

KWAZULU-NATAL PROVINCE

PUBLIC WORKS & INFRASTRUCTURE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

INVITATION TO QUOTE - ZNQ: 76/25/26

SITA ACCREDITED SERVICE PROVIDERS ON RFB 740 TRANSVERSAL CONTRACT ARE HEREBY INVITED TO QUOTE FOR SUPPLY OF 36 BACKUP IT DATA CARTRIDGES FOR ON-PREMISE DATA BACKUP FOR HEAD OFFICE OFFICIALS AT 191PRINCE ALFRED STREET, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS & INFRASTRUCTURE, OLIVER TAMBO HOUSE HEAD OFFICE, PIETERMARITZBURG 3200.

The Department reserves the right not to award the lowest bidder

Phase 1: Administrative compliance

Correctness of bid documents

Compliance with bid regulations (registration with CSD and other prescripts requirements)

Failure to meet the above mandatory criteria will lead to immediate disqualification

Phase 2:

Specific goals for the tender and points claimed are indicated per the table below.

(Note to organs of state: Where the 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.)

The specific goals allocated points in terms of this tender	Applicable or Not Applicable	Number of points allocated (80/20 system) (To be completed by the organ of state)
Ownership by Black People 100%	Applicable	20 Points
Documentary Proof Required: 1) Sworn Affidavit; signed and dated by Commissioner of Oaths		

NB: SITA accredited Service providers on RFB 740 transversal contract are required to provide the detailed specification of the product from their distributor

Collection of Bid Documents

Tender documents may be downloaded from the Departmental website: www. kznworks.gov.za Queries relating to the issue of these documents may be addressed to:

Full Name: Lindiwe Ngcobo

Tel. No: 033 355 5440

Email Address: lindiwe.ngcobo@kznworks.gov.za The closing time for receipt of Tenders is **11h00**.

NB: Posted, Telegraphic, telephonic, telex, facsimile, e-mail and late Tender Proposals will not be

KWAZULU-NATAL PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT BIDDING FORMS

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PART A

INVITATION TO QUOTATION

YOU ARE HEREBY INVITED TO BID FOR REQUIREMENTS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS KZN HEAD OFFICE & INFRASTRUCTURE.							
QUOTATION NUMBER: ZNQ:76 /25/26 CLOSING DATE: 25 November 2025 CLOSING TIME: 11h00							
	TA Accredited service providers on RFB 740 Transversal contract are hereby						
invited to quote for supply of 36 Backup IT DATA Cartridges for on-premise DATA Backup for Head Office officials at 191Prince Alfred Street, Department of Public Works &							
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TELEPHONE NUMBER	033 355 557	7	TELEPHONE	NUMBER	033 2	260 3780	
FACSIMILE NUMBER	N/A		FACSIMILE	NUMBER	N/A		
E-MAIL ADDRESS		le@kznworks.gov.za 0kznworks.gov.za	E-MAIL ADD	DRESS	Regina	nh.Mneney@kznw	orks.gov.za
NAME OF BIDDER							
POSTAL ADDRESS							
STREET ADDRESS TELEPHONE		<u> </u>				1	
NUMBER	CODE			NUMBER			
CELLPHONE NUMBER							
FACSIMILE NUMBER	CODE			NUMBER			
E-MAIL ADDRESS							
VAT REGISTRATION NUMBER			T		1		
SUPPLIER COMPLIANCE	TAX COMPLIANCE			CENTRAL SUPPLIER			
STATUS	SYSTEM PIN:		OR	DATABASE	MAA	A	
B-BBEE STATUS	TICK API	L PLICABLE BOX]		No: TUS LEVEL SW	MAA ORN	A [TICK APPLICE]	CABLE BOX]
LEVEL VERIFICATION			AFFIDAVIT				
CERTIFICATE	Yes	☐ No				Yes	☐ No
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ARE YOU THE	TORTRETEREIVE	LIVINISI OR D-DDEL	-1				
ACCREDITED REPRESENTATIVE IN				FOREIGN BASE		□Yes	□No
SOUTH AFRICA FOR	□Yes	□No		OR THE GOODS WORKS OFFE			
THE GOODS /SERVICES /WORKS	[IF YES ENCLO	SE PROOF1	/SERVICES /	,,, 011120 01121		[IF YES, ANSW QUESTIONNAI	
OFFERED?							
QUESTIONNAIRE TO	BIDDING FOREI	GN SUPPLIERS					
IS THE ENTITY A RES	IDENT OF THE RE	PUBLIC OF SOUTH AFI	RICA (RSA)?			☐ YES ☐	NO
DOES THE ENTITY HAVE A BRANCH IN THE RSA?							
DOES THE ENTITY HA	AVE A PERMANEN	IT ESTABLISHMENT IN	THE RSA?			☐ YES ☐	NO
DOES THE ENTITY HA	AVE ANY SOURCE	OF INCOME IN THE RS	SA?			☐ YES ☐	NO
IS THE ENTITY LIABL	E IN THE RSA FOI	R ANY FORM OF TAXA	TION?			☐ YES ☐	NO
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PART B

TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR BIDDING

BID SUBMISSION:

BIDS MUST BE DELIVERED BY THE STIPULATED TIME TO THE CORRECT ADDRESS. LATE BIDS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED FOR CONSIDERATION.

ALL BIDS MUST BE SUBMITTED ON THE OFFICIAL FORMS PROVIDED—(NOT TO BE RE-TYPED) OR IN THE MANNER PRESCRIBED IN THE BID DOCUMENT.

THIS BID IS SUBJECT TO THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT POLICY FRAMEWORK ACT, 2000 AND THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS, 2022, THE GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT (GCC) AND, IF APPLICABLE, ANY OTHER SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT.

THE SUCCESSFUL BIDDER WILL BE REQUIRED TO FILL IN AND SIGN A WRITTEN CONTRACT FORM (SBD7).

TAX COMPLIANCE REQUIREMENTS

BIDDERS MUST ENSURE COMPLIANCE WITH THEIR TAX OBLIGATIONS.

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.

APPLICATION FOR TAX COMPLIANCE STATUS (TCS) PIN MAY BE MADE VIA E-FILING THROUGH THE SARS WEBSITE WWW.SARS.GOV.ZA.

BIDDERS MAY ALSO SUBMIT A PRINTED TCS CERTIFICATE TOGETHER WITH THE BID.

IN BIDS WHERE CONSORTIA / JOINT VENTURES / SUB-CONTRACTORS ARE INVOLVED, EACH PARTY MUST SUBMIT A SEPARATE TCS CERTIFICATE / PIN / CSD NUMBER.

WHERE NO TCS PIN IS AVAILABLE BUT THE BIDDER IS REGISTERED ON THE CENTRAL SUPPLIER DATABASE (CSD), A CSD NUMBER MUST BE PROVIDED.

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."

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SIGNATURE OF BIDDER:	
CAPACITY UNDER WHICH THIS BID IS SIGNED: (Proof of authority must be submitted e.g. company resolution)	
DATE:	

SECTION A

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS AND NOTICES TO BIDDERS REGARDING THE COMPLETION OF BIDDING FORMS

PLEASE NOTE THAT THIS BID IS SUBJECT TO TREASURY REGULATIONS 16A ISSUED IN TERMS OF THE PUBLIC FINANCE MANAGEMENT ACT, 1999, THE KWAZULU-NATAL SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT POLICY FRAMEWORK.

- 1. Unless inconsistent with or expressly indicated otherwise by the context, the singular shall include the plural and visa versa and with words importing the masculine gender shall include the feminine and the neuter.
- 2. Under no circumstances whatsoever may the bid forms be retyped or redrafted. Photocopies of the original bid documentation may be used, but an original signature must appear on such photocopies.
- 3. The bidder is advised to check the number of pages and to satisfy himself that none are missing or duplicated.
- 4. Bids submitted must be complete in all respects.
- 5. Bids shall be lodged at the address indicated not later than the closing time specified for their receipt, and in accordance with the directives in the bid documents.
- 6. Each bid shall be addressed in accordance with the directives in the bid documents and shall be lodged in a separate sealed envelope, with the name and address of the bidder, the bid number and closing date indicated on the envelope. The envelope shall not contain documents relating to any bid other than that shown on the envelope. If this provision is not complied with, such bids may be rejected as being invalid.
- 7. All bids received in sealed envelopes with the relevant bid numbers on the envelopes are kept unopened in safe custody until the closing time of the bids. Where, however, a bid is received open, it shall be sealed. If it is received without a bid number on the envelope, it shall be opened, the bid number ascertained, the envelope sealed and the bid number written on the envelope.
- 8. A specific box is provided for the receipt of bids, and no bid found in any other box or elsewhere subsequent to the closing date and time of bid will be considered.
- 9. No bid sent through the post will be considered if it is received after the closing date and time stipulated in the bid documentation, and proof of posting will not be accepted as proof of delivery.
- 10. No bid submitted by telefax, telegraphic or other electronic means will be considered.
- 11. Bidding documents must not be included in packages containing samples. Such bids may be rejected as being invalid.
- 12. Any alteration made by the bidder must be initialed.
- 13. Use of correcting fluid is prohibited
- 14. Bids will be opened in public as soon as practicable after the closing time of bid.
- 15. Where practical, prices are made public at the time of opening bids.
- 16. If it is desired to make more than one offer against any individual item, such offers should be given on a photocopy of the page in question. Clear indication thereof must be stated on the schedules attached.
- 17. Bidder must initial each and every page of the bid document.

NB: Failure to adhere to the above Instruction and notice will lead to immediate disqualification.

SECTION B

REGISTRATION ON THE CENTRAL SUPPLIERS DATABASE

- 1. In terms of the National Treasury Instruction Note, all suppliers of goods and services to the State are required to register on the Central Suppliers Database.
- 2. Prospective suppliers should self-register on the CSD website www.csd.gov.za
- 3. If a business is registered on the Database and it is found subsequently that false or incorrect information has been supplied, then the Department may, without prejudice to any other legal rights or remedies it may have;
 - 3.1 cancel a bid or a contract awarded to such supplier, and the supplier would become liable for any damages if a less favourable bid is accepted or less favourable arrangements are made.
- 4. The same principles as set out in paragraph 3 above are applicable should the supplier fail to request updating of its information on the Central Suppliers Database, relating to changed particulars or circumstances.
- 5. IF THE SUPPLIER IS NOT REGISTERED AT THE CLOSING TIME OF BID, THE SUPPLIER WILL BE DISQUALIFIED AT THE BID EVALUATION PROCESS.

SECTION C

DECLARATION THAT INFORMATION ON CENTRAL SUPPLIER DATABASE IS CORRECT AND UP TO DATE

(To be completed by bidder)

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT I (name of bidder/authorized representative)	, WHO
REPRESENTS (state name of bidder)	CSD Registration
Number	
AM AWARE OF THE CONTENTS OF THE CENTRAL SUPPLIER DATABASE WITH RESPECT T DETAILS AND REGISTRATION INFORMATION, AND THAT THE SAID INFORMATION IS CORI DATE AS ON THE DATE OF SUBMITTING THIS BID.	
AND I AM AWARE THAT INCORRECT OR OUTDATED INFORMATION MAY BE A CAUSE FOR DI OF THIS BID FROM THE BIDDING PROCESS, AND/OR POSSIBLE CANCELLATION OF THE CONT BE AWARDED ON THE BASIS OF THIS BID.	
SIGNATURE OF BIDDER OR AUTHORISED REPRESENTATIVE	
DATE.	

	SECTION D	
pplicable	Not Applicable	X
OFFICIAL BRIEFING SESSION/SITE INSPEC	TION CERTIFICATE	
N. B.: THIS FORM IS ONLY TO BE COMPLET	TED WHEN APPLICABLE TO THE BID.	
Site/Building/Institution Involved:		
Bid Reference No:		
Goods/Service/Work:		
*************	******	
This is to certify that (bidder's representative name)		
On behalf of (company name)		
Visited and inspected the site on/_/_scope of the service to be rendered.		ircumstances and the
Signature of Bidder or Authorized Representative		
(PRINT NAME)		
DATE: /		
Name of Departmental or Public Entity Represen	ntative	
(PRINT NAME)		
Departmental Stamp With Signature		

SECTION E

PRICING SCHEDULE – FIRM PRICES

(PURCHASES)

APPLICABLE	X	NOT APPLICABLE	
NOTE: ONLY FIRM PRICES WILL BE ACCEPTED. I EXCHANGE VARIATIONS) WILL NOT BE CONSIDERE		IRM PRICES (INCLUDING PRICES SUBJECT TO	RATES OF
Name of bidder:		Quotation number:	
BID PRICE INCLUDING VAT: R			
AMOUNT IN WORDS:			
OFFER TO BE VALID FOR 120 DAYS FROM THE CL	OSINO	G DATE OF QUOTATION.	

DESCRIPTION	Quantity	Unit Price	Total Amount
Request to appoint a service provider to supply 36 Backup	36		
IT Data Cartridges for ON-PREMISE DATA BACKUP at 191			
Prince Alfred Street:			
Detailed spec on Section :L			
SUB-TOTAL	R		
VAT AT 15%	R		
GRAND TOTAL (BID PRICE IN RSA CURRENCY WITH ALL	R		
APPLICABLE TAXES INCLUDED			

NB: Bidders to note: **VAT** to be included in transaction

X

PRICING SCHEDULE – NON-FIRM PRICES

(PURCHASES)

NOT APPLICABLE

APPLICABLE

QUOTATION IN CASES V	DOCUMENTS. WHERE DIFF		POINTS INFLU	ENCE THE PRI	ES SPECIFIED IN THE CING, A SEPARATE
Closing Time	11:00		Closing date		
OFFER TO	BE VALID FO	RDAYS FROI	M THE CLOSING	DATE OF QUO	TATION.
ITEM NO.	QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION		Unit Price	Total for each unit
			SUB-TOTAL		
			VAT AT 15%		
GRA	ND TOTAL (BII	D PRICE IN RSA CURRI APPLICABLE TA	ENCY WITH ALL AXES INCLUDED)		
Required by:					
- At:					
Brand and model					
Country of origin					
- Does th	e offer comply with th	e specification(s)?		*YES/NO	
If not to specification	on, indicate deviation((s)			
Period required for					
- Deliver	y:			*Firm/not firm	
** "all applicable t	axes" includes value-	added tax, pay as you earn, incon	ne tax, unemployment insu	rance fund contributions a	nd skills development levies.
*Delete if not appli	icable				

PRICE ADJUSTMENTS

A NON-FIRM PRICES SUBJECT TO ESCALATION

1. IN CASES OF PERIOD CONTRACTS, NON FIRM PRICES WILL BE ADJUSTED (LOADED) WITH THE ASSESSED CONTRACT PRICE ADJUSTMENTS IMPLICIT IN NON FIRM PRICES WHEN CALCULATING THE COMPARATIVE PRICES

IN THIS CATEGORY PRICE ESCALATIONS WILL ONLY BE CONSIDERED IN TERMS OF THE FOLLOWING FORMULA:

$$Pa = (1 - V)Pt \left(D1 \frac{R1t}{R1o} + D2 \frac{R2t}{R2o} + D3 \frac{R3t}{R3o} + D4 \frac{R4t}{R4o} \right) + VPt$$

Where:			
Pa	=	The new escalated price to be calculated.	
(1-V)Pt	=	85% of the original bid price. Note that Pt must always be the o	riginal bid price and
not an escalated	price.		
D1, D2	=	Each factor of the bid price eg. labour, transport, clothing, footw	ear, etc. The total of
the various factors	s D1, D2etc	tc. must add up to 100%.	
R1t, R2t	=	Index figure obtained from new index (depends on the number of	factors used).
R1o, R2o	=	Index figure at time of bidding.	
VPt	=	15% of the original bid price. This portion of the bid price rem	ains firm i.e. it is not
subject to any price	ce escalations.	S.	
3.	The following	ring index/indices must be used to calculate your bid price:	
Index Dat	ted	Index Dated Dated	
Index Dat	ted	Index Dated Dated	
		DOWN OF YOUR PRICE IN TERMS OF ABOVE-MENTIONE FACTORS MUST ADD UP TO 100%.	D FORMULA. THE
([FACTOR g. Labour, transport etc.) P PERCENTAC	GE OF BID PRICE
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B PRICES SUBJECT TO RATE OF EXCHANGE VARIATIONS

1. Please furnish full particulars of your financial institution, state the currencies used in the conversion of the prices of the items to South African currency, which portion of the price is subject to rate of exchange variations and the amounts remitted abroad.

PARTICULARS OF FINANCIAL INSTITUTION	ITEM NO	PRICE	CURRENCY	RATE	PORTION OF PRICE SUBJECT TO ROE	AMOUNT IN FOREIGN CURRENCY REMITTED ABROAD
				ZAR=		
				ZAR=		
				ZAR=		
				ZAR=		
				ZAR=		
				ZAR=		

2. Adjustments for rate of exchange variations during the contract period will be calculated by using the average monthly exchange rates as issued by your commercial bank for the periods indicated hereunder: (Proof from bank required)

AVERAGE MONTHLY EXCHANGE RATES FOR THE PERIOD:	DATE DOCUMENTATION MUST BE SUBMITTED TO THIS OFFICE	DATE FROM WHICH NEW CALCULATED PRICES WILL BECOME EFFECTIVE	DATE UNTIL WHICH NEW CALCULATED PRICE WILL BE EFFECTIVE

PRICING SCHEDULE (Professional Services)

	APPLICABLE			NOT APPL	ICABLE		X
Name of	bidder	Quot	tation n	umber			
Closing ⁻	Time 11:00	Clos	ing dat	.			
FFER TO	O BE VALID FORDAYS FROM THE CLOSING DA	ATE OF QU	OTATIO	DN.			
ITEM NO.	DESCRIPTION			BID PRICE IN RS APPLICABLE TA			
	The accompanying information must be used for the form of proposals Bidders are required to indicate a ceiling price based on estimated time for completion of all phases and includin expenses inclusive of all applicable taxes for the project PERSONS WHO WILL BE INVOLVED IN THE PROJECT RATES APPLICABLE (CERTIFIED INVOICES MUST BENEFIED IN TERMO LIEDEOS)	the total g all tt.	R				
	RENDERED IN TERMS HEREOF) PERSON AND POSITION	 	R R R	RLY RATE	DA	AILY RATE	
	PHASES ACCORDING TO WHICH THE PROJECT WILL COMPLETED, COST PER PHASE AND MAN-DAYS TO SPENT		1				
			R R				day: day: day: day: day:
DESCRI	Travel expenses (specify, for example rate/km and total class of airtravel, etc). Only actual costs are recoverabl of the expenses incurred must accompany certified invo PTION OF EXPENSE TO BE INCURRED	e. Proof	RATE		QUANTITY		AMOUNT R
							R R R R
			ТОТА	L: R			

^{** &}quot;all applicable taxes" includes value- added tax, pay as you earn, income tax, unemployment insurance fund contributions and skills development levies.

Travel expenses (specify, for example rate/km and total km, class of airtravel, etc). Only actual costs are recoverable. Proof of the expenses incurred must accompany certified invoices. DESCRIPTION OF EXPENSE TO BE INCURRED	RATE		AMOUNT R R R R R
Period required for commencement with project after acceptance of bid Estimated man-days for completion of project	TOTAL: R		
Are the rates quoted firm for the full period of contract? If not firm for the full period, provide details of the basis on which adjustments will be applied for, for example consumer price index.		*YES/NO	
*[DELETE IF NOT APPLICABLE]			
Any enquiries regarding bidding procedures may be directed to the – (INSERT NAME AND ADDRESS OF DEPARTMENT/ENTITY)			
Tel:			
Or for technical information –			
(INSERT NAME OF CONTACT PERSON)			
Tel:			

SECTION F

BIDDER'S DISCLOSURE

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.

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.

2.2 by the	Do you, or any person connected with the bidder, have a relationship with any person who is employed procuring institution? YES/NO
	If so, furnish particulars:
•••••	
having	Does the bidder or any of its directors / trustees / shareholders / members / partners or any person g a controlling interest in the enterprise have any interest in any other related enterprise whether or not re bidding for this contract? YES/NO
If so, f	furnish particulars:
DECI	ARATION
I, the u	indersigned, (name) in submitting the

3.1 I have read and I understand the contents of this disclosure;

respect:

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;

accompanying bid, do hereby make the following statements that I certify to be true and complete in every

- 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 consortium 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.

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.

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.

Signature	Date
Position	Name of bidder

SECTION G

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

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 80/20 preference point system.
- b) The 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:

80/20

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

Where

Ps = Points scored for price of tender under consideration

Pt = Price of tender under consideration

Pmin = Price of lowest acceptable tender

3.2. FORMULAE FOR DISPOSAL OR LEASING OF STATE ASSETS AND INCOME GENERATING PROCUREMENT

3.2.1. POINTS AWARDED FOR PRICE

A maximum of 80 or 90 points is allocated for price on the following basis:

$$Ps = 80\left(1 + \frac{80/20}{P max}\right)$$

Where

Ps = Points scored for price of tender under consideration

Pt = Price of tender under consideration

Pmax = Price of highest 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 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 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 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 d 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: 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.)

The specific goals allocated points in terms of this tender	Number of points allocated (80/20 system) (To be completed by the organ of state)	Number of points allocated (80/20 system) (To be completed by the organ of state)	Number of Points Allocated (80/20 system) (Points claimed by the Tenderer)
Ownership by Black People 100%	Applicable	20 points	
Documentary Proof Required: 1) Sworn Affidavit; signed and dated by Commissioner of Oaths			

4.3.	Name of co	ompany/firm	
4.4.	Company registration number:		
4.5.	TYPE OF	COMPANY/ FIRM	
	 □ One- □ Clos □ Publ □ Perso □ (Pty) □ Non- □ State 	nership/Joint Venture / Consortium person business/sole propriety e corporation ic Company onal Liability Company o Limited -Profit Company e Owned Company	
4.6.	claimed, ba	ersigned, who is duly authorised to do so on behalf of the company/firm, certify that the points ased on the specific goals as advised in the tender, qualifies the company/ firm for the preference(s) I acknowledge that:	
	i) The in	formation furnished is true and correct;	
	ii) The pr of this	eference points claimed are in accordance with the General Conditions as indicated in paragraph 1 form;	
	the con	event of a contract being awarded as a result of points claimed as shown in paragraphs 1.4 and 4.2, ntractor may be required to furnish documentary proof to the satisfaction of the organ of state that ims are correct;	
	/	specific goals have been claimed or obtained on a fraudulent basis or any of the conditions of ct 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 <i>audi alteram partem</i> (hear the other side) rule has been applied; and	
	(e)	forward the matter for criminal prosecution, if deemed necessary.	
		SIGNATURE(S) OF TENDERER(S)	

ADDRESS:

EME'S AND QSE'S MUST COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING APPLICABLE AFFIDAVIT FORM TO CLAIM PREFERENCE POINTS

SWORN AFFIDAVIT – B-BBEE EXEMPTED MICRO ENTERPRISE

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Full name & Surname	
Identity number	

Hereby declare under oath as follows:

I hereby declare under Oath that:

The contents of this statement are to the best of my knowledge a true reflection of the facts. I am a member / director / owner of the following enterprise and am duly authorised to act on its behalf:

Enterprise Name	
Trading Name (If	
Applicable):	
Registration Number	
Enterprise Physical	
Address:	
Type of Entity (CC, (Pty)	
Ltd, Sole Prop etc.):	
Nature of Business:	
Definition of "Black	As per the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act 53 of 2003 as
People"	Amended by Act No 46 of 2013 "Black People" is a generic term which
	means Africans, Coloureds and Indians –
	who are citizens of the Republic of South Africa by birth or descent;
	or
	who became citizens of the Republic of South Africa by naturalisationi-
	before 27 April 1994; or
	on or after 27 April 1994 and who would have been entitled to acquire citizenship
	by naturalization prior to that date;"
Definition of "Black	"Black Designated Groups means:
Designated Groups "	unemployed black people not attending and not required by law to attend an
	educational institution and not awaiting admission to an educational institution;
	Black people who are youth as defined in the National Youth Commission Act of
	1996;
	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;
	Black people living in rural and under developed areas;
	Black military veterans who qualifies to be called a military veteran in terms of the
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Black Unemployed %	=%		
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Black Military Vetera	ns % =	%	
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financial year-end of _	, the ar	nnual Total Revenue was R10,000,000.00 (Te	n Million Rands)
or less			
Please Confirm on the	below table the B-BB	BEE Level Contributor, by ticking the applica	able box.
100% Black	Level One (135% B-	-BBEE procurement recognition	
Owned	level)	DDEE4	
At least 51% Black Owned	Level Two (125% B-recognition level)	-BBEE procurement	
Less than 51%	Level Four (100% B	B-BBEE procurement recognition	
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Date://_			
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Signature of Commis	ssioner of Oaths		
SW	ORN AFFIDAVIT – B	B-BBEE QUALIFYING SMALL ENTERPRISE	

I, the undersigned,

Full name & Surname	
Identity number	

Hereby declare under oath as follows:

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R50,000,000.00 (Fifty Million	Rands),		
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Date:/			
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Signature of Commissioner of	Oaths		

SECTION H

CONTRACT FO	PRM - PURCHA	SE OF GOODS/WORKS	
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I hereby undertake to supply all or any of the g of institution)	in accordance v l. My offer/s rer	with the requirements and specifications main binding upon me and open for ac	stipulated in bid
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Bidding documents, <i>viz</i> Invitation to bid; Tax clearance certificate; Pricing schedule(s); Technical Specification(s); Preference claims for Broad Based Black E Preferential Procurement Regulations 2022; Bidder's disclosure Special Conditions of Contract; General Conditions of Contract; and Other (specify)	conomic Empow	verment Status Level of Contribution	in terms of the
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I declare that I have no participation in any col other bid.	lusive practices w	vith any bidder or any other person rega	rding this or any
I confirm that I am duly authorised to sign this	contract.		
NAME (PRINT):			
CAPACITY:		WITNESSES	
SIGNATURE:		1	
NAME OF FIRM:		2	
DATE:		DATE:	

CONTRACT FORM - PURCHASE OF GOODS/WORKS

PART 2 (TO BE FILLED IN BY THE PURCHASER)

under referen	nce number dated the annexure(s).	for th	e supply of goods/works indic	accept your bid cated hereunder and/or further
An official of	order indicating delivery instructions is forthcoming.			
	to make payment for the goods/works delivered in accaptance after receipt of an invoice accompanied by the deliver			ons of the contract, within 30
ITEM NO.	PRICE (ALL APPLICABLE TAXES INCLUDE	ED)	BRAND	DELIVERY PERIOD
SIGNED AT	onfirm that I am duly authorised to sign this contract. ΓONINT)			
OFFICIAL S	STAMP		WITNESSES 1. 2. DATE	

CONTRACT FORM -	RENDE	RING OF SERVICES	
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I hereby undertake to render services described institution)	rdance v at tl	with the requirements and task directives / propone price/s quoted. My offer/s remain binding upon	osals 1 me
The following documents shall be deemed to form and	be read a	nd construed as part of this agreement:	
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I confirm that I am duly authorised to sign this contract.	•		
NAME (PRINT):		WITNEGGEG	
CAPACITY:		WITNESSES	
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NAME OF FIRM:			

DATE:....

DATE:....

CONTRACT FORM - RENDERING OF SERVICES

PART 2 (TO BE FILLED IN BY THE PURCHASER)

Iaccept your bid under reference indicated hereunder and/or further	e numberdated.	for tl	he rendering of services
An official order indicating service	e delivery instructions is forthcom	ming.	
I undertake to make payment for within 30 (thirty) days after receip		ance with the terms and c	onditions of the contract,
DESCRIPTION OF SERVICE	PRICE (ALL APPLICABLI	E TAXES INCLUDED)	COMPLETION DATE
4. I confirm that I am duly a SIGNED AT			
OFFICIAL STAMP			
		WITNESSES 1	

CONTRACT FO	DRM - S	ALE OF GOODS/WORKS
APPLICABLE	X	NOT APPLICABLE
THE SELLER (PART 2). BOTH FORMS	S MUST R WOU	Y BOTH THE SUCCESSFUL BIDDER (PART 1) AND BE SIGNED IN THE ORIGINAL SO THAT THE LD BE IN POSSESSION OF ORIGINALLY SIGNED S.
PART 1 (TO B	E FILLI	ED IN BY THE BIDDER)
(name of institution)	My offer	/or works described in the attached bidding documents from in accordance with the requirements stipulated in (bid r/s remain binding upon me and open for acceptance by the rom the closing time of bid.
The following documents shall be deemed to form	n and be	read and construed as part of this agreement:
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I accept full responsibility for the proper executi under this agreement as the principal liable for the		fulfilment of all obligations and conditions devolving on me fillment of this contract.
I undertake to make payment for the goods/works	as speci	fied in the bidding documents.
I declare that I have no participation in any collus other bid.	ive practi	ces with any bidder or any other person regarding this or any
I confirm that I am duly authorised to sign this co	ntract.	
NAME (PRINT)		WITNESSES 1
SIGNATURE		

NAME OF FIRM.....

DATE.....

DATE:

CONTRACT FORM - SALE OF GOODS/WORKS

PART 2 (TO BE FILLED IN BY THE SELLER)

I	in my capac	ity as	
accept your bid un		ited	for the purchase of goods/works
I undertake to mak	te the goods/works available in accordance	ce with the ter	ms and conditions of the contract.
ITEM NO.	DESCRIPTION	PRICE	2 (ALL APPLICABLE TAXES INCLUDED)
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I confirm that I am	duly authorised to sign this contract.		
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NAME (PRINT)			
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SECTION I

GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT

Definitions

The following terms shall be interpreted as indicated:

"Closing time" means the date and hour specified in the bidding documents for the receipt of bids.

"Contract" means the written agreement entered into between the purchaser and the supplier, as recorded in the contract form signed by the parties, including all attachments and appendices thereto and all documents incorporated by reference therein.

"Contract price" means the price payable to the supplier under the contract for the full and proper performance of his contractual obligations.

"Corrupt practice" means the offering, giving, receiving, or soliciting of anything of value to influence the action of a public official in the procurement process or in contract execution.

"Countervailing duties" are imposed in cases where an enterprise abroad is subsidized by its government and encouraged to market its products internationally.

"Country of origin" means the place where the goods were mined, grown or produced or from which the services are supplied. Goods are produced when, through manufacturing, processing or substantial and major assembly of components, a commercially recognized new product results that is substantially different in basic characteristics or in purpose or utility from its components.

"Day" means calendar day.

"Delivery" means delivery in compliance of the conditions of the contract or order.

"Delivery ex stock" means immediate delivery directly from stock actually on hand.

"Delivery into consignees store or to his site" means delivered and unloaded in the specified store or depot or on the specified site in compliance with the conditions of the contract or order, the supplier bearing all risks and charges involved until the supplies are so delivered and a valid receipt is obtained.

"Dumping" occurs when a private enterprise abroad market its goods on own initiative in the RSA at lower prices than that of the country of origin and which have the potential to harm the local industries in the RSA.

"Force majeure" means an event beyond the control of the supplier and not involving the supplier's fault or negligence and not foreseeable. Such events may include, but is not restricted to, acts of the purchaser in its sovereign capacity, wars or revolutions, fires, floods, epidemics, quarantine restrictions and freight embargoes.

"Fraudulent practice" means a misrepresentation of facts in order to influence a procurement process or the execution of a contract to the detriment of any bidder, and includes collusive practice among bidders (prior to or after bid submission) designed to establish bid prices at artificial non-competitive levels and to deprive the bidder of the benefits of free and open competition.

"GCC" means the General Conditions of Contract.

"Goods" means all of the equipment, machinery, and/or other materials that the supplier is required to supply to the purchaser under the contract.

"Imported content" means that portion of the bidding price represented by the cost of components, parts or materials which have been or are still to be imported (whether by the supplier or his subcontractors) and which costs are inclusive of the costs abroad, plus freight and other direct importation costs such as landing costs, dock dues, import duty, sales duty or other similar tax or duty at the South African place of entry as well as transportation and handling charges to the

factory in the Republic where the supplies covered by the bid will be manufactured.

- "Local content" means that portion of the bidding price which is not included in the imported content provided that local manufacture does take place.
- "Manufacture" means the production of products in a factory using labour, materials, components and machinery and includes other related value-adding activities.
- "Order" means an official written order issued for the supply of goods or works or the rendering of a service.
- "Project site," where applicable, means the place indicated in bidding documents.
- "Purchaser" means the organization purchasing the goods.
- "Republic" means the Republic of South Africa.
- "SCC" means the Special Conditions of Contract.
- "Services" means those functional services ancillary to the supply of the goods, such as transportation and any other incidental services, such as installation, commissioning, provision of technical assistance, training, catering, gardening, security, maintenance and other such obligations of the supplier covered under the contract.
- "Written" or "in writing" means handwritten in ink or any form of electronic or mechanical writing.

Application

These general conditions are applicable to all bids, contracts and orders including bids for functional and professional services, sales, hiring, letting and the granting or acquiring of rights, but excluding immovable property, unless otherwise indicated in the bidding documents.

Where applicable, special conditions of contract are also laid down to cover specific supplies, services or works.

Where such special conditions of contract are in conflict with these general conditions, the special conditions shall apply.

General

Unless otherwise indicated in the bidding documents, the purchaser shall not be liable for any expense incurred in the preparation and submission of a bid. Where applicable a non-refundable fee for documents may be charged.

With certain exceptions, invitations to bid are only published in the Government Tender Bulletin. The Government Tender Bulletin may be obtained directly from the Government Printer, Private Bag X85, Pretoria 0001, or accessed electronically from www.treasury.gov.za

Standards

The goods supplied shall conform to the standards mentioned in the bidding documents and specifications.

Use of contract documents and information; inspection.

The supplier shall not, without the purchaser's prior written consent, disclose the contract, or any provision thereof, or any specification, plan, drawing, pattern, sample, or information furnished by or on behalf of the purchaser in connection therewith, to any person other than a person employed by the supplier in the performance of the contract. Disclosure to any such employed person shall be made in confidence and shall extend only so far as may be necessary for purposes of such performance.

The supplier shall not, without the purchaser's prior written consent, make use of any document or information mentioned in GCC clause 5.1 except for purposes of performing the contract.

Any document, other than the contract itself mentioned in GCC clause 5.1 shall remain the property of the purchaser and shall be returned (all copies) to the purchaser on completion of the supplier's performance under the contract if so required by the purchaser.

The supplier shall permit the purchaser to inspect the supplier's records relating to the performance of the supplier and to have them audited by auditors appointed by the purchaser, if so required by the purchaser.

Patent rights

The supplier shall indemnify the purchaser against all third-party claims of infringement of patent, trademark, or industrial design rights arising from use of the goods or any part thereof by the purchaser.

Performance security

Within thirty (30) days of receipt of the notification of contract award, the successful bidder shall furnish to the purchaser the performance security of the amount specified in SCC.

The proceeds of the performance security shall be payable to the purchaser as compensation for any loss resulting from the supplier's failure to complete his obligations under the contract.

The performance security shall be denominated in the currency of the contract or in a freely convertible currency acceptable to the purchaser and shall be in one of the following forms:

a bank guarantee or an irrevocable letter of credit issued by a reputable bank located in the purchaser's country or abroad, acceptable to the purchaser, in the form provided in the bidding documents or another form acceptable to the purchaser; or

A cashier's or certified cheque

The performance security will be discharged by the purchaser and returned to the supplier not later than thirty (30) days following the date of completion of the supplier's performance obligations under the contract, including any warranty obligations, unless otherwise specified in SCC.

Inspections, tests and analyses

All pre-bidding testing will be for the account of the bidder.

If it is a bid condition that supplies to be produced or services to be rendered should at any stage during production or execution or on completion be subject to inspection, the premises of the bidder or contractor shall be open, at all reasonable hours, for inspection by a representative of the Department or an organization acting on behalf of the Department.

If there are no inspection requirements indicated in the bidding documents and no mention is made in the contract, but during the contract period it is decided that inspections shall be carried out, the purchaser shall itself make the necessary arrangements, including payment arrangements with the testing authority concerned.

If the inspections, tests and analyses referred to in clauses 8.2 and 8.3 show the supplies to be in accordance with the contract requirements, the cost of the inspections, tests and analyses shall be defrayed by the purchaser.

Where the supplies or services referred to in clauses 8.2 and 8.3 do not comply with the contract requirements, irrespective of whether such supplies or services are accepted or not, the cost in connection with these inspections, tests or analyses shall be defrayed by the supplier.

Supplies and services which are referred to in clauses 8.2 and 8.3 and which do not comply with the contract requirements may be rejected.

Any contract supplies may on or after delivery be inspected, tested or analyzed and may be rejected if found not to comply with the requirements of the contract. Such rejected supplies shall be held at the cost and risk of the supplier who shall, when called upon, remove them immediately at his own cost and forthwith substitute them with supplies which do comply with the requirements of the contract. Failing such removal the rejected supplies shall be returned at

the suppliers cost and risk. Should the supplier fail to provide the substitute supplies forthwith, the purchaser may, without giving the supplier further opportunity to substitute the rejected supplies, purchase such supplies as may be necessary at the expense of the supplier.

The provisions of clauses 8.4 to 8.7 shall not prejudice the right of the purchaser to cancel the contract on account of a breach of the conditions thereof, or to act in terms of Clause 23 of GCC.

9. Packing

The supplier shall provide such packing of the goods as is required to prevent their damage or deterioration during transit to their final destination, as indicated in the contract. The packing shall be sufficient to withstand, without limitation, rough handling during transit and exposure to extreme temperatures, salt and precipitation during transit, and open storage. Packing, case size and weights shall take into consideration, where appropriate, the remoteness of the goods' final destination and the absence of heavy handling facilities at all points in transit.

The packing, marking, and documentation within and outside the packages shall comply strictly with such special requirements as shall be expressly provided for in the contract, including additional requirements, if any, specified in SCC, and in any subsequent instructions ordered by the purchaser.

Delivery and documents

Delivery of the goods shall be made by the supplier in accordance with the terms specified in the contract. The details of shipping and/or other documents to be furnished by the supplier are specified in SCC.

Documents to be submitted by the supplier are specified in SCC.

Insurance

The goods supplied under the contract shall be fully insured in a freely convertible currency against loss or damage incidental to manufacture or acquisition, transportation, storage and delivery in the manner specified in the SCC.

Transportation

Should a price other than an all-inclusive delivered price be required, this shall be specified in the SCC.

Incidental Services

The supplier may be required to provide any or all of the following services, including additional services, if any, specified in SCC:

performance or supervision of on-site assembly and/or commissioning of the supplied goods; furnishing of tools required for assembly and/or maintenance of the supplied goods; furnishing of a detailed operations and maintenance manual for each appropriate unit of the supplied goods; performance or supervision or maintenance and/or repair of the supplied goods, for a period of time agreed by the parties, provided that this service shall not relieve the supplier of any warranty obligations under this contract; and training of the purchaser's personnel, at the supplier's plant and/or on-site, in assembly, start-up, operation, maintenance, and/or repair of the supplied goods.

Prices charged by the supplier for incidental services, if not included in the contract price for the goods, shall be agreed upon in advance by the parties and shall not exceed the prevailing rates charged to other parties by the supplier for similar services.

Spare parts

As specified in SCC, the supplier may be required to provide any or all of the following materials, notifications, and information pertaining to spare parts manufactured or distributed by the supplier:

such spare parts as the purchaser may elect to purchase from the supplier, provided that this election shall not relieve the supplier of any warranty obligations under the contract; and in the event of termination of production of the spare parts:

Advance notification to the purchaser of the pending termination, in sufficient time to permit the purchaser to procure needed requirements; and

following such termination, furnishing at no cost to the purchaser, the blueprints, drawings, and specifications of the spare parts, if requested.

Warranty

The supplier warrants that the goods supplied under the contract are new, unused, of the most recent or current models, and that they incorporate all recent improvements in design and materials unless provided otherwise in the contract. The supplier further warrants that all goods supplied under this contract shall have no defect, arising from design, materials, or workmanship (except when the design and/or material is required by the purchaser's specifications) or from any act or omission of the supplier, that may develop under normal use of the supplied goods in the conditions prevailing in the country of final destination.

This warranty shall remain valid for twelve (12) months after the goods, or any portion thereof as the case may be, have been delivered to and accepted at the final destination indicated in the contract, or for eighteen (18) months after the date of shipment from the port or place of loading in the source country, whichever period concludes earlier, unless specified otherwise in SCC.

The purchaser shall promptly notify the supplier in writing of any claims arising under this warranty.

Upon receipt of such notice, the supplier shall, within the period specified in SCC and with all reasonable speed, repair or replace the defective goods or parts thereof, without costs to the purchaser.

If the supplier, having been notified, fails to remedy the defect(s) within the period specified in SCC, the purchaser may proceed to take such remedial action as may be necessary, at the supplier's risk and expense and without prejudice to any other rights which the purchaser may have against the supplier under the contract.

Payment

The method and conditions of payment to be made to the supplier under this contract shall be specified in SCC.

The supplier shall furnish the purchaser with an invoice accompanied by a copy of the delivery note and upon fulfillment of other obligations stipulated in the contract.

Payments shall be made promptly by the purchaser, but in no case later than thirty (30) days after submission of an invoice or claim by the supplier.

Payment will be made in Rand unless otherwise stipulated in SCC.

Prices

Prices charged by the supplier for goods delivered and services performed under the contract shall not vary from the prices quoted by the supplier in his bid, with the exception of any price adjustments authorized in SCC or in the purchaser's request for bid validity extension, as the case may be.

Contract amendments

No variation in or modification of the terms of the contract shall be made except by written amendment signed by the parties concerned.

Assignment

The supplier shall not assign, in whole or in part, its obligations to perform under the contract, except with the purchaser's prior written consent.

Subcontracts

The supplier shall notify the purchaser in writing of all subcontracts awarded under this contracts if not already specified in the bid. Such notification, in the original bid or later, shall not relieve the supplier from any liability or obligation under the contract.

Delays in the supplier's performance

Delivery of the goods and performance of services shall be made by the supplier in accordance with the time schedule prescribed by the purchaser in the contract.

If at any time during performance of the contract, the supplier or its subcontractor(s) should encounter conditions impeding timely delivery of the goods and performance of services, the supplier shall promptly notify the purchaser in writing of the fact of the delay, its likely duration and its cause(s). As soon as practicable after receipt of the supplier's notice, the purchaser shall evaluate the situation and may at his discretion extend the supplier's time for performance, with or without the imposition of penalties, in which case the extension shall be ratified by the parties by amendment of contract.

No provision in a contract shall be deemed to prohibit the obtaining of supplies or services from a national department, provincial department, or a local authority.

The right is reserved to procure outside of the contract small quantities or to have minor essential services executed if an emergency arises, the supplier's point of supply is not situated at or near the place where the supplies are required, or the supplier's services are not readily available.

Except as provided under GCC Clause 25, a delay by the supplier in the performance of its delivery obligations shall render the supplier liable to the imposition of penalties, pursuant to GCC Clause 22, unless an extension of time is agreed upon pursuant to GCC Clause 21.2 without the application of penalties.

Upon any delay beyond the delivery period in the case of a supplies contract, the purchaser shall, without cancelling the contract, be entitled to purchase supplies of a similar quality and up to the same quantity in substitution of the goods not supplied in conformity with the contract and to return any goods delivered later at the supplier's expense and risk, or to cancel the contract and buy such goods as may be required to complete the contract and without prejudice to his other rights, be entitled to claim damages from the supplier.

Penalties

Subject to GCC Clause 25, if the supplier fails to deliver any or all of the goods or to perform the services within the period(s) specified in the contract, the purchaser shall, without prejudice to its other remedies under the contract, deduct from the contract price, as a penalty, a sum calculated on the delivered price of the delayed goods or unperformed services using the current prime interest rate calculated for each day of the delay until actual delivery or performance. The purchaser may also consider termination of the contract pursuant to GCC Clause 23.

Termination for default

The purchaser, without prejudice to any other remedy for breach of contract, by written notice of default sent to the supplier, may terminate this contract in whole or in part:

if the supplier fails to deliver any or all of the goods within the period(s) specified in the contract, or within any extension thereof granted by the purchaser pursuant to GCC Clause 21.2;

if the Supplier fails to perform any other obligation(s) under the contract; or

if the supplier, in the judgment of the purchaser, has engaged in corrupt or fraudulent practices in competing for or in executing the contract.

In the event the purchaser terminates the contract in whole or in part, the purchaser may procure, upon such terms and in such manner as it deems appropriate, goods, works or services similar to those undelivered, and the supplier shall be liable to the purchaser for any excess costs for such similar goods, works or services. However, the supplier shall continue performance of the contract to the extent not terminated.

Where the purchaser terminates the contract in whole or in part, the purchaser may decide to impose a restriction penalty on the supplier by prohibiting such supplier from doing business with the public sector for a period not exceeding 10 years.

If a purchaser intends imposing a restriction on a supplier or any person associated with the supplier, the supplier will be allowed a time period of not more than fourteen (14) days to provide reasons why the envisaged restriction should not be imposed. Should the supplier fail to respond within the stipulated fourteen (14) days the purchaser may regard the intended penalty as not objected against and may impose it on the supplier.

Any restriction imposed on any person by the Accounting Officer / Authority will, at the discretion of the Accounting Officer / Authority, also be applicable to any other enterprise or any partner, manager, director or other person who wholly or partly exercises or exercised or may exercise control over the enterprise of the first-mentioned person, and with which enterprise or person the first-mentioned person, is or was in the opinion of the Accounting Officer / Authority actively associated.

If a restriction is imposed, the purchaser must, within five (5) working days of such imposition, furnish the National Treasury, with the following information:

the name and address of the supplier and / or person restricted by the purchaser;

the date of commencement of the restriction

the period of restriction; and

the reasons for the restriction.

These details will be loaded in the National Treasury's central database of suppliers or persons prohibited from doing business with the public sector.

If a court of law convicts a person of an offence as contemplated in sections 12 or 13 of the Prevention and Combating of Corrupt Activities Act, No. 12 of 2004, the court may also rule that such person's name be endorsed on the Register for Tender Defaulters. When a person's name has been endorsed on the Register, the person will be prohibited from doing business with the public sector for a period not less than five years and not more than 10 years. The National Treasury is empowered to determine the period of restriction and each case will be dealt with on its own merits. According to section 32 of the Act the Register must be open to the public. The Register can be perused on the National Treasury website.

Anti-dumping and countervailing duties and rights

When, after the date of bid, provisional payments are required, or antidumping or countervailing duties are imposed, or the amount of a provisional payment or anti-dumping or countervailing right is increased in respect of any dumped or subsidized import, the State is not liable for any amount so required or imposed, or for the amount of any such increase. When, after the said date, such a provisional payment is no longer required or any such anti-dumping or countervailing right is abolished, or where the amount of such provisional payment or any such right is reduced, any such favourable difference shall on demand be paid forthwith by the contractor to the State or the State may deduct such amounts from moneys (if any) which may otherwise be due to the contractor in regard to supplies or services which he delivered or rendered, or is to deliver or render in terms of the contract or any other contract or any other amount which may be due to him.

Force Majeure

Notwithstanding the provisions of GCC Clauses 22 and 23, the supplier shall not be liable for forfeiture of its performance security, damages, or termination for default if and to the extent that his delay in performance or other failure to perform his obligations under the contract is the result of an event of force majeure.

If a force majeure situation arises, the supplier shall promptly notify the purchaser in writing of such condition and the cause thereof. Unless otherwise directed by the purchaser in writing, the supplier shall continue to perform its obligations under the contract as far as is reasonably practical, and shall seek all reasonable alternative means for performance not prevented by the force majeure event.

Termination for insolvency

The purchaser may at any time terminate the contract by giving written notice to the supplier if the supplier becomes bankrupt or otherwise insolvent. In this event, termination will be without compensation to the supplier, provided that such termination will not prejudice or affect any right of action or remedy which has accrued or will accrue thereafter to the purchaser.

Settlement of Disputes

If any dispute or difference of any kind whatsoever arises between the purchaser and the supplier in connection with or arising out of the contract, the parties shall make every effort to resolve amicably such dispute or difference by mutual consultation.

If, after thirty (30) days, the parties have failed to resolve their dispute or difference by such mutual consultation, then either the purchaser or the supplier may give notice to the other party of his intention to commence with mediation. No mediation in respect of this matter may be commenced unless such notice is given to the other party.

Should it not be possible to settle a dispute by means of mediation, it may be settled in a South African court of law.

Mediation proceedings shall be conducted in accordance with the rules of procedure specified in the SCC.

Notwithstanding any reference to mediation and/or court proceedings herein,

the parties shall continue to perform their respective obligations under the contract unless they otherwise agree; and the purchaser shall pay the supplier any monies due the supplier.

Limitation of liability

Except in cases of criminal negligence or willful misconduct, and in the case of infringement pursuant to Clause 6; the supplier shall not be liable to the purchaser, whether in contract, tort, or otherwise, for any indirect or consequential loss or damage, loss of use, loss of production, or loss of profits or interest costs, provided that this exclusion shall not apply to any obligation of the supplier to pay penalties and/or damages to the purchaser; and the aggregate liability of the supplier to the purchaser, whether under the contract, in tort or otherwise, shall not exceed the total contract price, provided that this limitation shall not apply to the cost of repairing or replacing defective equipment.

Governing language

The contract shall be written in English. All correspondence and other documents pertaining to the contract that is exchanged by the parties shall also be written in English.

Applicable law

The contract shall be interpreted in accordance with South African laws, unless otherwise specified in SCC.

Notices

Every written acceptance of a bid shall be posted to the supplier concerned by registered or certified mail and any other notice to him shall be posted by ordinary mail to the address furnished in his bid or to the address notified later by him in writing and such posting shall be deemed to be proper service of such notice

The time mentioned in the contract documents for performing any act after such aforesaid notice has been given, shall be reckoned from the date of posting of such notice.

Taxes and duties

A foreign supplier shall be entirely responsible for all taxes, stamp duties, license fees, and other such levies imposed outside the purchaser's country.

A local supplier shall be entirely responsible for all taxes, duties, license fees, etc., incurred until delivery of the contracted goods to the purchaser.

No contract shall be concluded with any bidder whose tax matters are not in order. Prior to the award of a bid the Department must be in possession of a tax clearance certificate, submitted by the bidder. This certificate must be an original issued by the South African Revenue Services.

National Industrial Participation (NIP) Programme

The NIP Programme administered by the Department of Trade and Industry shall be applicable to all contracts that are subject to the NIP obligation.

Prohibition of Restrictive practices

In terms of section 4 (1) (b) (iii) of the Competition Act No. 89 of 1998, as amended, an agreement between, or concerted practice by, firms, or a decision by an association of firms, is prohibited if it is between parties in a horizontal relationship and if a bidder (s) is / are or a contractor(s) was / were involved in collusive bidding (or bid rigging).

If a bidder(s) or contractor(s), based on reasonable grounds or evidence obtained by the purchaser, has / have engaged in the restrictive practice referred to above, the purchaser may refer the matter to the Competition Commission for investigation and possible imposition of administrative penalties as contemplated in the Competition Act No. 89 of 1998.

SECTION J

SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT

This bid is subject to the Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act and the Preferential Procurement Regulations, 2022; the General Conditions of Contract (GCC) and the following applicable other Special Conditions of Contract.

- 1. Should bidders not quote for all items, they will be considered as being non-responsive.
- 2. The Department reserves the right not to award to the lowest bidder.
- 3. The Department will conduct a detailed risk assessment prior to the award.
- 4. The service providers must be registered on SITA RFB 740 Transversal contract Database.

SECTION K

AUTHORITY TO SIGN A BID

The bidder must indicate the enterprise status by ticking the appropriate box hereunder.

(I)	(II)	(III)	(IV)	(V)	(VI)
CLOSE CORPORATION	COMPANIES	SOLE PROPRIETOR	PARTNERSHIP	CO-OPERATIVE	JOINT VENTURE / CONSORTIUM
					Incorporated
					Unincorporated

with the undersigned, being the Member(s) of Cooperative, Sole Owner (Sole Proprietor), Close Corporation,
Partners (Partnership)/ Company (Representative) or Lead Partner (Joint Venture / Consortium), in the enterprise
trading as:
hereby authorise Mr/Mrs/Ms
acting in the capacity of
whose signature is
to sign all documents in connection with this bid and any contract resulting therefrom on behalf of the enterprise.

NAME	ADDRESS	SIGNATURE	DATE

(If the space provided is not enough, a separate list should be attached)

Note:

Members of the enterprise must complete this form in full according to the type of enterprise, authorising the signatory to sign all documents in connection with this bid and any contract resulting therefrom on behalf of the enterprise.

Note: In a case of a Sole proprietor, a director may appoint himself/herself if they will be the one signing all documents in connection with this bid and any contract resulting therefrom on behalf of the enterprise.

NB: All directors involve in a company /bid must sign Authority to Sign

SECTION L

Terms of Reference/ Scope of Work/ Specification

DESCRIPTION	Quantity
Supply x36 IT Data Cartridges	
Technical Specification:	36x
Tape Type: LTO 7	
Media type: Linear serpentine recording half-inch cartridge	
• Data capacity: 6 TB native, up to 15 TB with 2.5:1 data	
compression	
• Cartridge size (L x W x D): 102.0 mm x 105.0 mm x 21.0 mm (4.0	
in. x 4.1 in. x 0.8 in.)	
Data cartridge weight: 200 g (0.441 lb)	
• Operating conditions: 10°C - 45°C (50°F - 113°F); 10% - 80% RH;	
26°C (79°F) wet bulb maximum	
Features:	
- Storage Archive support: Enable data file search and retrieval	
using directory tree structures and drag-and-drop techniques.	
The solution significantly enhances data access and retrieval	
and potentially reduces or eliminates software licensing costs	
and dependencies for data retrieval from tape.	
- Adherence to Linear Tape-Open Ultrium 7 standard: Ensure	
compatibility with LTO Ultrium 7 vendors' tape drive and	
automation products. The solution also reduces your data	
storage investment risk by using open standards-based tape	
technology.	
 Cartridge model and label options: Available in rewritable and write-once-read-many (WORM) cartridge models and with 	
custom, as well as blank and RFID-embedded cartridge labels.	
custom, as well as plank and Krib-embedded cartridge labels.	

Total price to be carried to Section E

Conditions of Contract

1. Validity Period:120 days

1. Evaluation Method

The evaluation criteria will be as follows:

2.1 Phase 1: SCM Administrative compliance

- Correctness of bid document
- Compliance with bid regulations (registration with CSD, tax clearance and other prescripts requirements)

1.2 Phase 2: Price and Specific Goals

- Price and Specific Goals
- Evaluating using the Point System

Specific goals for the tender and points claimed are indicated per the table below.

(Note to organs of state: Where the 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.)

The specific goals allocated points in terms of this tender	Applicable or Not Applicable	Number of points allocated (80/20 system) (To be completed by the organ of state)
"Ownership by Black People Documentary Proof Required: 1) Sworn Affidavit;	Applicable	20 Points
signed and dated by Commissioner of Oaths		