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RFB 2847/2023 (Rev02) ERRATUM_02:

APPOINTMENT OF A SERVICE PROVIDER FOR THE PROVISIONING OF BROADBAND CONNECTIVITY SERVICES FOR THE WESTERN CAPE GOVERNMENT (WCG) FOR A PERIOD OF EIGHTY-FOUR (84) MONTHS

Dear Prospective Bidders,

Please note the Erratum/ Changes below on the Bid Specification **RFB 2847-2023**:

1) Pricing Schedule:

1.1 Note that the following Documents has been **replaced** as it is no longer applicable:

- BB2 Pricing Scenario_F01 - RFB 2847-2023; and
- BB2 Pricing Scenario_F01 - RFB 2847-2023_Final_Rev01 Amended.

1.2 The Document mentioned above was **replaced with** the following:

- BB2 Pricing Scenario_F01 - RFB 2847-2023_Final_Rev02.

2) Broadband Statement of Work

2.1 Note that the following Document has been **replaced** as it is no longer applicable:

- Annexure D_Broadband Statement of Work_Final.

2.2 The Document mentioned above was **replaced with** the following:

- Annex D_Broadband Statement of Work_Final v2.

3) Public Wi-Fi Statement of Work

3.1 Note that the following Document has been **replaced** as it is no longer applicable:

- Annexure E_ Public Wi-Fi Statement of Work_Final.

Non-Executive Directors:

Mr K Pillay (Chairperson), Ms L Pettele (Deputy Chairperson), Ms N Pietersen, Ms K Sibanda,
Ms L Abrahams (Dr), Mr M Mnisi, Mr L Keyise, Ms L Mseme, Ms R Naidoo

Executive Directors:

Mr S Dzungwa (Managing Director: Acting) Mr MK Kgauwe (Chief Financial Officer),
PH Attorneys (Company Secretary: Acting)

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3.2 The Document mentioned above was **replaced with** the following:

- Annex E_ Public Wi-Fi Statement of Work_Final v2.

4) Bid Specification Document:

4.1 Note that the following Document has been **replaced** as it is no longer applicable:

- Annexure 1 - Bid Specification - RFB 2847-2023

4.2 The Document mentioned above was **replaced with** the following:

- Annexure 1 - Bid Specification - RFB 2847-2023_Rev_01

Note (1): The following amendments were made:

- Paragraph (2) in section 4 “ Bid Evaluation Stages” was **removed and replaced** to read as follow:

“The bidder must qualify for each stage to be eligible to proceed to the next stage of the evaluation.”
- Table 4: Preference Goal Requirements (Specific Goals) in section 4.6 was amended to incorporate the relevant evidence required for the Preferential Goal points.
- Base on the inclusion of the relevant evidence required for the Preferential Goal points Tables 5A and 5B in section 4.6 were also amended.
- Section 5.4 Preferential Goal Requirements under Annexure A: Bidder substantiating evidence was amended to incorporate the relevant evidence required for the Preferential Goal points.
- Numbering of Tables were corrected in Bid Spec.
- The following were added under section 4.1 Administrative responsiveness as paragraph 4.1.3 Bid Submission Instructions:

“ Note that a Two Envelope process will be followed and therefore bidders must submit as follows:

- (a) One (1) original file **excluding pricing** which must be submitted in **a separate envelope**;

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- (b) One (1) hard copy excluding pricing which must be submitted in a separate envelope;
- (c) Two (2) electronic copies on USB memory stick/ flash drive in Portable Document Format (PDF) of the RFB Document and Technical / Functionality Response.
- (d) Two (2) electronic copies on USB memory stick/ flash drive in Portable Document Format (PDF) of pricing only.
- (e) It is the Bidder's responsibility to ensure that the information and contents on the electronic copies is the same as in the hard copies.
- (f) To ensure that the electronic copies are not damaged, the bidder must submit the USB's (memory stick/ flash drive) in a sealed padded envelop and be clearly marked.
- (g) Bidders shall submit proposal responses in accordance with the prescribed manner of submission as specified above. **Failure to comply with the above instructions on submitting a proposal will lead to disqualification.**
- (h) The RFB Responses (hard and electronic copies) must be clearly marked as follows: Bidder's Name & Contact Details, RFB Number, RFB Description, and Closing Date.
- (i) All Bids in this regard shall only be accepted if they have been placed in the tender box before or on the closing date and stipulated time.
- (j) Late bids shall not be considered.
- (k) The proposal must be signed by an authorised employee, agent or representative of the bidder. The proposal must bear the initials of the signatory at the bottom of every page as an indication that the bidder has familiarised itself with the terms and conditions of this RFB document.
- (l) Faxed or e-mailed bids will not be accepted.
- (m) Bidders shall submit proposal responses in accordance with the prescribed manner of submission as specified in this document. **Failure to comply with the bid submission requirements will lead to disqualification.**
- (n) Bidders are required to submit all returnable documents/information together with their Bids/proposals on or before the closing time and date of the Bids/proposals.
- (o) All services supplied in accordance with the bidder's proposal must be in accordance with **all applicable legal requirements in terms of South African law, policies and regulations.**"

5) Invitation to Bid Document:

5.1 Note that the following Documents has been replaced as it is no longer applicable:

- Invitation to bid document - RFB 2847-2023

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- Invitation to bid document - RFB 2847-2023_20240219_Rev01 Amended

1.3 The Document mentioned above was **replaced with** the following:

- Invitation to bid document - RFB 2847-2023_20240219_Rev02

Note (1): The following amendments were made to section 1.2 of the invitation to Bid Document:

“ Note that a Two Envelope process will be followed and therefore bidders must submit as follows:

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Note: Failing to use the revised documents or submitting the incorrect documents will result in disqualification.