

CLARIFICATION QUESTIONS



**FOR THE PROVISION OF AN APPROVED LIST FOR FINANCIAL REPORTING ADVISORY SERVICES FOR ACCOUNTING AND TAXATION TO TRANSNET CORPORATE CENTRE ON AN "AS AND WHEN REQUIRED BASIS FOR A PERIOD OF THREE (3) YEARS
TCC/2025/03/0003/90460/RFP**

QUESTIONS/ ANSWERS AND DESCRIPTION OF DISCUSSION	
BIDDERS WERE GIVEN AN OPPORTUNITY TO ASK QUESTIONS OR CLARIFY ISSUES AS THEY REQUIRED:	
1	Pertaining relevant staff qualifications would any accreditation such as SAIBA, SAIPA, CIBA be seen as equivalent to SAICA?
RESPONSE	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Accounting - SAIBA, SAIPA, CIBA are not considered equivalent to SAICA. The envisaged equivalent qualifications to SAICA would be other equivalent bodies that provide similar training to SAICA such as membership of Institute of Accountants in Zimbabwe, Namibia, Australia, England, ACCA, etc.2. Taxation - SAIBA, SAIPA, CIBA are not considered equivalent to SAICA. The envisaged equivalent qualifications to SAICA would be other equivalent bodies that provide similar training to SAICA such as membership of Institute of Accountants in Zimbabwe, Namibia, Australia, England, ACCA, Master Tax Practitioners, Chartered Tax Advisors, etc.
2	What type of international affiliations are you looking for? Could you mention a few please
RESPONSE	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Accounting - An international accounting firm or an accounting firm with an affiliation agreement with an international accounting firm which provides the bidder with access to resources and expertise to service their clients.2. Taxation - An international accounting/law firm or an accounting/law firm with an affiliation agreement with an international accounting/law firm which provides the bidder with access to resources and expertise to service their clients.
3	On page 19 of the TOR, team members experience , 5 CV 's must be submitted. Then on page 20, relevant staff qualification , proof of qualifications are requested.
RESPONSE	The CVs should provide details of the qualifications and experience of the team members, whilst relevant staff qualification provides the requisite proof of attaining the relevant qualifications (e.g. copy of SAICA membership and copies of academic qualifications, etc.)
4	Is the briefing session compulsory or not?
RESPONSE	The briefing session is not compulsory, this means that the bidders who did not attend the briefing are eligible to bid.

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