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ADDENDUM NO.1

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**PURPOSE: AMENDMENT TO THE BACKGROUND, AIM AND MANDATORY
REQUIREMENT**

RFP NO. H004L2610RFP00141

DESCRIPTION: INVITATION TO SUBMIT PROPOSAL FOR THE SUPPLY, DELIVERY, CONFIGURATION, SUPPORT AND MAINTENANCE OF AN ICT HYPER-CONVERGED INFRASTRUCTURE (HCI), FIREWALL APPLIANCE AND HYPERVISOR SOLUTION FOR THE PERIOD OF 24 MONTHS:

The above bid was published on 11 February 2026.

AMENDMENT TO THE BACKGROUND, AIM AND MINIMUM MANDATORY REQUIREMENT:

1. Paragraph to be amended under 1.2 Background paragraph number 2

- “The Border Management Authority is currently hosting its cloud infrastructure in Huawei Private Cloud; the BMA Cloud Infrastructure Services are hosted within the borders of the Republic of South Africa”

Replacement paragraph on 1.2 Background paragraph number 2 should read as follows

- “The Border Management Authority is currently hosting its cloud infrastructure on a Private Cloud; the BMA Cloud Infrastructure Services are hosted within the borders of the Republic of South Africa”

2. Paragraph to be amended under 2.1 Aim paragraph number 1 indicated that:

“The BMA seeks to procure and implement a robust, scalable and secure Hyper-Converged Infrastructure solution that comprises of a server, networking, storage, firewall and hypervisor. The Hyper-Converged Infrastructure solution will be deployed at the BMA headquarters office in Centurion, and it must be able to integrate with the existing BMA Huawei Private Cloud Infrastructure. The appointed service provider will be responsible for supply, installation, configuration, testing, knowledge transfer, and support services to ensure operational efficiency, business continuity, and improved resource utilization.”

Replacement paragraph 2.1 Aim paragraph number 2 should reads as follows:

“The BMA seeks to procure and implement a robust, scalable and secure Hyper-Converged Infrastructure solution that comprises of a server, networking, storage, firewall and hypervisor. The Hyper-Converged Infrastructure solution will be deployed at the BMA headquarters office in Centurion, and it must be able to integrate with the existing BMA Private Cloud Infrastructure. The appointed service provider will be responsible for supply, installation, configuration, testing, knowledge transfer, and support services to ensure operational efficiency, business continuity, and improved resource utilization.”

3. Paragraph to be amended under 8.2 Minimum Mandatory Requirement indicated that

8.2. Minimum Mandatory Requirement

Bidder must comply with the following:

- **The bidder must be certified partner of the OEM for the server (Attach copy of valid Certificate) (*the accreditation/certificate must still be valid on the closing date of tender*)).**
- **The bidder must be certified partner of the OEM for the firewall (Attach copy of valid Certificate) (*the accreditation/certificate must still be valid on the closing date of tender*))**

Replacement paragraph on Minimum Mandatory Requirement should read as follows

“Bidders must comply with the following:

- **The bidder must be certified partner of the OEM for the server (Attach copy of valid Accreditation Letter/Certificate) (the Accreditation Letter/Certificate must still be valid on the closing date of the tender)**
- **The bidder must be certified partner of the OEM for the firewall (Attach copy of valid Accreditation Letter/Certificate) (the Accreditation Letter/Certificate must still be valid on the closing date of the tender)”**

Should you have any queries regarding the above, please contact us via email:
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Yours faithfully



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