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Dear Dr. Motuku

### **APPEAL: REQUEST FOR DEVIATION FROM COMPETITIVE BIDDING PROCESS: APPOINTMENT OF ORIGINAL EQUIPMENT MANUFACTURES**

1. National Treasury acknowledges receipt of your letter dated 27 August 2021 and additional information received on 05 November 2021.
2. National Treasury approved a deviation on 30 September 2021 that MINTEK can utilise the Original Equipment Manufacturer (OEM). However, amounts per supplier were per unit instead of total amount per supplier. This letter therefore, corrects the misstatement by putting total amount per supplier as follows:

No	Name	Component description	Total price
1	Parker Store	fittings, tubing	R1,379,846.25
2	Rockwell Automation	PLCs, screens	R2,003,130,72
3	Burkert	Solenoid valves	R1,382,070.00
4	Phoenix Contact	transducers, isolators	R1,326,701.74
5	Grundfos	dosing pumps	R2,169,976.98
6	Verder	pumps	R2,857,858.68

Total

**R 11 119 584,37**

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3. The submission was signed by Chief Financial Officer on 31 August 2021.
4. The reason provided for the deviation is that the suppliers are Original Equipment Manufacturers (OEM).
5. The reason provided for the deviation is justifiable because suppliers are OEM.
6. National Treasury supports the deviation, on condition that there are no other suppliers in the market that are treated unfairly by this deviation, and that the cost implications are reasonable.
7. Your Institution has an obligation to ensure that any contract for goods and services is in accordance with the system which is fair, equitable, transparent, competitive and cost-effective.
8. The award must be published on e-tender portal.

Kind Regards,

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**ACTING CHIEF PROCUREMENT OFFICER**  
**DATE:**