



CITY OF TSHWANE METROPOLITAN MUNICIPALITY

ADVERTISEMENT: APPOINTMENT OF A SERVICE PROVIDER FOR THE REFILL, SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF 14 KG AND 19 KG LP GAS CANISTERS AND 210 LITRES OF ETHYLENE SOLVENT FOR RIPENING PURPOSES TO TSHWANE MARKET: AS AND WHEN REQUIRED FOR A PERIOD NOT EXCEEDING 12 MONTHS

QUOTATION NO: Q37-2026-27

NAME OF BIDDER:

CSD NUMBER:

VENDOR NUMBER
(Compulsory)

Prepared by:
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Metropolitan Municipality
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CLOSING DATE

16 OCTOBER 2026

Only bidders registered on the central supplier database and with CSD Number will be considered for this tender as it is a requirement from National Treasury.



CITY OF TSHWANE
METROPOLITAN MUNICIPALITY
DEPARTMENT: ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND SPATIAL PLANNING

BIDS ARE HEREBY INVITED FROM SUPPLIERS FOR THE FOLLOWING BID:

Bid No	Description	Dept.	Contact Officials	Compulsory Briefing Session	Closing date
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The City of Tshwane is migrating to an e-tender portal.

An e-tender portal is an online publication platform that enables access and response to bid opportunities published by the City of Tshwane. The portal enables interested bidders to download bid documents and respond to the bid through online submission at their convenience before the closing time.

Bidders should therefore not deposit their bid responses in the tender box but respond to the bid on the online platform not later than 10:00 on the 16 October 2026.

Technical enquiries: Fulufhelo Tshiovhe at (012 358 2340 or FulufheloTs@tshwane.gov.za

Supply Chain enquiries: Josia Masenya at (012) 358 0658 or josiasma@tshwane.gov.za

Bids will remain valid for a period of 90 days after the closing date

- Received after the closing date and time will not be considered. CoT does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any other bid in whole or in part
- Bid documents must be completed using a black pen (not re-typed or scanned)
- Mistakes made on the price schedule must be crossed out in ink and each price alteration must be initialled.
- Price corrections may not be made with correction fluid, such as Tippex or a similar product.
- If correction fluid was used on any specific item price, such an item will not be considered. No correction fluid may be used on a bill of quantities where prices are calculated to arrive at a total amount. If correction fluid was used, the quotation as a whole will be repudiated.
- The Municipality will reject the quotation if corrections are not made in accordance with the above.

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Pro Plan no:1



ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND SPATIAL PLANNING

BID NAME

ADVERTISEMENT: APPOINTMENT OF A SERVICE PROVIDER FOR THE REFILL, SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF 14KG, 19KG LP GAS AND 210 LITRES ETHYLENE SOLVENT FOR RIPENING PURPOSES TO TSHWANE MARKET: AS AND WHEN REQUIRED FOR A PERIOD NOT EXCEEDING 12 MONTHS

BID NUMBER

(Q37-2026-27)

1. INTRODUCTION AND PURPOSE

To appoint a service provider to refill, supply and deliver LP Gas, and ethylene solvent for ripening purposes to the Tshwane Market for a period of 12 months on an as and when required basis.

2. BACKGROUND

The role of the Tshwane Market is to provide a central marketing distribution system primarily for the City of Tshwane and secondarily for the rest of South Africa. The market serves as a key economic node that has significant stream and downstream impact and exploited properly can attract investment and businesses to its location and the city. The following services performs a vital role on a daily basis to strengthen the market's position in this regard:

- Cold room Services
- Handling Services
- Cleaning Services
- Banana Ripening Services
- Product Condemn Services

Gas driven forklifts and cleaning machines are used on a daily basis within the above services for product handling and the general upkeep of the market trading areas. Gas refills are needed on a daily basis to deliver a continuous and uninterrupted service to role players on the market.

The ripening facility at the Fresh Produce Market has 55 modern ripening rooms and can accommodate and ripen 68 000 boxes (18 kg/box) of bananas a week to an estimated value of R10 336 000 per week. Bananas are ripened during a 9-day cycle

at an average temperature of 14 °C and chillers are used to manage and regulate the temperature throughout the facility.

There are many chemical and physical changes that occur during the growth and development period of bananas. These have an impact on the fruit quality after harvesting. Ripening is normally the final stage in fruit maturation. During ripening, the fruit changes color, flavour, texture and aroma to optimal eating sensorial and textural properties. The agent that triggers these changes during maturation of bananas is a chemical called Ethylene.

Ethylene generators use a catalytic process to produce pure ethylene gas from a solution that is a combination of 90% Ethanol and 10% Ethyl Acetate. The solution (sometimes known as 'ripening fluid' or the ripening solvent) is poured into a reservoir on the ethylene generator where it is slowly fed to an internal heater which vaporises the ethanol which then passes to the catalytic converter. Each litre of solution produces about 0.33-0.4m³ of Ethylene gas.

3. PROJECT SCOPE

3.1 LP Gas

The successful service provider must supply and deliver LP gas cylinders as follows on an exchange and circulation basis, with maintenance thereof in accordance with the Occupational Health and Safety Act to the Fresh Produce Market Division:

- Deliver 14Kg and 19Kg LP Gas refills.
- Each LP Gas delivery must be accompanied by a delivery note and a Tax invoice.

It is important to note that the Market has its own LP Gas cylinders which will be used to kickstart the exchange and circulation condition.

3.2 Ethylene Solvent

- The successful service provider must supply and deliver Ethylene Solvent containers as follows on an exchange and circulation basis, with maintenance thereof in accordance with the Occupational Health and Safety Act to the Fresh Produce Market Division:
- Deliver 210 Liters drums of ethylene solvent.
- Each Ethylene Solvent delivery must be accompanied by a delivery note and Tax invoice.

Description and use

Ethylene is a ripening hormone and a chemical substance produced by fruits with the specific biological action of accelerating the normal process of fruit maturation and senescence (dying or going into dormancy).

Ethylene is a naturally produced gas and is used to slow, accelerate or regulate a natural ripening process. Ethylene can be manufactured artificially and has not been found to have harmful effects on human health. Ethylene can promote ripening in tomatoes, bananas, citrus, pineapples, dates, pears, apples, melons, mangoes, avocados and papayas. The solvent used to produce ethylene gas for the ripening of bananas is a combination of 90% Ethanol and 10% Ethyl Acetate.

The application or absorption of ethylene from fruits during storage and transportation can delay or accelerate the ripening process. After arrival at the market a very small, controlled release of artificial ethylene is used to trigger the natural ripening process. The ripening process is therefore controlled and regulated by introducing ethylene artificially and to adhere to the demand for a certain period.

4 DEFINITIONS

4.1 Service

Routine services will be done on a scheduled basis. In certain cases, it may also be required of the contractor to do services after hours.

4.2 Repair

Repair work on the items concerned as instructed and approved by the Municipality, from time to time.

5. TECHNICAL INFORMATION

The following will be required of the successful contractor:

- a) To keep detail of all repair work of components concerned, as well as part catalogues. The detail catalogues shall have all the necessary technical details required for proper repair and maintenance according to OEM specifications.
- b) To avail all relevant technical information and drawings prior to commencing with any work.
- c) To state the source and part numbers, from where the Original Equipment Manufacturers (OEM) spares are bought and make available the prevailing OEM spare parts lists.
- d) To keep all technical information on his premises and the Municipality's representative shall have access to these records and drawings at any time during the contract period.
- e) To keep a copy of all test reports on his premises and the Municipality's representative shall have access to these records at any time during the contract period.

6 SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS AND CONDITIONS

6.1. LP Gas

- The LP Gas refills must comply to the following standard:
 - ISO 4706:2023 (International Organization for Standardization)
 - 10087-1:2013 –South African National Standard (SANS) for LPG
 - LPG/VPD W.C. 45.4L
 - Ph 3000 KPA N PT ∞ 062008
 - 3/4 – 14 NGT
- Gas refills must be sealed.
- Regulators may not leak.
- That the LP Gas refills must be according to the Occupational Health and Safety Act.(Act 85 Of 1993)
- Tests and certification

Testing and certification of equipment in accordance with the OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY ACT, 1993 (ACT NO. 85 OF 1993), or latest - the recommended bidder will be requested to submit OHS compliance documents before award.

6.2. Ethylene Solvent

Specifications of ethylene solvent

The solvent used to produce ethylene gas for the ripening of bananas is a combination of 90% Ethanol and 10% Ethyl Acetate.

The solvent must be supplied in 210ℓ containers to the Tshwane Market on an as and when required basis.

Below is the composition / information on solvent ingredients

No.	Name	% by weight	Exposure limits
1.	Ethanol	90	ACGIH TLV (United States, 2002). TWA: 1000 ppm TWA: 1880 mg/m ³ OSHA PEL (United States, 2002). TWA: 1000 ppm TWA: 1900 mg/m ³
2.	Ethyl acetate	10	ACGIH TLV (United States, 2002). TWA: 400 ppm TWA: 1440 ppm OSHA PEL (United States, 2002). TWA: 400 ppm TWA: 1440 ppm

7 DELIVERY PERIOD

7.1 The supplier shall be able to deliver LP Gas whenever requested by the Fresh Produce Market and delivered within 8 hours after the order has been placed including Saturdays.

7.2 Provision must be made by the supplier to store and have LP gas available all times in his/her facility to accommodate the unforeseen circumstances of shortages in the gas industry.

7.3 The supplier shall be able to deliver Ethylene Solvent whenever requested by the Fresh Produce Market and delivered within 48 hours after the order has been placed including Saturdays.

8 TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION

8.1. The following is the minimum but not limited requirements required for **LP gas**:

- The LP Gas refills must comply to the following standard:
 - ISO 4706:2023 (International Organization for Standardization)
 - 10087-1:2013 –South African National Standard (SANS) for LPG
 - LPG/VPK W.C. 45.4L
 - Ph 3000 KPA N PT ∞ 062008
 - 3/4 – 14 NGT

8.2. The following is the minimum but not limited requirements required for **Ethylene solvent**

The solvent used to produce ethylene gas for the ripening of bananas is a combination of 90% Ethanol and 10% Ethyl Acetate.

Physical and chemical properties

Physical state and appearance	Liquid.
Colour	Colourless. Clear.
Odor	Alcohol like.
Taste	No data available.
Molecular weight	Not applicable
Molecular formula	Not applicable
PH (1% soln/water)	7 [Neutral.]
Boiling/condensation point	The lowest known value is 77°C [Ethyl acetate]. Weighted average: 78.33°C
Melting/freezing point	May start to solidify at –83.6°C based on data for: Ethyl acetate. Weighted average: -112.58°C.
Critical temperature	The lowest known value is 243°C [Ethanol]
Specific gravity	Weighted average 0.797 [water=1]
Vapor pressure	The highest known value is 10.1kPa (76mmHg) (@20°C) [Ethyl acetate]. Weighted average: 5.92kPa (44.4mmHg) (@20°C).
Vapor density	The highest known value is 3.04 (Air=1) [Ethyl acetate]. Weighted average: 1.67 (Air=1).

Volatility	100%v/v. [Ethanol]. Weighted average: 100%v/v 100%w/w [Ethanol].
Odor threshold	The highest known value is 18ppm (Ethyl acetate) Weighted average: 10.4ppm.
Evaporation rate	1.244 compared to Butyl acetate
VOC	100 (%)
Viscosity	The highest known value is 1.41cP (Ethanol). Weighted average: 1.36cP.
LogKow	The product is more soluble in water.
Iconicity (in water)	No data available.
Dispersion properties	See solubility in water, methanol, diethyl ether, n-octanol acetone.
Solubility	Soluble in cold water, hot water, methanol, diethyl ether, acetone and n-octanol.
Physical chemical comments	No additional remark.

Handling and storage

Description	Procedure
Handling	Keep away from heat sparks and flame. Keep container closed. Use only with adequate ventilation. To avoid fire or explosion, dissipate static electricity during transfer by grounding and bonding containers and equipment before transferring material. Use explosion-proof electrical (ventilating, lighting and material handling) equipment.
Storage	Store in segregated and approved area. Keep container in a cool, well-ventilated area. Keep container tightly closed and sealed until ready for use. Avoid all possible sources of ignition (spark of flame).

9. WARRANTY

It will be required from the bidder to provide a twelve-month warranty on LP gas cylinders:

- a) All parts found faulty before a cylinder is used must be replaced and the full contents of the cylinder replaced.

10. CONDITION

- Service provider must comply with HIRA (Hazard Identification Risk Assessment) process.
- Proof of availability of a (Tremcard) – transport emergency card listing the hazards and emergency information for a material being transported for use by the driver during an incident, or by the emergency services, if required.

11. EVALUATION CRITERIA

The evaluation will be done in three stages:

Stage 1: Administrative requirements

Stage 2: Mandatory requirements

Stage 3: Preferential point system

STAGE 1: ADMINISTRATIVE EVALUATION

All the bids will be evaluated against the administrative responsiveness requirements as set out in the list of returnable documents.

Compulsory Returnable Documentation (Submission of these are compulsory)	Submitted (YES or NO)	Checklist (Guide for Bidder and the Bid Evaluation Committee)
a) To enable The City to verify the bidder's tax compliance status, the bidder must provide; • Tax compliance status PIN. - or • Central Supplier Database (CSD)		Tax status must be compliant before the award.
b) A copy of their Central Supplier Database (CSD) registration; or indicate their Master Registration Number / CSD Number;		CSD must be valid.
c) Confirmation that the bidding company's municipal service charges, rates and taxes are up to date: Original or copy of Municipal Account Statement of the Bidder (bidding company) not older than 3 months and account must not be in arrears for more than ninety (90) days; or ,signed lease agreement or In case of bidders located in informal settlement, rural areas or areas where they are not required to pay Rates and Taxes a letter from the local councillor confirming they are operating in that area		Was a Municipal Account Statement, or signed lease agreement or letter from the local councillor provided for the bidding company? The name and / or addresses of the bidder's statement correspond with CIPC document, Address on CSD or Company profile? Are municipal service charges, rates and taxes up to date (i.e. not in arrears for more than 90 days?
d) In addition to the above, confirmation that all the bidding company's owners / members / directors / major shareholders municipal service charges, rates and taxes are up to date: • Original or copy of Municipal Account Statement of all the South African based owners / members / directors / major shareholders not older than 3 months and the account/s may not be in arrears for more than ninety (90) days; or a signed lease agreement of owners / members / directors / major shareholders or In case of bidders located in informal settlement, rural areas or areas where they are not required to pay Rates and Taxes a letter from the local councillor confirming they are residing in that area		Was a Municipal Account Statement, or signed lease agreement or letter from the local councillor provided for the company's owners / members / directors / major shareholders? Are municipal service charges, rates and taxes up to date (i.e. not in arrears for more than 90 days?
e) Duly Signed and completed MBD forms (MBD 1, 4, 5, 8 and 9) The person signing the bid documentation must be authorized to sign on behalf of the bidder. Where the signatory is not a Director / Member / Owner / Shareholder of the company, an official letter of authorization or delegation of authority should be submitted with the bid document.		All documents fully completed (i.e. no blank spaces), All documents fully signed by (any director / member / trustee as indicated on the CIPC document, alternatively a delegation of authority would be required, Documents completed in black

Compulsory Returnable Documentation (Submission of these are compulsory)	Submitted (YES or NO)	Checklist (Guide for Bidder and the Bid Evaluation Committee)
NB: Bidders must ensure that the directors, trustees, managers, principal shareholders, or stakeholders of this company, declare any interest in any other related companies or business, whether or not they are bidding for this contract. <u>See Question 3.14 of MBD 4.</u> <u>Failure to declare interest will result in a disqualification</u>		ink (i.e. no "Tippex" corrections, no pencil, no other colour ink, or non-submission of the MBD forms, will not be considered)
f) Audited Financial Statements for the most recent three (3) years or Audited Financial Statements from date of existence for companies less than three years old. NB: The bidder must submit signed audited annual financial statements for the most recent three years, or if established for a shorter period, submit audited annual financial statements from date of establishment. If the bidder is not required by law to prepare signed annual financial statements for auditing purposes, then the bidder must submit proof that the bidder is not required by law to prepare audited financial statements.		Applicable for tenders above R10m in conjunction with MBD 5) Are Audited financial statements provided (Audited financials must be signed by auditor) Or proof that the bidder is not required by law to prepare audited financial statements.
g) Joint Ventures (JV) – (Only applicable when the bidder tenders as a joint venture) Where the bidder bids as a joint venture (JV), the required or relevant documents as per (a) to (f) above must be provided for all JV parties. In addition to the above the bidder must submit a Joint Venture (JV) agreement signed by the relevant parties. NB: It is a condition of this bid that the successful bidder will continue with the same Joint Venture (JV) for the duration of the contract unless prior approval is obtained from the City.		If applicable. JV agreement provided? JV agreement complete and relevant? Agreement signed by all parties? All required documents as per (i.e. a to f) must be provided for all partners of the JV.
h) Bidder attended a compulsory briefing session where applicable		A compulsory briefing register must be signed by the bidder. Bidders will be disqualified should they fail to attend compulsory briefing session
i) Pricing schedule (All items must be quoted for in pricing schedule and if not, all items are quoted the bidder will be disqualified). Unless the tender is awarded per item or per section where the bidder only quoted the items or sections, they are interested in.		Incomplete pricing schedule results in totals being incomparable. Bidder must be disqualified. Bidder will be disqualified should they make corrections on the price schedule without attaching a signature or initialising thereto. Bidder will be disqualified should they use tippex/ correction ink, on the price schedule.

STAGE 2: MANDATORY REQUIREMENTS

The bidder must submit the following supporting documentation with their quotation documents:

- Proof of PDPDG (Professional Driver Permit for Dangerous Goods) documents.
- A valid wholesale license (DMRE 38) for the legal supply of Liquefied Petroleum Gas (LPG) in South Africa from the Department of Mineral Resources and Energy.
- Written proof (**Letter**) that the service provider is authorized by the manufacturer of Ethylene solvent for supply and delivery of Ethylene solvent. (In case where the bidder is the manufacturer of Ethylene Solvent, the bidder is to submit manufacturing license and Ethylene solvent registration documents/ relevant certification)
- Service provider previous experience in the supply of similar solvents (At least two signed contactable **references letters** on company letterhead provided of similar works)
- Specifications of Ethylene solvent: Manufacturer's data covering the product offered which shall give the main features of the product and information on compliance with standards. [**Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS)**]

NB: All registration and documentation outlined above has to be submitted, failure to submit any registration and documentation will result in the bid being immediately disqualified and will not be evaluated further.

STAGE 3: PREFERENTIAL POINT SYSTEM

The preferential points to be used will be the 80/20 points system in terms of the Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act, 2000 (Act 5 of 2000) Regulations 2022.

- 80 points for price
- 20 points for specific goals
 - Bidders are required to submit supporting documents for their bids to claim the specific goal points.
 - Non-compliance with specific goals will not lead to disqualification but bidders will not be allocated specific goal points. Bidders will score points out of 80 for price only and zero (0) points out of 20 for specific goals.
 - Cot shall act against any bidder or person when it detects that the specific goals were claimed or obtained on a fraudulent basis.

The specific goal for this bid is outlined below. Bidders are to submit supporting documents as outlined below to be eligible for points.

Specific goals	80/20 preference point system	Proof of specific goals to be submitted
BB-BEE score of companies • Level 1 • Level 2 • Level 3 • Level 4 • Level 5 • Level 6 • Level 7 • Level 8 • Non-compliant	• 8 Points • 7 Points • 6 Points • 5 Points • 4 Points • 3 Points • 2 Points • 1 Point • 0 Points	Valid Certified copy of BBBEE certificate. Sworn Affidavit for B-BBEE qualifying small enterprise or Exempt Micro Enterprises or CIPC BBBEE certificate.
EME and/ or QSE	2 Points	Valid Sworn affidavit for B-BBEE qualifying small enterprise or Exempt Micro Enterprises or CIPC BBBEE certificate
At least 51% of Women-owned companies	2 Points	Certified copy of Identity Document/s and proof of ownership (Sworn affidavit for B-BBEE qualifying small enterprise or Exempt Micro Enterprises, CIPC registration or any other proof of ownership)
At least 51% owned companies by People with disability	2 Points	Medical Certificate with doctor's details (Practice Number, Physical Address, and contact numbers) and proof of ownership (Sworn affidavit for B-BBEE qualifying small enterprise or Exempt Micro Enterprises, CIPC registration or any other proof of ownership)
At least 51% owned companies by Youth	2 Point	Certified copy of Identity Document/s and proof of ownership (Sworn affidavit for B-BBEE qualifying small enterprise or Exempt Micro Enterprises, CIPC registration or any other proof of ownership)
Local Economic Participation • City of Tshwane • Gauteng • National	4 Points 2 Points 1 Point	Municipal Account statement/Lease agreement.

12. PRICE SCHEDULE

ITEM	MATERIAL NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	UNIT	QUANTITY	UNITPRICE EXCL. VAT	
					R	c
1.	3030175	Refill and supply of 14 kg LP gas cylinders.	kg	1		
2.	3030176	Refill and supply of 19 kg LP gas cylinders.	kg	1		
3.	3031720	Refill and supply of 210 litres drum of Ethylene solvent for ripening purposes.	L	1		
4.	3031705	Ethylene drum deposit	Sum	1		
TOTAL (EXCL. VAT)						
15% VAT						
TOTAL INCL. VAT						

*Note

- COST MUST INCLUDE DELIVERY, COMPONENT PRICES AND LABOUR
- THE CITY OF TSHWANE RESERVES THE RIGHTS TO INCREASE OR DECREASE THE QUANTITIES OF THE PRODUCTS OR SERVICES SUBJECT TO BUDGET AVAILABILITY

*NOTE: PRICES WILL BE REGARDED AS FIXED FOR THE QUOTATION PERIOD.

13. VALIDITY PERIOD

The validity period for the quotation after closure is 90 days.

14. MARKET ANALYSIS

The city of Tshwane reserves the right to conduct market analysis. Should the city exercise this option, Where a service provider offers a price that is deemed not to be viable to supply goods or services as required, written confirmation will be made with the service provider if they will be able to deliver on the price, if a service provider confirm that they cannot, The service provider will be disqualified on the basis of being non-responsive. If they confirm that they can deliver, a tight contract to mitigate the risk of non-performance will be entered into with the service provider. Further action on failures by the supplier to deliver will be handled in terms of the contract including performance warnings and listing on the database of restricted suppliers. The city further reserves the right to negotiate a market related price with a service provider scoring the highest points. If the service provider does not agree to a market-related price, the city reserves the right to negotiate a market-related price with the service provider scoring the second highest points, if the service provider scoring the second highest points does not agree to a market-related price, negotiate a market-related price with the service provider scoring the third highest points. If a market-related price is not agreed, the city reserves the right to cancel the quotation.

**MBD1
COMPULSORY
PART A
INVITATION TO BID**

YOU ARE HEREBY INVITED TO BID FOR REQUIREMENTS OF THE (NAME OF MUNICIPALITY/ MUNICIPAL ENTITY)					
QUOTATION NUMBER:	Q37-2026-27	CLOSING DATE:	16 October 2026	CLOSING TIME:	10:00
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THE SUCCESSFUL BIDDER WILL BE REQUIRED TO FILL IN AND SIGN A WRITTEN CONTRACT FORM (MBD7).					
BIDDERS SHOULD NOT DEPOSIT THEIR BID RESPONSES IN THE TENDER BOX BUT RESPOND TO THE BID ON THE ONLINE PLATFORM					
Tshwane House					
Supply Chain Management					
320 Madiba Street					
Pretoria					
SUPPLIER INFORMATION					
NAME OF BIDDER					
POSTAL ADDRESS					
STREET ADDRESS					
TELEPHONE NUMBER	CODE		NUMBER		
CELLPHONE NUMBER					
FACSIMILE NUMBER	CODE		NUMBER		
E-MAIL ADDRESS					
VAT REGISTRATION NUMBER					
TAX COMPLIANCE STATUS	TCS PIN:		OR	CSD No:	
B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL VERIFICATION CERTIFICATE [TICK APPLICABLE BOX]	☐ Yes ☐ No		B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL SWORN AFFIDAVIT ☐ Yes ☐ No		
[A B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL VERIFICATION CERTIFICATE/ SWORN AFFIDAVIT (FOR EMES & QSEs) MUST BE SUBMITTED IN ORDER TO QUALIFY FOR PREFERENCE POINTS FOR B-BBEE]					
ARE YOU THE ACCREDITED REPRESENTATIVE IN SOUTH AFRICA FOR THE GOODS /SERVICES /WORKS OFFERED?	☐ Yes ☐ No [IF YES ENCLOSE PROOF]		ARE YOU A FOREIGN BASED SUPPLIER FOR THE GOODS /SERVICES /WORKS OFFERED?		☐ Yes ☐ No [IF YES, ANSWER PART B:3]
SIGNATURE OF BIDDER	 _____		DATE		
CAPACITY UNDER WHICH THIS BID IS SIGNED					
BIDDING PROCEDURE ENQUIRIES MAY BE DIRECTED TO:			TECHNICAL INFORMATION MAY BE DIRECTED TO:		
DEPARTMENT	Supply Chain Management		CONTACT PERSON	Fulufhelo Tshiovhe	
CONTACT PERSON	Josia Masenya				
TELEPHONE NUMBER	(012) 358 0658		TELEPHONE NUMBER	012 358 2340	
			E-MAIL ADDRESS	FulufheloTs@tshwane.gov.za	
E-MAIL ADDRESS	josiasma@tshwane.gov.za				

**MBD1
COMPULSORY
PART B
TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR BIDDING**

1. BID SUBMISSION:										
1.1. BIDS MUST BE DELIVERED BY THE STIPULATED TIME TO THE CORRECT ADDRESS. LATE BIDS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED FOR CONSIDERATION. 1.2. ALL BIDS MUST BE SUBMITTED ON THE OFFICIAL FORMS PROVIDED–(NOT TO BE RE-TYPED) OR ONLINE 1.3. THIS BID IS SUBJECT TO THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT POLICY FRAMEWORK ACT AND THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS, 2017, THE GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT (GCC) AND, IF APPLICABLE, ANY OTHER SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT.										
2. TAX COMPLIANCE REQUIREMENTS										
2.1 BIDDERS MUST ENSURE COMPLIANCE WITH THEIR TAX OBLIGATIONS. 2.2 BIDDERS ARE REQUIRED TO SUBMIT THEIR UNIQUE PERSONAL IDENTIFICATION NUMBER (PIN) ISSUED BY SARS TO ENABLE THE ORGAN OF STATE TO VIEW THE TAXPAYER'S PROFILE AND TAX STATUS. 2.3 APPLICATION FOR THE TAX COMPLIANCE STATUS (TCS) CERTIFICATE OR PIN MAY ALSO BE MADE VIA E-FILING. IN ORDER TO USE THIS PROVISION, TAXPAYERS WILL NEED TO REGISTER WITH SARS AS E-FILERS THROUGH THE WEBSITE WWW.SARS.GOV.ZA. 2.4 FOREIGN SUPPLIERS MUST COMPLETE THE PRE-AWARD QUESTIONNAIRE IN PART B:3. 2.5 BIDDERS MAY ALSO SUBMIT A PRINTED TCS CERTIFICATE TOGETHER WITH THE BID. 2.6 IN BIDS WHERE CONSORTIA / JOINT VENTURES / SUB-CONTRACTORS ARE INVOLVED, EACH PARTY MUST SUBMIT A SEPARATE TCS CERTIFICATE / PIN / CSD NUMBER. 2.7 WHERE NO TCS IS AVAILABLE BUT THE BIDDER IS REGISTERED ON THE CENTRAL SUPPLIER DATABASE (CSD), A CSD NUMBER MUST BE PROVIDED.										
3. QUESTIONNAIRE TO BIDDING FOREIGN SUPPLIERS										
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**NB: FAILURE TO PROVIDE ANY OF THE ABOVE PARTICULARS MAY RENDER THE BID INVALID.
NO BIDS WILL BE CONSIDERED FROM PERSONS IN THE SERVICE OF THE STATE.**

SIGNATURE OF BIDDER:

CAPACITY UNDER WHICH THIS BID IS SIGNED:

DATE:

**MBD 4
COMPULSORY**

DECLARATION OF INTEREST

1. No bid will be accepted from persons in the service of the state¹.
2. Any person, having a kinship with persons in the service of the state, including a blood relationship, may make an offer or offers in terms of this invitation to bid. In view of possible allegations of favouritism, should the resulting bid, or part thereof, be awarded to persons connected with or related to persons in service of the state, it is required that the bidder or their authorised representative declare their position in relation to the evaluating/adjudicating authority.
- 3 In order to give effect to the above, the following questionnaire must be completed and submitted with the bid.**

3.1 Full Name of bidder or his or her representative:.....

3.2 Identity Number:

3.3 Position occupied in the Company (director, trustee, shareholder²):.....

3.4 Company Registration Number:

3.5 Tax Reference Number:.....

3.6 VAT Registration Number:

3.7 The names of all directors / trustees / shareholders members, their individual identity numbers and state employee numbers must be indicated in paragraph 4 below.

3.8 Are you presently in the service of the state? **YES / NO**

3.8.1 If yes, furnish particulars.

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¹MSCM Regulations: "in the service of the state" means to be –

- (a) a member of –
 - (i) any municipal council;
 - (ii) any provincial legislature; or
 - (iii) the national Assembly or the national Council of provinces;
- (b) a member of the board of directors of any municipal entity;
- (c) an official of any municipality or municipal entity;
- (d) an employee of any national or provincial department, national or provincial public entity or constitutional institution within the meaning of the Public Finance Management Act, 1999 (Act No.1 of 1999);
- (e) a member of the accounting authority of any national or provincial public entity; or
- (f) an employee of Parliament or a provincial legislature.

² Shareholder" means a person who owns shares in the company and is actively involved in the management of the company or business and exercises control over the company.

3.9 Have you been in the service of the state for the past twelve months?**YES / NO**

3.9.1 If yes, furnish particulars.....

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3.10 Do you have any relationship (family, friend, other) with persons in the service of the state and who may be involved with the evaluation and or adjudication of this bid? **YES / NO**

3.10.1 If yes, furnish particulars.

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3.11 Are you, aware of any relationship (family, friend, other) between any other bidder and any persons in the service of the state who may be involved with the evaluation and or adjudication of this bid? **YES / NO**

3.11.1 If yes, furnish particulars

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3.12 Are any of the company's directors, trustees, managers, principle shareholders or stakeholders in service of the state? **YES / NO**

3.12.1 If yes, furnish particulars.

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3.13 Are any spouse, child or parent of the company's directors trustees, managers, principle shareholders or stakeholders in service of the state? **YES / NO**

3.13.1 If yes, furnish particulars.

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3.14 Do you or any of the directors, trustees, managers, principle shareholders, or stakeholders of this company have any interest in any other related companies or business whether or not they are bidding for this contract. **YES / NO**

3.14.1 If yes, furnish particulars:

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4. Full details of directors / trustees / members / shareholders.

Full Name	Identity Number	State Employee Number

.....
Signature

.....
Date

.....
Capacity

.....
Name of Bidder

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
 - the 90/10 system for requirements with a Rand value above R50 000 000 (all applicable taxes included).

1.2 To be completed by the organ of state

- a) The applicable preference point system for this tender is the 80/20 preference point system.

- 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:

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathbf{80/20} & \mathbf{or} & \mathbf{90/10} \\ \mathbf{Ps = 80 \left(1 - \frac{Pt - P_{min}}{P_{min}} \right)} & \mathbf{or} & \mathbf{Ps = 90 \left(1 - \frac{Pt - P_{min}}{P_{min}} \right)} \end{array}$$

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:

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathbf{80/20} & \mathbf{or} & \mathbf{90/10} \\ \mathbf{Ps = 80 \left(1 + \frac{Pt - P_{max}}{P_{max}} \right)} & \mathbf{or} & \mathbf{Ps = 90 \left(1 + \frac{Pt - P_{max}}{P_{max}} \right)} \end{array}$$

Where

P_s = Points scored for price of tender under
consideration P_t = Price of tender under
consideration
 P_{max} = 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 or 90/10 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 or 90/10 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 or 90/10 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 both the 90/10 and 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: Where either the 90/10 or 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.)

Specific goals	80/20 preference point system	Number of points claimed (80/20 system) (To be completed by the tenderer)
BB-BEE score of companies • Level 1 • Level 2 • Level 3 • Level 4 • Level 5 • Level 6 • Level 7 • Level 8 • Non-compliant	• 8 Points • 7 Points • 6 Points • 5 Points • 4 Points • 3 Points • 2 Points • 1 Point • 0 Points	
EME and/ or QSE	2 Points	
At least 51% of Women-owned companies	2 Points	
At least 51% owned companies by People with disability	2 Points	
At least 51% owned companies by Youth	2 Point	
Local Economic Participation • City of Tshwane • Gauteng • National	4 Points 2 Points 1 Point	

N.B For points to be allocated as per above the tenderers will be required to submit proof of documentation as evidence for claims made. Any tenderer that does not submit evidence as stated in the bid document to claim applicable points will be allocated zero points.

DECLARATION WITH REGARD TO COMPANY/FIRM

4.3. Name of company/firm.....

4.4. Company registration number:

4.5. TYPE OF COMPANY/ FIRM

- ☐ Partnership/Joint Venture / Consortium
- ☐ One-person business/sole propriety
- ☐ Close corporation
- ☐ Public Company
- ☐ Personal Liability Company
- ☐ (Pty) Limited
- ☐ Non-Profit Company

☐ State Owned
Company [TICK
APPLICABLE BOX]

- 4.6. I, the undersigned, who is duly authorised to do so on behalf of the company/firm, certify that the points claimed, based on the specific goals as advised in the tender, qualifies the company/ firm for the preference(s) shown and I acknowledge that:
- i) The information furnished is true and correct;
 - ii) The preference points claimed are in accordance with the General Conditions as indicated in paragraph 1 of this form;
 - iii) In the event of a contract being awarded as a result of points claimed as shown in paragraphs 1.4 and 4.2, the contractor may be required to furnish documentary proof to the satisfaction of the organ of state that the claims are correct;
 - iv) If the specific goals have been claimed or obtained on a fraudulent basis or any of the conditions of contract 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 *audi alteram partem* (hear the other side) rule has been applied; and
 - (e) forward the matter for criminal prosecution, if deemed necessary.

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SIGNATURE(S) OF TENDERER(S)

SURNAME AND NAME:

DATE:

ADDRESS:

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CONTRACT FORM: PURCHASE OF GOODS/WORKS

THIS FORM MUST BE FILLED IN DUPLICATE BY BOTH THE SUCCESSFUL BIDDER (PART 1) AND THE PURCHASER (PART 2). BOTH FORMS MUST BE SIGNED IN THE ORIGINAL SO THAT THE SUCCESSFUL BIDDER AND THE PURCHASER WOULD BE IN POSSESSION OF ORIGINALLY SIGNED CONTRACTS FOR THEIR RESPECTIVE RECORDS.

PART 1 (TO BE FILLED IN BY THE BIDDER)

1. I hereby undertake to supply all or any of the goods and/or works described in the attached bidding documents to..... in accordance with the requirements and specifications stipulated in bid number at the price/s quoted. My offer/s remain binding upon me and open for acceptance by the purchaser during the validity period indicated and calculated from the closing time of bid.
2. The following documents shall be deemed to form and be read and construed as part of this agreement:
 - (i) Bidding documents, viz
 - Invitation to bid;
 - Tax clearance certificate;
 - Pricing schedule(s);
 - Technical Specification(s);
 - Preference claims for Broad Based Black Economic Empowerment Status Level of Contribution in terms of the Preferential Procurement Regulations 2022;
 - Declaration of interest;
 - Declaration of bidder's past SCM practices;
 - Certificate of Independent Bid Determination;
 - Special Conditions of Contract;
 - (ii) General Conditions of Contract; and
 - (iii) Other (specify)
3. I confirm that I have satisfied myself as to the correctness and validity of my bid; that the price(s) and rate(s) quoted cover all the goods and/or works specified in the bidding documents; that the price(s) and rate(s) cover all my obligations and I accept that any mistakes regarding price(s) and rate(s) and calculations will be at my own risk.
4. I accept full responsibility for the proper execution and fulfilment of all obligations and conditions devolving on me under this agreement as the principal liable for the due fulfillment of this contract.
5. I declare that I have no participation in any collusive practices with any bidder or any other person regarding this or any other bid.
6. I confirm that I am duly authorised to sign this contract.

NAME (PRINT)

CAPACITY

SIGNATURE

NAME OF FIRM

DATE

WITNESSES

1.

2.

DATE:

CONTRACT FORM: PURCHASE OF GOODS/WORKS

PART 2 (TO BE FILLED IN BY THE PURCHASER)

1. I in my capacity as accept your bid under reference number dated for the supply of goods/works indicated hereunder and/or further specified in the annexure(s).
2. An official order indicating delivery instructions is forthcoming.
3. I undertake to make payment for the goods/works delivered in accordance with the terms and conditions of the contract, within 30 (thirty) days after receipt of an invoice accompanied by the delivery note.

ITEM NO.	PRICE (ALL APPLICABLE TAXES INCLUDED)	BRAND	DELIVERY PERIOD	B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL OF CONTRIBUTION

4. I confirm that I am duly authorized to sign this contract.

SIGNED AT ON.....

NAME (PRINT)

SIGNATURE

OFFICIAL STAMP

WITNESSES

1.

2.

DATE:

COMPULSORY
DECLARATION OF BIDDER'S PAST SUPPLY CHAIN
MANAGEMENT PRACTICES

- 1 This Municipal Bidding Document must form part of all bids invited.
- 2 It serves as a declaration to be used by municipalities and municipal entities in ensuring that when goods and services are being procured, all reasonable steps are taken to combat the abuse of the supply chain management system.
- 3 The bid of any bidder may be rejected if that bidder, or any of its directors have:
 - a. abused the municipality's / municipal entity's supply chain management system or committed any improper conduct in relation to such system;
 - b. been convicted for fraud or corruption during the past five years;
 - c. willfully neglected, reneged on or failed to comply with any government, municipal or other public sector contract during the past five years; or
 - d. been listed in the Register for Tender Defaulters in terms of section 29 of the Prevention and Combating of Corrupt Activities Act (No 12 of 2004).
- 4 **In order to give effect to the above, the following questionnaire must be completed and submitted with the bid.**

Item	Question	Yes	No
4.1	Is the bidder or any of its directors listed on the National Treasury's Database of Restricted Suppliers as companies or persons prohibited from doing business with the public sector? (Companies or persons who are listed on this Database were informed in writing of this restriction by the Accounting Officer/Authority of the institution that imposed the restriction after the <i>audi alteram partem</i> rule was applied). The Database of Restricted Suppliers now resides on the National Treasury's website(www.treasury.gov.za) and can be accessed by clicking on its link at the bottom of the home page.	Yes ☐	No ☐
4.1.1	If so, furnish particulars: 		
4.2	Is the bidder or any of its directors listed on the Register for Tender Defaulters in terms of section 29 of the Prevention and Combating of Corrupt Activities Act (No 12 of 2004)? The Register for Tender Defaulters can be accessed on the National Treasury's website (www.treasury.gov.za) by clicking on its link at the bottom of the home page.	Yes ☐	No ☐
4.2.1	If so, furnish particulars: 		

4.3	Was the bidder or any of its directors convicted by a court of law (including a court of law outside the Republic of South Africa) for fraud or corruption during the past five years?	Yes ☐	No ☐
4.3.1	If so, furnish particulars:		
Item	Question	Yes	No
4.4	Does the bidder or any of its directors owe any municipal rates and taxes or municipal charges to the municipality / municipal entity, or to any other municipality / municipal entity, that is in arrears for more than three months?	Yes ☐	No ☐
4.4.1	If so, furnish particulars:		
4.5	Was any contract between the bidder and the municipality / municipal entity or any other organ of state terminated during the past five years on account of failure to perform on or comply with the contract?	Yes ☐	No ☐
4.7.1	If so, furnish particulars:		

CERTIFICATION

I, THE UNDERSIGNED (FULL NAME)
CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION FURNISHED ON THIS
DECLARATION FORM TRUE AND CORRECT.

I ACCEPT THAT, IN ADDITION TO CANCELLATION OF A CONTRACT, ACTION MAY
BE TAKEN AGAINST ME SHOULD THIS DECLARATION PROVE TO BE FALSE.

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Signature

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Date

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Position

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Name of Bidder

CERTIFICATE OF INDEPENDENT BID DETERMINATION

- 1 This Municipal Bidding Document (MBD) must form part of all bids¹ invited.
- 2 Section 4 (1) (b) (iii) of the Competition Act No. 89 of 1998, as amended, prohibits an agreement between, or concerted practice by, firms, or a decision by an association of firms, if it is between parties in a horizontal relationship and if it involves collusive bidding (or bid rigging).² Collusive bidding is a *pe se* prohibition meaning that it cannot be justified under any grounds.
- 3 Municipal Supply Regulation 38 (1) prescribes that a supply chain management policy must provide measures for the combating of abuse of the supply chain management system, and must enable the accounting officer, among others, to:
 - a. take all reasonable steps to prevent such abuse;
 - b. reject the bid of any bidder if that bidder or any of its directors has abused the supply chain management system of the municipality or municipal entity or has committed any improper conduct in relation to such system; and
 - c. cancel a contract awarded to a person if the person committed any corrupt or fraudulent act during the bidding process or the execution of the contract.
- 4 This MBD serves as a certificate of declaration that would be used by institutions to ensure that, when bids are considered, reasonable steps are taken to prevent any form of bid-rigging.
- 5 In order to give effect to the above, the attached Certificate of Bid Determination (MBD 9) must be completed and submitted with the bid:

¹ Includes price quotations, advertised competitive bids, limited bids and proposals.

² Bid rigging (or collusive bidding) occurs when businesses, that would otherwise be expected to compete, secretly conspire to raise prices or lower the quality of goods and / or services for purchasers who wish to acquire goods and / or services through a bidding process. Bid rigging is, therefore, an agreement between competitors not to compete.

CERTIFICATE OF INDEPENDENT BID DETERMINATION

I, the undersigned, in submitting the accompanying bid:

(Bid Number and Description)

in response to the invitation for the bid made by:

(Name of Municipality / Municipal Entity)

do hereby make the following statements that I certify to be true and complete in every respect:

I certify, on behalf of: _____ that:

(Name of Bidder)

1. I have read and I understand the contents of this Certificate;
2. I understand that the accompanying bid will be disqualified if this Certificate is found not to be true and complete in every respect;
3. I am authorized by the bidder to sign this Certificate, and to submit the accompanying bid, on behalf of the bidder;
4. Each person whose signature appears on the accompanying bid has been authorized by the bidder to determine the terms of, and to sign, the bid, on behalf of the bidder;
5. For the purposes of this Certificate and the accompanying bid, I understand that the word "competitor" shall include any individual or organization, other than the bidder, whether or not affiliated with the bidder, who:
 - (a) has been requested to submit a bid in response to this bid invitation;
 - (b) could potentially submit a bid in response to this bid invitation, based on their qualifications, abilities or experience; and
 - (c) provides the same goods and services as the bidder and/or is in the same line of business as the bidder

6. 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 consortium³ will not be construed as collusive bidding.
7. In particular, without limiting the generality of paragraphs 6 above, there has been no consultation, communication, agreement or arrangement with any competitor regarding:
 - (a) prices;
 - (b) geographical area where product or service will be rendered (market allocation)
 - (c) methods, factors or formulas used to calculate prices;
 - (d) the intention or decision to submit or not to submit, a bid;
 - (e) the submission of a bid which does not meet the specifications and conditions of the bid; or
 - (f) bidding with the intention not to win the bid.
8. In addition, there have been no consultations, communications, agreements or arrangements with any competitor regarding the quality, quantity, specifications and conditions or delivery particulars of the products or services to which this bid invitation relates.
9. 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 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.

10. 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.

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Signature

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Date

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Position

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Name of Bidder

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