

REQUEST FOR QUOTATION

SENTECH INVITES SUPPLIERS FOR:

Project title:	REPLACE 9000L HORIZONTAL FUEL TANK (SUPPLIED BY SENTECH) ON TANK STAND AT OUR EAST LONDON TRANSMITTER STATION		
Quotation or Proposal no:	EAST LONDON/FUELTANK/TS10/2023		
RFQ Issue date:	22/05/2023		
Briefing session date, time and venue	25 May 2023 @East London Sentech office 15 Rosmead rd Vincent East London 4 x4 required or a Bakkie for site visit		
Closing date:	02 June 2023		
Closing time:	12h00	Validity period:	30 days

You are invited to provide a quote to deliver the goods, services or works defined in the Scope of Work.

QUOTATIONS OR PROPOSALS TO BE RETURNED TO:

Quotations Administrator	Zanele Zulu
Telephone no:	011 471 4400
E-mail:	Quotations6@sentech.co.za

Form of Offer and Acceptance

Offer

The Employer, identified in the Acceptance signature block, has solicited offers to enter into a contract for the services as stated in the RFQ: Scope of Work

The Service Providers, identified in the Offer signature block, has examined the documents listed in the RFQ and addenda thereto as listed in the Returnable Schedules, and by submitting this Offer has accepted the Conditions of this RFQ.

By the representative of the Service Provider, deemed to be duly authorised, signing this part of this Form of Offer and Acceptance the Service Provider offers to perform all of the obligations and liabilities of the RFQ under the contract including compliance with all its terms and conditions according to their true intent and meaning for an amount to be determined in accordance with the conditions of contract identified in the RFQ.

THE OFFERED TOTAL OF THE PRICES INCLUSIVE OF VAT IS:

(in words)

.....Rand;

R.....(in figures)

THE OFFERED PRICES ARE AS STATED IN THE PRICING SCHEDULE

This Offer may be accepted by the Employer by signing the Acceptance part of this Form of Offer and Acceptance and returning one copy of this document including the Schedule of Deviations (if any) to the Service Provider before the end of the period of validity stated in the RFQ, or other period as agreed.

Signature(s)

Name(s)

Capacity

For the tenderer:

(Insert name and address of organisation)

Name &

signature of Date witness

Acceptance

By signing this part of this Form of Offer and Acceptance, the Employer identified below accepts the Service Providers Offer. In consideration thereof, the Employer shall pay the Service Provider the amount due in accordance with the conditions of the RFQ. Acceptance of the Service Providers Offer shall form an agreement between the Employer and the Service Provider upon the terms and conditions contained in this RFQ.

Deviations from and amendments to the documents listed in the RFQ and any addenda thereto listed in the Returnable Schedules as well as any changes to the terms of the Offer agreed by the Service Provider and the Employer during this process of offer and acceptance, are contained in the Schedule of Deviations attached to and forming part of this Form of Offer and Acceptance. No amendments to or deviations from said documents are valid unless contained in this Schedule.

The Service Provider shall within two days of receiving a completed copy of this agreement, including the Schedule of Deviations (if any), contact the Employer's agent to arrange the delivery of any securities, bonds, guarantees, proof of insurance and any other documentation to be provided in terms of the conditions of contract identified in the RFQ. Failure to fulfil any of these obligations in accordance with those terms shall constitute a repudiation of this agreement.

Notwithstanding anything contained herein, this agreement comes into effect on the date when the Service Provider receives one fully completed original copy of this document, including the Schedule of Deviations (if any).

Signature(s)

Name(s)

Capacity

**for the
Employer**

(Insert name and address of organisation)

Name &

signature of Date witness

RFQ Data

1. ADMINISTRATIVE RESPONSIVENESS CRITERIA

- 1.1.** Suppliers are required to ensure that they meet all the Administrative Responsiveness Criteria. Suppliers that do not meet all the Administrative Responsive Criteria may not be awarded this Quote. It is the service provider's responsibility to ensure that they are tax compliant and that all required information is submitted to Sentech. Supplier's providing quotations must be registered on the Sentech Supplier Database.
- 1.2. Quotations must be in a Company Letterhead.**
- 1.3.** Quotations or Proposals must be received on or before the closing date and time specified on the Call for Quotation or Proposal document.
- 1.4.** Quotations or Proposals must be fully completed and signed in BLACK ink.
- 1.5.** Quotations must be submitted via Email.
- 1.6.** The Tenderer undertakes to the Purchaser that it will treat as confidential the terms of this RFQ together with all the Purchaser's confidential information and will not disclose such confidential information to any person, firm or company (other than to its auditors and other professional advisers) or to the media, and will not use such confidential information other than for the purposes of this RFQ, subject always to any prior specific authorisation in writing by the Purchaser to such disclosure or use."

2. EVALUATION CRITERIA

The evaluation criteria are stipulated in Section 5. It is the Suppliers responsibility to ensure that it has responded to the evaluation criteria. Failure to meet the evaluation criteria may result in the Supplier being disqualified from being appointed. Suppliers must ensure that they have included all supporting documentation, especially the documentation that may be required to support the response to the evaluation criteria.

3. BRIEFING SESSION

N/A

4. RFQ EVALUATION METHOD

This RFQ will be evaluated as described in the table below.

Evaluation Method	1. Stage 1 – Administrative Responsiveness Evaluation All the Quotations will be evaluated against the Administrative responsiveness requirements as set out in section 2 of the RFQ Data. 2. Stage 2 – Functional Evaluation Criteria The proposals that COMPLY with the Mandatory evaluation criteria be evaluated against the Functional Criteria. Suppliers meeting the minimum requirement will be evaluated further. 3. Stage 3 – Price and Preference Suppliers with the lowest Price offered will score the highest points. Only Suppliers that submit a valid B-BBEE Certificate can claim preference points in line with the 80/20 Suppliers with the highest number of points will be recommended for the award of this quotation, unless there are compelling and justifiable reasons not to do so.
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5. Evaluation of Price and Preference

The Service Provider will be evaluated on a points system for Price and Preference as per Preferential Procurement Framework Act of 2000 (Act 5 of 2000).

6. TECHNICAL EVALUATION CRITERIA

6.1. Mandatory Evaluation Criteria (Stage 2)

Mandatory Eligibility Criteria	Compliant (Indicate Yes or No)	What Proof is required to show compliance to Mandatory Eligibility Criteria	Reference proof supplied by reference the page number where the information is located in your Tender submission
NOTE: Bidders that do not comply with all the above criteria will not be evaluated further. Annexure 1 to be fully completed. If not completed, bidders will be disqualified			

6.2. Functional / Quality criteria (if applicable)(Stage 3)

	Evaluation scoring criteria based on compulsory covering sheet submitted	Max allowable points	Points allocation	Proof Required
1				
2				
3				
4				

		Total (maximum points)		
Minimum Score to Qualify for Further Evaluation				

6.3. Technical Evaluation (Stage 4)

	Item Description	Score	Comments	Proof required
1				
2				
2.1				
a				
c	Product warranty	2		Attach spec sheet from Manufacturer
d				
	Item Description	Score	Comments	Proof required
	Total score			

***Bidders must complete the two annexures attached with this document.(i.e. Annexure 1- Compulsory covering sheet and Annexure 2- Technical evaluation).**

6.4. RISK ASSESSMENT (Stage 5)

All bids that meet the minimum qualifying score for technical evaluation may undergo a risk assessment based on the following framework:

- Any aspects that emanate from the bidders' individual responses
- Any information received from past references
- Site Visit of similar work done
- Assessment of Financial Statements

Sentech may disqualify bidders based on the outcome of the risk assessment.

6.5. Evaluation of Price and Preference (Stage 6)

This Bid will be evaluated on a points system based on weighted average score for Price and Preference as per Preferential Procurement Framework Act of 2000 (Act 5 of 2000).

7. The price / preference weighting applicable for RFQ are as follows:

Price / Preference	Points
Preference:	20

Price:	80
Total must equal:	100

8. Preference Point allocation – 80/20

Sentech's Specific goals emanate from the section 2(1)d of the Preferential Procurement Policy Act which may include contracting with persons or categories of persons, historically disadvantaged by unfair discrimination on the basis of race, gender and disability. The Reconstruction and Development Programme as published in Government Gazette No 16085 dated 23 November 1994 Sentech will award preference points as follows:

Goal	Points	Evidence required
Historically disadvantaged by unfair discrimination on the basis of Race	10	A valid BBBEE Certificate showing at least 51% black ownership
Historically disadvantaged by unfair discrimination on the basis of Gender (women)	8	A valid BBBEE Certificate showing at least 30% women ownership
Historically disadvantaged by unfair discrimination on the basis of disability	2	A doctor's note confirming disability
Total Points	20	

a. Price Calculation 80/20

The following formula will be used to calculate the points for price.

$$P_s = 80 - 1 - \frac{(P_t - P_{min})}{P_{min}}$$

Where:

P_s = Points scored for price of bid under consideration
 P_t = Rand value of bid under consideration
 P_{min} = Rand value of lowest acceptable bid

SCOPE OF WORKS

The scope of this project is for the installation and commissioning of a 9000l horizontal bulk fuel tank with Replacement fuel lines at East London Transmitter Site. Collected Tank to replace the current Site Tank. Day Tanks to be cleaned and Re painted, Current Fuel lines From Existing Tank to Day Tanks and From Day tanks to STG needs to be replaced. New Fuel Pump to be installed operated by The DSE Controller. New Fuel Probe for the Pump operation also required.

Background

STG Fuel Tank to be replaced at Sentech Transmitter site

STG Bulk Fuel tank installation

1. All work to comply as per Specification and requirements as below.
2. Earthing to comply with Sentech earthing specification.
3. **No services to be cut without prior notification and permission.**
4. **Contractor to Supply a complete safety file to Sentech before the Commencement of work.**
5. Collect 9000l Bulk Fuel Tank From Sentech Head Office And Clean Unit.
6. Transport The Collected Bulk Fuel Tank To East London.
7. Existing Bulk Tank to be replaced with Unit Collected from Sentech Head Office.
8. Day Tanks needs to be Cleaned and re painted on site.
9. Contractor to supply an all-inclusive quotation for Transport, rigging, installation, test and commissioning of the Bulk Fuel tank.
10. Contractor to include a R 15 000,00 contingency for site establishment and additional work to be done on site.

INSTALLATION

A. Specifications and requirements

Bulk Fuel Tank Installation to comply in accordance to the following SABS standards:-

- SANS 10131 – 2004 The storage and handling of liquid fuel above ground installations

- SANS 1535 – Tank Manufacturing Specifications
- ISO 9001:2000 - QUALITY MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS in respect of Manufacturing of composite bonded underground steel storage, aboveground tanks and trailers for storage of oil and chemicals, including general Engineering.
- Supply and fit Rochester Fuel Gauge(or equal approved) to Bulk Tank as a standard measurement.

B. Station requirements

East London

- Collect new tank at Sentech Head office, to be installed.
- Supply and fit Racor type fuel (or equal approved) water separator filter in supply line at tank to with Isolating Valves
- Supply and fit pipe to housed level sensor for Pump Control To Daytank.
- Supply and fit fuel level sensor to tank, to be compatible with DSE 7320(Resistive Output Probe 0-250 ohms) e.g.: (Fozmula Sensor T/LL130) (or equal approved) to day Tank.
- Supply and install all new galvanized pipe work (Supply) from Outside tank to Stg Day Tank Room with shutoff valves. (All additional pipe work to be included in Quotation).
- New Fuel lines (Galvanized 1 inch) Supply and Returns to be installed from Day Tanks to STG.
- All pipe work to be 1 inch.
- Terrain open with difficult access – Very **steep gradients. (4x4)**
- Day Tanks to be filled By Pump Controlled via DSE controller (Controller on site to be utilized)
- **Supply new relevant dipstick (in liters) for 9000l Forge weld tank.**
- **Trenching and Back Filling to be included in the quotation.**
- **All pipe work outside to be a minimum of 600mm Deep and Must be enclosed in concrete.**
- **Old Fuel tank to be disposed of and Documentation to be provided that the Tank has been Correctly and Legally disposed of.**

All of the above to be included in the quotation.

ADDITIONAL

1. Contractor to include own accommodation in quotation as no sleeping on site is permitted.
2. Contractor must work in close corporation with local Sentech staff to minimize down time on transmissions.
3. All work areas to be cleaned up and left in a tidy condition. All waste materials to be suitably disposed of, and not left strewn about site.
4. All waste material to be removed from site.
5. Project Engineer to be given suitable advance notice to attend to commissioning prior to contractor leaving site. All snag list work to be carried out before Contractor vacates site.

6. Contractor to supply a tank certificate for newly installed tank.
7. Contractor to issue a schedule of works in order to give required notice and obtain permission to cut transmission services as and when required. No services to be cut without prior notification and permission.