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<b>RFQ Number</b>	<b>SAF-RFQ-0175</b>
<b>Request for Quotation Date</b>	<b>15 April 2026</b>
<b>RFQ Closing Date</b>	<b>25 April 2026</b>
<b>RFQ Closing Time</b>	<b>11:00am</b>
<b>Compulsory Site Briefing</b>	<b>No</b>
<b>Contact Person</b>	<b>Ntendeleni Lukoto/Didintle Tselane</b>
<b>Quotation Validity</b>	<b>90 Days from the closing date</b>
<b>Submission Details</b>	<b>RFQ Response must be sent to: <a href="mailto:itumeleng.mathibe@ntp.co.za">itumeleng.mathibe@ntp.co.za</a></b>
<b>RFQ Description</b>	<b>LA/MA Effluent Pipeline Inspection</b>

Dear Service Provider

Kindly provide a quotation for goods and or services as outlined in section 2 of this document.


## 1. Introduction

The South African Nuclear Energy Corporation Limited (Necsa) is a state-owned public company (SOC), registered in terms of the Companies Act, (Act No. 61 of 1973), registration number 2000/003735/06.

The Necsa Group engages in commercial business mainly through its wholly-owned commercial subsidiaries: NTP Radioisotopes SOC Ltd (NTP), which is responsible for a range of radiation-based products and services for healthcare, life sciences and industry, and Pelchem SOC Ltd (Pelchem), which supplies fluorine and fluorine-based products. Both subsidiaries, together with their subsidiaries, supply local and global markets, earning valuable foreign exchange for South Africa and are among the best in their field in their respective world markets.

Necsa's safety, health, environment and quality policies provides for top management commitment to compliance with regulatory requirements of ISO 14001, OHSAS 18001 and RD 0034 (Quality and Safety Management Requirements for Nuclear Installations), ISO 9001 and ISO 17025.


Necsa promotes the science, technology and engineering expertise of South Africa and improves the public understanding of these through regular communications at various forums and outreach programmes to the community. We are a proudly South African company continuously striving, and succeeding in many respects, to be at the edge of science, technology and engineering related to the safe use of nuclear knowledge to improve our world.

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## 2. Scope of Work

Item Description	Quantity
<p>Necsa invites qualified and experienced service providers to submit quotations for the appointment of a pipeline inspection specialist to conduct a comprehensive inspection of the LA/MA effluent pipework and associated drain systems in the reactor basement, ventilation and primary pipe tunnels, primary process wing and secondary process wing as well as pipe work in trenches ( to P-2400) which are not accessible.</p> <p>The appointed service provider will be required to perform, but not limited to, the following:</p> <p><b>2.1 Inspection Activities</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Visual inspection of accessible pipework and drain systems</li> <li>• Non-destructive testing (NDT) where applicable (e.g., UT, radiography, dye penetrant)</li> <li>• Internal inspection techniques (e.g., CCTV inspection or robotic systems where required)</li> <li>• Assessment of pipe supports, joints, valves, and fittings</li> </ul> <p><b>2.2 Condition Assessment</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Evaluate corrosion, erosion, blockages, leaks, and mechanical damage</li> <li>• Determine structural integrity and remaining service life</li> <li>• Identify potential failure mechanisms</li> </ul> <p><b>2.3 Compliance Verification</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Assess compliance with applicable regulatory requirements and standards</li> <li>• Review alignment with safety and operational procedures</li> </ul> <p><b>2.4 Reporting</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Provide a detailed technical report including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Inspection methodology used</li> <li>○ Findings and identified defects</li> <li>○ Risk ranking/prioritisation of issues</li> <li>○ Recommendations for corrective actions or maintenance</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	1

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- Photographic and/or video evidence

**NOTE**

**Due to the nature of the environment, certain inspection equipment (such as cameras or other electronic devices) may be exposed to conditions that could result in damage or contamination. As such, equipment may be required to remain on-site for a defined period following completion of the work, in accordance with site protocols and clearance requirements.**

**3. Pricing**

- All price quoted to include all applicable taxes.
- Price must be fixed and firm
- Price should include additional cost elements such as freight, insurance until acceptance, duty where applicable, disbursements etc.
- Quotation must be completed in full, incomplete quote could result in a quote being disqualified.
- Payment will be according to Necsa's General Conditions of Purchase.


**4. Evaluation**

**4.1. Phase 1- Functionality Evaluation / Technical Evaluation**

Where functional or technical evaluation criterion is applicable, assessment will be performed in terms of the criterion listed below and the criterion may include Technical, Performance, Quality and Risk.

If the Bidder's response to the Technical templates does not indicate that the Bidder can support an acceptable technical solution, the Bidder's response will be rejected and not evaluated further.

Together the Technical, Performance & Quality and Risk criteria make up the functionality criterion and a Bidder's Proposal will be evaluated for functionality out of a possible 100 points. Only RFQ responses achieving an evaluation score of greater than the set threshold points out of the possible 100 points and which score a number of points for functionality that is greater than or equal to the set threshold points of the number of points achieved by the highest scoring Bid for functionality will be selected to progress to the second stage.

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#### 4.1.1. Pre - qualification criteria

Non-compliance to the following pre-qualification criteria will result in automatic disqualification:

Item	Requirement	Yes/No
1	Bidder company information	
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#### 4.1.2. Functional Evaluation Criteria

Suppliers to achieve a minimum score of 75 points to be evaluated further on price and specific points.

Item	Requirement	Weight	Points	Criteria
1	<b>Delivery Time ( from date of order);</b>	20	20	Quoted time to complete the work and submit the report equal to or less than 2 Months
			10	Completion period greater than 2 months but not exceeding 3 months
2	<b>Track Record</b> Bidder has experience in similar works (attach letters from clients within the last five years or completion certificates).	25	25	Bidder has demonstrated experience in pipeline inspection, specifically effluent or hazardous fluid systems.
			0	Bidder has not executed and completed similar projects.

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Item	Requirement	Weight	Points	Criteria
3	Personnel Qualifications & Competence (suppliers to provide CVs)	20	20	10 years' experience in Pipeline Inspection of nuclear facilities including Knowledge and understanding of nuclear liability assessment work
			10	Greater than 5 years' but not exceeding 9 years' experience in Pipeline Inspection of nuclear facilities including Knowledge and understanding of nuclear liability assessment work
4	Understanding of Regulatory Compliance	20	20	Demonstrated knowledge of applicable standards (e.g., ASME, ISO, IAEA) and safety requirements.
			0	<b>Not</b> demonstrated knowledge of applicable standards (e.g., ASME, ISO, IAEA) and safety requirements.
5	Technical Approach & Methodology	15	15	Quality, completeness, and suitability of the proposed inspection methodology, including use of NDT and internal inspection techniques
			0	<b>Limited</b> quality, completeness, and suitability of the proposed inspection methodology, including use of NDT and internal inspection techniques

**Note: Bidders that score <75 out of 100 in respect of Technical/Functional evaluation criteria will be regarded as submitting a non-responsive bid and will not be evaluated further.**

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4.2. **Phase 2 - Evaluation In Terms Of Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act, 2022**

This bid will be evaluated and adjudicated according to the 80/20 point system, in terms of which a maximum of 80 points will be awarded for price and 20 points will be allocated based on the specific goals (B-BBE status level).

	POINTS
<b>PRICE</b>	<b>80</b>
<b>SPECIFIC GOALS (B-BBEE status level)</b>	<b>20</b>
<b>Total points for Price and SPECIFIC GOALS</b>	<b>100</b>

**Preference goal  
B-BBEE status level contributor**


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. **Required Documentation**

- Tax Clearance Certificate (Tax pin issued by SARS)
- Declaration of interest (SBD 4)
- BEE Certificate / Applicable Affidavit if classified as EME
- Letter of Good Standing (COID) only if Applicable due to the nature of work required
- Any other document or certification that might have been requested on this RFQ

6. **Important**

6.1. Quotation must be submitted on or before the RFQ closing date and time stated above.

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- 6.2. Orders above R 30 000 will be evaluated according to the PPPFA 80/20-point system and a functionality scorecard where applicable and the ones above R 1 Million will be subjected to the tender process.
- 6.3. This RFQ is subjected to the Necsa's General Conditions of Purchase, Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act 2000 and the Preferential Procurement Regulations, 2022, the General Conditions of Contract (GCC) and, if applicable, any other legislation or special conditions of contract
- 6.4. 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 specific goals are not claimed.
- 6.5. 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 specific goals, in any manner required by the purchaser.
- 6.6. For a Bidder to obtain clarity on any matter arising from or referred to in this document, please refer to queries, in writing, to the contact details provided above. Under no circumstances may any other employee within Necsa be approached for any information. Any such action might result in a disqualification of a response submitted in competition to this RFQ.
- 6.7. No goods and/or services should be delivered to Necsa without an official Necsa Purchase order.
- 6.8. Necsa reserves the right to; cancel or reject any quote and not to award the RFQ to the lowest Bidder or award parts of the RFQ to different Bidders, or not to award the RFQ at all.
- 6.9. The supplier shall under no circumstances offer, promise or make any gift, payment, loan, reward, inducement, benefit or other advantage, which may be construed as being made to solicit any favour, to any Necsa employee or its representatives. Such an act shall constitute a material breach of the Agreement and the Necsa shall be entitled to terminate the Agreement forthwith, without prejudice to any of its rights
- 6.10. By responding to this request, it shall be construed that: the bidder, hereby acknowledge to be fully conversant with the details and conditions set out in the Necsa's General Conditions of Purchase, Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act 2000 and the Preferential Procurement Regulations, 2022, the General Conditions of Contract (GCC), Technical Information and Specifications attached, and hereby agree to supply, render services or perform works in accordance therewith