

SUBMISSION

To: Supply Chain Department

From: Facilities Management

Date: Wednesday, 10 January 2024

Subject: **(RFQ): PROVISION OF ARMED RESPONSE SERVICES FOR sefa MPUMALANGA REGIONAL OFFICE FOR A PERIOD OF TEN (10) MONTHS**

TERMS OF REFERENCE

1. PURPOSE OF THE SPECIFICATION

- 1.1. The purpose of this Request for Quotation (RFQ) is to appoint a suitable and experienced service provider who has experience in the security industry to install an alarm system and provide armed response services response for a period of ten (10) months. The service provider must also provide a panic button.
- 1.2. The services are required at the Small Enterprise Finance Agency (**sefa**) Office situated at the addresses stated under par 4.1 below.

2. BACKGROUND

- 2.1. Small Enterprise Finance Agency (SOC) Ltd, commonly known as **sefa**, was established on 1 April 2012 due to the merger of South African Micro Apex Fund, Khula Enterprise Finance Ltd, and the small business activities of Industrial Development Corporation (IDC).
- 2.2. **sefa**'s mandate is to foster the establishment, survival, and growth of SMMEs and contribute towards poverty alleviation and job creation.

***Note for SCU only**

RFQ No.	POS0000003310
Issue Date	10/01/2024
Closing Date and Time	16/01/2024 at 16:00
Compulsory Briefing session	none
Closing date for questions and answers	16/01/2024 at 16:00
Method of submission.	Via email to: mphot@sefa.org.za



3. SCOPE OF WORK / SPECIFICATIONS

3.1. sefa hereby requests a quotation from the service provider to appoint a suitable and who has experience in the security industry to provide armed response services for a period of ten (10) months as follows:

NO	DESCRIPTION AND SIZE	PERIOD
001	Supply and Installation of Alarm System in the Mpumalanga Regional Office.*	Ten (10) Months
002	24Hrs Alarm Monitoring and Armed Response	
003	Allocation of one (01) Individual Alarm Code.	
004	Panic button	

*All materials and workmanship are guaranteed for a period of twelve months from date of completion of installation. Please note that power surges, insect infestation, misuse or so-called "Acts of God" are not covered by the guarantee.

4. PHYSICAL (DELIVERY) ADDRESS

4.1. Small Enterprise Finance Agency (**sefa**), **MAXSA Building, Suite 301, Cnr Streak and Ferreira Street, Nelspruit**

5. COMPULSORY SITE VISIT

- 5.1. Service Providers are required to visit the Regional Office (Site) to familiarise themselves with the site where guarding services are required. Failure to visit the site will result in your proposal being disqualified.
- 5.2. An appointment to visit the site must be made with the Regional Office in Nelspruit. Appointment to visit the site must be made in advance with contact Refiloe Mashile at +27 13 755 3923 during office hours.
- 5.3. Service providers are also required to comply with all Covid-19 related protocols whilst on site, failure which the service provider can be refused entry into the building.

6. EVALUATION CRITERIA

The request for quotation (RFQ) will be evaluated in three (3) stages as follows:

Stage 1 - Administrative Compliance Requirements (Initial Screening Process)

Stage 2 – Mandatory requirements

Stage 3 - Price and Preference (Specific Goals).

6.1. STAGE 1: ADMINISTRATIVE COMPLIANCE REQUIREMENTS:

- a) The Standard Bid Document (SBD 4 & 6.1) forms must be fully completed and signed by the authorized company representative.
- b) The bidder must submit proof of registration on CSD (Central Supplier Database) in the form of a CSD Report.
- c) Submission of valid Tax Compliance Status (TCS) Certificate with a unique security personal Identification (PIN) issued by the South African Revenue Services certifying that the taxes of the bidder are in the order must be submitted at the closing date and time of the RFQ.
- d) The bidder must submit a certified valid B-BBEE certificate; in the event of submission of a B-BBEE Sworn Affidavit, the bidder must ensure that the Commissioner of Oath stamps the Affidavit and indicate the ownership percentages and or specific goals of the Bidding entity.



e) The bidder must submit Companies & Intellectual Property Commission (CIPC) company registration documents listing all Directors or Shareholders and certified ID copies for directors/shareholders/members/partners.

Note:

- If the bidder is listed on the National Treasury List of Restricted Suppliers, it shall result in disqualification of the bid.
- If any of its Directors are Listed on the Register of Defaulters, it shall result in disqualification of the bid.
- If the status of the bidder is reflecting deregistered on CIPC and/or CSD it shall result in disqualification of the bid.

Note: All bidders who do not comply with the items listed above **may be disqualified and not be evaluated further.**

6.2. Stage 2: Mandatory Requirements Evaluation

No	Mandatory requirements	Comply / Not Comply
1.	The bidder to visit the site in order to quote accordingly, proof of site inspection to be submitted.	
2.	The service provider must meet all the requirements of the Private Security Industry Regulatory Authority (PSIRA) Act 56 of 2001; <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Company registration with PSIRA (please attach valid original certified copy of the certificate) on the closing date and time of the RFQ.	
3.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• The service provider must ensure that the proposed security officers to be deployed at sefa have valid PSIRA certificates on the closing date of the RFQ.	
4.	Company Experience; <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Proposal must include companies' resources, which include the arm response team, security officers, qualifications, certifications, registration to affiliate bodies	

Bidders that fail to comply with all the mandatory requirements will not be considered for further evaluation, and they will be automatically disqualified.



6.3. Stage 3: Price and Specific Goals

6.3.1 This RFQ will be evaluated based on price and specific goals in line with the provisions of the Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act 5 of 2000, Regulation 2022. As the RFQ price is estimated to be less than R 50 00 000.00, RFQ responses will be evaluated on the 80/20 price & specific goals.

6.4. This tender's applicable preference point system is the 80/20 preference point system. Points for this tender (even in the case of a tender for income-generating contracts) shall be awarded for:

CRITERIA	POINTS
Price	80
Specific Goals	20
TOTAL	100 points

Specific Goals for this tender and points that may be claimed are indicated in table below:

Criteria	POINTS (80/20 system)
Black ownership	10
30% Black Women's Ownership	5
Any % of ownership by Black Designated Groups >0	3
Reconstruction Development Programme Objective: Promotion of SMMEs (Entities that are EME or QSE)	2
Total Points	20

Black ownership: 100% Black owned entities will score 10 points, and between 51% - 99% black-owned entities will score 4 points.

Supporting Document for Claiming of Specific Goals:

The bidder must submit proof of either a BBBEE Certificate accredited by SANAS or a BBBEE Certificate issued by the Department of Trade and Industry (DTI) or a Sworn Affidavit.

Black Designated Group means:

- a) Unemployed black people not attending and not required by law to attend an educational institution and not awaiting admission to an educational institution.
- b) Black people who are youth as defined in the National Youth Commission Act of 1996.
- c) Black people who are persons with disabilities as defined in the Code of Good Practice on employment of people with disabilities issued under the Employment Equity Act.
- d) Black people living in rural and underdeveloped areas.
- e) Black military veterans qualify to be called military veterans in terms of the military veteran Act 18 of 2021.



7. ENQUIRIES

For the duration of this RFQ until the eventual appointment of the service provider and Contracting, **ALL** inquiries regarding this RFQ **MUST** be addressed to the Supply Chain Office at mphot@sefa.org.za

Please note:

1. Quotations should be e-mailed to **sefa** by **16:00 pm** on the **16 January 2024**.
2. Quotation should be valid for at least **60 days**.
3. Please indicate your delivery period: _____
4. Is the delivery period firm for the duration of the contract?

Yes	No	N/a
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5. Is/are the price(s) firm for the duration of the contract?

Yes	No	N/a
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6. Is the offer strictly to specification?

Yes	No	N/a
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7. If not to specification, state deviation(s). _____

8. All Prices must be **VAT inclusive if the Service Provider is a VAT vendor; if** no indication is given, prices will be evaluated as inclusive.

9. **No quotations received after the closing time and date will be accepted.**

10. The tenderer is responsible for verifying **receipt** of any email forwarded to this office.

11. If you are unable to quote, please email this page back to the sender and state the reason below

Reason for no quote: _____

12. This quotation is subject to the general conditions of the contract unless otherwise stated by the issuer

I/we agree that the offer herein shall remain binding upon me /us and open for acceptance by sefa during the validity period indicated and calculated from the closing time stated above.

Signature of Tenderer

Name and Capacity

Date

BIDDER'S DISCLOSURE

1. PURPOSE OF THE FORM

Any person (natural or juristic) may make an offer or offers in terms of this invitation to bid. In line with the principles of transparency, accountability, impartiality, and ethics as enshrined in the Constitution of the Republic of South Africa and further expressed in various pieces of legislation, it is required for the bidder to make this declaration in respect of the details required hereunder.

Where a person/s are listed in the Register for Tender Defaulters and / or the List of Restricted Suppliers, that person will automatically be disqualified from the bid process.

2. Bidder's declaration

2.1 Is the bidder, or any of its directors / trustees / shareholders / members / partners or any person having a controlling interest¹ in the enterprise, employed by the state? **YES/NO**

2.1.1 If so, furnish particulars of the names, individual identity numbers, and, if applicable, state employee numbers of sole proprietor/ directors / trustees / shareholders / members/ partners or any person having a controlling interest in the enterprise, in table below.

2.2 Do you, or any person connected with the bidder, have a relationship

1 the power, by one person or a group of persons holding the majority of the equity of an enterprise, alternatively, the person/s having the deciding vote or power to influence or to direct the course and decisions of the enterprise.

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with any person who is employed by the procuring institution? **YES/NO**

2.2.1 If so, furnish particulars:

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2.3 Does the bidder or any of its directors / trustees / shareholders / members / partners or any person having a controlling interest in the enterprise have any interest in any other related enterprise whether or not they are bidding for this contract? **YES/NO**

2.3.1 If so, furnish particulars:

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3 DECLARATION

I, the undersigned, in
(name).....
submitting the accompanying bid, do hereby make the following statements that I certify to be true and complete in every respect:

- 3.1 I have read and I understand the contents of this disclosure;
- 3.2 I understand that the accompanying bid will be disqualified if this disclosure is found not to be true and complete in every respect;
- 3.3 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 consortium² will not be construed as collusive bidding.
- 3.4 In addition, there have been no consultations, communications, agreements or arrangements with any competitor regarding the quality, quantity, specifications, prices, including methods, factors or formulas used to calculate prices, market allocation, the intention or decision to submit or not to submit the bid, bidding with the intention not to win the bid and conditions or delivery particulars of the products or services to which this bid invitation relates.
- 3.4 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.
- 3.5 There have been no consultations, communications, agreements or arrangements made by the bidder with any official of the procuring

² 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.

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institution in relation to this procurement process prior to and during the bidding process except to provide clarification on the bid submitted where so required by the institution; and the bidder was not involved in the drafting of the specifications or terms of reference for this bid.

3.6 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.

I CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION FURNISHED IN PARAGRAPHS 1, 2 and 3 ABOVE IS CORRECT.

I ACCEPT THAT THE STATE MAY REJECT THE BID OR ACT AGAINST ME IN TERMS OF PARAGRAPH 6 OF PFMA SCM INSTRUCTION 03 OF 2021/22 ON PREVENTING AND COMBATING ABUSE IN THE SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT SYSTEM SHOULD THIS DECLARATION PROVE TO BE FALSE.

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Signature

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Date

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Position

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Name of bidder

**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);

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- a) The value of this bid is estimated to exceed/not exceed R50 000 000 (all applicable taxes included) and therefore the 80/20. preference point system shall be applicable; or
- b) The 80/20 preference point system will be applicable to this tender

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;
- (i) “**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 PREFERENCE POINT SYSTEMS

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

80/20

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

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) 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 DECLARATION

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 TERMS OF PARAGRAPHS 1.4 AND 4.1

6.1 B-BBEE Status Level of Contributor: . =(maximum of 20 points)

(Points claimed in respect of paragraph 7.1 must be in accordance with the table reflected in paragraph 4.1 and must be substantiated by relevant proof of B-BBEE status level of contributor.

7. SUB-CONTRACTING

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

(Tick applicable box)

YES		NO	
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7.1.1 If yes, indicate:

- 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	
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- 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 least 51% owned by:	EME	QSE
Black people	✓	
Black people who are youth		
Black people who are women		
Black people with disabilities		
Black people living in rural or underdeveloped areas or townships		
Cooperative owned by black people		
Black people who are military veterans		
OR		
Any EME		
Any QSE		

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 proprietor
- Close corporation
- Company
- (Pty) Limited

[TICK APPLICABLE BOX]

8.5 DESCRIBE PRINCIPAL BUSINESS ACTIVITIES

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8.6 COMPANY CLASSIFICATION

- Manufacturer
- Supplier
- Professional service provider
- Other service providers, e.g. transporter, etc.

[TICK APPLICABLE BOX]

8.7 Total number of years the company/firm has been in business:.....

8.8 I/we, the undersigned, who is / are duly authorised to do so on behalf of the company/firm, certify that the points claimed, based on the B-BBE status level of contributor indicated in paragraphs 1.4 and 6.1 of the foregoing certificate, qualifies the company/ firm for the preference(s) shown and I / we 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 6.1, the contractor may be required to furnish documentary proof to the satisfaction of the purchaser that the claims are correct;
- iv) If the B-BBEE status level of contributor has been claimed or obtained on a fraudulent basis or any of the conditions of contract have not been fulfilled, the purchaser may, in addition to any other remedy it may have –
 - (a) disqualify the person from the bidding 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 bidder or contractor, its shareholders and directors, or only the shareholders and directors who acted on a fraudulent basis, be restricted by the National Treasury 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.

<p>WITNESSES</p> <p>1.</p> <p>2.</p>	<p>SIGNATURE(S) OF BIDDERS(S)</p> <p>DATE:</p> <p>ADDRESS</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p>
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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 **TRANS CALEDON TUNNEL AUTHORITY** 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;
 - Purchase order / Letter of Award or acceptance;
 - Tax clearance certificate;
 - Pricing schedule(s);
 - Filled in task directive/proposal;
 - Preference claims for Broad Based Black Economic Empowerment Status Level of Contribution in terms of the Preferential Procurement Regulations 2017;
 - Declaration of interest;
 - Declaration of bidder's past SCM practices;
 - Certificate of Independent Bid Determination;
 - Special Conditions of Contract;
 - (ii) General Conditions of Contract; and
 - (iii) Other (specify)

3. I confirm that I have satisfied myself as to the correctness and validity of my bid; that the price(s) and rate(s) quoted 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.
6. I confirm that I am duly authorised to sign this contract.

NAME (PRINT)

CAPACITY

SIGNATURE

NAME OF FIRM

DATE

WITNESSES

1

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DATE:

CONTRACT FORM - RENDERING OF SERVICES**PART 2 (TO BE FILLED IN BY THE PURCHASER)**

1. I..... in my capacity as..... accepts your bid under reference numberdated.....for the rendering of services indicated hereunder and/or further specified in the annexure(s).
2. An official order indicating service delivery instructions is forthcoming.
3. I undertake to make payment for the services rendered in accordance with the terms and conditions of the contract, within 30 (thirty) days after receipt of an invoice.

DESCRIPTION OF SERVICE	PRICE (ALL APPLICABLE TAXES INCLUDED)	COMPLETION DATE	B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL OF CONTRIBUTION	MINIMUM THRESHOLD FOR LOCAL PRODUCTION AND CONTENT (if applicable)

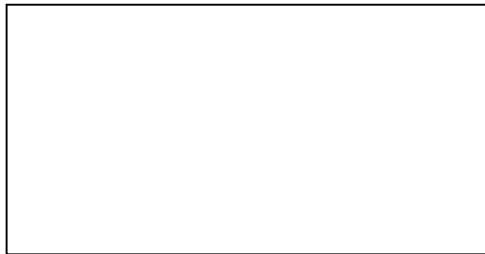
4. I confirm that I am duly authorised to sign this contract.

SIGNED AT ON

NAME (PRINT)

SIGNATURE

OFFICIAL STAMP

A large rectangular box intended for an official stamp or signature.

WITNESSES

1

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DATE: