

TERMS OF REFERENCE THE APPOINTMENT OF A SERVICE PROVIDER FOR MIMECAST UNIFIED EMAIL MANAGEMENT SOLUTION CONTRACT RENEWAL FOR THE NATIONAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY OVER A PERIOD OF 36 - MONTHS

BID REF: NDA07/CS01/21					
BRIEFING	A COMPULSORY BRIEFING SESSION WILL BE HELD ON THE ON THE 08th				
SESSION	NOVEMBER 2021 at 10:00.				
VENUE	MICROSOFT TEAMS: Bidders who are interested in joining the compulsory briefing session MUST send their e-mail addresses to: MuziM@nda.org.za by 09h00 on the 08 th November 2021 so that a link can be sent to them for joining the Microsoft Teams meeting.				
CLOSING DATE	15 th November 2021				
CLOSING TIME	12H00				
SUBMISSION OF DOCUMENTS	All proposals must be delivered at the NDA Head Office on or before the closing date and time. The Head Office address is 26 Wellington Road, Parktown, Johannesburg, 2193. Submissions must be strictly submitted inside the tender box, which is at the main entrance and accessible 24/7. Service providers outside of Gauteng are advised to send their documents by courier. NDA will not take responsibility for documents sent via postal services.				

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SUPPLIER	The supplier's envelope/s MUST clearly have the description: " MIMECAST UNIFIED EMAIL
ENVELOPES	MANAGEMENT SOLUTION CONTRACT RENEWAL OVER A PERIOD OF 36 -
	MONTHS".
	A TWO-ENVELOPE system will be used for the submission of bids:
	Commercial Envelope
	This envelope must contain price quotations plus all the mandatory documents as listed in
	section 9 of this document.
	Technical Envelope
	This envelope must contain all info listed in section 4 of this document.
LATE BIDS	Bids received after the closing date and time will not be accepted for consideration and
	where practicable, will be returned unopened to the Bidder(s).

Contact person for Commercial Queries is Ms Elizabeth Mnqabashe or Muzi Matsenjwa on 011 018-5546/5562 between 08h30 to 17h00 on weekdays. Queries can also be sent in writing to

ElizabethM@nda.org.za/MuziM@nda.org.za.

Contact person for Technical Queries is Mr Thabang Moloi on +27 72 435 0832 or Thabangm1@nda.org.za

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OVERVIEW OF NDA

The National development Agency is a public entity listed under Schedule 3A of the Public Finance Management Act (PFMA). It was established in terms of the National Development Agency Act No 108 of 1998 as amended.

Our mandate

In terms of the National Development Agency (NDA) Act (Act No 108 of 1998 as amended), NDA was mandated to contribute towards the eradication of poverty and its causes by granting funds to civil society organizations (CSOs) to:

- Implement development projects in poor communities, and
- Strengthen the institutional capacity of other CSOs that provide services to poor communities.

Impact Statement:

Reduced levels of poverty in South Africa.

Mission:

A premier development agency that coordinates and integrates development initiatives to break the cycle of poverty in the country.

Vision:

Championing development for a society free from poverty.

Organisational values:

- Integrity
- Accountability and Responsibility
- Transparency
- Respect
- Ubuntu
- Innovation
- Excellence

BACKGROUND

The National Development Agency (NDA) is a public entity entrusted with the mandate to contribute towards eradication of poverty and its causes by providing financial and non-financial assistance to Civil Society Organizations involved in direct service provision to poor communities throughout South Africa.

The NDA currently has the MIMECAST EMAIL MANAGEMENT SYSTEM CONTRACT for a total of 274 users. Mimecast identifies this particular contract as **Mimecast M2A** (Part Number M_M2A_50_M) with **LCS – Bronze** (1 Permitted user).

NDA account code with Mimecast is CSA53A115

The **Mimecast M2A** is described as Targeted Threat Protection (URL, attachment and impersonation), base level and compliance security, Email continuity and 99 archive **LCS** – **Bronze** is described as a subscription with access to online support, enhanced support during the implementation and access to the online community.

2. PURPOSE OF THE BID

The purpose of the bid is to solicit proposals from a suitable bidder to renew the current contract, support and maintenance for Mimecast Unified Email Solution to the NDA over a period of 36-months:

2.1. Specifications

Mimecast Unified Email Management System Contract renewal for 36 Months. The current contract type and requirements to stay the same as indicated on the **BACKGROUND** paragraph 2.

Bidders to respond in the following way:

- Demonstrate the ability to understand and adhere to specifications or requirements with respect to the element(s) concerned;
- Demonstrate the track record with respect to the element(s) concerned;
- Demonstrate compliance with the Agency's requirement

3. SCOPE OF WORK

There is no actual physical work, configuration or administration required or expected from the successful bidder as the solution is in place already. All that is required is renewing and management of the current/existing contract.

** Note that any support calls required by NDA will be done direct with Mimecast**

3.1. Contract renewal

The service provider is expected to renew the NDA Mimecast Unified Email solution for 274 users for a period of 36 months.

4. TECHNICAL EVALUATION (PHASE 1)

4.1. Technical Evaluation will be scored as follows:

Description		Weight			
Mimecast Email	Ability to renew the contract for 274 users over a period of 36	70			
Management	month				
System The bidder must adhere to all the requirements stated. Tender					
	response must show the Contract type, Part number, Contract				
	information and the NDA account number indicated on the	i			
	BACKGROUND paragraph 2 and 3				
	Failing to adhere to the NDA requirements will result in the				
	scoring of a Zero	·			
Bidder/Company	The bidding company should illustrate experience in the				
Experience	Mimecast Unified Email Management solution. A company profile				
	must be attached indicating years of experience in Mimecast.				
	Five (5) or more years' experience in Mimecast Unified	·			
	Email Solution = 10 points	10			
	• Less than 5 years = 5 points				
Company Track	Bidders are requested to provide contactable reference letters				
Record	where the Mimecast Unified Email Solution was successfully				
	implemented or supported in the last five (5) years. (Each letter				
,	must be dated, signed on a client letterhead with contactable				
	details and the Mimecast related service provided in the last 5 years)				
	4 reference letters= 20 points				
	3 reference letters = 15 points				
	2 reference letters = 10 points				
:	Less than two (2) letters =0 points	20			
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Minimum Qualifying	score	70			
Total Score	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	100			

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5. COMMERCIAL EVALUATION (PHASE 2)

- 5.1. Bids will be evaluated in accordance with the Preferential Procurement Regulations, 2017, using the 80/20 preference points system as prescribed in the Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act (PPPFA, Act 5 of 2000). The lowest acceptable bid will score 80 points for price and maximum of 20 points will be awarded for attaining the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment (B-BBEE) status level of contribution.
- 5.2. The bid proposals received will be evaluated in two (2) phases. On the first phase bids will be evaluated on functionality and on the second phase in accordance with the 80/20 preference points system respectively.
- 5.3. Bid proposal must score a minimum of seventy (70) points or more out of hundred (100) points on functionality in order to qualify for advancement to the next phase of evaluation. Second phase, a bid proposal scoring less than 70 out of 100 will not be considered for further evaluation and will be disqualified.
- 5.4. Phase two: During this phase, bid proposals that passed the first phase will be further evaluated based on the 80/20 preference points system in accordance with the PPPFA Act, where 80 points will be attained in respect of price (the lowest acceptable bid will score 80 points and bidders that quoted higher prices will score lower points for price on a pro-rata basis) and 20 points will be awarded for attaining the Broad-Based Economic Empowerment (B-BBEE) status level of contribution in accordance with the table below:

B-BBEE Status Level of Contributor	Number of points (80/20 system)		
1	20		
2	18		
3	14		
4	12		
5	8		
6	6		
7 .	4		
8	2		
Non-compliant contributor	0		

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- 5.5. In order to claim the B-BBEE Status Level of Contributor, bidders must submit Sworn Affidavits or original and valid B-BBEE Status Level Verification Certificates or certified copies thereof, issued by accredited Verification Agencies such as SANAS or Registered Auditor approved by the IRBA together with their bids, to substantiate their B-BBEE claims. Exempted Micro Enterprises must submit a letter from the Accounting Officer who is appointed in terms of the Close Corporation Act.
- 5.6. Bidders who do not submit B-BBEE Status Level Verification Certificate or are non-compliant contributors to B-BBEE do not qualify for preference points for B-BBEE, but will not be disqualified from the bidding process. They will score points out of 80 for price only and zero (0) points out of 20 for B-BBEE.
- 5.7. Bidders are requested to complete the preference claim form (SBD 6.1) in order to claim preference points.
- 5.8. A tender will be awarded to the tenderer who scored the highest total number of points in terms of the preference point systems (price and B-BBEE points). It should be noted that the NDA reserves the right not to appoint any bidder and no bidder will be reimbursed for any costs incurred whilst participating in this bid.

6. PRICING

- 6.1. Bidders must submit a detailed cost breakdown for all applicable costs e.g.
 Initial setup costs, monthly costs, and any other applicable costs. All prices submitted must be inclusive of VAT
- 6.2. Bidders must indicate if their prices will be fixed and firm for the duration of the proposed contract period, if not, the proposed escalations should be clearly indicated.
- 6.3. Bidders must ensure that the quotes submitted have no arithmetic errors as NDA will not rectify any errors and no adjustments to quotations received will be permitted.
- 6.4. Bidders will carry the responsibility of ensuring that the proposals submitted have been signed by a dully authorised person. Should it be established after the submission of proposals that the signatory authorising the proposal is not legally appointed by the service provider, the offer/proposal will be disqualified from the evaluation process.
- 6.5. All prices submitted should be typed in black ink or written in pen, proposals written in pencil will not be accepted and evaluated.

6.6. A two-envelope system will be used for the submission of proposals.

7. TENDER VALIDITY

All submitted bids must be valid for 150-days from the closing date of this bid.

8. NDA PAYMENT TERMS

Invoices will be paid 30-days from the date of submission and approval.

9. MANDATORY DOCUMENTS

- 9.1. Valid Tax Clearance Certificate issued by the South African Revenue Services (SARS). Where consortium/joint ventures/sub-contractor are involved each party to the association must submit a separate valid original Tax Clearance Certificate or SARS tax Pin or a CSD report.
- 9.2. Company registration documents (CIPC).
- 9.3. A letter/resolution authorising the person signing the bid documents and contracts.
- 9.4. All participating bidders must complete, sign and return ALL the attached SBD forms (SBD1, SBD2, SBD4, SBD6.1 SBD 3.1 and relevant Annexure, SBD8 and SBD9) declaration forms, together with their proposals.
- 9.5. Valid OSM (Original Software Manufacture) accreditation and/or certification as the distributor for Mimecast Unified Email Management Solution.

Failure to complete and submit any of the attached documents will result in immediate disqualification.

10. CENTRAL SUPPLIER DATABASE

10.1. The NDA will not appoint any supplier who is not registered as a prospective supplier on the central supplier database as required in terms of National Treasury Circular No. 3 of 2015/2016 and National Treasury SCM Instruction note 4 of 2016/2017

11. CONTRACT AWARD

A binding contract will be signed after both parties have fully agreed to the scope of work and all terms and conditions. The NDA legal department will develop a draft contract that shall be used as basis to finalise contract terms and conditions.

12. DISCLAIMER

- 12.1. Whilst all due care has been taken in connection with the preparation of this bid, the NDA makes no representations or warranties that the content in this bid or any information communicated to or provided to bidders during the bidding process is, or will be, accurate, current or complete. The NDA, and its officers and employees will not be liable with respect to any information communicated which is not accurate, current or complete.
- 12.2. If a bidder finds or reasonably believes it has found any discrepancy, ambiguity, error or inconsistency in the bid or any other information provided by the NDA (other than minor clerical matters); the bidder must promptly notify NDA in writing of such discrepancy, ambiguity, error or inconsistency in order to afford the NDA an opportunity to consider what corrective action is necessary (if any).
- 12.3. Any actual discrepancy, ambiguity, error or inconsistency in this bid or any other information provided by the NDA will, if possible, be corrected and provided to all bidders without attribution to the bidder who provided the written notice.
- 12.4. No representations made by or on behalf of NDA in relation to this bid will be binding on the NDA unless that representation is expressly incorporated into the contract ultimately entered into between NDA and the successful bidder.

13. ADDITIONS AND AMENDMENTS TO THE BID

- 13.1. The NDA reserves the right to change any information in, or to issue any addendum to this bid before the closing date and time. The NDA its officers and employees will not be liable in connection with either the exercise of, or failure to exercise this right.
- 13.2. If the NDA exercises its right to change information in terms of clause 13.1 all amendments will be communicated to all bidders.

14. CONTENT PAGE

14.1. Participating bidders are required to submit a detailed content page that clearly state (cross-reference) where each technical requirement as per section 4.1 of this document is placed in their bid documents. Any additional information that we might have been missed must be clearly referenced in the content page.

15. PRICE NEGOTIATIONS

As guided by the Implementation Guide Preferential Procurement Regulations, 2017 of the PPPFA, Act No.5 of 2000, 19.2; the award of this tender may be subjected to price negotiation with the preferred tenderers.

16. SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF THIS BID

NDA reserves the right to:

- 16.1 To accept part of a tender rather than the whole tender.
- 16.2 To carry out site inspections, product evaluations or explanatory meetings in order to verify the nature and quality of the services offered by the bidder(s), whether before or after adjudication of the Bid.
- 16.3 To correct any mistakes at any stage of the tender that may have been in the Bid documents or occurred at any stage of the tender process.
- 16.4 To cancel and/or terminate the tender process at any stage, including after the Closing Date and/or after presentations have been made, and/or after tenders have been evaluated and/or after the preferred bidder(s) have been notified of their status as such.
- 16.5 Award to multiple bidders based either on size or geographic considerations.

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17. TAX COMPLIANCE

No tender shall be awarded to a bidder who is not tax compliant. NDA reserves the right to withdraw an award made, or cancel a contract concluded with a successful bidder in the event that it is established that such bidder was in fact not tax compliant at the time of the award, or has submitted a fraudulent Tax Clearance Certificate to NDA, or whose verification against the Central Supplier database (CSD) proves non-compliant. NDA further reserves the right to cancel a contract with a successful bidder in the event that such bidder does not remain tax compliant for the full term of the contract.

18. TENDER DEFAULTERS AND RESTRICTED SUPPLIERS

No tender shall be awarded to a bidder whose name (or any of its members, directors, partners or trustees) appear on the Register of Tender Defaulters kept by National Treasury, or who have been placed on National Treasury's List of Restricted Suppliers. NDA reserves the right to withdraw an award, or cancel a contract concluded with a Bidder should it be established, at any time, that a bidder has been blacklisted with National Treasury by another government institution.

PART A INVITATION TO BID

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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 IN THE MANNER PRESCRIBED IN THE BID DOCUMENT.
- 1.3. THIS BID IS SUBJECT TO THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT POLICY FRAMEWORK ACT, 2000 AND THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS, 2017, THE GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT (GCC) AND, IF APPLICABLE, ANY OTHER SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT.
- 1.4. THE SUCCESSFUL BIDDER WILL BE REQUIRED TO FILL IN AND SIGN A WRITTEN CONTRACT FORM (SBD7).

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 VERIFY THE TAXPAYER'S PROFILE AND TAX STATUS.
- 2.3 APPLICATION FOR TAX COMPLIANCE STATUS (TCS) PIN MAY BE MADE VIA E-FILING THROUGH THE SARS WEBSITE WWW.SARS.GOV.ZA.
- 2.4 BIDDERS MAY ALSO SUBMIT A PRINTED TCS CERTIFICATE TOGETHER WITH THE BID.
- 2.5 IN BIDS WHERE CONSORTIA / JOINT VENTURES / SUB-CONTRACTORS ARE INVOLVED, EACH PARTY MUST SUBMIT A SEPARATE TOS CERTIFICATE / PIN / CSD NUMBER.
- 2.6 WHERE NO TCS PIN IS AVAILABLE BUT THE BIDDER IS REGISTERED ON THE CENTRAL SUPPLIER DATABASE (CSD), A CSD NUMBER MUST BE PROVIDED.
- 2.7 NO BIDS WILL BE CONSIDERED FROM PERSONS IN THE SERVICE OF THE STATE, COMPANIES WITH DIRECTORS WHO ARE PERSONS IN THE SERVICE OF THE STATE, OR CLOSE CORPORATIONS WITH MEMBERS PERSONS IN THE SERVICE OF THE STATE."

NB: FAILURE TO PROVIDE / OR COMPLY WITH ANY OF THE ABOVE PA	RTICULARS MAY RENDER THE BID INVALID.
SIGNATURE OF BIDDER:	
CAPACITY UNDER WHICH THIS BID IS SIGNED: (Proof of authority must be submitted e.g. company resolution)	
DATE:	

PRICING SCHEDULE – FIRM PRICES (PURCHASES)

NOTE:

ONLY FIRM PRICES WILL BE ACCEPTED. NON-FIRM PRICES (INCLUDING PRICES SUBJECT TO RATES OF EXCHANGE VARIATIONS) WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED

IN CASES WHERE DIFFERENT DELIVERY POINTS INFLUENCE THE PRICING, A SEPARATE PRICING SCHEDULE MUST BE SUBMITTED FOR EACH DELIVERY POINT

Name	e of bidder	Bid number NDA07/CS01/21		
Closi	ng Time 12:00	Closing date 15 November 2021		
OFFER	R TO BE VALID FOR 150 DAYS FROM THE	CLOSING DATE OF BID.		
ITEM NO.	QUANTITY DESCRIPTION	BID PRICE IN RSA CURRENCY ** (ALL APPLICABLE TAXES INCLUDED)		
-	Required by:			
	At:			
þ .	Brand and model			
-	Country of origin			
_	Does the offer comply with the specification	(s)? *YES/NO		
-	If not to specification, indicate deviation(s)			
-	Period required for delivery	*Delivery: Firm/not firm		
-	Delivery basis			
Note:	All delivery costs must be included in the bid	d price, for delivery at the prescribed destination.		
	applicable taxes" includes value- added tax, p nce fund contributions and skills development			
*Delete	e if not applicable			



SBD 4

DECLARATION OF INTEREST

- 1. Any legal person, including persons employed by the state¹, or persons having a kinship with persons employed by the state, including a blood relationship, may make an offer or offers in terms of this invitation to bid (includes a price quotation, advertised competitive bid, limited bid or proposal). In view of possible allegations of favouritism, should the resulting bid, or part thereof, be awarded to persons employed by the state, or to persons connected with or related to them, it is required that the bidder or his/her authorised representative declare his/her position in relation to the evaluating/adjudicating authority where-
 - the bidder is employed by the state; and/or
 - the legal person on whose behalf the bidding document is signed, has a relationship with persons/a person who are/is involved in the evaluation and or adjudication of the bid(s), or where it is known that such a relationship exists between the person or persons for or on whose behalf the declarant acts and persons who are involved with the evaluation and or adjudication of the bid.
- In order to give effect to the above, the following questionnaire must be completed and submitted with the bid.

2.1	Full Name of bidder or his or her representative:			
2.2	Identity Number:			
2.3	Position occupied in the Company (director, trustee, shareholder²):			
2.4	Company Registration Number:			
2.5	Tax Reference Number:			
2.6	VAT Registration Number:			
2.6.1	The names of all directors / trustees / shareholders / members, their individual identity numbers, tax reference numbers and, if applicable, employee / persal numbers must be			

1"State" means -

indicated in paragraph 3 below.

- (a) 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

- (b) any municipality or municipal entity;
 (č) provincial legislature;
 (d) national Assembly or the national Council of provinces; or
- (e) Parliament.

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

2.7	Are you or any person connected with the bidder presently employed by the state?	YES / NO
2.7.1	If so, furnish the following particulars:	
	Name of person / director / trustee / shareholder/ member:	
	Name of state institution at which you or the person connected to the bidder is employed :	
	Position occupied in the state institution:	•••••
	Any other particulars:	100000000000000000000000000000000000000

2.7.2	If you are presently employed by the state, did you obtain the appropriate authority to undertake remunerative work outside employment in the public sector?	YES / NO
2.7.2.1	If yes, did you attached proof of such authority to the bid document?	YES / NO
	(Note: Failure to submit proof of such authority, where applicable, may result in the disqualification of the bid.	
2.7.2.2	If no, furnish reasons for non-submission of such proof:	
2.8	Did you or your spouse, or any of the company's directors / trustees / shareholders / members or their spouses conduct business with the state in the previous twelve months?	YES / NO
2.8.1	If so, furnish particulars:	
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2.9	Do you, or any person connected with the bidder, have any relationship (family, friend, other) with a person employed by the state and who may be involved with the evaluation and or adjudication of this bid?	YES / NO

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PREFERENCE POINTS CLAIM FORM IN TERMS OF THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS 2017

This preference form must form part of all bids invited. It contains general information and serves as a claim form for preference points for Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment (B-BBEE) Status Level of Contribution

NB: BEFORE COMPLETING THIS FORM, BIDDERS MUST STUDY THE GENERAL CONDITIONS, DEFINITIONS AND DIRECTIVES APPLICABLE IN RESPECT OF B-BBEE, AS PRESCRIBED IN THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS, 2017.

1. GENERAL CONDITIONS

- 1.1 The following preference point systems are applicable to all bids:
 - 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).

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- a) The value of this bid is estimated to exceed/not exceed R50 000 000 (all applicable taxes included) and therefore the preference point system shall be applicable; or
- b) Either the 80/20 or 90/10 preference point system will be applicable to this tender (delete whichever is not applicable for this tender).
- 1.3 Points for this bid shall be awarded for:
 - (a) Price; and
 - (b) B-BBEE Status Level of Contributor.
- 1.4 The maximum points for this bid are allocated as follows:

	POINTS
PRICE	
B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL OF CONTRIBUTOR	
Total points for Price and B-BBEE must not exceed	100

- 1.5 Failure on the part of a bidder to submit proof of B-BBEE Status level of contributor together with the bid, will be interpreted to mean that preference points for B-BBEE status level of contribution are not claimed.
- 1.6 The purchaser reserves the right to require of a bidder, either before a bid is adjudicated or at any time subsequently, to substantiate any claim in regard to preferences, in any manner required by the purchaser.

2. DEFINITIONS

- (a) "B-BBEE" means broad-based black economic empowerment as defined in section 1 of the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act;
- (b) "B-BBEE status level of contributor" means the B-BBEE status of an entity in terms of a code of good practice on black economic empowerment, issued in terms of section 9(1) of the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act;
- (c) "bid" means a written offer in a prescribed or stipulated form in response to an invitation by an organ of state for the provision of goods or services, through price quotations, advertised competitive bidding processes or proposals;
- (d) "Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act" means the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act, 2003 (Act No. 53 of 2003);
- (e) "EME" means an Exempted Micro Enterprise in terms of a code of good practice on black economic empowerment issued in terms of section 9 (1) of the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act;
- (f) "functionality" means the ability of a tenderer to provide goods or services in accordance with specifications as set out in the tender documents.
- (g) "prices" includes all applicable taxes less all unconditional discounts;
- (h) "proof of B-BBEE status level of contributor" means:
 - 1) B-BBEE Status level certificate issued by an authorized body or person;
 - 2) A sworn affidavit as prescribed by the B-BBEE Codes of Good Practice;
 - 3) Any other requirement prescribed in terms of the B-BBEE Act;
- (i) "QSE" means a qualifying small business enterprise in terms of a code of good practice on black economic empowerment issued in terms of section 9 (1) of the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act;
- (j) "rand value" means the total estimated value of a contract in Rand, calculated at the time of bid invitation, and includes all applicable taxes;

3. POINTS AWARDED FOR PRICE

3.1 THE 80/20 OR 90/10 PREFERENCE POINT SYSTEMS

A maximum of 80 or 90 points is allocated for price on the following basis:

$$Ps = 80 \left(1 - \frac{Pt - P\min}{P\min} \right) \qquad \text{or} \qquad Ps = 90 \left(1 - \frac{Pt - P\min}{P\min} \right)$$

Where

Ps = Points scored for price of bid under consideration

Pt = Price of bid under consideration

Pmin = Price of lowest acceptable bid

4. POINTS AWARDED FOR B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL OF CONTRIBUTOR

4.1 In terms of Regulation 6 (2) and 7 (2) of the Preferential Procurement Regulations, preference points must be awarded to a bidder for attaining the B-BBEE status level of contribution in accordance with the table below:

B-BBEE Status Level of Contributor	Number of points (90/10 system)	Number of points (80/20 system)
1	10	20
2	9	18
3	6	14
4	5	12
5	4	8
6	3	6
7	2	4
8	1	2
Non-compliant contributor	0	0

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5.1 Bidders who claim points in respect of B-BBEE Status Level of Contribution must complete the following:

6.	B-BBEE	STATUS	LEVEL	OF	CONTRIBUTOR	CLAIMED	IN	TERMS	OF
	PARAGR	APHS 1.4	AND 4.1						

3.1	B-BBEE Status Level of Contributor: =(maximum of 10 or 20 points
	(Points claimed in respect of paragraph 7.1 must be in accordance with the table reflected in paragraph 4.1 and must be substantiated by relevant proof of B-BBEE status level of contributor.

7. SUB-CONTRACTING

7.1 Will any portion of the contract be sub-contracted?

(Tick applicable box)

VES	NO	
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7.1.1 If yes, indicate:

What	percentage	of	the	contract	will	be
subcontra	cted		%			
The name	of the sub-contrac	tor				
(Tick app	licable box)					
YES	NO					
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v) Specify, by ticking the appropriate box, if subcontracting with an enterprise in terms of Preferential Procurement Regulations, 2017:

Designated Group: An EME or QSE which is at last 51% owned	EME	QSE
by:	√	√ √
Black people		
Black people who are youth		
Black people who are women		
Black people with disabilities		
Black people living in rural or underdeveloped areas or townships		
Cooperative owned by black people		

Black people who are military veterans		- س	, , , ,	
	OR	* 1	:	
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Any QSE	•	* .		

8.	DECLARATION WITH REGARD TO COMPANY/FIRM	
8.1	Name	of
	company/firm:	
8.2	VAT registrati	on
	number:	
8.3	Company registrati	on
	number:	
8.4	TYPE OF COMPANY/ FIRM	
	□ Partnership/Joint Venture / Consortium □ One person business/sole propriety □ Close corporation □ Company □ (Pty) Limited [TICK APPLICABLE BOX]	
8.5	DESCRIBE PRINCIPAL BUSINESS ACTIVITIES	
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8.6	COMPANY CLASSIFICATION	
	 □ Manufacturer □ Supplier □ Professional service provider □ Other service providers, e.g. transporter, etc. [TICK APPLICABLE BOX] 	
3.7	Total number of years the company/firm has been in business:	
8.8	I/we, the undersigned, who is / are duly authorised to do so on behalf of to company/firm, certify that the points claimed, based on the B-BBE status level contributor indicated in paragraphs 1.4 and 6.1 of the foregoing certificate, qualifies to company/ firm for the preference(s) shown and I / we acknowledge that:	of
	i) The information furnished is true and correct;	
	 The preference points claimed are in accordance with the General Conditions indicated in paragraph 1 of this form; 	as
	 iii) In the event of a contract being awarded as a result of points claimed as shown paragraphs 1.4 and 6.1, the contractor may be required to furnish documents proof to the satisfaction of the purchaser that the claims are correct; 	
	iv) If the B-BBEE status level of contributor has been claimed or obtained or	ıa

fraudulent basis or any of the conditions of contract have not been fulfilled, the purchaser may, in addition to any other remedy it may have —

- (a) disqualify the person from the bidding process;
- 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 bidder or contractor, its shareholders and directors, or only the shareholders and directors who acted on a fraudulent basis, be restricted by the National Treasury 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.

WITNESSES 1	SIGNATURE(S) OF BIDDERS(S)
2	DATE:



SBD 8

DECLARATION OF BIDDER'S PAST SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT PRACTICES

- 1 This Standard Bidding Document must form part of all bids invited.
- 2 It serves as a declaration to be used by institutions 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 disregarded if that bidder, or any of its directors have
 - a. abused the institution's supply chain management system;
 - b. committed fraud or any other improper conduct in relation to such system; or
 - c. failed to perform on any previous contract.
- In order to give effect to the above, the following questionnaire must be completed and submitted with the bid.

1tem 4.1	Question 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 audi alteram partem rule was applied).	Yes Yes	No.
	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.		
4.1.1	If so, furnish particulars:	<u>I,</u>	

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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 outside of the Republic of South Africa) for fraud or corruption during the past five years?	Yes	No
4.3.1	If so, furnish particulars:		
4.4	Was any contract between the bidder and any organ of state terminated during the past five years on account of failure to perform on or comply with the contract?	Yes	No
4.4.1	If so, furnish particulars:		
	CERTIFICATION		
I, THE CERTI CORR	UNDERSIGNED (FULL NAME)IFY THAT THE INFORMATION FURNISHED ON THIS DECLARATION FORM	IS TRU	e and
	EPT THAT, IN ADDITION TO CANCELLATION OF A CONTRACT, ACTION M IST ME SHOULD THIS DECLARATION PROVE TO BE FALSE.	IAY BE T	AKEN
	nature Date		
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SBD 9

CERTIFICATE OF INDEPENDENT BID DETERMINATION

- 1 This Standard Bidding Document (SBD) must form part of all bids¹ invited.
- 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.
- Treasury Regulation 16A9 prescribes that accounting officers and accounting authorities must take all reasonable steps to prevent abuse of the supply chain management system and authorizes accounting officers and accounting authorities to:
 - a. disregard the bid of any bidder if that bidder, or any of its directors have abused the institution's supply chain management system and or committed fraud or any other improper conduct in relation to such system.
 - cancel a contract awarded to a supplier of goods and services if the supplier committed any corrupt or fraudulent act during the bidding process or the execution of that contract.
- This SBD 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.
- In order to give effect to the above, the attached Certificate of Bid Determination (SBD 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)		
	(Name of Institution)	
do her	reby make the following statements that I certify to be true and complete in every ct:	
l certif	y, 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 	

- (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.

Signature	Date
Position	Name of Bidder

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