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RW10414754/26R QUERIES	RAND WATER RESPONSE
<p>I would like to request a list of the sites for the above bid in order to prepare a proposal</p>	<p>The list of sites is provided in the document from pages 94 to 129</p>
<p>Kindly clarify the following</p> <p>T2.1.2 Returnable required at Tender Closing date and time for evaluation These returnable are required to be submitted at bid closing date and time. A bidder that does not submit the required returnable at stipulated deadline or submits an incomplete returnable; will not be disqualified but will be scored accordingly.</p> <p>Under this statement 3-year financial statements are required if I don't submit this requirement does this mean I will not be disqualified and kindly clarify how will I be scored?</p>	<p>No you will not be disqualified, however as part of financial analysis, a report will detail none submission of the 3 year financials.</p>
<p>I would like to confirm whether this tender is intended to appoint a panel of service providers or a single service provider.</p>	<p>The number of supplier/s to be awarded may be up to a maximum of 05.</p>
<p>We are currently preparing our bid submission for the above-mentioned tender and kindly request clarity regarding a specific requirement under the Human Resource Capacity Functionality Evaluation Criterion.</p> <p>The personnel resource breakdown lists the following requirements:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. x2 Grade B Security Supervisor Dog Handler 2. x17 Unarmed Grade C Security Officers 	<p>Not all 51 must have canine competencies It is intended strictly for (1) Grade B Security Supervisors and (5) Dog Handlers.</p>



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- 3. x17 Armed Grade C Security Officers
- 4. x12 Grade C Tactical team
- 5. x3 Dog Handler

Directly beneath this resource list, the evaluation criteria state:

“All the above team members CVs must each have a valid SASSETA and or PSIRA Accredited Dog Training Certificate (SAQA IDs 243190, 120463 and 24188)”

Could you please clarify if it is Rand Water's explicit intention that all 51 personnel (including the standard unarmed, armed, and tactical officers) must hold these canine competencies? Or is this requirement intended strictly for the designated Dog Handlers listed under items 1 and 5?

As standard national security frameworks typically separate standard guarding roles from specialized K9 handlers, your guidance will ensure we structure our Human Resources Capacity Schedule exactly to Rand Water's operational needs.

We kindly request clarification regarding the Functionality Evaluation Criteria contained in the bid document for the Provision of Physical Security Services at Rand Water Sites.

Specifically, we seek confirmation on whether bidders submitting proposals for multiple regions will be permitted to repeat or utilise the same supporting documents across the different regions, particularly in relation to the following functionality requirements:

- Reference letters under Previous Experience
- Human Resource Capacity documentation (CVs and Certificates)
- Equipment Resource Capacity documentation
- SHERQ documentation
- Project Risk Management submissions

Furthermore, kindly confirm whether the same personnel, equipment resources, and reference letters may be used across multiple regions, or whether Rand Water requires region-specific and dedicated resources/documents for each regional submission

It should be noted that the purpose of functional evaluation is to establish an overall picture of the bidder's capacity and ability to undertake the work. In some criteria such as previous experience same information can be used across multiple regions and will be evaluated accordingly

<p>Please clarify the followings for us.</p> <p>According to the tender documents, I have noticed the followings:</p> <p>Clarity seeking number 01</p> <p>The tender document and the BoQ in terms of dog handlers' requirements are not the same. All regions requires that all security officers must have dog handlers' certificates , please see from page 12 of 129 , it's the same to</p> <p>Clarity seeking number 02</p> <p>We also realized that all regions require only guard monitoring points, there is no mentioning of the system to be used to patrol those clocking points.</p> <p>Understanding</p> <p>The clocking points must have a device that shows that a security officer did clock on that particular point. Please clarify if such device is required or ONLY clocking points are required .</p>	<p>Number 1</p> <p>Not all security officers are required to have Dog Handlers certificates. Only the Grade B Supervisors and Dog Handlers are required to have Dog Handlers certificates.</p> <p>Number 2</p> <p>The device that controls and stores information must be based in the service provider's Control Room with Rand Water being given access to the reports.</p> <p>The device used on site for clocking on the point will be the two way radios.</p>
<p>Kindly assist with the said bid , page no:4 Of 129 under awarding strategy section 3 which reads -</p> <p>Provide a response to the functionality requirements in respect of each identified region aligned to the scope of work defined in each Region (For ease of clarity if a bidder applies for two regions, the Bidder must provide two responses meeting the functionality requirement in relation to each Region)</p> <p>Does it mean should the company wish to submit for all the regions they are required to submit each bid document for each region separately (If its 5 Regions = 5 bid documents) or one bid document with all the regions inclusive of all regions price schedule?</p>	<p>Bidders are advised to submit One bid with mutiple returnables for each region it has elected to submit its bid</p> <p>It is advised that the returnables be labeled properly for ease of evaluation</p>



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I require some clarity regarding the functionality evaluation:

1. With regard to Human Resource Capacity, are we required to submit a team member list for each region we are bidding for? In other words, should each region have supporting CVs attached in accordance with the rating scale? If so, may the same CVs be used across different regions?

2. Which SBD forms are required to be signed under the JV, and which forms must be signed by each company individually?

Yes, the bidder must submit a team member list for each region, with supporting CVs. If the same CV is used in more than one region or the team overlaps the BEC will assess the submission based on whether the functional requirements have been met for evaluation purposes

Yes, each JV member is required to sign the SBD form that forms part of the tender