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# **ULUNDI LOCAL MUNICIPALITY**

## BID NO. 20/2024/2025

## **BID DESCRIPTION:**

# PROVISION OF HYGIENE SERVICES TO MUNICIPAL ABLUTION FACILITIES FOR 36 MONTHS

Name of bidder	
Contact person	
Telephone/ Cell phone No.	
E mail address:	
Address:	
CSD Number	MAAA
Tender sum in rands:	
Tender sum in words:	

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## **INVITATION TO BID**

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# ULUNDI LOCAL MUNICIPALITY BID NOTICE AND RE INVITATION TO TENDER

Bids are hereby invited from suitable service providers of the following Ulundi Municipality projects:

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PROJECT/ BID NO.	PROJECT DESCRIPTION	SPECIFIC GOALS	CLOSING DATE	FUNCTIONALITY	TECHNICAL ENQUIRIES	CONTACT DETAILS
	Provision of hygiene services to municipal	Black>5 Disability>5	02/10/2025	Experience>70 points	Mrs ZP Khomo	zkhomoi@ulundi.gov.za
	ablution facilities for 36 months	Youth>3 Local>7		Certificate to hygiene services>30 points		
		Total =20 Points		Total = 100 points		

Only service providers registered with Central Supplier Database (CSD) will be considered.

Bid documents may be obtained on the **Ulundi Municipal Website at www.ulundi.gov.za**. Bid documents must be submitted in a sealed envelope clearly marked with the bid number, closing date and, dropped off in the tender box at SCMU, Ulundi Municipality, Corner of Princess Magogo and King Zwelithini Street, Ulundi, 3838 by no later **12H00 of the above stated closing dates**. The bid box is generally open from 07h30 to 16h30 Monday to Thursday and 07h30 to 15h15 Friday. All quotes must be submitted on the official forms – (Not to be retyped). This bid is subject to the general conditions of contract (GCC) and any other special conditions of contract.

**THE FOLLOWING ARE MANDATORY**: CSD summary report, valid tax clearance or SARS login pin, a certified copy of the most recent municipal account in which the business is registered, copies of ID of members of the entity, CIPRO, and relevant Business certificates. Bidders are requested to sign where necessary and initial each page on the Bid Documents. **The tender is valid for 90 days.** 

The Bids will be evaluated using 80/20 Preferential Procurement Point system where 80 points are for the price, and 20 are for specific goals according to the PPPFA 2000 Act no. 5 of 2000 and SCM Regulation 2022.

Where there's functionality two stage evaluation process will be followed, first evaluate functionality and only tenders that score the minimum threshold for functionality will be advancing to the second stage of evaluation on point for price and specific goal.

Late tenders will not be accepted, and the Ulundi Municipality reserved the right not to make an award. Failure to comply with the above conditions will invalidate your offer.

Kindly note that the successful bidder will be subjected to a screening process prior to the bid being awarded, should it be discovered that a successful bidder provided misleading information he/she will be disqualified with immediate effect.

SCM related enquiries: Mrs. N Luzipho (nluzipho@ulundi.gov.za)

Mr. S.M. KHOMO

**MUNICIPAL MANAGER** 

#### **EVALUATION CRITERIA**

This tender will be evaluated on functionality AND using the 80/20 Preferential Procurement Point system where 80 points are for the price, and 20 are for specific goals according to the PPPFA 2000 Act no. 5 of 2000 and SCM Regulation 2022.

The specific goals are allocated as per MBD 6.1 (Table 1).

#### **FUNCTIONALITY**

The minimum threshold for functionality is 70 points. Any bid that obtains points below 70 points or does not submit documents indicated as mandatory will be disqualified.

No.	TECHNICAL CRITERIA	POINTS				
1	Experience	70				
	<ul> <li>1.1. Company experience with a minimum of five years in providing hygiene equipment and services (40 points)</li> <li>Projects completed must be listed with the description of the service provided, total duration and project cost.</li> <li>Reference letters and/or completion certificates for the projects listed must be provided.</li> <li>No evidence provided/no relevant experience = Disqualified</li> <li>Experience in hygiene services for 5-7 years = 30 points</li> <li>Experience in hygiene services for 8 years or more = 40 points</li> </ul>					
	1.2. Key personnel qualification and experience (30 points)  Provide CVs of key staff showing experience in hygiene service provision.  No qualified personnel/CV = Disqualified  1-2 years experience = 20 points  3 years or more experience in hygiene services = 30 points					
2	Certificate in hygiene services	30				
	Certified waste disposal license as required by the Waste Management Act.  No waste disposal license/ not certified = Disqualified  Waste disposal license = 30 points					

#### SPECIFICATION AND SCOPE OF WORK

- 1. The service provider will be responsible for the provision of hygiene services to municipal ablution facilities in accordance with the specification guideline, applicable legislation, regulations and standards.
- 2. The equipment will be installed in various locations within the municipal premises.
- 3. All staff to be neatly dressed and adequately attired in distinctive uniform supplied by the service provider.
- 4. All personal protective equipment needed must be supplied by the service provider.
- 5. The products supplied must be SABS approved.
- 6. Hygiene equipment will be rented by the municipality and the service provider will be responsible for removing the equipment after contract expiry.
- 7. The service provider must have a waste disposal license as a requirement by the Waste Management Act for any hygiene waste disposal.

The following summarises the equipment required to be supplied, installed and serviced by the service provider.

Description	Quantity	Price (R)
Paper Towel Cabinet Compact Manual White	34	1 1100 (11)
Height: 334mm		
Depth: 184mm		
Width: 286mm		
Standard 28cm sheet length		
Bin Wall Mounted Small White	34	
Height: 570mm		
Width: 360mm		
Depth: 170mm		
Liquid Dispensers SH TU White	34	
Height: 310 mm		
Depth: 105 mm		
Width: 160 mm		
Toilet Roll Holder 3 (700 sheet)	57	
Height: 385 mm		
Depth: 140 mm		
Width: 135 mm		
Capacity: 3 Toilet Rolls		
She Bin Pedal Intima White	33 (Fortnightly	
Capacity: 23 litres	cleaned)	
Height: 550 mm		
Depth: 160 mm		
Width: 510 mm		
Paper Towel SH 1ply (150m) refill	34 (monthly)	
Hand wash soap refill	Monthly	
<b>Total monthly amount</b> (to be transferred to the		
pricing schedule)		

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PRICING SCHEDULE			
DESCRIPTION	Year 1 Cost (R)	Year 2 Cost (R)	Year 3 Cost (R)
Installation, monthly supply and service costs (x12)			
Sub-total			
VAT @ 15% (Only if registered as a			
VAT vendor)			
Total			
TENDER AMOUNT: (Total cost: Year	R		
1+ Year 2+ Year 3)			

Special note: Tender is valid for 90 days from the advert closing date.	COMPANY STAMP	
avert crosing date.		
Bidder's Signature		

#### MBD 2: TAX CLEARANCE CERTIFICATE

It is a condition of bid that the taxes of the successful bidder <u>must</u> be in order, or that satisfactory arrangements have been made with South African Revenue Service (SARS) to meet the bidder's tax obligations.

- To meet this requirement bidders are required to complete in full form TCC 001 "Application for a Tax Clearance Certificate" and submit it to any SARS branch office nationally. The Tax Clearance Certificate Requirements are also applicable to foreign bidders / individuals who wish to submit bids.
- Copies of the TCC 001 "Application for a Tax Clearance Certificate" form are available from any SARS branch office nationally or on the website www.sars.gov.za.
- Applications for the Tax Clearance Certificates may also be made via eFiling. To use this provision, taxpayers will need to register. with SARS as eFilers through the website www.sars.gov.za.
- 4 SARS will then furnish the bidder with a Tax Clearance Certificate that will be valid for a period of 1 (one) year from the date of approval.
- The original Tax Clearance Certificate must be submitted together with the bid. Failure to submit the original and valid Tax Clearance Certificate will result in the invalidation of the bid. Certified copies of the Tax Clearance Certificate will not be acceptable.
- In bids where Consortia / Joint Ventures / Sub-contractors are involved; each party must submit a separate Tax Clearance Certificate.
- 7 Copies of the TCC 001 "Application for a Tax Clearance" form are available from any SARS branch office nationally or on the website: www.sars.gov.za.

## **MBD 4: 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 relationship, may make an offer or offers in terms of this invitation to bid. In possible allegations of favouritism, should the resulting bid, or part thereof, be a to persons connected with or related to persons in the service of the state, it is rethat the bidder or their authorised representative declare their position in relation evaluating/adjudicating authority.	view of warded equired
3.	In order to give effect to the above, the following questionnaire must be co and submitted with the bid.	mpleted
3.1	Full Name of bidder or his / her representative:	
3.2	Identity number:	
3.3	Position occupied in the Company (director, trustee, shareholder²):	
3.4	Company Registration Number:	
3.5	Tax Reference Number:	
3.6	VAT Registration Number:	
3.7	The names of all directors / trustees / shareholders / members, their individual numbers, and state employee numbers (where applicable) must be indic paragraph 4 below.	
3.8	Are you presently in the service of the state? *	YES / NO
3.8.1	If yes, furnish the following particulars:	NO
	Name of person / director / trustee / shareholder member:	
	Name of state institution at which you or the person connected to the bidder is employed:	
	Position occupied in the state institution:	

	Any other particulars:	
3.9	Have you been in the service of the state for the past twelve months?	YES / NO
3.9.1	If so, furnish particulars.	
3.10	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?	YES / NO
3.10.1	If yes, furnish the following particulars:	
	Name of person:	
	Name of state institution at which you or the person connected to the bidder is employed:	
	Position occupied in the state institution:	
	Any other particulars:	
3.11	Are you aware of any relationship (family, friend, other) between the bidder and any person in the service of the state who may be involved with the evaluation and or adjudication of this bid?	YES / NO
3.11.1	If yes, furnish the following particulars:	
	Name of person:	
	Name of state institution at which you or the person connected to the bidder is employed:	
	Position occupied in the state institution:	
	Any other particulars:	

3.12	Are any of the company's directors, managers, principal shareholders, or stakeholders in the service of the state?	YES / NO
3.12.1	If yes, furnish the following particulars:	
	Name of person / director / trustee / shareholder / member:	
	Name of state institution at which you or the person connected to the bidder is employed:	
	Position occupied in the state institution:	
	Any other particulars:	
3.13	Is any spouse, child or parent of the company's directors, trustees, managers, principal shareholders, or stakeholders in the service of the state?	YES / NO
	If yes, furnish the following particulars:	
3.13.1	Name of person / director / trustee / shareholder / member:	
	Name of state institution at which you or the person connected to the bidder is employed:	
	Position occupied in the state institution:	
	Any other particulars:	
3.14	Do you or any of the directors, trustees, managers, principal shareholders, or stakeholders of this company have any interest in any other related companies or business whether they are bidding for this contract?	YES / NO
3.14.1	If yes, furnish particulars:	

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4. Fu	ıll details	s of directors / trustees / memb	pers / shareholders:	
THE FO	LLOWI	NG INFORMATION IS <u>COMP</u>	ULSORY TO COMPLETE:	
		Full Name	Identity Number	State Employee Number (where applicable)
5	) <b>.</b>	The contract will be automated which is not disclosed by t	atically cancelled if there is a he bidder.	a conflict of interest
	Signatuı	re	Date	
	Ca <sub>l</sub>	pacity	Name of Bidder	
	provin Manaç	(iii) the Nationa (b) a member of the b (c) an official or any N (d) an employee of ar cial public entity or constitutional inst gement Act, 1999 (Act No. 1 of 1999) (e) a member of the a (f) an employee of Pa	pal council.  bial legislature; or  al Assembly or the National Council of  board of directors of any municipal e  Municipality or municipal entity.  ny national or provincial department,  titution within the meaning of the Pul	ntity.  national or blic Finance or provincial entity; or

management of the company or business and exercise control over the company.

# MBD 6.1: 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);
  - the 90/10 system for requirements with a Rand value above R50 000 000 (all applicable taxes included).

#### 1.2 To be completed by the municipality

- a) The applicable preference point system for this tender is the 80/20 preference point 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 of a tenderer, either before a tender is adjudicated or at any time subsequently, to substantiate any claim regarding 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 or 90 points is allocated for price on the following basis:

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

Ps = Points scored for price of tender under consideration

Pt = Price of tender under consideration

Pmin = Price of lowest 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 tenderer 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 or 90/10 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 90/10 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 or 90/10 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 goals 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.

The specific goals allocated points in terms of this tender	Number of points allocated (80/20 system) (To be completed by the organ of state)	Number of points claimed (80/20 system) (To be completed by the tenderer)
Black ownership with at least 51%	5	
Disability as defined by empowerment equity act (attach certificate)	5	
Youth (equal or less than 35 years old)	3	
Locality (within KZN)	7	
Total points for specific goals	20	

#### **DECLARATION WITH REGARD TO COMPANY/FIRM**

4.3.	Name of company/firm
4.4.	Company registration number:
4.5.	TYPE OF COMPANY/ FIRM
	<ul> <li>Partnership/Joint Venture / Consortium</li> <li>One-person business/sole propriety</li> <li>Close corporation</li> <li>Public Company</li> <li>Personal Liability Company</li> <li>(Pty) Limited</li> <li>Non-Profit Company</li> <li>State Owned Company</li> </ul>
	[TICK APPLICABLE BOX]

- 4.6. I, the undersigned, who is duly authorised 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 favourable 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 alteram partem* (hear the other side) rule has been applied; and
  - (e) forward the matter for criminal prosecution, if deemed necessary.

	SIGNATURE(S) OF TENDERER(S)
SURNAME AND NAME:	
DATE:	
ADDRESS:	

#### MBD 7.2 CONTRACT FORM - RENDERING OF SERVICES

THIS FORM MUST BE FILLED IN DUPLICATE BY BOTH THE SERVICE PROVIDER (PART 1) AND THE PURCHASER (PART 2). BOTH FORMS MUST BE SIGNED IN THE ORIGINAL SO THAT THE SERVICE PROVIDER AND THE PURCHASER WOULD BE IN POSSESSION OF ORIGINALLY SIGNED CONTRACTS FOR THEIR RESPECTIVE RECORDS.

#### PART 1 (TO BE FILLED IN BY THE SERVICE PROVIDER)

- 1. I hereby undertake to render services described in the attached bidding documents to (name of the institution)...... in accordance with the requirements and task directives / proposals specifications stipulated in Bid Number...... at the price/s quoted. My offer/s remain binding upon me and open for acceptance by the Purchaser during the validity period indicated and calculated from the closing date of the bid.
- 2. The following documents shall be deemed to form and be read and construed as part of this agreement:
  - (i) Bidding documents, viz
    - Invitation to bid;
    - Proof of tax compliance status;
    - Pricing schedule(s);
    - Filled in task directive/proposal;
    - Preference claim form for Preferential Procurement in terms of the Preferential Procurement Regulations;
    - Declaration of interest;
    - Declaration of Bidder's past SCM practices:
    - Certificate of Independent Bid Determination;
    - Special Conditions of Contract:
  - General Conditions of Contract; and (ii)
  - (iii) Other (specify)
- I confirm that I have satisfied myself as to the correctness and validity of my bid; that the price(s) and rate(s) quoted 3. cover all the services specified in the bidding documents; that the price(s) and rate(s) cover all my obligations and I accept that any mistakes regarding price(s) and rate(s) and calculations will be at my own risk.
- 4. I accept full responsibility for the proper execution and fulfilment of all obligations and conditions devolving on me under this agreement as the principal liable for the due fulfillment of this contract.
- 5. I declare that I have no participation in any collusive practices with any bidder or any other person regarding this or any other bid.
- I confirm that I am duly authorised to sign this contract. 6.

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TION OF BIDDER'S PAST ENT PRACTICES	<b>S</b> DATE:

This Municipal Bidding Document must form part of all bids invited.

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- 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.
- 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. wilfully 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 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 as a company or person 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 National Treasury after the <i>audi alteram</i> partem rule was applied).		
	The Database of Restricted Suppliers now resides on the National Treasury's website ( <a href="www.treasury.gov.za">www.treasury.gov.za</a> ) 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)?	Yes	No 🗆
	The Register for Tender Defaulters can be accessed on the National Treasury's website ( <a href="www.treasury.gov.za">www.treasury.gov.za</a> ) by clicking on its link at the bottom of the home page.		
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?	Yes	No 🗆

	4.3.1	If so, furnish particulars:		
	Item	Question Yes	Vo	
	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 municipality / municipal entity, that is in arrears for more than three months?	Yes	No _
	4.4.1	If so, furnish particulars:		•
	4.5	Was any contract between the bidder and the municipality / municipal entity or any other organ of state terminated during the past five years on account of failure to perform on or comply with the contract?	Yes	No
	4.5.1	If so, furnish particulars:		
		CERTIFICATION		
ĆE	RTIFY	JNDERSIGNED (FULL NAME) THAT THE INFORMATION FURNISHED ON THIS DECLARATIO CORRECT.	N FO	 RM IS
		THAT, IN ADDITION TO CANCELLATION OF A CONTRACT, ACTI I AGAINST ME SHOULD THIS DECLARATION PROVE TO BE FAL		Υ
	Sign	ature Date		
	Posi	tion Name of Bidder		

# MBD 9 : CERTIFICATE OF INDEPENDENT BID DETERMINATION

- 1 This Municipal Bidding Document (MBD) must form part of all bids<sup>1</sup> 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).<sup>2</sup> Collusive bidding is a *pe se* prohibition meaning that it cannot be justified under any grounds.
- 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.
- 4 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-rigging.
- To give effect to the above, the attached Certificate of Bid Determination (MBD9) must be completed and submitted with the bid:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Includes price quotations, advertised competitive bids, limited bids, and proposals.

<sup>2</sup> 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.

#### CERTIFICATE OF INDEPENDENT BID DETERMINATION

I, the undersigned, in submitting the accompanying bid:		
(Bid Number and Descri	ription)	
in response to the invitation for the bid made by: <b>ULUN</b> do hereby make the following statements that I certify the		
I certify, on behalf of:(Name of	that: 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 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 consortium<sup>3</sup> will not be construed as collusive bidding.
- 7. 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 bids invitation relates.
- 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.
- 10. 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.

Signature	Date
Position	Name of Ridder

# **CHECKLIST**

No	Description	Ticked by Bidder	Ticked by Municipal Representative
1	Initialed all pages and signed where necessary		
2	Form of bid completed		
3	Required functionality documents attached, where applicable		
4	Original Tax Clearance Certificate attached		
5	MBD 6.1 Preferential Points Claimed including required supporting documents		
6	All witnesses signed where required		
7	Particulars of Bidders Completed		
8	Bid Declaration of interest MBD 4 Completed		
9	MBD 7.1 contract form completed		
10	Declaration of Bidders Past SCM Practice MBD Form 8 completed		
11	Certificate of Independent Bid Determination MBD Form 9 completed		
12	Mandatory documents:		
	CSD summary report,		
	Valid tax clearance or SARS login pin		
	A certified copy of the most recent municipal account in which the business is registered confirming status of municipal account not in arrears for more than 3 months/90 days.  (Or Lease agreement and letter from landlord stating that the rent is up to date — letter not older than 3		
	months. Or if operating in a rural area, sworn affidavit stating that rates are not paid in that area)		
	Copies of ID of all active directors		
	CIPRO and relevant Business certificates.		