the evaluation and or adjudication of this bid?
	3.10.1 If yes, furnish particulars.

3.11 Are you, aware of any relationship (family, friend, other) between any other bidder and any persons in the

service of the state who

3.11.1 If yes, furnish particulars

May be involved with the evaluation and or adjudication of this bid?

3.12	Are any of the company's directors	, trustees, managers, Principle share	cholders or stakeholders in service of the state? YES , NO
3.12.1	1 If yes, furnish particulars.		
3.13		of the company's directors truste	es, managers, principle shareholders
stakel n service of	holders the state?		YES / NO
	3.13.1 If yes, furnish particulars.		
3.14	Do you or any of the directors, truste		ers, or stakeholders of this company ha or not they are bidding for this contra
	3.14.1 If yes, furnish particulars:		
Full	details of directors / trustees / mem	bers / shareholders.	
ull Name		Identity Number	State Employee Number
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	apacity	Name of	

PREFERENCE POINTS CLAIM FORM IN TERMS OF THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS 2017

This preference form must form part of all bids invited. It contains general information and serves as a claim form for preference points for Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment (B-BBEE) Status Level of Contribution

NB: BEFORE COMPLETING THIS FORM, BIDDERS MUST STUDY THE GENERAL CONDITIONS, DEFINITIONS AND DIRECTIVES APPLICABLE IN RESPECT OF B-BBEE, AS PRESCRIBED IN THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS, 2017.

1. GENERAL CONDITIONS

- 1.1 The following preference point systems are applicable to all bids:
 - the 80/20 system for requirements with a Rand value of up to R50 000 000 (all applicable taxes included); and
 - the 90/10 system for requirements with a Rand value above R50 000 000 (all applicable taxes included).

1.2

- a) The value of this bid is estimated to exceed/not exceed R50 000 000 (all applicable taxes included) and therefore the preference point system shall be applicable; or
- 1.3 Points for this bid shall be awarded for:
 - (a) Price; and
 - (b) B-BBEE Status Level of Contributor.
- 1.4 The maximum points for this bid are allocated as follows:

	POINTS
PRICE	80
B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL OF CONTRIBUTOR	20
Total points for Price and B-BBEE must not exceed	100

- 1.5 Failure on the part of a bidder to submit proof of B-BBEE Status level of contributor together with the bid, will be interpreted to mean that preference points for B-BBEE status level of contribution are not claimed.
- 1.6 The purchaser reserves the right to require of a bidder, either before a bid is adjudicated or at any time subsequently, to substantiate any claim in regard to preferences, in any manner required by the purchaser.

2. **DEFINITIONS**

- (a) "B-BBEE" means broad-based black economic empowerment as defined in section 1 of the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act;
- (b) "B-BBEE status level of contributor" means the B-BBEE status of an entity in terms of a code of good practice on black economic empowerment, issued in terms of section 9(1) of the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act;
- (c) "bid" means a written offer in a prescribed or stipulated form in response to an invitation by an organ of state for the provision of goods or services, through price quotations, advertised competitive bidding processes or proposals:
- (d) "Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act" means the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act, 2003 (Act No. 53 of 2003);
- **(e) "EME"** means an Exempted Micro Enterprise in terms of a code of good practice on black economic empowerment issued in terms of section 9 (1) of the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act;
- (f) "functionality" means the ability of a tenderer to provide goods or services in accordance with specifications as set out in the tender documents.
- (g) "prices" includes all applicable taxes less all unconditional discounts;
- (h) "proof of B-BBEE status level of contributor" means:
 - 1) B-BBEE Status level certificate issued by an authorized body or person;
 - 2) A sworn affidavit as prescribed by the B-BBEE Codes of Good Practice;
 - 3) Any other requirement prescribed in terms of the B-BBEE Act;
- "QSE" means a qualifying small business enterprise in terms of a code of good practice on black economic empowerment issued in terms of section 9 (1) of the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act;
- (j) "rand value" means the total estimated value of a contract in Rand, calculated at the time of bid invitation, and includes all applicable taxes;

3. POINTS AWARDED FOR PRICE

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

A maximum of 80 or 90 points is allocated for price on the following basis:

80/20 or 90/10

$$Ps = 80\left(1 - \frac{Pt - P\min}{P\min}\right)$$
 or $Ps = 90\left(1 - \frac{Pt - P\min}{P\min}\right)$

Where

Ps = Points scored for price of bid under consideration

Pt = Price of bid under consideration

Pmin = Price of lowest acceptable bid

4. POINTS AWARDED FOR B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL OF CONTRIBUTOR

4.1 In terms of Regulation 6 (2) and 7 (2) of the Preferential Procurement Regulations, preference points must be awarded to a bidder for attaining the B-BBEE status level of contribution in accordance with the table below:

B-BBEE Status Level of Contributor	Number of points (80/20 system)
1	20
2	18
3	14
4	12
5	8
6	6
7	4
8	2
Non-compliant contributor	0

5. BID DECLARATIO

5.1 Bidders who claim points in respect of B-BBEE Status Level of Contribution must complete the following:

6.	B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL	OF CONTRIBUTOR	CLAIMED IN TERM	IS OF PARAGRAPHS '	1.4
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6.1	B-BBEE Status Level of Contributor:		=	(maximu	m of 10 or 20	points)	
	(Points claimed in respect of paragraph						
	paragraph 4.1 and must be substantiate	ed by i	releva	ant proof of B-BBI	∃E status lev	el of cont	ributor.

7. SUB-CONTRACTING

7.1 Will any portion of the contract be sub-contracted?

(Tick applicable box)

YES	NO	

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- i) What percentage of the contract will be subcontracted.....%
- ii) The name of the sub-contractor.....
- iii) The B-BBEE status level of the sub-contractor.....
- iv) Whether the sub-contractor is an EME or QSE

(Tick applicable box)
YES NO

v) Specify, by ticking the appropriate box, if subcontracting with an enterprise in terms of Preferential Procurement Regulations, 2017:

Designated Group: An EME or QSE which is at last 51% owned by:	EME	QSE	
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8.	DECLARATION WITH REGARD TO COMPANY/FIRM			
8.1	Name of company/firm:			
8.2	VAT registration number:			
8.3	Company registration number:			
8.4	TYPE OF COMPANY/ FIRM			
	 □ Partnership/Joint Venture / Consortium □ One person business/sole propriety □ Close corporation □ Company □ (Pty) Limited [TICK APPLICABLE BOX] 			
8.5	DESCRIBE PRINCIPAL BUSINESS ACTIVITIES			
8.6	COMPANY CLASSIFICATION			
	 Manufacturer Supplier Professional service provider Other service providers, e.g. transporter, etc. [TICK APPLICABLE BOX] 			

8.7 MUNICIPAL INFORMATION

Munic	ipalit	y wher	e business is situated:	
Regis	tered	accou	nt number:	
Stand	Num	ber:		
8.8	To	tal num	nber of years the company/firm h	as been in business:
8.9	tha 1.4	t the part and 6	oints claimed, based on the B-E	thorised to do so on behalf of the company/firm, certify BE status level of contributor indicated in paragraphs alifies the company/ firm for the preference(s) shown
	i)	The ir	nformation furnished is true and o	correct;
	ii)		reference points claimed are in a raph 1 of this form;	ccordance with the General Conditions as indicated in
	iii)	1.4 aı	•	ed as a result of points claimed as shown in paragraphs quired to furnish documentary proof to the satisfaction prrect;
	iv)	or any		or has been claimed or obtained on a fraudulent basis ve not been fulfilled, the purchaser may, in addition to
		(a)	disqualify the person from the	pidding process;
		(b)	recover costs, losses or damage person's conduct;	es it has incurred or suffered as a result of that
	` '			any damages which it has suffered as a result ble arrangements due to such cancellation;
		(d)	only the shareholders and di restricted by the National Treas	contractor, its shareholders and directors, or rectors who acted on a fraudulent basis, be sury from obtaining business from any organ of g 10 years, after the <i>audi alteram partem</i> (hear pplied; and
		(e)	forward the matter for criminal	prosecution.
1. 2.				SIGNATURE(S) OF BIDDERS(S) DATE: ADDRESS

DECLARATION OF BIDDER'S PAST SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT PRACTICES

- 1 This Municipal Bidding Document must form part of all bids invited.
- 2 It serves as a declaration to be used by municipalities and municipal entities in ensuring that when goods and services are being procured, all reasonable steps are taken to combat the abuse of the supply chain management system.
- 3 The bid of any bidder may be rejected if that bidder, or any of its directors have:
 - a. abused the municipality's / municipal entity's supply chain management system or committed any improper conduct in relation to such system;
 - b. been convicted for fraud or corruption during the past five years;
 - c. willfully neglected, reneged on or failed to comply with any government, municipal or other public sector contract during the past five years; or
 - d. been listed in the Register for Tender Defaulters in terms of section 29 of the Prevention and Combating of Corrupt Activities Act (No 12 of 2004).
- 4 In order to give effect to the above, the following questionnaire must be completed and submitted with the bid.

Item	Question	Yes	No
4.1	Is the bidder or any of its directors listed on the National Treasury's Database of Restricted Suppliers as companies or persons prohibited from doing business with the public sector?	Yes	No
	(Companies or persons who are listed on this Database were informed in writing of this restriction by		
	the Accounting Officer/Authority of the institution that imposed the restriction after the audi alteram		
	partem rule was applied).		
	The Database of Restricted Suppliers now resides on the National Treasury's		
	website(<u>www.treasury.gov.za</u>) and can be accessed by clicking on its link at the bottom of the		
	home page.		
4.1.1	If so, furnish particulars:		
4.2	Is the bidder or any of its directors listed on the Register for Tender Defaulters in terms of section 29 of the Prevention and Combating of Corrupt Activities Act (No 12 of 2004)? The Register for Tender Defaulters can be accessed on the National Treasury's website (www.treasury.gov.za) by clicking on its link at the bottom of the home page.	No	
4.2.1	If so, furnish particulars:		
4.3	Was the bidder or any of its directors convicted by a court of law (including a court of law outside the Republic of South Africa) for fraud or corruption during the past five years?	No	
4.3.1	If so, furnish particulars:		
ltem	Question Yes	No	

4.4	Does the bidder or any of its directors owe any municipal rates and taxes or municipal charges to the municipality / municipal entity, or to any other municipal entity, that is in arrears for more than three months?	icipality	Yes	No
4.4.1	If so, furnish particulars:			
4.5	Was any contract between the bidder and the municipality / municipal entity other organ of state terminated during the past five years on account of failur perform on or comply with the contract?	or any re to	Yes	No
4.7.1	If so, furnish particulars:	,		
	CERTIFICATION			
I, THE U	JNDERSIGNED (FULL NAME) CERT THIS	TIFY THAT	THE INFO	RMATION FURNISHED ON
DECLA	RATION FORM TRUE AND CORRECT.			
	EPT THAT, IN ADDITION TO CANCELLATION OF A CONTRACT, ACTION MAY BE TAK /E TO BE FALSE.	(EN AGAII	NST ME SH	IOULD THIS DECLARATION
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CERTIFICATE OF INDEPENDENT BID DETERMINATION

- 1 This Municipal Bidding Document (MBD) must form part of all bids¹ invited.
- Section 4 (1) (b) (iii) of the Competition Act No. 89 of 1998, as amended, prohibits an agreement between, or concerted practice by, firms, or a decision by an association of firms, if it is between parties in a horizontal relationship and if it involves collusive bidding (or bid rigging).² Collusive bidding is a pe se prohibition meaning that it cannot be justified under any grounds.
- 3 Municipal Supply Regulation 38 (1) prescribes that a supply chain management policy must provide measures for the combating of abuse of the supply chain management system, and must enable the accounting officer, among others, to:
 - a. take all reasonable steps to prevent such abuse;
 - b. reject the bid of any bidder if that bidder or any of its directors has abused the supply chain management system of the municipality or municipal entity or has committed any improper conduct in relation to such system; and
 - c. cancel a contract awarded to a person if the person committed any corrupt or fraudulent act during the bidding process or the execution of the contract.
- This MBD serves as a certificate of declaration that would be used by institutions to ensure that, when bids are considered, reasonable steps are taken to prevent any form of bid-rigaing.
- In order to give effect to the above, the attached Certificate of Bid Determination (MBD 9) must be completed and submitted with the bid:

² Bid rigging (or collusive bidding) occurs when businesses, that would otherwise be expected to compete, secretly conspire to raise prices or lower the quality of goods and / or services for purchasers who wish to acquire goods and / or services through a bidding process. Bid rigging is, therefore, an agreement between competitors not to compete.

¹ Includes price quotations, advertised competitive bids, limited bids and proposals.

CERTIFICATE OF INDEPENDENT BID DETERMINATION

I, the undersigned, in submitting the accompanying I	bid:
(E	Bid Number and Description)
in response to the invitation for the bid made by:	
(Name	e of Municipality / Municipal Entity)
do hereby make the following statements that I certified	fy to be true and complete in every respect:
l certify, on behalf of:	that:
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(Name of Bidder)

- 1. I have read and I understand the contents of this Certificate;
- 2. I understand that the accompanying bid will be disqualified if this Certificate is found not to be true and complete in every respect;
- 3. I am authorized by the bidder to sign this Certificate, and to submit the accompanying bid, on behalf of the bidder;
- 4. Each person whose signature appears on the accompanying bid has been authorized by the bidder to determine the terms of, and to sign, the bid, on behalf of the bidder;
- 5. For the purposes of this Certificate and the accompanying bid, I understand that the word "competitor" shall include any individual or organization, other than the bidder, whether or not affiliated with the bidder, who:
 - (a) has been requested to submit a bid in response to this bid invitation;
 - (b) could potentially submit a bid in response to this bid invitation, based on their qualifications, abilities or experience; and
 - (c) provides the same goods and services as the bidder and/or is in the same line of business as the bidder
- 6. 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 consortium³ will not be construed as collusive bidding.
- 7. In particular, without limiting the generality of paragraphs 6 above, there has been no consultation, communication, agreement or arrangement with any competitor regarding:
 - (a) prices;
 - (b) geographical area where product or service will be rendered (market allocation)
 - (c) methods, factors or formulas used to calculate prices;
 - (d) the intention or decision to submit or not to submit, a bid;
 - (e) the submission of a bid which does not meet the specifications and conditions of the bid; or
 - f) bidding with the intention not to win the bid.
- 8. In addition, there have been no consultations, communications, agreements or arrangements with any competitor regarding the quality, quantity, specifications and conditions or delivery particulars of the products or services to which this bid invitation relates.
- 9. 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.

³ 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.

10.	I am aware that, in addition and without prejudice to any other remedy provided to co	mbat any restrictive practices
	related to bids and contracts, bids that are suspicious will be reported to the Competition Co	ommission 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 ${\sf I}$	Prevention and Combating of
	Corrupt Activities Act No 12 of 2004 or any other applicable legislation.	
Sigr	pature	Date
Posi	tion	Name of Bidder