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| **To whom it may concern** | **Date** | **04 November 2025** |
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Dear Sir/Madam

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| **Request for Enquiry Number** | **E2028GXPOU & E2030GXPOU** |
| **Description** | **E2028GXPOU - The supply and delivery of Consumables on an “as and when” required basis for a period of 5 years to Peaking Sites – Submission Deadline Date 13/11/2025 E2030GXPOU - The supply and delivery of Groceries on an “as and when” required basis for a period of 5 years to Peaking Sites – Submission Deadline Date 14/11/2025** |
| **Tender Questions Closing Date** | **5 working day before Tender Closing** |

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| **Item** | **Questions** | **Answers** | **Clarity Published Dates** |
|  | SECTION B:  ITEM 10: CANNED CHICKEN which brand and size is referred to ?  SECTION C  ITEM 24: POWERED MILK (BULK PACKS) – is this sachet you need  ITEM 25 HOT CHOCOLATE is this sachet  ITEM 26 SUGAR SACHETS – Is this 5kg or 10kg  SECTION D  ITEM 29 : PURIFIED WATER is this 20L INCLUDING THE BOTTLE OR JUST THE REFILL  SECTION E:  ITEM 31: INSTANT SOUP – is this the box of 10 or 60  ITEM 32: INSTANT NOODLES is this the box of 40 x (5x70g) | 410grams (not brand specified, generic or no name brand, suppliers can tender on any brand they can offer)  Revised BOQ for groceries is attached to address questions on quantities etc., if not answered, price for quantities and volumes and specify what quantity or volume is tendered for, for cost comparison and evaluation purposes.  The first delivery will be the Bottle included, thereafter refills. (Bottles must be able to fit on Water Cooler)  If the Bottle Breaks, it will have to be replaced with another bottle, so please specify the mark – up % on the Bottle if not included in price list.  Revised BOQ for groceries is attached to address questions on quantities etc., if not answered, price for quantities and volumes and specify what quantity or volume is tendered for, for cost comparison and evaluation purposes | 04/11/2025  04/11/2025  04/11/2025  04/11/2025 |
|  | Does it count if you supply once of above R50 000? | Unfortunately Proof of 6 months and above Experience in supply and delivery of Consumables and/or Groceries of the magnitude of R50 000.00 or more for 2 or 3 contracts or orders, is at least required. | 04/11/2025 |
|  | For Groceries some items you did not include sizes can you please clarify e.g powder milk etc | Revised BOQ for groceries is attached to address questions on quantities etc., if not answered, price for quantities and volumes and specify what quantity or volume is tendered for, for cost comparison and evaluation purposes | 04/11/2025 |
|  | I would like to inquire about the technical requirements for your tenders, which often include the need for previous references. This can make it challenging for emerging small businesses to participate.    I kindly request Eskom to consider creating opportunities for startups and small business owners by allowing alternative qualifying options or introducing upfront payment support. Such initiatives would greatly empower small businesses and promote inclusive participation in Eskom’s procurement opportunities. | Unfortunately, the evaluation criterion cannot be relaxed and upfront payments are not done. | 04/11/2025 |
|  | If we tender, do we have to tender for all the sites or can we just tender for the ones we deliver in? | Tenderers can tender for one sites or all sites. | 04/11/2025 |
|  | Clarity seeking on peaking site that if the company is based in Limpopo as an example where there's no peaking site as stated, is the company to be considered? | All Suppliers are welcome to submit bids, but the price/rates to include transport and delivery to the various or specific sites tendered for. | 04/11/2025 |
|  | For instance – black bags – indicated as 100 – so will price on a 100 roll.  But like the Ziplock bags- they come in packs of 10/20/100/1000 etc- so not sure what “bulk is referred to”  Same with the batteries – they come in different pack sizes  Rags- 5kg bag, a bundle is 25kg, so will this be referring to kg’s or bags? or pallets?  So I’m unsure what to insert by the quantities to indicate how much the “bulk” is referring too, or if I can just put the quantities that I consider as Bulk into the qty section on the sheet so that you know the exact amount of items in the “bulk” packaging?  Below the items I need clarification on please, | Revised BOQ for groceries is attached to address questions on quantities etc., if not answered, price for quantities and volumes and specify what quantity or volume is tendered for, for cost comparison and evaluation purposes.  A revised price list for consumables will also follow to address the question raised. In the meantime, in the absence of the revised price list for consumables, Tender rates for 100 for Ziplock bags or batteries or wooden stirrers and crockery, and specify the size of quantities tendered for, and this can be clarified after tendering and 5kg bags for rags, as this can also be clarified and confirmed after tendering. | 04/11/2025 |
|  | |  | | --- | | Section D: Crockery & Utensils (Basic Only) | | Stainless steel cutlery (forks, knives, teaspoons – bulk packs) | | Standard ceramic mugs (white, bulk) | | Basic ceramic plates (standard, side plates) | | Wooden stirrers (bulk packs) | | Section E: Miscellaneous Consumables | | Zip lock bags (100 x 150mm bulk) | | Rags (cotton, bulk packs) | | Batteries (AA, alkaline) | | Batteries (AAA, alkaline) | | A revised price list for consumables will also follow to address the question raised. In the meantime, in the absence of the revised price list for consumables, Tender rates for 100 for Ziplock bags or batteries or wooden stirrers and crockery, and specify the size of quantities tendered for, and this can be clarified after tendering and 5kg bags for rags, as this can also be clarified and confirmed after tendering.  Tender for 50 and 100 packs and specify what quantity is tendered for in order to quantify the per item price when doing evaluations. | 04/11/2025 |
|  | Please see attached updated list for the grocery contract addressing the issues/queries that the Suppliers had in our clarification meeting.  The Consumables will be addressed as soon as possible. | If all queries are not addressed, please send a follow up query or question, so this can be addressed in writing. | 04/11/2025 |