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To whom it may concern	Date	20 October 2025
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Dear Sir/Madam

Request for Enquiry Number	E1964GXGPLET
Description / Project Title	<i>The Co-Ordination, Control and Assurance of Quality Aspects Inclusive of Physical Inspections and Strategic/Oversight Interventions. Applicable to Routine Maintenance, Projects and Outage Related SOW at Lethabo Power Station for a Period of four (4) Years</i>
Tender Questions Closing Date	14 October 2025

Item	Questions	Answers	Clarity Published Dates
1.	Definition of "Recognised Institute": Could you please specify which bodies or institutions are considered "recognised" for the purposes of the Quality Inspector certification? Is there a list of approved or accredited institutions that Eskom refers to?-	South African Institute of welding – Boiler is level 2 (Boiler) and other disciplines is SAIW level1 or SAQA (for Mechanical and Electrical) or ASQ .	20 October 2025
2.	Equivalency of Qualifications: Would an equivalent qualification to N3 Mechanical (e.g., an NQF Level 4 Mechanical Engineering qualification - or international equivalent) be accepted? If so, what documentation would be required to validate equivalency?-	NQF Level 4 is accepted . For international qualification, a SAQA certificate should accompany as a validation for certificates examples of qualification. A GCSE or a UK Technical/Vocational Qualification at Level 2 can be considered	

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		equivalent to a South African NQF Level 4, which is the same level as an N3	
3.	Scope of the Quality Inspector Certificate: Should the certificate specifically relate to mechanical inspection, or would a general quality inspection certification (e.g., ISO 9001 Lead Auditor) be acceptable if paired with relevant experience.	It is required before closing. It is part of returnable.	
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