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To whom it may concern	Date	01 October 2026
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Dear Sir/Madam

Request for Enquiry Number	E3480DXKZNOU
Description / Project Title	For the Provision of Supervision, Labour, Equipment, Material (except for the Eskom Free Issue material, i.e Wooden Poles, Concentric Cable, Meters and Pole Top Split Meter Boxes) for the Electrification of 60 Off-Grid Connections at Maqhashiya Village using Solar PV and a further 12-month post installation maintenance in the KZN Operating Unit, Central East Cluster
Tender Questions Closing Date	08 October 2026

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1.	Please may you provide clarity on the below. Bill 4 of the BOQ: Item 4.3 and 4.4 is stipulated as KG is this correct or should it be per meter?	'The quantities are based on the supply and installation of earthing conductor material, which is measured by mass rather than length. Tenderers are therefore requested to price these items using the kg unit of measurement as indicated in the BOQ.'	01 October 2026

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2.	Can a more highly qualified Civil resource be proposed instead of the qualifications stipulated in the tender requirements? i.e. Can a Pr. Tech Eng or Pr. Eng be utilised instead of the Tender requirement for a Pr. Techni?	Yes a more highly qualified Civil resource can be proposed. Pr Techni (Civil) is the minimum professional grade required and professional grades above the minimum requirement shall also be accepted. All evidence pertaining to the resource will apply as per TEC.	01 October 2026
3.	Wrt Addendum 3, please clarify if Annexure A1 & A2 (Affidavits) need to be completed for resources that will be subcontracted?	Annexure A1 & A2 are not required to be completed for subcontracted resources. However, as stated in Addendum 3 a formal Letter of Agreement shall be submitted as evidence stating explicitly that the resources are contracted to the Tendering Company to provide the services required in respect of the Maqhashiya project and that these resources shall be available to execute responsibilities for the entire duration of the project.	01 October 2026
4.	The TEC Table 3, Item 4 refers to a resource with LV Authorisation, whereas Annexure E (Tenderers resource list) refers to a Metering Technician/Installer. Please can you clarify the requirement.	As stipulated, the LV authorisation referenced in Table 3, Item 4, is a requirement for functional evaluation and scoring. Annexure E (Tenderer's Resource List), by contrast, constitutes a mandatory returnable and is required solely to verify that the tendering company has access to the specified resource. Annexure E will therefore not form part of the functional evaluation or scoring process.	01 October 2026

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5.	Please provide the foundation steel schedule	The Foundation Steel Schedule, will be made available upon contractor award by Eskom. Provided steel reinforcement values (in mass) as found in the BOQ was based on previously assumed design parameters. Could the new Foundation Steel Reinforcement value please be accepted as 1629 kg (2640 metres in total, using a unit mass of 0.617 kg/m) for the entire project. <u>Additional specifications (if required):</u> For each concrete pad foundation. 2x Y10 for Bottom X-reinforcement. 2x Y10 for Bottom Y-reinforcement. 2x Y10 for Top X-reinforcement. 2x Y10 for Top Y-reinforcement. With Y08s to be used as Stirrups.	01 October 2026
6.	Please provide details for anti-climbing device to be installed on structure upright columns?	18. STRUCTURE SECURITY AND SAFETY It is a requirement that anti-climbing devices be installed around the members of all 4 structural columns, to dissuade human and animal interaction with the structure during its lifetime operation. Fulfilment of this requirement is to be governed by the relevant Eskom Standard. After careful consultation with the NED Team, we have arrived at the conclusion that this requirement is to be withdrawn and no longer required.	01 October 2026

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7.	In regards to the Maqhashiya Village Solar PV tender, I have looked at the tender documents and I haven't been able to find any indication of the proposed start and finish dates for the project. If you could please advise on proposed start and finish dates it would be greatly appreciated.	Start Date : 04 January 2027 End Date : 31 March 2027	01 October 2026

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