

NATIONAL LOTTERIES COMMISSION

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF A SERVICE PROVIDER TO PROVIDE COURIER SERVICES TO THE NATIONAL LOTTERIES COMMISSION FOR A PERIOD OF TWO (2) YEARS

BID PROCESS	BID REQUIREMENTS
Tender number	RFP 2024-053
Bid Advertisement Date	29 February 2024
Closing date and time	19 March 2024 at 11:00 (South African Standard Time)
Tender validity period	90 business working days from the closing date (19 March to 22 May 2024)
Compulsory Briefing meeting	N/A
Tenders are to be delivered to the following address on the stipulated closing date and time:	<p>The original bid document must be submitted ONLY via USB and handed in/ delivered to:</p> <p>Supply Chain Management National Lotteries Commission 333 Grosvenor Street Block D, Hatfield Gardens, Hatfield, Pretoria,0083</p> <p>Enquires ONLY can be emailed to: maureen@nlcsa.org.za</p> <p>Only USB submissions will be accepted NO hardcopies NO Emails.</p>

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SECTION 1: BACKGROUND, OVERVIEW AND RFP SCOPE OF REQUIREMENTS

1. INTRODUCTION

The National Lotteries Commission was established in terms of the Lotteries Act No. 57 of 1997, as amended (Lotteries Act) to regulate the National Lottery as well as other lotteries and societies. The NLC aims to ensure that funds raised through the National Lottery are distributed equitably and expeditiously across South Africa in order to advance social upliftment of communities in need with the aim of addressing poverty and reducing inequalities in line with the National Development Plan. The Commission is required to apply principles of openness and transparency in the exercise of its functions assigned to it in terms of the Lotteries Act No 57 of 1997.

2. BACKGROUND

2.1 Courier Services

In terms of the South African constitution and the Occupational Health and Safety Act, Act 85 of 1993, The National Lotteries Commission is required to ensure that there's a healthy and safe working places environment for its employees.

The NLC renders services to South Africans from nine (9) provincial offices and requires a reliable, around the clock courier service that will ensure that documents and items sent from offices are collected and delivered to recipients timeously and safely.

In line with the requirements of the Public Finance Management Act (PFMA) No. 1 of 1999, as amended and Treasury Regulations, the NLC invites suitably qualified and experienced service providers to provide courier services for the NLC.

3. THE OBJECTIVE OF THIS PROJECT

The purpose of the terms of reference (TOR) is to appoint a suitably qualified and experienced service provider to render courier services for the NLC for a period of (24) Months.

4. METHODOLOGY

The Service Provider must clearly outline and explain the methodology that will be used for courier services for the 2024 to 2026 financial year by outlining the approach and providing a step- by-step explanation of the proposed process.

5. SCOPE OF WORK

The scope of the courier work entails collection of documents/records and or parcels from the NLC Offices across the country and other destinations when required. It also involves providing courier services nationally as and when required as follows:

Description of Goods/Services	Finish
<p>Courier services:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Same day service• Overnight service.• Saturday and Sunday services; and• Public holiday services.	<p>The bidder must timeously collect and deliver documents/records and or parcels to the intended person(s) and provide proof.</p> <p>The bidder must provide all stationery requirements for collections and delivery, i.e. waybills, courier bags, stickers and packaging tapes including online platforms (if applicable).</p>
<p>Same day service means that the service must be rendered on the same day.</p> <p>that a document/record or parcel was collected between 08:00 and 16:30 (office deliveries and between 08:00 and 23:00 (residential or home deliveries).</p> <p>Overnight service means that the service must be rendered between 08:00 and 10:00 a.m. the next day</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• The service provider will report to Marketing & Communications Department on a monthly basis
Saturday, Sunday and Public Holidays service means that the service must be rendered between 09:00 and 17:00 at residential offices or home addresses.	

6. DELIVERABLES

As a minimum, the NLC expects the following deliverables, amongst other things:

- The availability of domestic courier services.
- The bidder to provide monthly report in respect of percentage of spending, types of courier services rendered, percentage of delivered and undelivered documents/ records and delivery destinations as and when required by the NLC.

7. DURATION OF THE PROJECT

7.1. The expected duration of the project is for a period of two (2) years from the date of signing of the service level agreement (SLA).

SECTION 2: NOTICE TO BIDDERS

1. Terms and conditions of Request for Proposals (RFP)

- 1.1 This document may contain confidential information that is the property of the NLC.
- 1.2 No part of the contents may be used, copied, disclosed, or conveyed in whole or in part to any party in any manner whatsoever other than for preparing a proposal in response to this RFP without prior written permission from the NLC.
- 1.3 All copyright and intellectual property herein vests with the NLC.
- 1.4 Late and incomplete submissions will not be accepted.
- 1.5 No services must be rendered, or goods delivered before an official NLC Purchase Order form has been received.
- 1.6 This RFP will be evaluated in terms of the 80/20 preference point system.
- 1.7 Suppliers are required to register on the Central Supplier Database at www.csd.gov.za.
- 1.8 Suppliers must provide their CSD registration number (and attach a CSD Registration report) and ensure that the tax matters are compliant.
- 1.9 All questions regarding this RFP must be forwarded to maureen@nlcsa.org.za.
- 1.10 Any supplier who has reasons to believe that the RFP specification is based on a specific brand must inform the NLC via the email addressed in 1.9.

2. General rules and instructions

- 2.1 News and press releases.
 - 2.1.1 Bidders or their agents shall not make any news releases concerning this RFP or the awarding of the same or any resulting agreement(s) without the consent of, and then only in co-ordination with, the NLC.
- 2.2 Precedence of documents
 - 2.2.1 This RFP consists of several sections. Where there is a contradiction in terms between the clauses, phrases, words, stipulations, or terms and herein referred to generally as stipulations in this RFP and the stipulations in any other document attached hereto, or the RFP submitted hereto, the relevant stipulations in this RFP shall take precedence.
 - 2.2.2 Where this RFP is silent on any matter, the relevant stipulations addressing such matter, and which appear in section 217 of the constitution of the republic shall take precedence. Bidders shall refrain from incorporating any additional stipulations in its proposal submitted in terms hereof other than in the form of a clearly marked recommendation that the NLC may in its sole discretion elect to import or to ignore. Any such inclusion shall not be used for any purpose of interpretation unless it has been so imported or acknowledged by the NLC.

2.2.3 It remains the exclusive domain and election of the NLC as to which of these stipulations are applicable and to what extent. Bidders are hereby acknowledging that the decision of the commission in this regard is final and binding. The onus to enquire and obtain clarity in this regard rests with the Bidder(s). The Bidder(s) shall take care to restrict its enquiries in this regard to the most reasonable interpretations required to ensure the necessary consensus.

2.3 Preferential procurement reform

2.3.1 The Commission supports B-BBEE as an essential ingredient of its business. In accordance with government policy, the NLC insists that the private sector demonstrates its commitment and track record to B-BBEE in the areas of ownership (shareholding), skills transfer, employment equity and procurement practices (SMME Development) etc.

2.4 National Industrial Participation Programme

2.4.1 The Industrial Participation policy, which was endorsed by Cabinet on 30 April 1997, is applicable to contracts that have imported content. The NIP is obligatory and therefore must be complied with. Bidders are required to sign and submit the Standard Bidding Document (SBD).

2.5 Language

2.5.1 Bids shall be submitted in English.

2.6 Gender

2.6.1 Any word implying any gender shall be interpreted to imply all other genders.

2.7 Headings

2.7.1 Headings are incorporated into this RFP document and submitted in response thereto, for ease of reference only and shall not form part thereof for any purpose of interpretation or for any other purpose.

2.8 Occupational Injuries and Diseases Act 13 of 1993

2.8.1 The Bidder warrants that all its employees (including the employees of any sub-contractor that may be appointed) are covered in terms of the Compensation for Occupational Injuries and Diseases Act 13 of 1993 and that the cover shall remain in force for the duration of the adjudication of this RFP and/ or subsequent agreement. the commission reserves the right to request the Bidder to submit documentary proof of the Bidder's registration and "good standing" with the Compensation Fund, or similar proof acceptable to the commission.

2.9 Processing of the Bidder's Personal Information

2.9.1 All Personal Information of the Bidder, its employees, representatives, associates and sub-contractors ("Bidder Personal Information") required under this RFP is collected and processed for the purpose of assessing the content of its tender proposal and awarding the bid. The Bidder is advised that Bidder Personal Information may be passed on to third parties to whom the commission is compelled by law to provide such information. For example, where appropriate, the commission is compelled to submit information to National Treasury's Database of Restricted

Suppliers.

- 2.9.2 All Personal Information collected will be processed in accordance with POPIA and with the commission Data Privacy Policy.
- 2.9.3 The following persons will have access to the Personal Information collected:
 - 2.9.3.1 The commission personnel participating in procurement/award procedures; and
 - 2.9.3.2 Members of the public: within seven working days from the time the bid is awarded, the following information will have to be made available on National Treasury's e-Tender portal:
 - 2.9.3.2.1 contract description and bid number.
 - 2.9.3.2.2 names of the successful bidder(s) and preference points claimed.
 - 2.9.3.2.3 the contract price(s) (if possible).
 - 2.9.3.2.4 contract period.
 - 2.9.3.2.5 names of directors; and
 - 2.9.3.2.6 date of completion/award.
- 2.9.4 The commission will ensure that the rights of the Bidder and of its employees and representatives (i.e., the right of access and the right to rectify) are effectively guaranteed in accordance with the procedures as specified in the commission PAIA manual.
- 2.9.5 In signing this document, the Bidder consents to the use of its Personal Information for the purposes as specified in section 2.9.1 above.
- 2.9.6

3. Formal Briefing Session

- 3.1 No briefing session.

4. Validity Period

- 4.1 The Commission requires a validity period of 90 [ninety] Business Days [**19 March 2024 to 22 May 2024**] against this RFP.
- 4.2 Bidders are to note that they may be requested to extend the validity period of their bids, on the same terms and conditions, if the internal evaluation process are not finalised within the validity period.

5. National Treasury's Central Supplier Database

- 5.1 Bidders are required to self-register on National Treasury's Central Supplier Database (CSD) which has been established to centrally administer supplier information for all organs of state and facilitate the verification of certain key supplier information.
- 5.2 The Commission may not award business to a bidder who has failed to register on the CSD.
- 5.3 Only foreign suppliers with no local registered entity need not register on the CSD.
- 5.4 The CSD can be accessed at <https://secure.csd.gov.za/>

6. Confidentiality

- 6.1 Bids submitted for this Request for Proposals will not be revealed to any other bidders and will be treated as contractually binding.
- 6.2 The Commission reserves all the rights afforded to it by the POPIA in the processing of any of its information as contained in Bid Proposals.
- 6.3 The Bidder acknowledges that it will obtain and have access to personal information of The NLC and agrees that it shall only process the information disclosed by the NLC in terms of this bid award and only for the purposes as detailed in this RFP and in accordance with any applicable law.
- 6.4 The Bidder shall notify the NLC in writing of any unauthorized access to personal information and the information of a third party, through cybercrimes or suspected cybercrimes, in its knowledge and report such crimes or suspected crimes to the relevant authorities in accordance with applicable laws, after becoming aware of such.

7. Communication

- 7.1 Specific queries relating to this RFP should be submitted maureen@nlcsa.org.za at least three (3) before the closing date.
- 7.2 In the interest of fairness and transparency the NL C's response to such a query may be made available to other bidders.
- 7.3 It is prohibited for bidders to attempt, either directly or indirectly, to canvass any officer or employee of the NLC in respect of this RFP between the closing date and the date of the award of the business.
- 7.4 Bidders found to be in collusion with one another will be automatically disqualified and restricted from doing business with organs of state for a specified period.

8. Supplier Performance

- 8.1 The National Lotteries Commission conducts regular performance reviews in accordance with the requirements for the classification of the contract and or stakeholder by making use of supplier evaluation forms. The evaluation is conducted against the deliverables or scope of the contract with a minimum of an annual review done for contracts longer than a year and a review at completion of contract for those contracts less than a year.
- 8.2 Ad-hoc performance reviews shall be conducted where non-performance is identified outside the review period.
- 8.3 Non-performance will be addressed with at least a formal letter advising specific non- performing areas and stating remedial action/s required within specific time frames. Non-adherence to remedial actions shall lead to escalating performance management actions.
- 8.4 Any party to this agreement may request to participate in a joint performance review where appropriate and seek continuous improvement opportunities.

SECTION 3: EVALUATION CRITERIA

The six (6) phase evaluation criteria will be considered in evaluating the proposals, being the following:

Stage 1: Tender Closing and Opening

1.1 Tender closing details

The deadline for Tender submission is on **19 March 2024 at 11:00am** Standard South African Time. Any late tenders will not be accepted. **Tenders (USBs)** are to be submitted to the NLC's tender box at the following physical address:

National Lotteries Commission

333 Grosvenor Street

Block D Hatfield Gardens

Hatfield, 0083

Only USBs will be accepted. Please mark your USB well with a tag or any other form that is visible.

1.2 Bid Formats

1.2.1 Bid submissions must be submitted in a PDF format that is protected from any modifications, deletions, or additions.

1.2.2 Financial/pricing information must be presented in a separate **attachment from** the Technical/Functional Response information. The onus is on the Bidder to ensure that all mandatory and required documents are included in the electronic submission.

1.2.3 Submissions must be prominently marked with the full details of the tender namely Bidder's Name, Tender No and Tender Title.

1.2.4 Tender submissions received after submission date and time will be declared late and will not be accepted for consideration by the NLC.

1.3 The NLC will not be responsible for any failure or delay in the submission or receipt of the bid including but not limited to:

- Traffic.
- Struggling to find parking.
- Courier arriving late.

Stage 2: Administrative Compliance

2.1 All bid respondents must submit the relevant documents that comply with administrative compliance of this RFP, which will include the following:

Evaluation Criteria	Supporting Document
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Returnable documents (standard bidding documents) duly signed by the authorized person 	Fully Completed and signed standard bidding document (SBD) Forms, SBD 1 and SBD 6.1
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Price offer/Proposal 	Pricing and delivery schedule
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bidder 's tax affairs are in order 	Tax Compliance System Pin
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Registration with Central Supplier Database (CSD). Only foreign suppliers with no local registered entity need not register on the CSD 	Full Central Supplier Database (CSD) registration. CSD Summary Report with Tax Compliance
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Signed consent form in terms of the Protection of Personal Information Act 4 of 2013 (POPIA) (Consent Forms Attached to the Bid as part of the SBDs). 	Fully Completed and Signed POPIA Consent Form

Stage 3: Mandatory Compliance

3.1 All bid respondents must submit required documents that comply with all mandatory compliance of this RFP. Bids that do not fully comply with the mandatory requirements will be disqualified and will not be considered for further evaluation. The Mandatory Compliance Evaluation will include the following: ***Failure to comply with the above mandatory requirements will render your submission non-responsive and unacceptable.***

Evaluation Criteria	Supporting Document
1. In the event of the bidder being in a joint venture (JV), a signed JV agreement must be submitted (where applicable)	JV Agreement (where applicable)
2. Returnable document (SBD 4) and/or schedules completed, duly signed by the authorized person.	Fully Completed and Signed SBD 4 Form

Note to Bidders:

Bidders may be requested, at the behest of the NLC, to submit via courier services to the SCM unit of the NLC, within a minimum of 3 working days from date of request hard copy certified qualifications, memberships certificates, COIDA etc. which may have been requested for mandatory or functionality assessment. Failure to submit the information within the requested period shall render the bidder non-responsive.

Stage 4: Technical evaluation

4.1 Rating scale to be followed for evaluation process: Table 1

Rating	Definition	Score
Excellent	Exceeds the requirement. Exceptional demonstration by the supplier of the relevant ability, understanding, experience, skills, resource and quality measures required to provide the goods / services. Response identifies factors that will offer potential added value, with supporting evidence.	5
Good	Satisfies the requirement with minor additional benefits . Above average demonstration by the supplier of the relevant ability, understanding, experience, skills, resource and quality measures required to provide the goods / services. Response identifies factors that will offer potential added value, with supporting evidence.	4
Acceptable	Satisfies the requirement. Demonstration by the supplier of the relevant ability, understanding, experience, skills, resource, and quality measures required to provide the goods / services, with supporting evidence.	3
Minor Reservations	Satisfies the requirement with minor reservations . Some minor reservations of the supplier's relevant ability, understanding, experience, skills, resource and quality measures required to provide the goods / services, with little or no supporting evidence.	2
Serious Reservations	Satisfies the requirement with major reservations . Considerable reservations of the supplier's relevant ability, understanding, experience, skills, resource and quality measures required to provide the goods / services, with little or no supporting evidence.	1
Unacceptable / Non - Compliant	Does not meet the requirement . Does not comply and/or insufficient information provided to demonstrate that the supplier has the ability, understanding, experience, skills, resource & quality measures required to provide the goods / services, with little or no supporting evidence.	0

4.1 The evaluation for the Technical and Functional threshold will include the following:

Category	Criteria Description	Weightings (%)	Scoring matrix (0 to 5)
Company experience	The bidder must demonstrate that they have the capacity to render the required service by submitting a company profile detailing of courier services in the past 8 years.	25%	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • More than 5 years = 5 • Between 4 and up to 5 years=4 • Between 3 and up to 4 years =3 • Between 2 and up to 3 years =2 • Between 1 and 2 years = 1 • Less than 1 years= 0
Capacity and ability to deliver services	Considers the technical and professional skills of the project team. Abbreviated Curriculum Vitae (CV's) of personnel (not more than 3 team members including the Key Account Manager) involved on the implementation of the project, not longer than one page each, shall be included in an Appendix.	25%	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Experience in delivering courier services. • More than 8 years = 5 • Between 5 to 8 years = 4 • Between 3 to 5 years = 3 • Between 1 - 3 years = 2 • Up to 1 year = 1 • Less than 1 years = 0

Project Management & Methodology	<p>The bidder must provide a project implementation plan which details how the service will be carried out. The project plan must have deliverables and time frames and the project plan must make provision for the following:</p> <p>Provide details about the resources and processes of the company to deal with Courier services. High-level indication of the number of days it will take to complete monthly monitoring and analysis reports.</p> <p>Method and approach of reporting three times daily.</p> <p>Proposed training method and system.</p> <p>Weekly / Monthly Reporting.</p>	25%	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Project Plan with methodology, with clear strategy and timeframes outlining reporting times & responding to ad hoc for courier services items =5 • Project Plan with methodology, with clear strategy and timeframes = 4 • Project Plan with clear Milestones =3 • Project Plan with clear deliverables =2 • Project Plan only = 1 • No project plan = 0
Turn - Around Time of Courier Services	<p>Bidders are required to provide with workflow process reflecting the effectiveness and efficiency (turn-around time) in terms of providing with the required services.</p>	5%	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Outlining workflow process reflecting the effectiveness and efficiency = 5 <p>No information provided = 0</p>

<p>Contactable References</p>	<p>Provide five (5) written reference letters from contactable existing/recent clients where similar service in courier services were successfully rendered.</p> <p>Letters must include the company name, contact name, address, phone number, duration of contract, value of the contract, a brief description of the services that you provide, and the reference letter should not be older than two (2) years from the date of closing of the RFP. The reference letters must be on the client's letterhead and must be dated and signed. 2 or more reference letters from the same client will be treated as one (1) reference letter.</p> <p>NLC will conduct reference check for due diligence for all the written reference letters submitted for this RFP.</p> <p>No appointment letters from clients will be accepted.</p>	20%	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5 or more reference letters = 5 • 4 reference letters = 4 • 3 reference letters = 3 • 2 reference letters = 2 • 1 reference letter = 1 • No reference letter = 0
	<p>Total Weighting:</p> <p>Minimum qualifying scored required</p>	100	75

Stage 5: Pricing and Specific Goals comparatives

5.1 Pricing Schedule

The evaluation for Pricing and Specific Goals will include the following:

Evaluation Criteria	Final Weighted Scores
<p>PRICE</p> <p>The following formula will be used to calculate the points out of 80 for price in respect of a tender with a Rand value equal to or above R30 000 and up to a Rand value of R50 million, inclusive of all applicable taxes:</p> $Ps = 80 \left(1 - \frac{Pt - P_{min}}{P_{min}} \right)$ <p>Where:</p> <p> Ps = Score for the Bid under consideration Pt $=$ Price of Bid under consideration P_{min} $=$ Price of lowest acceptable Bid </p>	80
<p>SPECIFIC GOALS</p> <p>In terms of Regulation 4(2); 5(2); 6(2) and 7(2) of the Preferential Procurement Regulations 2022, preference points must be awarded for specific goals.</p>	20
TOTAL SCORE:	100

5.2 Specific Goals

A maximum of 20 points to be awarded to a tenderer for the specific goals specified for this bid is as follows: -

#	Specific goals allocated points	Preference Points (80/20)	Required Evidence
1	<p>HDI, percentage of black ownership $100\% \text{ black ownership} = 10 \text{ points}$ $\text{and based on percentage pro rata for black ownership less than } 100\%$ $\text{e.g.: } 67\% = 6.7 \text{ points}$</p>	10	<p>CSD Registration B-BBEE Certificate report NLC Company Registration</p>
2	<p>Percentage of women ownership $100\% \text{ women ownership} = 8 \text{ points}$ and based on percentage pro rata for woman ownership less than 100% $\text{e.g.: } 50\% = 4.0 \text{ points}$</p>	8	<p>CSD Registration B-BBEE Certificate report NLC Company Registration</p>
3	<p>Percentage of ownership persons with Disability $100\% \text{ ownership} = 2 \text{ points}$ $\text{and based on percentage pro rata for persons with disability ownership less than } 100\%$ $\text{e.g.: } 50\% = 1.0 \text{ points}$</p>	2	<p>Confirmation of Disability Form as per SARS (ITRDD Form) Medical Certificate</p>

The points scored for the specific goal must be added to the points scored for price and the total must be rounded off to the nearest two decimal places. Final appointment to be awarded to the bidder scoring the highest points.

Stage 6: Due Diligence, Contract and Award

The bidder must have current technical and logistical capacity to perform the work required. In order to proof this, the bidder must provide details of facilities, resources and capacity.

The stage is for negotiation after receipt of formal tenders and before the conclusion of contracts with suppliers/contractors submitting the lowest acceptable tender with a view to obtaining an improvement in price, delivery or content, in circumstances which do not put other tenderers at a disadvantage or affect adversely their confidence or trust in the competitive system. Bidders may be requested to provide their best and final offers based on contract negotiation.

SCM: **CONSENT** **REQUEST FORM**

REQUEST FOR THE CONSENT OF A DATA SUBJECT FOR PROCESSING OF PERSONAL INFORMATION FOR THE PURPOSE OF PROCUREMENT OF GOODS AND SERVICES APPLICATION, IN LINE WITH THE NLC's SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT POLICY, IN TERMS OF SECTION 11(1)(a) OF THE PROTECTION OF PERSONAL INFORMATION ACT, 2013 (ACT NO.4 OF 2013) ("POPIA").

TO: _____

FROM: _____

ADDRESS: _____

Contact number: _____

Email address: _____

PART A

1. In terms of the PROTECTION OF PERSONAL INFORMATION ACT, consent for processing of personal information of a data subject (the person/entity to whom personal information relates) must be obtained for the purpose of processing of application for procurement of goods and services, in line with the NLC's supply chain management policy, and storage of your personal data by means of any form of electronic communication, including automatic calling machines, facsimile machines, SMSs or e-mail, which is prohibited unless written consent to the processing is given by the data subject. You may only be approached once for your consent by us (NLC). After you have indicated your wishes in Part B, you are kindly requested to submit this Form either by post, facsimile or e-mail to the address, facsimile number or e-mail address as stated above.
2. "Processing" means any operation or activity or any set of operations, whether or not by automatic means, concerning personal information, including—
 - 2.1 the collection, receipt, recording, organisation, collation, storage, updating or modification, retrieval, alteration, consultation or use;

- 2.2 dissemination by means of transmission, distribution or making available in any other form; or
- 2.3 merging, linking, as well as restriction, degradation, erasure or destruction of information.

3. "Personal information" means information relating to an identifiable, living, natural person, and where it is applicable, an identifiable, existing juristic person, including, but not limited to—

- 3.1 information relating to the race, gender, sex, pregnancy, marital status, national, ethnic or social origin, colour, sexual orientation, age, physical or mental health, well-being, disability, religion, conscience, belief, culture, language and birth of the person;
- 3.2 information relating to the education or the medical, financial, criminal or employment history of the person;
- 3.3 any identifying number, symbol, e-mail address, physical address, telephone number, location information, online identifier or other particular assignment to the person;
- 3.4 the biometric information of the person;
- 3.5 the personal opinions, views or preferences of the person;
- 3.6 correspondence sent by the person that is implicitly or explicitly of a private or confidential nature or further correspondence that would reveal the contents of the original correspondence;
- 3.7 the views or opinions of another individual about the person; and
- 3.8 the name of the person if it appears with other personal information relating to the person or if the disclosure of the name itself would reveal information about the person.

Full names of the designated person on behalf of the Responsible Party

Signature of Designation person

PART B

I, _____ (full names), duly authorized, hereby: Consent to the processing of my/our personal information for the application of procurement of goods and services, in line with the NLC supply chain management policy, in terms of section 11(1)(a) of POPIA.

SPECIFY GOODS AND SERVICES (Edit/Click on services not required):

- Product Information
- Product Updates
- Industry Newsletters
- Price Changes

Method of Communication will be via: Email/Postal

- Give my consent.

By Ticking the next box, I am aware that I am Digitally Signing this Consent request Form:

Full Name:

Date:

WITHDRAWAL OF CONSENT ONCE GIVEN

You may withdraw your consent at any time.

Write or email us at the address above, advising us of your consent withdrawal

PART A INVITATION TO BID

SBD1

YOU ARE HEREBY INVITED TO BID FOR REQUIREMENTS OF THE NATIONAL LOTTERIES				
BID NUMBER:	RFP 2024-053	CLOSING DATE	19 March 2024	CLOSING TIME: 11:00
DESCRIPTION	REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF A SERVICE PROVIDER TO PROVIDE COURIER SERVICES TO THE NATIONAL LOTTERIES COMMISSION FOR A PERIOD OF TWO (2) YEARS			
Bids Proposals Submission: ONLY USBs WILL BE ACCEPTED				
<p>333 Grosvenor Street Block D, Hatfield Gardens, Hatfield, Pretoria, 0083</p>				
BIDDING PROCEDURE ENQUIRIES MAY BE DIRECTED TO		TECHNICAL ENQUIRIES MAY BE DIRECTED TO:		
CONTACT PERSON	Maureen Senyatsi	CONTACT PERSON	Maureen Senyatsi	
TELEPHONE NUMBER	012 432 1470	TELEPHONE NUMBER	012 432 1470	
FACSIMILE NUMBER		FACSIMILE NUMBER		
E-MAIL ADDRESS	maureen@nlcsa.org.za	E-MAIL ADDRESS	maureen@nlcsa.org.za	
SUPPLIER INFORMATION				
NAME OF BIDDER				
POSTAL ADDRESS				
STREET ADDRESS				
TELEPHONE NUMBER	CODE		NUMBER	
CELLPHONE NUMBER				
FACSIMILE NUMBER	CODE		NUMBER	
E-MAIL ADDRESS				
VAT REGISTRATION NUMBER				
SUPPLIER COMPLIANCE STATUS	TAX COMPLIANCE SYSTEM PIN:		OR	CENTRAL SUPPLIER DATABASE No: MAAA
B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL VERIFICATION CERTIFICATE	<input type="checkbox"/> [TICK APPLICABLE BOX] <input type="checkbox"/>		B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL SWORN AFFIDAVIT <input type="checkbox"/> [TICK APPLICABLE BOX] <input type="checkbox"/>	
	Yes		No	
[A B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL VERIFICATION CERTIFICATE/ SWORN AFFIDAVIT (FOR EMES & QSEs) MUST BE SUBMITTED IN ORDER TO QUALIFY FOR PREFERENCE POINTS FOR B-BBEE]				
ARE YOU THE ACCREDITED REPRESENTATIVE IN SOUTH AFRICA FOR THE GOODS /SERVICES /WORKS OFFERED?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	ARE YOU A FOREIGN BASED SUPPLIER FOR THE GOODS /SERVICES /WORKS OFFERED? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No [IF YES, ANSWER PART B:3]	
QUESTIONNAIRE TO BIDDING FOREIGN SUPPLIERS				

IS THE ENTITY A RESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA (RSA)?

YES NO

DOES THE ENTITY HAVE A BRANCH IN THE RSA?

YES NO

DOES THE ENTITY HAVE A PERMANENT ESTABLISHMENT IN THE RSA?

YES NO

DOES THE ENTITY HAVE ANY SOURCE OF INCOME IN THE RSA?

YES NO

IS THE ENTITY LIABLE IN THE RSA FOR ANY FORM OF TAXATION?

YES NO

IF THE ANSWER IS "NO" TO ALL OF THE ABOVE, THEN IT IS NOT A REQUIREMENT TO REGISTER FOR A TAX COMPLIANCE STATUS SYSTEM PIN CODE FROM THE SOUTH AFRICAN REVENUE SERVICE (SARS) AND IF NOT REGISTER AS PER 2.3 BELOW.

PART B

TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR BIDDING

1. BID SUBMISSION:

- 1.1. BIDS MUST BE DELIVERED BY THE STIPULATED TIME TO THE CORRECT ADDRESS. LATE BIDS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED FOR CONSIDERATION.
- 1.2. ALL BIDS MUST BE SUBMITTED ON THE OFFICIAL FORMS PROVIDED- (NOT TO BE RE-TYPED) OR IN THE MANNER PRESCRIBED IN THE BID DOCUMENT.
- 1.3. THIS BID IS SUBJECT TO THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT POLICY FRAMEWORK ACT, 2000 AND THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS, 2017, THE GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT (GCC) AND, IF APPLICABLE, ANY OTHER SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT.
- 1.4. THE SUCCESSFUL BIDDER WILL BE REQUIRED TO FILL IN AND SIGN A WRITTEN CONTRACT FORM (SBD7).

2. TAX COMPLIANCE REQUIREMENTS

- 2.1 BIDDERS MUST ENSURE COMPLIANCE WITH THEIR TAX OBLIGATIONS.
- 2.2 BIDDERS ARE REQUIRED TO SUBMIT THEIR UNIQUE PERSONAL IDENTIFICATION NUMBER (PIN) ISSUED BY SARS TO ENABLE THE ORGAN OF STATE TO VERIFY THE TAXPAYER'S PROFILE AND TAX STATUS.
- 2.3 APPLICATION FOR TAX COMPLIANCE STATUS (TCS) PIN MAY BE MADE VIA E-FILING THROUGH THE SARS WEBSITE WWW.SARS.GOV.ZA.
- 2.4 BIDDERS MAY ALSO SUBMIT A PRINTED TCS CERTIFICATE TOGETHER WITH THE BID.
- 2.5 IN BIDS WHERE CONSORTIA / JOINT VENTURES / SUB-CONTRACTORS ARE INVOLVED; EACH PARTY MUST SUBMIT A SEPARATE TCS CERTIFICATE / PIN / CSD NUMBER.
- 2.6 WHERE NO TCS IS AVAILABLE BUT THE BIDDER IS REGISTERED ON THE CENTRAL SUPPLIER DATABASE (CSD), A CSD NUMBER MUST BE PROVIDED.
- 2.7 NO BIDS WILL BE CONSIDERED FROM PERSONS IN THE SERVICE OF THE STATE, COMPANIES WITH DIRECTORS WHO ARE PERSONS IN THE SERVICE OF THE STATE, OR CLOSE CORPORATIONS WITH MEMBERS PERSONS IN THE SERVICE OF THE STATE."

NB: FAILURE TO PROVIDE / OR COMPLY WITH ANY OF THE ABOVE PARTICULARS MAY RENDER THE BID INVALID.

SIGNATURE OF BIDDER:

CAPACITY UNDER WHICH THIS BID IS SIGNED:

(Proof of authority must be submitted e.g. company resolution)

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.

Full Name	Identity Number	Name of State institution

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.

Do you, or any person connected with the bidder, have a relationship with any person who is employed by the procuring institution? **YES/NO**

2.1.2 If so, furnish particulars:

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2.2 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**

2.2.1 If so, furnish particulars:

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3 DECLARATION

I, the undersigned, (name) in 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 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

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.

SBD 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); and
- 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 organ of state**
(delete whichever is not applicable for this tender).

a) The applicable preference point system for this tender is the **90/10** preference point system.

b) The applicable preference point system for this tender is the **80/20** preference point system.

c) Either the **90/10 or 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 in regard to 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:

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \text{80/20} & \text{or} & \text{90/10} \\
 Ps = 80 \left(1 - \frac{Pt - P_{min}}{P_{min}}\right) & \text{or} & Ps = 90 \left(1 - \frac{Pt - P_{min}}{P_{min}}\right) \\
 \text{Where} & &
 \end{array}$$

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 organs of state: Where either the 90/10 or 80/20 preference point system is applicable, corresponding points must also be indicated as such. Note to tenderers: The tenderer must indicate how they claim points for each preference point system.)

#	Specific goals allocated points	Preference Points (80/20)	Points Claimed To be completed by the Tenderer
1	HDI, percentage of black ownership 100% black ownership = 10 points and based on percentage pro rata for black ownership less than 100% eg: 67% = 6.7 points	10	
2	Percentage of women ownership 100% women ownership = 8 points and based on percentage pro rata for woman ownership less than 100% eg: 50% = 4.0 points	8	

3	<p>Percentage of ownership persons with Disability 100% ownership = 2 points and based on percentage pro rata for persons with disability ownership less than 100% eg: 50% = 1.0 points</p>	2	
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5. DECLARATION WITH REGARD TO COMPANY/FIRM

5.1. Name of company/firm.....

5.2. Company registration number:

5.3. TYPE OF COMPANY/ FIRM

- Partnership/Joint Venture / Consortium
- One-person business/sole proprietor
- Close corporation
- Public Company
- Personal Liability Company
- (Pty) Limited
- Non-Profit Company
- State Owned Company

[TICK APPLICABLE BOX]

5.4. 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 aud

alteram partem (hear the other side) rule has been applied; and

(e) forward the matter for criminal prosecution, if deemed necessary.

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