

5/2/2/1-RDLR 0012(2019/2020)

**APPOINTMENT OF A SERVICE PROVIDER TO DEVELOP THE VAAL RIVER REGIONAL SPATIAL DEVELOPMENT FRAMEWORK WITHIN A PERIOD OF EIGHTEEN (18) MONTHS**

***NB: THERE WILL BE NO BRIEFING SESSION.***

**CLOSING DATE: 27 JUNE 2019 @ 11:00**

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**TECHNICAL PROPOSAL – PART 1 OF 2**

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### rural development & land reform

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Rural Development and Land Reform  
REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

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YOU ARE HEREBY INVITED TO BID TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT  
AND LAND REFORM

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BIDS RECEIVED AFTER THE CLOSING TIME AND DATE AS A RULE WILL NOT BE  
ACCEPTED FOR CONSIDERATION

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1. Kindly furnish us with a bid for services shown on the attached forms.
2. Attached please find the General Contract Conditions (GCC), Authority to sign the Standard Bidding Documents (SBD) on behalf of an entity, Authority of Signatory, SBD1, SBD 2, SBD 3.3, SBD4, SBD 5, SBD6.1, SBD 8, SBD9 , Credit Instruction forms, terms of reference.
3. Bidders must ensure that they register with the National Treasury Central Supplier Database (CSD) and attach/provide the reference numbers on the SBD 1 form of the bid document.
4. If you are a sole agent or sole supplier you should indicate your market price after discount to your other clients or if that is not possible your percentage net profit before tax, in order to decide whether the price quoted is fair and reasonable.
5. The attached forms must be completed in detail and returned with your bid. Bid document must be submitted in a sealed envelope stipulating the following information: Name and Address of the bidder, Bid number and closing date of bid. **(failure to comply will disqualify your proposal)**

Yours faithfully

**SIGNED**  
**BIDS MANAGEMENT**  
**DATE: 05 JUNE 2019**

## MAP TO BIDDER BOX (B BOX)

5/2/2/1-RDLR 0012(2019/2020) CLOSING DATE: 27 JUNE 2019 AT 11:00

YOU ARE HEREBY INVITED TO BID TO THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA (DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND LAND REFORM)

BIDS RECEIVED AFTER THE CLOSING TIME AND DATE ARE LATE AND WILL AS A RULE NOT BE ACCEPTED FOR CONSIDERATION.

THE SBD 1 FORM MUST BE SIGNED IN THE ORIGINAL AND WITH BLACK INK

SUBMIT ALL BIDS ON THE OFFICIAL FORMS – DO NOT RETYPE.

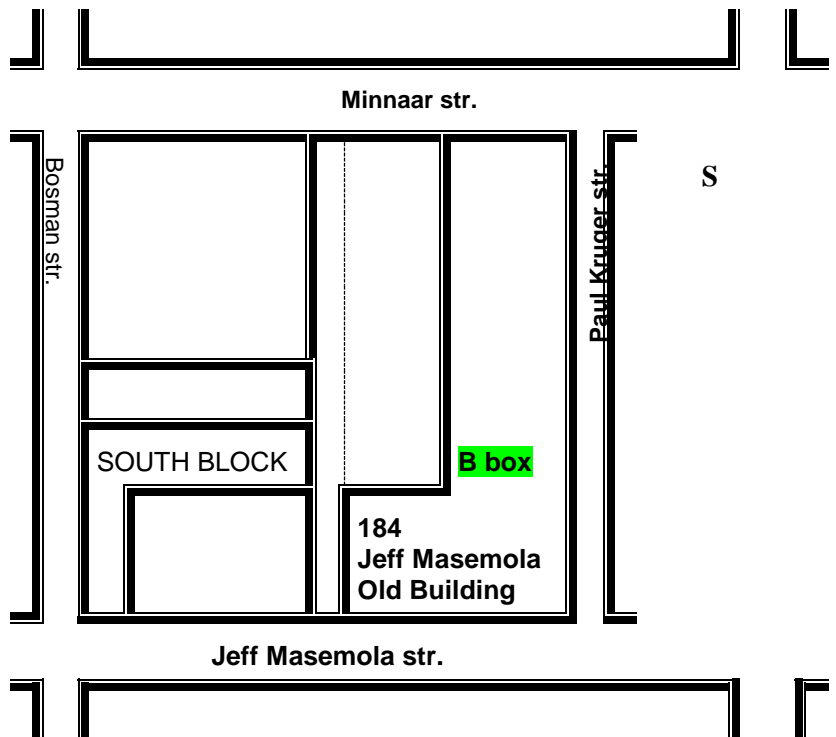
The Bid documents must be deposited in the Bid box which is identified as the “Bid/tender box.”

Department of Rural Development & Land Reform  
Acquisition Management (BIDS)  
THE OLD BUILDING 184  
JEFF MASEMOLA STREET, PRETORIA, 0001

THE BID BOX OF THE OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT & LAND REFORM IS OPEN 24 HOURS A DAY, 7 DAYS A WEEK. THE BID BOX WILL BE CLOSED AT 11H00 WHICH IS THE CLOSING TIME OF BIDS.

BIDDERS SHOULD ENSURE THAT BIDS ARE DELIVERED TIMEOUSLY TO THE CORRECT ADDRESS

**SUBMIT YOUR BID IN A SEALED ENVELOPE**



**GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT**  
**GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT**  
**July 2010**

**NOTES**

The purpose of this document is to:

- (i) Draw special attention to certain general conditions applicable to government bids, contracts and orders; and
- (ii) To ensure that clients be familiar with regard to the rights and obligations of all parties involved in doing business with government.

In this document words in the singular also mean in the plural and vice versa and words in the masculine also mean in the feminine and neuter.

- The General Conditions of Contract will form part of all bid documents and may not be amended.
- Special Conditions of Contract (SCC) relevant to a specific bid, should be compiled separately for every bid (if applicable) and will supplement the General Conditions of Contract. Whenever there is a conflict, the provisions in the SCC shall prevail.

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## General Conditions of Contract

### 1. Definitions

1. The following terms shall be interpreted as indicated:
  - 1.1 “Closing time” means the date and hour specified in the bidding documents for the receipt of bids.
  - 1.2 “Contract” means the written agreement entered into between the purchaser and the supplier, as recorded in the contract form signed by the parties, including all attachments and appendices thereto and all documents incorporated by reference therein.
  - 1.3 “Contract price” means the price payable to the supplier under the contract for the full and proper performance of his contractual obligations.
  - 1.4 “Corrupt practice” means the offering, giving, receiving, or soliciting of any thing of value to influence the action of a public official in the procurement process or in contract execution.
  - 1.5 "Countervailing duties" are imposed in cases where an enterprise abroad is subsidized by its government and encouraged to market its products internationally.
  - 1.6 “Country of origin” means the place where the goods were mined, grown or produced or from which the services are supplied. Goods are produced when, through manufacturing, processing or substantial and major assembly of components, a commercially recognized new product results that is substantially different in basic characteristics or in purpose or utility from its components.
  - 1.7 “Day” means calendar day.
  - 1.8 “Delivery” means delivery in compliance of the conditions of the contract or order.
  - 1.9 “Delivery ex stock” means immediate delivery directly from stock actually on hand.
  - 1.10 “Delivery into consignees store or to his site” means delivered and unloaded in the specified store or depot or on the specified site in compliance with the conditions of the contract or order, the supplier bearing all risks and charges involved until the supplies are so delivered and a valid receipt is obtained.
  - 1.11 "Dumping" occurs when a private enterprise abroad market its goods on own initiative in the RSA at lower prices than that of the country of origin and which have the potential to harm the local industries in the RSA.

- 1.12 "Force majeure" means an event beyond the control of the supplier and not involving the supplier's fault or negligence and not foreseeable. Such events may include, but is not restricted to, acts of the purchaser in its sovereign capacity, wars or revolutions, fires, floods, epidemics, quarantine restrictions and freight embargoes.
- 1.13 "Fraudulent practice" means a misrepresentation of facts in order to influence a procurement process or the execution of a contract to the detriment of any bidder, and includes collusive practice among bidders (prior to or after bid submission) designed to establish bid prices at artificial non-competitive levels and to deprive the bidder of the benefits of free and open competition.
- 1.14 "GCC" means the General Conditions of Contract.
- 1.15 "Goods" means all of the equipment, machinery, and/or other materials that the supplier is required to supply to the purchaser under the contract.
- 1.16 "Imported content" means that portion of the bidding price represented by the cost of components, parts or materials which have been or are still to be imported (whether by the supplier or his subcontractors) and which costs are inclusive of the costs abroad, plus freight and other direct importation costs such as landing costs, dock dues, import duty, sales duty or other similar tax or duty at the South African place of entry as well as transportation and handling charges to the factory in the Republic where the supplies covered by the bid will be manufactured.
- 1.17 "Local content" means that portion of the bidding price which is not included in the imported content provided that local manufacture does take place.
- 1.18 "Manufacture" means the production of products in a factory using labour, materials, components and machinery and includes other related value-adding activities.
- 1.19 "Order" means an official written order issued for the supply of goods or works or the rendering of a service.
- 1.20 "Project site," where applicable, means the place indicated in bidding documents.
- 1.21 "Purchaser" means the organization purchasing the goods.
- 1.22 "Republic" means the Republic of South Africa.
- 1.23 "SCC" means the Special Conditions of Contract.
- 1.24 "Services" means those functional services ancillary to the supply of the goods, such as transportation and any other incidental services, such as installation, commissioning, provision of technical assistance, training, catering, gardening, security, maintenance and other such obligations of the supplier covered under the contract.

- 1.25 “Written” or “in writing” means handwritten in ink or any form of electronic or mechanical writing.
- 2. Application**
- 2.1 These general conditions are applicable to all bids, contracts and orders including bids for functional and professional services, sales, hiring, letting and the granting or acquiring of rights, but excluding immovable property, unless otherwise indicated in the bidding documents.
- 2.2 Where applicable, special conditions of contract are also laid down to cover specific supplies, services or works.
- 2.3 Where such special conditions of contract are in conflict with these general conditions, the special conditions shall apply.
- 3. General**
- 3.1 Unless otherwise indicated in the bidding documents, the purchaser shall not be liable for any expense incurred in the preparation and submission of a bid. Where applicable a non-refundable fee for documents may be charged.
- 3.2 With certain exceptions, invitations to bid are only published in the Government Tender Bulletin. The Government Tender Bulletin may be obtained directly from the Government Printer, Private Bag X85, Pretoria 0001, or accessed electronically from [www.treasury.gov.za](http://www.treasury.gov.za)
- 4. Standards**
- 4.1 The goods supplied shall conform to the standards mentioned in the bidding documents and specifications.
- 5. Use of contract documents and information; inspection.**
- 5.1 The supplier shall not, without the purchaser’s prior written consent, disclose the contract, or any provision thereof, or any specification, plan, drawing, pattern, sample, or information furnished by or on behalf of the purchaser in connection therewith, to any person other than a person employed by the supplier in the performance of the contract. Disclosure to any such employed person shall be made in confidence and shall extend only so far as may be necessary for purposes of such performance.
- 5.2 The supplier shall not, without the purchaser’s prior written consent, make use of any document or information mentioned in GCC clause 5.1 except for purposes of performing the contract.
- 5.3 Any document, other than the contract itself mentioned in GCC clause 5.1 shall remain the property of the purchaser and shall be returned (all copies) to the purchaser on completion of the supplier’s performance under the contract if so required by the purchaser.
- 5.4 The supplier shall permit the purchaser to inspect the supplier’s records relating to the performance of the supplier and to have them audited by auditors appointed by the purchaser, if so required by the purchaser.
- 6. Patent rights**
- 6.1 The supplier shall indemnify the purchaser against all third-party claims of infringement of patent, trademark, or industrial design rights arising from use of the goods or any part thereof by the purchaser.
- 7. Performance**
- 7.1 Within thirty (30) days of receipt of the notification of contract award,



**security**

the successful bidder shall furnish to the purchaser the performance security of the amount specified in SCC.

- 7.2 The proceeds of the performance security shall be payable to the purchaser as compensation for any loss resulting from the supplier's failure to complete his obligations under the contract.
- 7.3 The performance security shall be denominated in the currency of the contract, or in a freely convertible currency acceptable to the purchaser and shall be in one of the following forms:
  - (a) a bank guarantee or an irrevocable letter of credit issued by a reputable bank located in the purchaser's country or abroad, acceptable to the purchaser, in the form provided in the bidding documents or another form acceptable to the purchaser; or
  - (b) a cashier's or certified cheque
- 7.4 The performance security will be discharged by the purchaser and returned to the supplier not later than thirty (30) days following the date of completion of the supplier's performance obligations under the contract, including any warranty obligations, unless otherwise specified in SCC.

**8. Inspections, tests and analyses**

- 8.1 All pre-bidding testing will be for the account of the bidder.
- 8.2 If it is a bid condition that supplies to be produced or services to be rendered should at any stage during production or execution or on completion be subject to inspection, the premises of the bidder or contractor shall be open, at all reasonable hours, for inspection by a representative of the Department or an organization acting on behalf of the Department.
- 8.3 If there are no inspection requirements indicated in the bidding documents and no mention is made in the contract, but during the contract period it is decided that inspections shall be carried out, the purchaser shall itself make the necessary arrangements, including payment arrangements with the testing authority concerned.
- 8.4 If the inspections, tests and analyses referred to in clauses 8.2 and 8.3 show the supplies to be in accordance with the contract requirements, the cost of the inspections, tests and analyses shall be defrayed by the purchaser.
- 8.5 Where the supplies or services referred to in clauses 8.2 and 8.3 do not comply with the contract requirements, irrespective of whether such supplies or services are accepted or not, the cost in connection with these inspections, tests or analyses shall be defrayed by the supplier.
- 8.6 Supplies and services which are referred to in clauses 8.2 and 8.3 and which do not comply with the contract requirements may be rejected.
- 8.7 Any contract supplies may on or after delivery be inspected, tested or analyzed and may be rejected if found not to comply with the requirements of the contract. Such rejected supplies shall be held at the

cost and risk of the supplier who shall, when called upon, remove them immediately at his own cost and forthwith substitute them with supplies which do comply with the requirements of the contract. Failing such removal the rejected supplies shall be returned at the suppliers cost and risk. Should the supplier fail to provide the substitute supplies forthwith, the purchaser may, without giving the supplier further opportunity to substitute the rejected supplies, purchase such supplies as may be necessary at the expense of the supplier.

8.8 The provisions of clauses 8.4 to 8.7 shall not prejudice the right of the purchaser to cancel the contract on account of a breach of the conditions thereof, or to act in terms of Clause 23 of GCC.

**9. Packing**

9.1 The supplier shall provide such packing of the goods as is required to prevent their damage or deterioration during transit to their final destination, as indicated in the contract. The packing shall be sufficient to withstand, without limitation, rough handling during transit and exposure to extreme temperatures, salt and precipitation during transit, and open storage. Packing, case size and weights shall take into consideration, where appropriate, the remoteness of the goods' final destination and the absence of heavy handling facilities at all points in transit.

9.2 The packing, marking, and documentation within and outside the packages shall comply strictly with such special requirements as shall be expressly provided for in the contract, including additional requirements, if any, specified in SCC, and in any subsequent instructions ordered by the purchaser.

**10. Delivery and documents**

10.1 Delivery of the goods shall be made by the supplier in accordance with the terms specified in the contract. The details of shipping and/or other documents to be furnished by the supplier are specified in SCC.

10.2 Documents to be submitted by the supplier are specified in SCC.

**11. Insurance**

11.1 The goods supplied under the contract shall be fully insured in a freely convertible currency against loss or damage incidental to manufacture or acquisition, transportation, storage and delivery in the manner specified in the SCC.

**12. Transportation**

12.1 Should a price other than an all-inclusive delivered price be required, this shall be specified in the SCC.

**13. Incidental services**

13.1 The supplier may be required to provide any or all of the following services, including additional services, if any, specified in SCC:

- (a) performance or supervision of on-site assembly and/or commissioning of the supplied goods;
- (b) furnishing of tools required for assembly and/or maintenance of the supplied goods;
- (c) furnishing of a detailed operations and maintenance manual for each appropriate unit of the supplied goods;
- (d) performance or supervision or maintenance and/or repair of the supplied goods, for a period of time agreed by the parties,

- provided that this service shall not relieve the supplier of any warranty obligations under this contract; and
- (e) training of the purchaser's personnel, at the supplier's plant and/or on-site, in assembly, start-up, operation, maintenance, and/or repair of the supplied goods.

13.2 Prices charged by the supplier for incidental services, if not included in the contract price for the goods, shall be agreed upon in advance by the parties and shall not exceed the prevailing rates charged to other parties by the supplier for similar services.

#### **14. Spare parts**

14.1 As specified in SCC, the supplier may be required to provide any or all of the following materials, notifications, and information pertaining to spare parts manufactured or distributed by the supplier:

- (a) such spare parts as the purchaser may elect to purchase from the supplier, provided that this election shall not relieve the supplier of any warranty obligations under the contract; and
- (b) in the event of termination of production of the spare parts:
  - (i) Advance notification to the purchaser of the pending termination, in sufficient time to permit the purchaser to procure needed requirements; and
  - (ii) following such termination, furnishing at no cost to the purchaser, the blueprints, drawings, and specifications of the spare parts, if requested.

#### **15. Warranty**

15.1 The supplier warrants that the goods supplied under the contract are new, unused, of the most recent or current models, and that they incorporate all recent improvements in design and materials unless provided otherwise in the contract. The supplier further warrants that all goods supplied under this contract shall have no defect, arising from design, materials, or workmanship (except when the design and/or material is required by the purchaser's specifications) or from any act or omission of the supplier, that may develop under normal use of the supplied goods in the conditions prevailing in the country of final destination.

15.2 This warranty shall remain valid for twelve (12) months after the goods, or any portion thereof as the case may be, have been delivered to and accepted at the final destination indicated in the contract, or for eighteen (18) months after the date of shipment from the port or place of loading in the source country, whichever period concludes earlier, unless specified otherwise in SCC.

15.3 The purchaser shall promptly notify the supplier in writing of any claims arising under this warranty.

15.4 Upon receipt of such notice, the supplier shall, within the period specified in SCC and with all reasonable speed, repair or replace the defective goods or parts thereof, without costs to the purchaser.

15.5 If the supplier, having been notified, fails to remedy the defect(s) within the period specified in SCC, the purchaser may proceed to take such remedial action as may be necessary, at the supplier's risk and expense and without prejudice to any other rights which the purchaser

may have against the supplier under the contract.

**16. Payment**

16.1 The method and conditions of payment to be made to the supplier under this contract shall be specified in SCC.

16.2 The supplier shall furnish the purchaser with an invoice accompanied by a copy of the delivery note and upon fulfillment of other obligations stipulated in the contract.

16.3 Payments shall be made promptly by the purchaser, but in no case later than thirty (30) days after submission of an invoice or claim by the supplier.

16.4 Payment will be made in Rand unless otherwise stipulated in SCC.

**17. Prices**

17.1 Prices charged by the supplier for goods delivered and services performed under the contract shall not vary from the prices quoted by the supplier in his bid, with the exception of any price adjustments authorized in SCC or in the purchaser's request for bid validity extension, as the case may be.

**18. Contract amendments**

18.1 No variation in or modification of the terms of the contract shall be made except by written amendment signed by the parties concerned.

**19. Assignment**

19.1 The supplier shall not assign, in whole or in part, its obligations to perform under the contract, except with the purchaser's prior written consent.

**20. Subcontracts**

20.1 The supplier shall notify the purchaser in writing of all subcontracts awarded under this contracts if not already specified in the bid. Such notification, in the original bid or later, shall not relieve the supplier from any liability or obligation under the contract.

**21. Delays in the supplier's performance**

21.1 Delivery of the goods and performance of services shall be made by the supplier in accordance with the time schedule prescribed by the purchaser in the contract.

21.2 If at any time during performance of the contract, the supplier or its subcontractor(s) should encounter conditions impeding timely delivery of the goods and performance of services, the supplier shall promptly notify the purchaser in writing of the fact of the delay, its likely duration and its cause(s). As soon as practicable after receipt of the supplier's notice, the purchaser shall evaluate the situation and may at his discretion extend the supplier's time for performance, with or without the imposition of penalties, in which case the extension shall be ratified by the parties by amendment of contract.

21.3 No provision in a contract shall be deemed to prohibit the obtaining of supplies or services from a national department, provincial department, or a local authority.

21.4 The right is reserved to procure outside of the contract small quantities or to have minor essential services executed if an emergency arises, the supplier's point of supply is not situated at or near the place where the supplies are required, or the supplier's services are not readily

available.

21.5 Except as provided under GCC Clause 25, a delay by the supplier in the performance of its delivery obligations shall render the supplier liable to the imposition of penalties, pursuant to GCC Clause 22, unless an extension of time is agreed upon pursuant to GCC Clause 21.2 without the application of penalties.

21.6 Upon any delay beyond the delivery period in the case of a supplies contract, the purchaser shall, without canceling the contract, be entitled to purchase supplies of a similar quality and up to the same quantity in substitution of the goods not supplied in conformity with the contract and to return any goods delivered later at the supplier's expense and risk, or to cancel the contract and buy such goods as may be required to complete the contract and without prejudice to his other rights, be entitled to claim damages from the supplier.

## **22. Penalties**

22.1 Subject to GCC Clause 25, if the supplier fails to deliver any or all of the goods or to perform the services within the period(s) specified in the contract, the purchaser shall, without prejudice to its other remedies under the contract, deduct from the contract price, as a penalty, a sum calculated on the delivered price of the delayed goods or unperformed services using the current prime interest rate calculated for each day of the delay until actual delivery or performance. The purchaser may also consider termination of the contract pursuant to GCC Clause 23.

## **23. Termination for default**

23.1 The purchaser, without prejudice to any other remedy for breach of contract, by written notice of default sent to the supplier, may terminate this contract in whole or in part:

- (a) if the supplier fails to deliver any or all of the goods within the period(s) specified in the contract, or within any extension thereof granted by the purchaser pursuant to GCC Clause 21.2;
- (b) if the Supplier fails to perform any other obligation(s) under the contract; or
- (c) if the supplier, in the judgment of the purchaser, has engaged in corrupt or fraudulent practices in competing for or in executing the contract.

23.2 In the event the purchaser terminates the contract in whole or in part, the purchaser may procure, upon such terms and in such manner as it deems appropriate, goods, works or services similar to those undelivered, and the supplier shall be liable to the purchaser for any excess costs for such similar goods, works or services. However, the supplier shall continue performance of the contract to the extent not terminated.

23.3 Where the purchaser terminates the contract in whole or in part, the purchaser may decide to impose a restriction penalty on the supplier by prohibiting such supplier from doing business with the public sector for a period not exceeding 10 years.

23.4 If a purchaser intends imposing a restriction on a supplier or any person associated with the supplier, the supplier will be allowed a time period of not more than fourteen (14) days to provide reasons why the

envisaged restriction should not be imposed. Should the supplier fail to respond within the stipulated fourteen (14) days the purchaser may regard the intended penalty as not objected against and may impose it on the supplier.

23.5 Any restriction imposed on any person by the Accounting Officer / Authority will, at the discretion of the Accounting Officer / Authority, also be applicable to any other enterprise or any partner, manager, director or other person who wholly or partly exercises or exercised or may exercise control over the enterprise of the first-mentioned person, and with which enterprise or person the first-mentioned person, is or was in the opinion of the Accounting Officer / Authority actively associated.

23.6 If a restriction is imposed, the purchaser must, within five (5) working days of such imposition, furnish the National Treasury, with the following information:

- (i) the name and address of the supplier and / or person restricted by the purchaser;
- (ii) the date of commencement of the restriction
- (iii) the period of restriction; and
- (iv) the reasons for the restriction.

These details will be loaded in the National Treasury's central database of suppliers or persons prohibited from doing business with the public sector.

23.7 If a court of law convicts a person of an offence as contemplated in sections 12 or 13 of the Prevention and Combating of Corrupt Activities Act, No. 12 of 2004, the court may also rule that such person's name be endorsed on the Register for Tender Defaulters. When a person's name has been endorsed on the Register, the person will be prohibited from doing business with the public sector for a period not less than five years and not more than 10 years. The National Treasury is empowered to determine the period of restriction and each case will be dealt with on its own merits. According to section 32 of the Act the Register must be open to the public. The Register can be perused on the National Treasury website.

**24. Anti-dumping and countervailing duties and rights**

24.1 When, after the date of bid, provisional payments are required, or anti-dumping or countervailing duties are imposed, or the amount of a provisional payment or anti-dumping or countervailing right is increased in respect of any dumped or subsidized import, the State is not liable for any amount so required or imposed, or for the amount of any such increase. When, after the said date, such a provisional payment is no longer required or any such anti-dumping or countervailing right is abolished, or where the amount of such provisional payment or any such right is reduced, any such favourable difference shall on demand be paid forthwith by the contractor to the State or the State may deduct such amounts from moneys (if any) which may otherwise be due to the contractor in regard to supplies or services which he delivered or rendered, or is to deliver or render in terms of the contract or any other contract or any other amount which may be due to him

- 25. Force Majeure**
- 25.1 Notwithstanding the provisions of GCC Clauses 22 and 23, the supplier shall not be liable for forfeiture of its performance security, damages, or termination for default if and to the extent that his delay in performance or other failure to perform his obligations under the contract is the result of an event of force majeure.
- 25.2 If a force majeure situation arises, the supplier shall promptly notify the purchaser in writing of such condition and the cause thereof. Unless otherwise directed by the purchaser in writing, the supplier shall continue to perform its obligations under the contract as far as is reasonably practical, and shall seek all reasonable alternative means for performance not prevented by the force majeure event.
- 26. Termination for insolvency**
- 26.1 The purchaser may at any time terminate the contract by giving written notice to the supplier if the supplier becomes bankrupt or otherwise insolvent. In this event, termination will be without compensation to the supplier, provided that such termination will not prejudice or affect any right of action or remedy which has accrued or will accrue thereafter to the purchaser.
- 27. Settlement of Disputes**
- 27.1 If any dispute or difference of any kind whatsoever arises between the purchaser and the supplier in connection with or arising out of the contract, the parties shall make every effort to resolve amicably such dispute or difference by mutual consultation.
- 27.2 If, after thirty (30) days, the parties have failed to resolve their dispute or difference by such mutual consultation, then either the purchaser or the supplier may give notice to the other party of his intention to commence with mediation. No mediation in respect of this matter may be commenced unless such notice is given to the other party.
- 27.3 Should it not be possible to settle a dispute by means of mediation, it may be settled in a South African court of law.
- 27.4 Mediation proceedings shall be conducted in accordance with the rules of procedure specified in the SCC.
- 27.5 Notwithstanding any reference to mediation and/or court proceedings herein,
- (a) the parties shall continue to perform their respective obligations under the contract unless they otherwise agree; and
- (b) the purchaser shall pay the supplier any monies due the supplier.
- 28. Limitation of liability**
- 28.1 Except in cases of criminal negligence or willful misconduct, and in the case of infringement pursuant to Clause 6;
- (a) the supplier shall not be liable to the purchaser, whether in contract, tort, or otherwise, for any indirect or consequential loss or damage, loss of use, loss of production, or loss of profits or interest costs, provided that this exclusion shall not apply to any obligation of the supplier to pay penalties and/or damages to the purchaser; and

- (b) the aggregate liability of the supplier to the purchaser, whether under the contract, in tort or otherwise, shall not exceed the total contract price, provided that this limitation shall not apply to the cost of repairing or replacing defective equipment.
- 29. Governing language** 29.1 The contract shall be written in English. All correspondence and other documents pertaining to the contract that is exchanged by the parties shall also be written in English.
- 30. Applicable law** 30.1 The contract shall be interpreted in accordance with South African laws, unless otherwise specified in SCC.
- 31. Notices** 31.1 Every written acceptance of a bid shall be posted to the supplier concerned by registered or certified mail and any other notice to him shall be posted by ordinary mail to the address furnished in his bid or to the address notified later by him in writing and such posting shall be deemed to be proper service of such notice
- 31.2 The time mentioned in the contract documents for performing any act after such aforesaid notice has been given, shall be reckoned from the date of posting of such notice.
- 32. Taxes and duties** 32.1 A foreign supplier shall be entirely responsible for all taxes, stamp duties, license fees, and other such levies imposed outside the purchaser's country.
- 32.2 A local supplier shall be entirely responsible for all taxes, duties, license fees, etc., incurred until delivery of the contracted goods to the purchaser.
- 32.3 No contract shall be concluded with any bidder whose tax matters are not in order. Prior to the award of a bid the Department must be in possession of a tax clearance certificate, submitted by the bidder. This certificate must be an original issued by the South African Revenue Services.
- 33. National Industrial Participation (NIP) Programme** 33.1 The NIP Programme administered by the Department of Trade and Industry shall be applicable to all contracts that are subject to the NIP obligation.
- 34. Prohibition of Restrictive practices** 34.1 In terms of section 4 (1) (b) (iii) of the Competition Act No. 89 of 1998, as amended, an agreement between, or concerted practice by, firms, or a decision by an association of firms, is prohibited if it is between parties in a horizontal relationship and if a bidder (s) is / are or a contractor(s) was / were involved in collusive bidding (or bid rigging).
- 34.2 If a bidder(s) or contractor(s), based on reasonable grounds or evidence obtained by the purchaser, has / have engaged in the restrictive practice referred to above, the purchaser may refer the matter to the Competition Commission for investigation and possible imposition of administrative penalties as contemplated in the Competition Act No. 89 of 1998.



- 34.3 If a bidder(s) or contractor(s), has / have been found guilty by the Competition Commission of the restrictive practice referred to above, the purchaser may, in addition and without prejudice to any other remedy provided for, invalidate the bid(s) for such item(s) offered, and / or terminate the contract in whole or part, and / or restrict the bidder(s) or contractor(s) from conducting business with the public sector for a period not exceeding ten (10) years and / or claim damages from the bidder(s) or contractor(s) concerned.

Js General Conditions of Contract (revised July 2010)

**PART A  
INVITATION TO BID**

<b>YOU ARE HEREBY INVITED TO BID FOR REQUIREMENTS OF THE (RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND LAND REFORM)</b>					
BID NUMBER:	5/2/21-RDLR 0012(2019/2020)	CLOSING DATE:	27 JUNE 2019	CLOSING TIME:	11:00
DESCRIPTION	APPOINTMENT OF A SERVICE PROVIDER TO DEVELOP THE VAAL RIVER REGIONAL SPATIAL DEVELOPMENT FRAMEWORK WITHIN A PERIOD OF EIGHTEEN (18) MONTHS				
<b>BID RESPONSE DOCUMENTS MAY BE DEPOSITED IN THE BID BOX SITUATED AT (STREET ADDRESS)</b>					
DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND LAND REFORM					
184 JEFF MASEMOLA STREET					
PRETORIA					
0001					
<b>BIDDING PROCEDURE ENQUIRIES MAY BE DIRECTED TO</b>			<b>TECHNICAL ENQUIRIES MAY BE DIRECTED TO:</b>		
CONTACT PERSON	Mr Pfarelo Makhado		CONTACT PERSON	Mr Ngodiseni Solly Musetha	
TELEPHONE NUMBER	012 312 9518		TELEPHONE NUMBER	(012) 312 9435	
FACSIMILE NUMBER			FACSIMILE NUMBER		
E-MAIL ADDRESS	Pfarelo.makhado@drdlr.gov.za		E-MAIL ADDRESS	Ngodiseni.musetha@drdlr.gov.za	
<b>SUPPLIER INFORMATION</b>					
NAME OF BIDDER					
POSTAL ADDRESS					
STREET ADDRESS					
TELEPHONE NUMBER	CODE		NUMBER		
CELLPHONE NUMBER					
FACSIMILE NUMBER	CODE		NUMBER		
E-MAIL ADDRESS					
VAT REGISTRATION NUMBER					
SUPPLIER COMPLIANCE STATUS	TAX COMPLIANCE SYSTEM PIN:		<b>OR</b>	CENTRAL SUPPLIER DATABASE No:	MAAA
B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL VERIFICATION CERTIFICATE	TICK APPLICABLE BOX] <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL SWORN AFFIDAVIT	[TICK APPLICABLE BOX] <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
<b>[A B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL VERIFICATION CERTIFICATE/ SWORN AFFIDAVIT (FOR EMES &amp; QSEs) MUST BE SUBMITTED IN ORDER TO QUALIFY FOR PREFERENCE POINTS FOR B-BBEE]</b>					
ARE YOU THE ACCREDITED REPRESENTATIVE IN SOUTH AFRICA FOR THE GOODS /SERVICES /WORKS OFFERED?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No [IF YES ENCLOSE PROOF]		ARE YOU A FOREIGN BASED SUPPLIER FOR THE GOODS /SERVICES /WORKS OFFERED?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No [IF YES, ANSWER THE QUESTIONNAIRE BELOW ]	
<b>QUESTIONNAIRE TO BIDDING FOREIGN SUPPLIERS</b>					
IS THE ENTITY A RESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA (RSA)?				<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	
DOES THE ENTITY HAVE A BRANCH IN THE RSA?				<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	
DOES THE ENTITY HAVE A PERMANENT ESTABLISHMENT IN THE RSA?				<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	
DOES THE ENTITY HAVE ANY SOURCE OF INCOME IN THE RSA?				<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	
IS THE ENTITY LIABLE IN THE RSA FOR ANY FORM OF TAXATION?				<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	
<b>IF THE ANSWER IS "NO" TO ALL OF THE ABOVE, THEN IT IS NOT A REQUIREMENT TO REGISTER FOR A TAX COMPLIANCE STATUS SYSTEM PIN CODE FROM THE SOUTH AFRICAN REVENUE SERVICE (SARS) AND IF NOT REGISTER AS PER 2.3 BELOW.</b>					

**PART B  
TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR BIDDING**

<b>1. BID SUBMISSION:</b>	
1.1.	BIDS MUST BE DELIVERED BY THE STIPULATED TIME TO THE CORRECT ADDRESS. LATE BIDS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED FOR CONSIDERATION.
1.2.	<b>ALL BIDS MUST BE SUBMITTED ON THE OFFICIAL FORMS PROVIDED–(NOT TO BE RE-TYPED) OR IN THE MANNER PRESCRIBED IN THE BID DOCUMENT.</b>
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.	<b>THE SUCCESSFUL BIDDER WILL BE REQUIRED TO FILL IN AND SIGN A WRITTEN CONTRACT FORM (SBD7).</b>
<b>2. TAX COMPLIANCE REQUIREMENTS</b>	
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 TCS 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 PARTICULARS 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: .....

## **AUTHORITY TO SIGN THE STANDARD BIDDING DOCUMENTS (SBD) ON BEHALF OF AN ENTITY.**

“Only authorized signatories may sign the original and all copies of the tender offer where required.

In the case of a **ONE-PERSON CONCERN** submitting a tender, this shall be clearly stated.

In case of a **COMPANY** submitting a tender, include a copy of a **resolution by its board of directors** authorizing a director or other official of the company to sign the documents on behalf of the company.

In the case of a **CLOSED CORPORATION** submitting a tender, include a copy of a **resolution by its members** authorizing a member or other official of the corporation to sign the documents on each member’s behalf.

In the case of a **PARTNERSHIP** submitting a tender, **all the partners shall** sign the documents, unless one partner or a group of partners has been authorized to sign on behalf of each partner, in which case **proof of such authorization** shall be included in the Tender.

In the case of a **JOINT VENTURE** submitting a tender, include **a resolution** of each company of the Joint Venture together with a resolution by its members authorizing a member of the Joint Venture to sign the documents on behalf of the Joint Venture.”

**Accept that failure to submit proof of Authorization to sign the tender shall result in a Tender Offer being regarded as non-responsive.**

### AUTHORITY OF SIGNATORY

Signatories for companies, closed corporations and partnerships must establish their authority **BY ATTACHING TO THIS FORM, ON THEIR ORGANISATIONS'S LETTERHEAD STATIONERY**, a copy of the relevant resolution by their Board of Directors, Members or Partners, duly signed and dated.

An **EXAMPLE** is shown below for a COMPANY:

**MABEL HOUSE (Pty) Ltd**

**By resolution of the Board of Directors taken on 20 May 2000,**

**MR A.F JONES**

**has been duly authorised to sign all documents in connection with**

**Contract no CRDP 0006, and any contract which may arise there from,**

**on behalf of Mabel House (Pty) Ltd.**

**SIGNED ON BEHALF OF THE COMPANY:** (Signature of Managing Director)

**IN HIS CAPACITY AS:** Managing Director

**DATE:** 20 May 2000

**SIGNATURE OF SIGNATORY:** (Signature of A.F Jones)

**As witnesses:**

1. ....

2. ....

Signature of person authorised to sign the tender: .....

Date: .....

## TAX CLEARANCE CERTIFICATE REQUIREMENTS

It is a condition of bid that the taxes of the successful bidder must be in order, or that satisfactory arrangements have been made with South African Revenue Service (SARS) to meet the bidder's tax obligations.

- 1 In order to meet this requirement bidders are required to complete in full the attached form TCC 001 "Application for a Tax Clearance Certificate" and submit it to any SARS branch office nationally. The Tax Clearance Certificate Requirements are also applicable to foreign bidders / individuals who wish to submit bids.
- 2 SARS will then furnish the bidder with a Tax Clearance Certificate that will be valid for a period of 1 (one) year from the date of approval.
- 3 The original Tax Clearance Certificate must be submitted together with the bid. Failure to submit the original and valid Tax Clearance Certificate will result in the invalidation of the bid. Certified copies of the Tax Clearance Certificate will not be acceptable.
- 4 In bids where Consortia / Joint Ventures / Sub-contractors are involved, each party must submit a separate Tax Clearance Certificate.
- 5 Copies of the TCC 001 "Application for a Tax Clearance Certificate" form are available from any SARS branch office nationally or on the website [www.sars.gov.za](http://www.sars.gov.za).
- 6 Applications for the Tax Clearance Certificates may also be made via eFiling. In order to use this provision, taxpayers will need to register with SARS as eFilers through the website [www.sars.gov.za](http://www.sars.gov.za).

Application for a Tax Clearance Certificate

Purpose

Select the applicable option .....Tenders  Good standing

If "Good standing", please state the purpose of this application

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Particulars of applicant

Name/Legal name (Initials & Surname or registered name)	
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Trading name (if applicable)	
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ID/Passport no		Company/Close Corp. registered no
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Income Tax ref no		PAYE ref no <b>7</b>
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VAT registration no <b>4</b>		SDL ref no <b>L</b>
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Customs code		UIF ref no <b>U</b>
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Telephone no		Fax no							
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E-mail address
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Physical address
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Postal address
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Particulars of representative (Public Officer/Trustee/Partner)

Surname
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First names
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ID/Passport no		Income Tax ref no
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Telephone no		Fax no							
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E-mail address
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Physical address
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Particulars of tender (If applicable)

Tender number

Estimated Tender amount R  ,

Expected duration of the tender  year(s)

Particulars of the 3 largest contracts previously awarded

Date started	Date finalised	Principal	Contact person	Telephone number	Amount

Audit

Are you currently aware of any Audit investigation against you/the company?.....

If "YES" provide details

Appointment of representative/agent (Power of Attorney)

I the undersigned confirm that I require a Tax Clearance Certificate in respect of  or .

I hereby authorise and instruct  to apply to and receive from SARS the applicable Tax Clearance Certificate on my/our behalf.

Signature of representative/agent

-  -

Date

Name of representative/agent

agent

Declaration

I declare that the information furnished in this application as well as any supporting documents is true and correct in every respect.

Signature of applicant/Public Officer

-  -

Date

Name of applicant/Public Officer

Notes:

- It is a serious offence to make a false declaration.
- Section 75 of the Income Tax Act, 1962, states: Any person who
  - fails or neglects to furnish, file or submit any return or document as and when required by or under this Act; or
  - without just cause shown by him, refuses or neglects to-
    - furnish, produce or make available any information, documents or things;
    - reply to or answer truly and fully, any questions put to him ...
 As and when required in terms of this Act ... shall be guilty of an offence ...
- SARS will, under no circumstances, issue a Tax Clearance Certificate unless this form is completed in full.
- Your Tax Clearance Certificate will only be issued on presentation of your South African Identity Document or Passport (Foreigners only) as applicable.



## SBD 4

## DECLARATION OF INTEREST

1. Any legal person, including persons employed by the state<sup>1</sup>, 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 an advertised competitive bid, a limited bid, a proposal or written price quotation). 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.
2. **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, shareholder<sup>2</sup>, member):  
.....
  - 2.4 Registration number of company, enterprise, close corporation, partnership agreement or trust:  
.....
  - 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 indicated in paragraph 3 below.

<sup>1</sup>"State" means –

- (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 1999);
- (b) any municipality or municipal entity;
- (c) provincial legislature;
- (d) national Assembly or the national Council of provinces; or
- (e) Parliament.

<sup>2</sup>"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:  
.....  
.....  
.....

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 attach 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:

.....  
.....  
.....

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

2.9.1 If so, furnish particulars.

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.....

2.10 Are you, or any person connected with the bidder, YES/NO  
aware of any relationship (family, friend, other) between  
any other bidder and any person employed by the state  
who may be involved with the evaluation and or adjudication  
of this bid?

2.10.1 If so, furnish particulars.  
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.....  
.....

2.11 Do you or any of the directors / trustees / shareholders / members YES/NO  
of the company have any interest in any other related companies  
whether or not they are bidding for this contract?

2.11.1 If so, furnish particulars:  
.....  
.....  
.....

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

Full Name	Identity Number	Personal Income Tax Reference Number	State Employee Number / Persal Number

**4 DECLARATION**

I, THE UNDERSIGNED (NAME).....

CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION FURNISHED IN PARAGRAPHS 2 and 3 ABOVE IS CORRECT.  
I ACCEPT THAT THE STATE MAY REJECT THE BID OR ACT AGAINST ME SHOULD THIS  
DECLARATION PROVE TO BE FALSE.

.....  
Signature

.....  
Date

.....  
Position

.....  
Name of bidder

November 2011

This document must be signed and submitted together with your bid

## THE NATIONAL INDUSTRIAL PARTICIPATION PROGRAMME

### INTRODUCTION

The National Industrial Participation (NIP) Programme, which is applicable to all government procurement contracts that have an imported content, became effective on the 1 September 1996. The NIP policy and guidelines were fully endorsed by Cabinet on 30 April 1997. In terms of the Cabinet decision, all state and parastatal purchases / lease contracts (for goods, works and services) entered into after this date, are subject to the NIP requirements. NIP is obligatory and therefore must be complied with. The Industrial Participation Secretariat (IPS) of the Department of Trade and Industry (DTI) is charged with the responsibility of administering the programme.

### 1 PILLARS OF THE PROGRAMME

- 1.1 The NIP obligation is benchmarked on the imported content of the contract. Any contract having an imported content equal to or exceeding US\$ 10 million or other currency equivalent to US\$ 10 million will have a NIP obligation. This threshold of US\$ 10 million can be reached as follows:
- (a) Any single contract with imported content exceeding US\$10 million.  
or
  - (b) Multiple contracts for the same goods, works or services each with imported content exceeding US\$3 million awarded to one seller over a 2 year period which in total exceeds US\$10 million.  
or
  - (c) A contract with a renewable option clause, where should the option be exercised the total value of the imported content will exceed US\$10 million.  
or
  - (d) Multiple suppliers of the same goods, works or services under the same contract, where the value of the imported content of each allocation is equal to or exceeds US\$ 3 million worth of goods, works or services to the same government institution, which in total over a two (2) year period exceeds US\$10 million.
- 1.2 The NIP obligation applicable to suppliers in respect of sub-paragraphs 1.1 (a) to 1.1 (c) above will amount to 30 % of the imported content whilst suppliers in respect of paragraph 1.1 (d) shall incur 30% of the total NIP obligation on a *pro-rata* basis.
- 1.3 To satisfy the NIP obligation, the DTI would negotiate and conclude agreements such as investments, joint ventures, sub-contracting, licensee production, export promotion, sourcing arrangements and research and development (R&D) with partners or suppliers.

- 1.4 A period of seven years has been identified as the time frame within which to discharge the obligation.

## **2 REQUIREMENTS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY**

- 2.1 In order to ensure effective implementation of the programme, successful bidders (contractors) are required to, immediately after the award of a contract that is in excess of **R10 million** (ten million Rands), submit details of such a contract to the DTI for reporting purposes.

- 2.2 The purpose for reporting details of contracts in excess of the amount of R10 million (ten million Rands) is to cater for multiple contracts for the same goods, works or services; renewable contracts and multiple suppliers for the same goods, works or services under the same contract as provided for in paragraphs 1.1.(b) to 1.1. (d) above.

## **3 BID SUBMISSION AND CONTRACT REPORTING REQUIREMENTS OF BIDDERS AND SUCCESSFUL BIDDERS (CONTRACTORS)**

- 3.1 Bidders are required to sign and submit this Standard Bidding Document (SBD 5) together with the bid on the closing date and time.

- 3.2 In order to accommodate multiple contracts for the same goods, works or services; renewable contracts and multiple suppliers for the same goods, works or services under the same contract as indicated in sub-paragraphs 1.1 (b) to 1.1 (d) above and to enable the DTI in determining the NIP obligation, successful bidders (contractors) are required, immediately after being officially notified about any successful bid with a value in excess of R10 million (ten million Rands), to contact and furnish the DTI with the following information:

- Bid / contract number.
- Description of the goods, works or services.
- Date on which the contract was accepted.
- Name, address and contact details of the government institution.
- Value of the contract.
- Imported content of the contract, if possible.

- 3.3 The information required in paragraph 3.2 above must be sent to the Department of Trade and Industry, Private Bag X 84, Pretoria, 0001 for the attention of Mr Elias Malapane within five (5) working days after award of the contract. Mr Malapane may be contacted on telephone (012) 394 1401, facsimile (012) 394 2401 or e-mail at [Elias@thedti.gov.za](mailto:Elias@thedti.gov.za) for further details about the programme.

## **4 PROCESS TO SATISFY THE NIP OBLIGATION**

- 4.1 Once the successful bidder (contractor) has made contact with and furnished the DTI with the information required, the following steps will be followed:
- a. the contractor and the DTI will determine the NIP obligation;
  - b. the contractor and the DTI will sign the NIP obligation agreement;

- c. the contractor will submit a performance guarantee to the DTI;
- d. the contractor will submit a business concept for consideration and approval by the DTI;
- e. upon approval of the business concept by the DTI, the contractor will submit detailed business plans outlining the business concepts;
- f. the contractor will implement the business plans; and
- g. the contractor will submit bi-annual progress reports on approved plans to the DTI.

4.2 The NIP obligation agreement is between the DTI and the successful bidder (contractor) and, therefore, does not involve the purchasing institution.

Bid number .....	Closing date:.....
Name of bidder.....	
Postal address .....	
.....	
Signature.....	Name (in print).....
Date.....	

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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).

1.2

- a) The value of this bid is estimated to not exceed R50 000 000 (all applicable taxes included) and therefore the **80/20** 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:

	<b>POINTS</b>
<b>PRICE</b>	80
<b>B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL OF CONTRIBUTOR</b>	20
<b>Total points for Price and B-BBEE must not exceed</b>	<b>100</b>

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.





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

**5. BID DECLARATION**

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 PARAGRAPHS 1.4 AND 4.1**

6.1 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)*

YES	<input type="checkbox"/>	NO	<input type="checkbox"/>
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7.1.1 If yes, indicate:

i) What percentage of the contract will be subcontracted.....%

ii) The name of the sub-contractor.....

iii) The B-BBEE status level of the sub-contractor.....

iv) Whether the sub-contractor is an EME or QSE

*(Tick applicable box)*

YES	<input type="checkbox"/>	NO	<input type="checkbox"/>
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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 by:	EME √	QSE √
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		
<b>OR</b>		
Any EME		
Any QSE		

**8. DECLARATION WITH REGARD TO COMPANY/FIRM**

8.1 Name \_\_\_\_\_ of  
company/firm:.....

8.2 VAT \_\_\_\_\_ registration  
number:.....

8.3 Company \_\_\_\_\_ registration  
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  
.....  
.....  
.....  
.....  
.....

8.6 COMPANY CLASSIFICATION  
Manufacturer  
Supplier  
Professional service provider  
Other service providers, e.g. transporter, etc.  
[TICK APPLICABLE BOX]

8.7 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 the  
company/firm, certify that the points claimed, based on the B-BBE status level of  
contributor indicated in paragraphs 1.4 and 6.1 of the foregoing certificate, qualifies  
the company/ firm for the preference(s) shown and I / we 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 6.1, the contractor may be required to furnish documentary 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 on a 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;
  - (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 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
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SIGNATURE(S) OF BIDDERS(S)
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## 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.
- 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	<p>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?</p> <p><b>(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).</b></p> <p>The Database of Restricted Suppliers now resides on the National Treasury's website(<a href="http://www.treasury.gov.za">www.treasury.gov.za</a>) and can be accessed by clicking on its link at the bottom of the home page.</p>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
4.1.1	If so, furnish particulars:		
4.2	<p>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)?</p> <p><b>The Register for Tender Defaulters can be accessed on the National Treasury's website (<a href="http://www.treasury.gov.za">www.treasury.gov.za</a>) by clicking on its link at the bottom of the home page.</b></p>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
4.2.1	If so, furnish particulars:		
4.3	<p>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?</p>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
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 <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
4.4.1	If so, furnish particulars:		

**SBD 8**

**CERTIFICATION**

**I, THE UNDERSIGNED (FULL NAME).....  
CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION FURNISHED ON THIS DECLARATION  
FORM IS 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**

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**CERTIFICATE OF INDEPENDENT BID DETERMINATION**

- 1 This Standard Bidding Document (SBD) must form part of all bids<sup>1</sup> 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).<sup>2</sup> Collusive bidding is a *pe se* prohibition meaning that it cannot be justified under any grounds.
- 3 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.
  - b. 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.
- 4 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.
- 5 In order to give effect to the above, the attached Certificate of Bid Determination (SBD 9) must be completed and submitted with the bid:

<sup>1</sup> Includes price quotations, advertised competitive bids, limited bids and proposals.

<sup>2</sup> 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:

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(Bid Number and Description)

in response to the invitation for the bid made by:

\_\_\_\_\_

(Name of Institution)

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 consortium<sup>3</sup> 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.

<sup>3</sup> 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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Position

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Name of Bidder

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# DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND LAND REFORM

## SUPPLIER MAINTENANCE:

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OFFICE: .....

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Date Authorised:	_____
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Enquiries. :	_____
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### The Director General : I DEPT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND LAND REFORM

I/We hereby request and authorise you to pay any amounts, which may accrue to me/us to the credit of my/our account with the mentioned bank.

I/we understand that the credit transfers hereby authorised will be processed by computer through a system known as "ACB - Electronic Fund Transfer Service", and I/we understand that not additional advice of payment will be provided by my/our bank, but that the details of each payment will be printed on my/our bank statement or any accompanying voucher. (This does not apply where it is not customary for banks to furnish bank statements).

I/we understand that the Department will supply a payment advice in the normal way, and that it will indicate the date on which the funds will be made available on my/our account.

This authority may be cancelled by me/us by giving thirty days notice by prepaid registered post. Please ensure information is validate as per required bank screens .

I/We understand that bank details provided should be exactly as per the records held by the bank.

I/We understand that the Department will not assume responsibility for any delayed payments, as a result of incorrect information supplied.

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 Other (Please Specify)

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Company Registration Number

\*CC Registration

**\*Please include CC/CK where applicable**

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**Bank stamp**

It is hereby confirmed that this details have been verified against the following screens

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**FNB-** Hogans system on the CIS4/CUPR  
**STD** Bank-Look-up-screen  
**Nedbank-** Banking Platform under the Client Details Tab

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Date (dd/mm/yyyy)

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**NB: All relevant fields must be completed**



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#### **1. INTRODUCTION**

1.1 The Department of Rural Development and Land Reform (DRDLR) requests the services of a multi-disciplinary team to develop a Vaal River Regional Spatial Development Framework within a period of eighteen (18) months.

#### **2. PROBLEM STATEMENT**

2.1 The area around the Vaal River inherently fosters potential for building an economically improved efficient and socially equitable area. The area is fortunate to not only have the Vaal River as a potential anchor for economic stimuli but also the Vaal Dam, Vredefort Dome, Parys, Petro-Chemical developments in Sasolburg, iron and steel industry (ArcelorMittal) in Vereeniging (although declining), tourism and tourism attractions, agriculture and agro-processing activities, established tertiary institutions such as the Vaal University of Technology and North West University as the custodians of Innovation and Technology in the Region and significant rail, road and pipeline infrastructure as supplementary anchors in the area. Notwithstanding these anchors it is abundantly clear that development in the functional area next to the Vaal River is neither balanced nor complementary of each other on either side of the provinces of Free State, North West, Mpumalanga or Gauteng. Existing development is mostly located on the Gauteng side of the river with contrasting extensive vacant land on the Free State. North West and Mpumalanga side of the river.

2.2 The current state of unbalanced development in this area is a symptom of our fondness for administrative geography, based on provincial and local government boundaries and jurisdictional demarcations that do not easily relate to how areas

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actually function across administrative boundaries. Both provincial and local government plans and frameworks have been developed in isolation; without any due consideration of circumstances that prevail “across jurisdictional borders”. This not only leads to a misunderstanding of the comparative and competitive advantages of the area and how people and capital flows shape the area, but also negatively impacts on reaching the development potential of the area.

2.3 The Vaal River Complex Regional Structure Plan, 1996 (formally known as the Vaal River Complex Guide Plan, 1982) for many years served as the only overarching instrument to guide development and future planning near the banks of the Vaal River and its tributaries. The Vaal River Complex Regional Structure Plan was the only planning related instrument that covered both sides of the Vaal River regardless of provincial and municipal boundaries. With the repeal of the Physical Planning Act, 1967, the Vaal River Complex Regional Structure Plan lost its legislative sponsorship and therefore cannot be implemented anymore. The proposed Vaal River Regional Spatial Development Framework will serve as an overarching instrument to guide development and planning in the absence of the Vaal River Complex Regional Structure Plan across provincial and municipal boundaries.

2.4 The uncoordinated manner in which the Vaal River area is developing brings about some socio-economic challenges to the already struggling surrounding areas of Sedibeng, Fezile Dabi, Dr Kenneth Kaunda and Gert Sibande District Municipalities.

These municipalities experience similar challenges which relate to:

- a) Rising in unemployment and poverty levels;
- b) Threat of pollution of the Vaal River System by industries ;
- c) Spatial fragmentation that contributed to social divisions;
- d) Lack of efficient public transport and access routes that limit movement of goods and services; and
- e) Limited infrastructure capacity that is impeding development i.e. Waste Water Treatment and Sanitation.

The above mentioned challenges have consequently resulted in high crime rates and community protests. Existing development limits public access to the Vaal River and prevents the public from appreciating this natural asset by mostly privatising the river front. This also impedes on the type of land use along the river by mostly confining it to exclusive residential developments.

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- 2.5 Although agricultural activities exist in the area they have not been fully exploited to benefit the area. Initiatives like the proposed agri-parks and Rural Development Plans will inject much needed investment into the area and provide much needed opportunities for emerging farmers that are currently lacking.
- 2.6 Due to the inward focus of Municipal Spatial Development Frameworks, strategies and land use planning the economic transformation and integration of functional areas (that stretch wider than jurisdictional boundaries) is not sufficiently prioritised. This is exploited by private economic initiatives ignoring spatial planning guidance in pursuit of bigger profit margins that are not advantageous to the spatial development of the broader functional area.

**3. BACKGROUND**

- 3.1 The Spatial Planning and Land Use Management Act, 2013 (Act 16 Of 2013), (SPLUMA) puts forward development principles, norms and standards for spatial planning and land use management. It further provides for the preparation of spatial development frameworks by all three tiers of government and to ensure adherence by stating in section 12 that national government, provincial government and municipalities must participate in spatial planning and land use management processes that impact on each other to ensure that plans and programmes are coordinated.
- 3.2 SPLUMA further unpacks the preparation and content of National, Provincial, **Regional** and Municipal Spatial Development Frameworks in sections 13 to 21 with sections 18 and 19 specifically dealing with Regional Spatial Development Frameworks (RSDF). From section 12(3) it is clear that the Regional Spatial Development Framework feeds into the National Spatial Development Framework and therefore should address aspects of national interest.
- 3.3 The Draft National Spatial Development Framework already acknowledges the Vaal River Regional Spatial Development Framework as a RSDF in process of development.

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- 3.4 Preceding the development of this terms of reference a Feasibility Study to determine the feasibility of formulating the Vaal River RSDF was undertaken. The feasibility study determined that there is sufficient adherence to prescribed requirements to recommend that the Vaal River RSDF be formulated.
- 3.5 In light of above, the Department of Rural Development and Land Reform (DRDLR) decided to request the services of a multi-disciplinary team to develop the Vaal River Regional Spatial Development Framework.

### **4. OBJECTIVES**

- 4.2 The main objective of the project is to develop the Vaal River Regional Spatial Development Framework that will present a common spatial development vision for the area and will guide planning and development decisions across all sectors of government. The Regional Spatial Development Framework must:
- i. Provide a common spatial vision to guide future development;
  - ii. Give effect to the development principles and applicable norms and standards set out in Chapter 2 of the Spatial Planning and Land Use Management Act, 2013 (Act 16 of 2013);
  - iii. Give effect to National, Provincial and Municipal policies, priorities, plans and planning legislation;
  - iv. The Vaal River RSDF will be instrumental in addressing the socio-economic issues that are faced by communities within Sedibeng and Fezile Dabi District Municipalities while also facilitating implementation of the National Development Plan (NDP) mandate which states that government needs to “deal intelligently with social exclusion, environmental threats, economic inefficiencies, logistical bottle necks, urban insecurity, decaying infrastructure and impacts of new technologies.”
  - v. Reflect the current state of affairs in that area from a socio-economic spatial and land use perspective of the region;
  - vi. Indicate desired patterns of land use in the area;
  - vii. Link rural and urban economies in order to accommodate migration issues as stipulated in the National Development Plan 2030.
  - viii. Promote regional thinking in spheres of Government and sectors;
  - ix. Enhance cooperation between spheres of government;

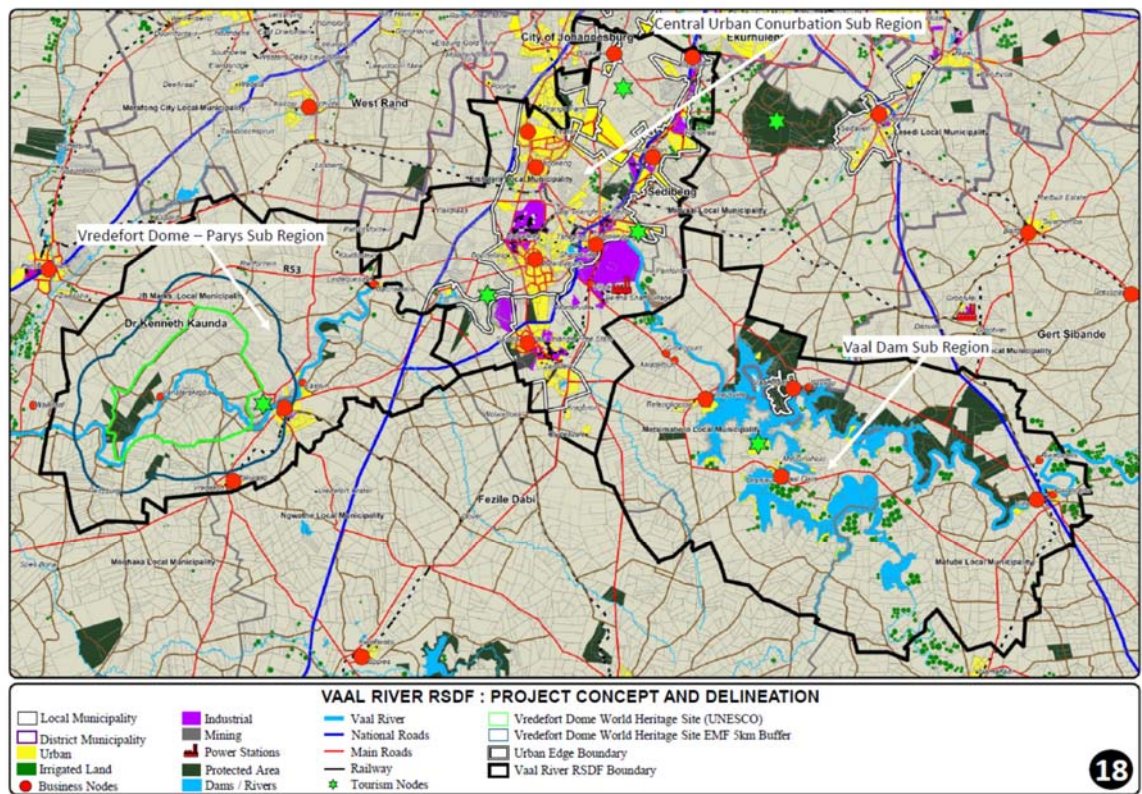


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- x. Provide basic guidelines for spatial planning, land development and land use management in the area;
- xi. Propose how the Framework is to be implemented and funded; and
- xii. Comply with environmental legislation.

**5. SCOPE OF WORK**

5.1. The project entails the development of the Vaal River RSDf for the region depicted in the map below.



It should thus be clear that the region as depicted in the map above includes certain areas of Gauteng, Free State, North West and Mpumalanga Provinces inclusive areas within the Dr Kenneth Kaunda, Fezile Dabi, Gert Sibande and Sedibeng District Municipalities and areas inclusive of Dipaleseng, Emfuleni, Lesedi, Mafube, Metsimahole, Midvaal, Moqhaka, Ngwathe and JB Marks Local Municipalities. It is imperative that the project area be studied, analysed and examined closely in terms of a functional area and not necessarily within the limitations of municipal and provincial boundaries.

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- 5.2. The RSDF should aim to rationalise (and map where possible) aspects of Municipal, Provincial and National planning and interventions impacting the project area, including but not limited to the:
- a. Spatial Development Frameworks of the relevant municipalities and provinces;
  - b. Strategies (including: Human Settlements, infrastructure, capital spending, and local economic development strategies etc.) of the relevant municipalities;
  - c. Existing Free State, Gauteng, North West and Mpumalanga provincial plans affecting the area including but not limited to:
    - i. Gauteng Province: Gauteng Integrated Infrastructure Master Plan (GIIMP), Gauteng Integrated Transport Master Plan (GITMP), Gauteng Economic Development Plan, Gauteng Township Economy Revitalisation Strategy, Gauteng Provincial Environmental Management Framework (GPEMF) and the Gauteng Spatial Development Framework (GSDF) etc.);
    - ii. Free State Province: Provincial Spatial Development Framework, Agriculture Master Plan, Rural Development Plan, Free State Biodiversity Plan and the Vredefort Dome Environmental Management Framework Thabo Mofutsanyane Rural Development Plan;
    - iii. North West Province: National Treasury's Neighbourhood Development Programme and Urban Network Strategy; Relevant National Strategic Infrastructure Projects (SIPs) impacting on the project area; and Localised plans e.g. tourism strategies etc.
    - iv. Mpumalanga Province: Relevant National Strategic Infrastructure Projects (SIPs) impacting on the project area; and Localised plans e.g. tourism strategies etc.
- 5.3. The successful service provider will also be expected to undertake the following:
- a. The above rationalisation forms part of the Research/Diagnostic Report.
  - b. This will be followed by a Research Analysis Report which must amongst other aspects ensure that the analysis of the space economy is undertaken at the level of the functional region. Analysis must be spatial and temporal including socioeconomic, natural environment, infrastructure and built environment aspects. Existing planning initiatives in the project area must be critically examined and rationalised with evidence from data. Economic analysis must include the economic potential of the area (including relevant industries and sectors), job creation potential and economic growth prospects.

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- c. Drafting of a Spatial Vision in line with the NDP is essential. The process of developing a Spatial Vision must include conceptualisation of a Spatial Vision supplemented by a write up on how the vision should be interpreted. The Spatial Vision will be subject to consultation at the RSDF technical working group meeting and other identified fora.
- d. Scenario planning and/or benchmarking with other City Regions or river cities.
- e. Develop Spatial Options and Proposals for the development of the region taking cognisance of the following:
  - i. The outcome of the previously developed feasibility study, diagnostic and research done. This will include any further analysis of work being undertaken by government that may not have been included previously.
  - ii. Consider provincial and national development initiatives that may have an impact on the RSDF, such as the Draft National Spatial Development Framework.
  - iii. The options must also take into cognisance the challenges highlighted in the affected provincial and municipal strategic policies. The options must consider a wide range of not just existing but possible future internal and external developmental factors; challenges and opportunities in South Africa.
  - iv. The options must also take into account government priority programmes in the study area.
- f. It is expected that the Spatial Options will inform Vaal River RSDF and also highlight and identify trends, conflicts/tensions and development opportunities.
- g. A spatial policy map which embodies proposed localised spatial interventions must be provided. This policy map must have a clear one-to-one relationship with the spatial narrative and trends. The policy map must have notations to which clear spatial and economic strategies, development guidelines, infrastructure requirements, administrative actions, catalytic projects/programmes, and roles and responsibilities are tied.
- h. Overall, the RSDF must give effect to the development principles and applicable norms and standards in terms of the Spatial Planning and Land Use Management Act 2013; give effect to national and provincial policies, priorities, and plans; reflect the current state of affairs in the area from a regional perspective; provide basic guidelines for spatial intervention and land development; and propose how the framework will be implemented and funded.
- i. The service provider will be required to purposefully transfer skills to the various implementing bodies of the Vaal River RSDF.

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- j. Develop a stakeholder engagement plan for the various consultation processes with various stakeholders, including government, private sector and any other stakeholders throughout the lifespan of the project.
- k. The service provider will also be required to assist the Department in finalising any documents for the presentation of the RSDF. The RSDF must also include an Implementation Framework that identifies the responsibilities for its implementation both within and outside government.

**6. DELIVERABLES**

6.1. The appointed service provider will be required to deliver the following to the Department:

**a) Regional Situational Analysis (per sector) and Synthesis inclusive of:**

- i. **Policy Context:** A brief overview of the policy context of the study area. This would include an overview of relevant directives from the National Development Plan, Medium Term Strategic Framework, National Sectoral Policies and Guidelines, Provincial Vision documents aligned to the National Development Plan, Provincial Spatial Development Frameworks and Sector Plans.
- ii. **Regional Socio-Economic Profile:** Covering aspects such as population numbers, population growth rate, population composition in terms of gender, age, race, level of education, income level, employment/unemployment etc.
- iii. **Regional Economic Profile:** Highlighting current sectoral contribution towards GDP and job opportunities in the Region, sectoral trends and the economy of the Region in the context of surrounding provincial and national economy. Also, an indication of economic sectors with significant growth prospects to be targeted in the Region.
- iv. **Natural Environment:** Overview of topography, hydrology, geology, and soil conditions in the Region as well as implications. The state of the environment in the Region with specific reference to water, air and land pollution. Biodiversity assessment as well as a summary of existing environmental policies/guidelines applicable in the Region with specific reference to the Vaal Dam, Vaal River and Vredefort Dome areas.
- v. **Regional Land Use Development:** Analysis of current land use distribution, land use development trends/pressures, as well as proposed future land uses in terms of Spatial Development Frameworks and/or other Sector Plans like Human

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Settlement Plans, Local Economic Development Plan, Rural Development Plans etc. Summary of current policies regarding subdivision of land and land use development around the Vaal Dam, Vaal River and the Vredefort Dome.

- vi. **Regional Movement Network:** Assessment of the existing and proposed future movement network in the Region (road, rail and air).
- vii. **Regional Engineering Services:** Assessment of current bulk infrastructure systems (water, sanitation and electricity), state and capacity of bulk infrastructure and challenges facing the Region. Summary of current policies regarding level of infrastructure to be provided to reach maximum development potential in the Region.
- viii. **Regional Synthesis:** The multi-sectoral information generated during the regional situational analysis must culminate into a synthesis highlighting the major structuring elements identified, development constraints and issues to be addressed, as well as development opportunities prevalent in the Region.

### **b) Spatial Vision for the Region and Development Principles**

The Spatial Vision for the Region must be formulated which conceptually highlights the future development concept for the Region with specific reference also to the structure, role and function envisaged for each Municipality. The Regional Vision must be supplemented with a set of Development Principles (multi-sectoral) for the Region.

### **c) Draft and final Vaal River Regional Spatial Development Framework inclusive of an Implementation Plan incorporating the information generated as part of a) and b)**

The Vaal River Regional Spatial Development Framework that will need to consolidate relevant information and findings into a comprehensive Vaal River Regional Spatial Development Framework that consists of a set of Development Objectives, a Spatial Plan, consolidated Development Guidelines for the Region to inform amongst other, future development/subdivision applications; and a consolidated Capital Investment Framework and Implementation Programme for the Region with roles and responsibilities assigned to different stakeholders.

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**7. SKILLS REQUIREMENTS**

7.1 Companies or consortium with individuals with qualifications and extensive experience will be required as detailed in the table 1, and section 8 respectively.

**Table 1**

<b>No.</b>	<b>Key Skill Set</b>	<b>Minimum Qualification</b>
<b>1.</b>	Economist	BCom with specialization in Economics Economic or Geography/Regional Science/Urban Economics/ Development Economics
<b>2.</b>	Town/Urban/City and Regional Planning Professional (minimum of 3)	BSc or BTech in Town/Urban/City and Regional Planning (Registration with SACPLAN as Professional Planner)
<b>4.</b>	Professional Geographic Information Systems Practitioner	Registration with SAGC as a Professional GIS Practitioner)
<b>5.</b>	Infrastructure / Transport Specialist	BSc in Civil Engineering with specialisation in Infrastructure Planning and transport planning
<b>6.</b>	Environmental Specialist	BSc or Bachelor degree or BTech Environmental Sciences/ Environmental management Management

Please note that above is a minimum set of skills required, the consortium is welcome to add more skills as deemed necessary to undertake the work.

In order to deliver successfully on the scope of work that is expected to be done the table below attempts to provide clarity on the extent of work that is expected by different skilled sectors:

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**Table 2**

<b>Town and Regional Planning</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• National Legislation, Policies and Development Plans (NDP, SPLUMA etc.).</li> <li>• Provincial Legislation, Policies and Development Plans.</li> <li>• Assessment of specific legislation and regulations impacting on the national assets in the study area, specifically the National Key Points, VDWHS, Vaal River, Barrage etc.</li> <li>• District municipalities: IDP and SDF.</li> <li>• Local municipalities: IDP, SDF, land use scheme, development guidelines.</li> <li>• Regional and sub-regional spatial structure and land use and development trends analysis.</li> <li>• Human settlement (formal and informal) trends.</li> <li>• Cross Border functional linkages, urban-rural linkages, functional nodes and corridors.</li> <li>• Synthesis: Regional Spatial Structuring Elements.</li> <li>• Compilation of Regional Spatial Development Framework.</li> <li>• Coordinate/Compile Implementation Framework             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Capital projects and costs</li> <li>○ Institutional arrangements</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Compilation of Consolidated Development Guidelines:             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Land Use</li> <li>○ Subdivisions</li> <li>○ Engineering Services</li> <li>○ Environment</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<b>Environmental Management</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Topography Hydrology and Floodlines Analysis</li> <li>• Geology and Soil Potential</li> <li>• Biodiversity Assessment</li> <li>• State of the Environment and Pollution Risks</li> <li>• Vredefort Dome World Heritage Site Environmental Management Framework</li> <li>• Other Environmental Policies Applicable</li> <li>• Synthesis: Environmental Issues (Region/Sub-Regions)</li> <li>• Proposed Environmental Management Guidelines (Region/Sub-Regions)</li> <li>• Priority Projects</li> </ul>
<b>Economic Development</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Socio Economic Profile</li> </ul>

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- Population size and composition
- Projected population growth
- Workforce (Characteristics)
- Education
- Income
- Unemployment
- Economic Overview
  - Global, National and Provincial economic overview
  - Regional economic overview focusing on sectoral characteristics, trends and forecasts for:
    - Agriculture and Agri-hubs
    - Mining
    - Industrial/Manufacturing
    - Business
    - Tourism
    - Informal Sector
- Synthesis: Key local economic drivers and economic development potential
- Economic inputs on
  - Economic Development Strategy
  - Key Projects

**Movement Network**

- Detailed investigation into the movement network: Provincial, District, Regional and Local Context: Road, Rail and Air
- Public transport network and services
- Identification of Regional Issues
- Inputs into RSDF:
  - Proposed regional movement and public transport network projects
  - Priority Projects

**Engineering Services**

- Regional Assessment of Bulk Infrastructure Network:
  - Water
  - Sanitation
  - Electricity
  - Solid waste
  - Communication infrastructure



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- Identification of Regional issues and implications for Spatial Plans.
- Inputs to RSDF regarding
  - Engineering Services Strategy
  - Guidelines for services in small-scale rural developments.
  - Priority Projects

7.2 Qualified and skilled Town and Regional Planner with project management background will also be required to manage the different specialists and coordinate the work being undertaken.

7.3 Proven experience and thorough understanding in the following is also required:

- a) Spatial development policies and legislations;
- b) Urban and rural development and land reform;
- c) Previous experience in the development of a spatial development framework either at municipal or provincial levels;
- d) Previous experience with policy and / or planning work at a Regional Level;
- e) Experience in dealing with multidisciplinary projects
- f) Strategic capability and understanding of strategic planning process;
- g) Understanding of the interrelationship amongst the following: social, economic, land use, transport and environmental issues;
- h) Stakeholder and Project Management;
- i) Facilitation and negotiation skills;
- j) Research, analytical writing and communication skills.

7.4 In the case of companies, a company profile is to be provided. In the case of consortium, a letter of commitment from each company / individual is required and must be submitted.

**8. PROJECT DURATION AND PAYMENT MILESTONES**

8.1 The project will commence after the letter of appointment has been issued and Service Level Agreement has been signed which will expire in eighteen (18) months thereafter and is subject to addition, extension or early termination, depending on the need and performance assessment of the service provider.

8.2 The DRDLR reserve full rights to implement the above-mentioned clause.

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**TABLE 3: PROJECT DURATION**

<b>PHASES</b>	<b>% PAYABLE</b>	<b>TIME FRAMES</b>	<b>SUBMISSION/ OUTPUT</b>
<b>Phase 1:</b> Inception report	5%	2 weeks	Final inception report
			Stakeholder Engagement Plan
<b>Phase 2:</b> Regional Situational Analysis and Regional Spatial Vision and Development Principles	20%	4 months	Spatial Analysis and Proposal Report; and Consultation report;
<b>Phase 3:</b> Draft Vaal River RSDf	30%	6 months	Draft RSDf Report
<b>Phase 4:</b> Consultation on Draft Vaal River RSDf	25%	5 months 2 weeks	Full Consultation Report and Amended Draft RSDf
<b>Phase 5:</b> Final Comprehensive Vaal River RSDf	15%	2 months	Final Comprehensive Draft RSDf document
<b>Retention</b>	5%		
<b>Total</b>	100%	18 months	

**9. CONTENTS OF THE PROJECT PROPOSAL**

A clear and concise project proposal covering the aspects listed below as well as responding to the terms of reference is required.

- 9.1. An executive summary of the key issues covered in the Proposal.
- 9.2. A profile of each employee/company to work on the project with clear references to similar and related work undertaken in the past with clear evidence where a person member participated in or managed certain projects in the past which bears relevance to the work at hand. Clear indication of actual roles and responsibilities must be presented with verifiable proof.

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- 9.3. General methodology for undertaking work of this nature. The methodology should also indicate the project milestones that will be used to measure the project progress.
- 9.4. Certified copies of all certificates, references, professional registration and related certification for all members of the proposed team must be attached.
- 9.5. Any other information relevant to the determination of the suitability of the interested bidder for this project should be listed.
- 9.6. *The following technical information **must** be submitted with the bid proposal:*
- a) Relevant professional experience of the team leader and core supporting experts;
  - b) Organisational, managerial and technical ability;
  - c) Full CV's of all proposed team members;
  - d) Minimum 3 contactable current and previous client references for 3 different clients;
  - e) Associations and Professional Affiliations of companies and individuals;

**10. INFORMATION GATHERING**

- 10.1. The selected service provider will be expected to make contact with all the relevant officials and units within all spheres of government and other stakeholders of government or any entity holding information relevant to the project to obtain relevant information that will be required for the project when a need arises.
- 10.2. Existing information, which is available within the DRDLR Branch: Spatial Planning and Land Use Management will be made available to the appointed service provider during the execution of the project.
- 10.3. In the case where a letter to confirm and motivate for requesting information from the different spheres of government or parastatals is required, the Department will provide the requested letter.
- 10.4. Notwithstanding anything written in this terms of reference, the responsibility for collecting information necessary for the successful execution of the project remains entirely with the service provider.

**11. TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE BID**

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- 11.1. Awarding of the bid will be subject to the Service Provider's express acceptance of the DRDLR Supply Chain Management general contract conditions.
- 11.2. The DRDLR and successful Service Provider(s) will sign a Service Level Agreement upon appointment. Such a Service Level Agreement will include the following:
  - a) Period of agreement;
  - b) Project objectives and scope;
  - c) Staffing;
  - d) Project plan and project plan management;
  - e) Budget;
  - f) Cost and fee payment;
  - g) Method of communication;
  - h) Reporting relationship;
  - i) Deliverables and terms of deliverables;
  - j) Form and formats of working papers;
  - k) Reviews;
  - l) Uncompleted work;
  - m) Confidentiality;
  - n) Disputes; and
  - o) Financial penalties and termination of contract.
- 11.3. The service provider should submit an acceptance letter and be available to commence with the project within five (5) days after signing the service level agreement.
  - 11.3.1. During the execution of the project, the service provider is required to give reports on the progress of the project (monthly). It is the responsibility of the service provider to organise the progress report meetings and have one of their representatives assigned to taking minutes of all meetings.
- 11.4. Project team members must be available for the duration of the project, the service provider is not allowed to change the composition without prior consent of the DRDLR.
- 11.5. Any deviation from the project plan should be put in writing and signed by the project manager of DRDLR.

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- 11.6. Any suggestions during the progress meetings, once accepted by both parties, shall form part of the contract.
- 11.7. Payments will be on work-completed basis i.e. on set milestones as per the project plan.
- 11.8. Financial penalties will be imposed for agreed upon milestones, targets, and deadline not met without providing:
- a) Timely notification of such delays.
  - b) Reasons for the delays.
  - c) Supporting evidence that the delays were outside of the influence of the service provider.
- 11.9. Payment will **ONLY** be made as per deliverables and upon **SATISFACTION** of good and quality product. Therefore, original invoices submitted for payments must be submitted for payment with relevant supporting documents. No copies or e-mailed invoices will be processed.
- 11.10. Financial penalties will be imposed if the outputs produced do not meet the agreed upon deliverables criteria as stipulated in the General Conditions of Contract.
- 11.11. Original invoices to substantiate all costs must be provided. The invoices should include the Department of Rural Development and Land Reform order number that will be provided to the selected service provider upon acceptance of the proposal.
- 11.12. When DRLR accepts the final product, the appointed service provider will be liable to correct errors and fill gaps that may be discovered in the data/project, at no charge to DRDLR. This condition will apply for a period of one month from the day the project was completed and submitted to DRDLR.
- 11.13. The Department reserves the right not to appoint anyone.

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- 11.14. No material or information derived from the provision of the services under the contract may be used for any other purposed except for those of the DRDLR, except where duly authorized to do so in writing by the DRDLR.
- 11.15. Copyright in respect of all documents and data prepared or developed for the purpose of the project by the Service Provider shall be vested in DRDLR.
- 11.16. The successful Service Provider agrees to keep confidential all records and information of, or related to the project and not disclose such records or information to any third party without the prior written consent of DRDLR.

**12. MANDATORY REQUIREMENTS**

**NB:** Failure to submit the following requirements with the quote will disqualify the bidder's proposal:

- 12.1. Original 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.
- 12.2. A Resolution authorizing a particular person to sign the bid documents.
- 12.3. The project leader must be registered with South African Council for Planners (SACPLAN) and in good standing in terms of the Planning Profession Act, 2002 as a Professional Planner (**a Copy of valid certificate and a letter of good standing must be attached**).
- 12.4. This bid is for: Bidders that are EME or QSE which is at least 51% owned by black people (attach a valid copy of your B-BBEE Certificate or a sworn affidavit as prescribed by the B-BBEE Codes of Good Practice).
- 12.5. Submission of separate sealed technical offer (Functionality proposal) and separate sealed detailed financial offer (Fully completed pricing Schedule accompanied by an 18 months costing breakdown).

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**13. REPORTING AND ACCOUNTABILITY**

- 13.1. All team members must be available for the duration of the project and the service provider is not allowed to change the composition without prior consent of the department.
- 13.2. During the execution of the project, the service provider will be required to submit monthly progress reports and attend meetings at intervals as it will be determined by the project team or steering committee managing the project.
- 13.3. All information captured and or used to generate the outputs of the project remains the property of DRDLR, and must be handed over in its totality when the project is closed. DRDLR will retain copyright and all associated intellectual rights thereof. This document together with all agreements to be or reached during the course of the project become part of the contract. The information must be captured and provided in a digital format as agreed (in writing) between the service provider and DRDLR. This agreement must be reached and signed off together with the project plan before the project commences.

**14. EVALUATION CRITERIA**

- 14.1. The 80/20 preference points system as prescribed in the Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act (PPPFA) will be applied to evaluate this bid. 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.
- 14.2. This bid shall be evaluated in two stages. On first stage, bids will be evaluated on functionality, second stage in accordance with 80/20 preference points system as stipulated above.
- 14.3. **First Stage-Evaluation of Functionality**

The evaluation of the functionality will be evaluated individually by Members of Bid Evaluation Committee in accordance with the below functionality, criteria and values. The applicable values that will be utilized when scoring each criteria ranges from 1

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**being poor, 2 being average, 3 being good, 4 being very good and 5 being excellent**

The service provider must score a minimum of 3 on criteria stated below.

The Bids that fail to achieve a minimum of 70 points out of 100 points for functionality will be disqualified. This means that such bids will not be evaluated on second stage (Preference Points System)

**Table 4**

<b>CRITERIA</b>	<b>GUIDELINES FOR CRITERIA APPLICATION</b>	<b>WEIGHT</b>	
<p><b>1. Capability:</b> Team leader experience, track record and competency</p>	<p>Team leader must be a registered Town Planner with project management experience plus a minimum of 10 years' working experience in a spatial planning environment: <b>Attach copy of a certificate and CV's clearly indicating a detailed profile of the previous work experience, contactable references of similar work undertaken - List names, addresses, telephone numbers, fax numbers and e-mail</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. a registered Town Planner with a certificate in project management plus more than 12 years 'working experience in a spatial planning environment - <b>Excellent (score 5)</b></li> <li>2. a registered Town Planner with project management experience plus more than 10 to 12 years 'working experience in a spatial planning environment - <b>Very Good (score 4)</b></li> <li>3. a registered Town Planner with project management experience plus 10 years' working experience in a spatial planning environment - <b>Good (score 3)</b></li> <li>4. a registered Town Planner with project management experience plus 8 to less than 10 years' working experience in a spatial planning environment - <b>Good (score 2)</b></li> <li>5. a registered Town Planner with project management experience plus less than 8 years' working experience in a spatial planning environment - <b>Good (score 1)</b></li> </ol>	<p>10</p>	<p>20</p>



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CRITERIA	GUIDELINES FOR CRITERIA APPLICATION	WEIGHT	
	<p>Team leader must have successfully managed minimum of 2 Similar projects in the past 5 years. Attach short profile clearly demonstrating successful Completion of previous projects, contactable References: List names, addresses, telephone numbers, fax numbers and e-mail</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. 4 or more in the past 5 years - <b>Excellent (score 5)</b></li> <li>2. 3 projects in the past 5 years - <b>Very Good (score 4)</b></li> <li>3. 2 projects in the past 5 years - <b>Good (score 3)</b></li> <li>4. 1 projects in the past 5 years - <b>Average (score 2)</b></li> <li>5. 0 project in the past 5 years - <b>Poor (score 1)</b></li> </ol>	10	
	<p>Composition of technical team to be utilized in the execution of the project consist of the below professions:</p> <p><b>Attach copies of qualifications and CV's clearly indicating a detailed profile of their previous work experience, Contactable References of similar work undertaken- List names, addresses, telephone numbers, fax numbers and E-mail numbers, fax numbers and e-mail.</b></p>		
	<p><b>Composition of the technical team</b> to be utilized in the execution of the project consist of a minimum of 3 Planners registered as professionals with SACPLAN with 7 years post qualification experience in spatial planning and land use management (<b>Attach copies of certificate and CV's clearly indicating a detailed profile of their previous work experience (VALID CERTIFICATE AND A LETTER OF GOOD STANDING MUST BE ATTACHED).</b>)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) One (1) Planner registered with SACPLAN with minimum 7 years post qualification experience in spatial planning and land use management –<b>Poor = 1</b></li> <li>2) Two (2) Planners registered with SACPLAN with minimum 7 years post qualification experience in spatial planning and land use management – <b>Average = 2</b></li> <li>3) Three (3) Planners registered with SACPLAN with minimum 7 years post qualification experience in spatial planning and land use management –<b>Good = 3</b></li> </ol>	20	30

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	<p>4) Four (4) Planners registered with SACPLAN with minimum 7 years post qualification experience in spatial planning and land use management - <b>Very good= 4</b></p> <p>5) Five (5) Planners registered with SACPLAN with minimum 7 years post qualification experience in spatial planning and land use management – <b>Excellent = 5</b></p>		
	<p><b>Economist: Degree</b> in Economics or Development Economics/ Urban Economics <b>and</b> 5 years' post qualification relevant experience</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Degree plus more than 8 years' post qualification relevant experience - <b>Excellent (score 5)</b></li> <li>2. Degree plus more than 5 to 8 years' post qualification relevant experience - <b>Very Good (score 4)</b></li> <li>3. Degree plus 5 years' post qualification relevant experience – <b>Good (score 3)</b></li> <li>4. Degree plus/not occupying Degree plus 3 to 4 years' post qualification relevant experience – <b>Average (score 2)</b></li> <li>5. Degree /not occupying Degree plus less than 3 years' post qualification relevant experience - <b>Poor (score 1)</b></li> </ol>	5	
	<p><b>Professional Geographic Information Specialist:</b> Bachelor Degree or BTech GIS and other plus Registration with SAGC. (A Copy of a valid certificate and a letter of good standing must be attached).</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Master's degree plus Registration with SAGC - <b>Excellent (score 5)</b></li> <li>2. Hons Degree plus Registration with SAGC - <b>Very Good (score 4)</b></li> <li>3. BCom - plus Registration with SAGC <b>Good (score 3)</b></li> <li>4. Diploma plus Registration with SAGC - <b>Average (score 2)</b></li> <li>5. Certificate plus Registration with SAGC - <b>Poor (score 1)</b></li> </ol>	5	

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	<p><b>Professional Geographic Information Specialist:</b> 3 years' post qualification experience in mapping and analysis</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Qualification/not occupying a qualification <b>plus</b> More than 5 years' post qualification relevant experience - <b>Excellent (score 5)</b></li> <li>2. Qualification <b>plus</b> More than 3 to 5 years' post qualification relevant experience - <b>Very Good (score 4)</b></li> <li>3. Qualification <b>plus</b> 3 years' post qualification relevant experience – <b>Good (score 3)</b></li> <li>4. Qualification <b>plus</b> Less than 3 to 2 years' post qualification relevant experience – <b>Average (score 2)</b></li> <li>5. Qualification <b>plus</b> Less than 2 years' post qualification relevant experience – <b>Poor (score 1)</b></li> </ol>	5	15
	<p><b>Infrastructure Specialist:</b> proof of registration with ECSA plus 5 years' post qualification experience in Specializing in Infrastructure and Transport planning. (a copy of a valid registration certificate and letter of good standing must be attached)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Qualification, More than 8 years' post qualification relevant experience plus Registration with ECSA- <b>Excellent (score 5)</b></li> <li>2. Qualification, More than 5 to 8 years' post qualification relevant experience plus Registration with ECSA- <b>Very Good (score 4)</b></li> <li>3. Qualification, 5 years' post qualification relevant experience plus Registration with ECSA – <b>Good (score 3)</b></li> <li>4. Qualification//not occupying a qualification, Less than 5 to 3 years' post qualification relevant experience plus Registration with ECSA– <b>Average (score 2)</b></li> <li>5. Qualification/not occupying a qualification, Less than 3 years' post qualification relevant experience plus Registration with ECSA- <b>Poor (score 1)</b></li> </ol>	5	

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	<p><b>Environmental Specialist:</b> BSc or Bachelor degree or <b>Degree</b> in Environmental Sciences/ Environmental management and 5 years' post qualification experience in Environmental Sciences/ Environmental management/ Environmental Planning</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <b>Degree</b> plus more than 8 years' post qualification relevant experience - <b>Excellent (score 5)</b></li> <li>2. <b>Degree</b> plus more than 5 to 8 years' post qualification relevant experience - <b>Very Good (score 4)</b></li> <li>3. <b>Degree</b> plus 5 years' post qualification relevant experience – <b>Good (score 3)</b></li> <li>4. <b>Degree/not</b> occupying a Degree plus less than 5 to 3 years' post qualification relevant experience – <b>Average (score 2)</b></li> <li>5. <b>Degree/not</b> occupying a Degree plus less than 3 years' post qualification relevant experience - <b>Poor (score 1)</b></li> </ol>	5	
CRITERIA	GUIDELINES FOR CRITERIA APPLICATION	WEIGHT	
<p><b>Methodology</b></p>	<p>Clear approach and methodology of how the project deliverables will be executed</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Methodology and proposed plan does not outline the requirements as specified in the ToR – <b>Poor = 1</b></li> <li>2. Methodology and proposed plan inadequately and poorly address requirements in the ToR – <b>Average = 2</b></li> <li>3. Methodology and proposed plan adequately address most of the requirements in the ToR – <b>Good = 3</b></li> <li>4. Methodology and proposed plan adequately specified all requirements in the ToR and is acceptable for implementation - <b>Very good= 4</b></li> <li>5. Methodology and proposed plan exceptionally specifies the manner in which the project will be delivered and indicate additional value adds– <b>Excellent = 5</b></li> </ol>	20	25

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CRITERIA	GUIDELINES FOR CRITERIA APPLICATION	WEIGHT	
	<p>A project plan demonstrating a coordinated approach of how various project deliverables will be managed against timeframes.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Proposed time frames <i>do not outline</i> the requirements. Poor (<b>score 1</b>)</li> <li>2. Proposed time frames <i>inadequately and poorly</i> meet requirements. Delays unlikely to have a significant impact on the outcome. Average (<b>score 2</b>)</li> <li>3. Proposed time frames <i>adequately address most</i> meet requirements. Good (<b>score 3</b>)</li> <li>4. Proposed time frames <i>adequately address all</i> meet requirements. Good (<b>score 4</b>)</li> <li>5. The service provider proposes innovative solutions to deliver the project ahead of schedule and <i>exceptionally</i> meet requirements. Excellent (<b>score 5</b>) ahead of schedule. Excellent (<b>score 5</b>)</li> </ol>	5	
	<p>Approach to the development of the stakeholders engagements</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Methodology and proposed plan does not outline the requirements as specified in the ToR –<b>Poor = 1</b></li> <li>2. Methodology and proposed plan inadequately and poorly address requirements in the ToR – <b>Average = 2</b></li> <li>3. Methodology and proposed plan adequately address most of the requirements in the ToR – <b>Good = 3</b></li> <li>4. Methodology and proposed plan adequately specified all requirements in the ToR and is acceptable for implementation - <b>Very good= 4</b></li> <li>6. Methodology and proposed plan exceptionally specifies the manner in which the project will be delivered and indicate additional value adds– <b>Excellent = 5</b></li> </ol>	10	<b>10</b>

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<b>CRITERIA</b>	<b>GUIDELINES FOR CRITERIA APPLICATION</b>	<b>WEIGHT</b>
		100

The Bids that fail to achieve a minimum of 70 points for functionality will be disqualified and will not be invited for the second stage of evaluations in accordance with 80/20 preference points system as stipulated above.

**15.4. Second Stage - Evaluation in terms of 80/20 Preference Points System**

Only bids that achieve the minimum qualifying score for functionality will be evaluated further in accordance with the 80/20 preference points system.

**15.5. Calculation of points for price**

The PPPFA prescribes that the lowest acceptable bid will score 80 points for price. Bidders that quoted higher prices will score lower points for price on a pro-rata basis.

**15.6. Calculating of points for B-BBEE status level of contribution**

Points will be awarded to a bidder for attaining the B-BBEE status level of contribution in accordance with the **table 5** below:

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

15.7. Bidders must submit original and valid B-BBEE Status Level Verification Certificate or certified copies thereof. In order to claim the B-BBEE points in accordance with the

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above table of B-BBEE Status Level of Contributor, Bidders must submit any of the following proof of B-BBEE Status Level Verification Contributor;

- B-BBEE Status level certificate issued by an authorized body or person;
- A sworn affidavit as prescribed by the B-BBEE Codes of Good Practice;
- Any other requirement prescribed in terms of the B-BBEE Act;

**NB:** Bidders who do not submit B-BBEE Status level verification certificates 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 zero (0) points out 20 for B-BBEE.

15.8. A trust, consortium or joint venture will qualify for points for the B-BBEE status level as an unincorporated entity, provided that the entity submits their consolidated B-BBEE scorecard as if they were a group structure and that such a consolidated BBEE scorecard is prepared for every separate bid. Any bid that is qualified by the bidders own conditions will automatically be disqualified

15.9. Any suggestions during the progress meetings, once accepted by both parties, shall form part of the contract. It is expected that the consultant will regularly effect all recommended amendments before the plan or document is resubmitted to relevant stakeholders. *The Department of Rural development and Land Reform reserves the right not to award the bid to any service provider, or to various Service Providers.*

**16. PROJECT MANAGEMENT WITHIN DRDLR**

16.1 This project will be facilitated by a team consisting of officials from the Department of Rural Development and Land Reform (DRLDR) and any other person/s appointed by DRDLR.

**17. OUTCLAUSE**

17.1. The Department of Rural Development and Land Reform reserves the right not to appoint if suitable candidates are not found, at the complete discretion of the Department.

17.2. The department reserves the right to terminate the contract in the event that there is clear evidence of non-performance.

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**18 PUBLICATION**

18.1 21 days advertisement.

18.2 Tender Bulleting

**19. CONTACT PERSON FOR TECHNICAL ENQUIRIES**

All enquiries related to this bid call must be forwarded to:

**CHIEF DIRECTORATE: SPATIAL DEVELOPMENT PLANNING  
DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND LAND REFORM  
PRIVATE BAG X833  
PRETORIA  
0001**

Attention: **Ngodiseni Solly Musetha**

Telephone: 012 312 9435

Email: [Ngodiseni.Musetha@drdlr.gov.za](mailto:Ngodiseni.Musetha@drdlr.gov.za)

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**BIDS Unit**

**(012) 312 9518**

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***NB: THERE WILL BE NO BRIEFING SESSION.***

**CLOSING DATE: 27 JUNE 2019 @ 11:00**

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EMAIL : [Tshepo.Mlambo@drdlr.gov.za](mailto:Tshepo.Mlambo@drdlr.gov.za) / [Pfarelo.Makhado@drdlr.gov.za](mailto:Pfarelo.Makhado@drdlr.gov.za)

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NAME OF BIDDER: .....BID NO.: **RDLR -0012**  
CLOSING TIME: **11:00**

OFFER TO BE VALID FOR 90 DAYS FROM THE CLOSING DATE OF BID.

ITEM NO <u>TAX</u>	DESCRIPTION	BID PRICE IN RSA CURRENCY INCLUSIVE OF <u>VALUE ADDED</u>
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Bid Initials .....  
Bid's Signature.....  
Date:.....

**PRICING SCHEDULE FORM**

1. The accompanying information must be used for the formulation of proposals.
2. Bidders are required to indicate rates based on the total Estimated cost for all the activities and including expenses inclusive of VAT for the project.
- 3 **TOTAL BID PERCENTAGE** R.....

DELIVERABLE	COST PER PHASE	TIMEFRAME	COST PRICE YEAR 1	COST PRICE YEAR 2
<b>Phase 1:</b> Inception report	5%	<b>0.5 months (2 week)</b>	R.....	R.....
<b>Phase 2:</b> Regional Situational Analysis and Regional Spatial Vision and Development Principles	20%	<b>4 months (16 weeks)</b>	R.....	R.....
<b>Phase 3:</b> Draft Vaal River RSDF	30%	<b>6 months (24 weeks)</b>	R.....	R.....
<b>Phase 4:</b> Consultation on Draft Vaal River RSDF	25%	<b>5 months (20 weeks)</b>	R.....	R.....
<b>Phase 5:</b> Final Comprehensive Vaal River RSDF	15%	<b>2 months (8 weeks)</b>		
<b>Retention</b>	5%		R.....	R.....
<b>TOTAL COST EXCLUDING VAT</b>				
<b>VAT 14%</b>				
<b>TOTAL COST INCLUDING VAT</b>				

**NB: prices must be fixed for the duration of the contract.**

5. Period required for commencement with project after acceptance of bid  
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6. Estimated man-days for completion of project  
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7. Are the rates quoted firm for the full period of contract?  
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8. If not firm for the full period, provide details of the basis on which adjustments will be applied for, for example consumer price index.  
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Name of Bidder: .....

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Any enquiries regarding bidding procedures may be directed to the –

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- 1.1. **Supply Chain Management Enquiries**  
**Mr. Kopano Ntsoane**  
**Senior Supply Chain Practitioner**  
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