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ESKOM HOLDINGS SOC LTD

INVITATION TO TENDER (ITT)

FOR

Maintenance inspection and supplemental treatment of utility wood poles for Limlanga Cluster on an “as and when” required basis within a period of sixty (60) months.

Tender number	LP00193ML
Issue date	13 December 2024
Closing date and time	13 February 2025 at 10h00
Tender validity period	16 weeks from the closing date and time
Clarification meeting	<p>A non-compulsory clarification meeting with representatives of the <i>Employer</i> will take place as follows:</p> <p>Date: 20 January 2025 Time: 10h00 a.m.</p> <p>Tenderers interested to participate in the clarification meeting through online Microsoft teams must click on the link below:</p> <p><u>Join the meeting now</u></p> <p>Meeting ID: 320 454 380 305</p> <p>Passcode: M8xK746h</p>
Tenders are to be delivered to the following address by the stipulated closing date and time	Eskom Holding SOC Ltd The Tender Office Limlanga Cluster -Limpopo Millennium Building 90 Hans Van Rensburg Street Polokwane

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Invitation to Tender

Eskom Holdings SOC Ltd (hereinafter “Eskom”) invites you to submit a *tender* for the **maintenance inspection and supplemental treatment of utility wood poles for Limlanga Cluster on an “as and when” required basis within a period of sixty (60) months.**

The enquiry documents are supplied to you on the following basis:

1. Free of charge

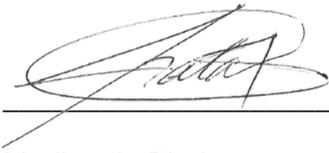
Eskom has delegated the management of this enquiry to the Eskom Representative whose name and contact details are set out in the Tender Data. The submission of a tender by you in response to this enquiry will be deemed as your acceptance of the Eskom Standard Conditions of Tender which may be accessed at www.eskom.co.za.

Tender documentation can be downloaded from the following:

- <http://tenderbulletin.eskom.co.za>
- www.etenders.gov.za

All queries and clarifications relating to the enquiry documents must be addressed in writing to the Eskom Representative. No query or clarification may be addressed to any Eskom official other than the Eskom Representative.

Yours faithfully



Madimetja Phalane

Procurement Manager, Limlanga Custer- LOU

Date: 13/12/2024

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1.1 Annexures to the Tender

The documents listed in this paragraph are attached to this enquiry.

Number	Description	Annexure	Attached (Y / N / N/A)
1.1.1	*Authorisation Form	Annexure A	Y
1.1.2	*Acknowledgement form	Annexure B	Y
1.1.3	*Tenderer's particulars	Annexure C	Y
1.1.4	*Integrity Declaration Form (refer to www.eskom.co.za for the Supplier Integrity Pact that suppliers are required to download and read)	Annexure D	Y
1.1.5	*CPA Requirements for Local Goods/Services	Annexure E	Y
1.1.6	*CPA(IG) for Foreign Goods/Services (if applicable)	Not applicable	N
1.1.7	SBD 6.2 Declaration Certificate for Local Production and Local Content (only applicable if designated materials are included and then Tenderers will be required to complete and submit Annexures F1 to F4 as evidence of compliance with this requirement). Annexure C Local Content Declaration-Summary Schedule Annexure D Imported Content Declaration – Supporting Schedule to Annexure C Annexure E Local Content Declaration-Supporting Schedule to Annexure C	Annexure G1 Not applicable Annexure G2 Annexure G3 Annexure G4	N
1.1.8	*SBD 1 Invitation to Bid must be filled out by all tenderers and submitted with the tender at tender submission deadline	Annexure H	Y
1.1.9	*SBD 6.1 Preference Points Claim Form in terms of PPPFA 2022 regulations	Annexure I	Y
1.1.10	*SBD 4 – Bidders Disclosure	Annexure J	Y
1.1.11	Tax Evaluation questionnaire to determine whether a company, close corporation (CC) or Trust is a personal service provider for purposes of PAYE	Attached Separately	Y

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1.1.12	Reverse e-auction training acknowledgement form (if applicable)	Not applicable	No
1.1.13	Reverse e-auction process (if applicable)	Not applicable	N
1.1.14	CIDB Contract Skills Development Goals (CSDG) (if applicable)	Not applicable	N
1.1.15	Contract Participation Goals (CPG) (if applicable)	Not applicable	N
1.1.16	Scope of Work	Attached Separately	Y
1.1.17	NEC	Attached Separately	Y
1.1.18			
1.1.19	Non-Disclosure agreement (NDA)	Attached Separately	Y
1.1.20	Eskom Standard conditions of tendering Rev.10	Attached Separately	Y
1.1.21	240-121690759: Limplanga Cluster Environmental Requirements	Attached Separately	Y
1.1.22	240-12248652 Category 3 (Rev 7) _List of Tender Returnable Documents	Attached Separately	Y
1.1.23	240-109253302- Quality Control Plan / Inspection and Test Plan (QCP/ITP)	Attached Separately	Y
1.1.24	240-68099512- (Rev 9) Form A Tender Contract Quality Requirements for 240-105658000 and Quality Requirements for ISO 9001 Standard.	Attached Separately	Y
1.1.25	240-109253698- Contract Quality Plan.	Attached Separately	Y
1.1.26	240-105658000 _Supplier Quality Management Specification for reference only (do not return).	Attached Separately	Y

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1.2. Tender Data

The Tender Data makes several references to the Eskom Standard Conditions of Tender and in those instances, the clause numbers are referenced hereunder. If the Eskom Standard Conditions of Tender are not attached to the enquiry, then tenderers are required to download this from www.eskom.co.za. The “Tender Data” as detailed herein shall take precedence over the Standard Conditions of Tender in the event of any ambiguity or inconsistency between the two documents.

Clause Number from Standard Conditions of Tender	Tender Data
1.1 Parties	The <i>Employer</i> is Eskom Holdings SOC Ltd The Eskom <i>Representative</i> is: Name: Maropene Leshabana Tel: 013 693 2948 E-mail: LeshabML@eskom.co.za
1.3 Enquiry documents	The Invitation to tender number is: LP00193ML . See the content list above for the enquiry documents.
1.4 Type of enquiry	This enquiry is: An open invitation to tender.
1.6 Eskom's rights to accept or reject any tender	The tender shall be for the whole of the contract. Tenderers will be ranked by applying the preferential point scoring for the 80/20 system. Eskom will add the score from Pricing and Specific Goals together and rank the suppliers from the highest to the lowest.
2.1 Eligibility	Tenderers (whether a single company or an incorporated or unincorporated joint venture or consortium) must meet the eligibility criteria stated in the Tender Data. The tenderer, or any of its principals, must not be under any restriction to do business with Eskom or State-Owned Companies. <u>Tenderers are ineligible to submit a tender if:</u> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Tenderers have the nationality of a country on any international sanctions list. A tenderer shall be found to have the nationality of a country if the tenderer is a national or is constituted, incorporated, or registered and operates in conformity with the provisions of the laws of that country. This criterion shall also apply to the determination of the nationality of proposed subcontractors or suppliers for any part of the Contract including related services. 2. Tenderers submit more than one tender either individually or as a partner in a joint venture or consortium.

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	<p>3. Tenders submitted by a joint venture or consortium where the JV/consortium agreement does not explicitly state that the parties of the JV or consortium shall be jointly and severally liable for the execution of the Contract in accordance with the Contract terms.</p> <p>4. A Tenderer must not have a conflict of interest. All Tenderers found to have a conflict of interest shall be disqualified. Prima facie evidence that a tenderer has a conflict of interest with one or more parties in this tendering process is:</p> <p>(a) they have a controlling partner or majority shareholder in common; or</p> <p>(b) they have a relationship with each other, directly or through common third parties, that puts them in a position to have access to information about or influence on the tender of another tenderer, or to influence the decisions of the Employer regarding this bidding process;</p> <p>5. Tenders signed by non- authorised persons.</p> <p>6. Any tenderer that is restricted by National Treasury.</p> <p>7. Any tenderer on the Tender Defaulters list.</p> <p>8. A tenderer that sub-contracts 100% of the Scope of Work.</p> <p>Eskom will disqualify tenderers that are found not to have met the eligibility criteria.</p>
2.2 -2.5 Tender Closing	<p>The deadline for Tender submission is: Date 13 February 2025 Time 10h00 Late Tenders will not be accepted. Tenders are to be submitted to the Eskom <i>tender box</i> at the following physical address: THE TENDER OFFICE Eskom Holding SOC Ltd The Tender Office Limlanga Cluster -Limpopo Millennium Building 90 Hans Van Rensburg Street Polokwane</p> <p>MARKED: CONFIDENTIAL TENDER NO: LP00193ML</p>
2.9 Submitting a tender -Original tender and copy	<p>The tenderer must submit a complete original tender in paper form, plus one (1) complete copy of the original tender, also in paper form, at tender submission deadline. If an original tender is not submitted at all, or a copy of the original tender is not submitted at all, the tenderer will be disqualified.</p> <p>If required, the tenderer must submit an additional copy of the original tender in the specified electronic form at tender submission deadline.</p>
2.12 Tender Validity Period	<p>The tender validity period is sixteen [16] weeks:</p>

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2.15 Site visit and/or clarification meeting	<p>A non-compulsory clarification meeting with representatives of the <i>Employer</i> will take place as follows: Date: 20 January 2025 Time: 09h00am Venue: Tenderers interested to participate in the clarification meeting through online Microsoft teams must click on the link below:</p> <p>Join the meeting now</p> <p>Meeting ID: 320 454 380 305</p> <p>Passcode: M8xK746h</p>
2.16 Seeking clarification	The tenderer will notify Eskom of any clarifications required before the closing time for clarification queries, which is five [05] working days before the deadline for tender submission.
2.22 Alternative tenders	Alternative tenders are not allowed .
2.32 Cataloguing	The successful tenderer may be required to provide the cataloguing information per item after contract award and will need to ensure that all materials delivered to Eskom are labelled in line with Eskom's labelling specifications as may be stipulated by Eskom. Where cataloguing is a requirement, the Pricing Schedule must also include a line item for cataloguing, which tenderers are required to quote for. Eskom will pay for the cataloguing.
2.33 Provision of Security for Performance	<p>The following forms of security are required for this enquiry:</p> <p>Will be detailed in the NEC3 Term Service Contract (TSC3)</p> <p>If the provision of security for performance in the form of a performance bond or a demand guarantee is a requirement, the tenderer must select a minimum of two (2) financial institutions that it is likely to approach from the list provided of Eskom-approved financial institutions.</p>
3.4 Tender Opening	<p>The deadline for tender submission is:</p> <p>Date: 13 February 2025 Time: 10h00 Late Tenders will not be accepted.</p> <p>Tenders are to be submitted to the Eskom <i>tender box</i> at the following physical address: Eskom Holding SOC Ltd The Tender Office</p>

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3.5 Prices to be read out or not	Prices will not be read out .												
3.9 Basic Compliance	Basic compliance with this enquiry requires a tenderer to meet all the following requirements: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Meet the eligibility criteria; 2. Submit a complete original tender with commercial, financial and technical information; 3. Submit the original tender in paper form, plus a copy of the original, also in paper form; and 4. Submit the mandatory commercial tender returnables at the stipulated deadlines. 												
3.10 Mandatory tender returnables	A tenderer that does not submit mandatory documents or the complete information required in mandatory documents by the deadlines stipulated in the Tender Returnable section will be deemed non-responsive.												
3.12 Functionality requirements	Functionality requirements are applicable . The following criteria will be applicable for this transaction under functionality criteria: <table border="1" data-bbox="595 1191 1493 1435"> <thead> <tr> <th>Criteria</th> <th>Weight</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Technical Training competency</td> <td>20%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Vehicle Requirements</td> <td>10%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Equipment and Tools</td> <td>60%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Handling and application of Chemicals (boron rods and gel/paste wrap) used to treat poles</td> <td>10%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Threshold</td> <td>100%</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> Tenderers who do not meet the threshold for functionality scoring will be disqualified.	Criteria	Weight	Technical Training competency	20%	Vehicle Requirements	10%	Equipment and Tools	60%	Handling and application of Chemicals (boron rods and gel/paste wrap) used to treat poles	10%	Threshold	100%
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3.14 Evaluation of Price	Prices will be evaluated as follows: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Inclusive of VAT; 2. Corrected for arithmetical errors; 3. Excluding contingencies in any bill of quantities or activity schedule; 4. Adjusted for any other acceptable variations, deviations, or alternative tenders submitted; and 												

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	<p>5. Making a comparison of the Net Present Value of each adjusted tender based on the tendered programme (if provided) and prices, on the estimated effect of Price Adjustment Factors and rate of exchange fluctuations (if applicable) and on other evaluation parameters relating to uncertainty and risk, where applicable.</p> <p>6. Unconditional discounts will be taken into account for evaluation purposes.</p> <p>7. Conditional discounts will not be taken into account for evaluation purposes but will be implemented when payment is effected.</p> <p>Prices will be scored out of 80 points</p>
3.16 Evaluation of Specific Goals	<p>Specific goals will be scored out of 20 points in accordance with the PPPFA.</p> <p>If a tenderer fails to submit evidence of its points claim for a Specific Goal, it will not be disqualified. However, it will be awarded 0 points for that Specific Goal.</p>
3.17 Ranking of tenders	<p>Tenderers will be ranked by applying the preferential point scoring for the 80/20 system. Eskom will add the score from Pricing and Specific Goals together and rank the suppliers from the highest to the lowest.</p> <p>Twelve (12) highest scoring tenderers will qualify for the panel provided they attain the necessary authorization as previously stated. Should more than Twelve contractors be tied in scoring the following will be applied to achieve the required 12:</p> <p>After the scoring and ranking of tender for panel establishment the following shall apply to break deadlock:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If two or more tenderers score an equal total number of points, the contract must be awarded to the tenderer that scored the highest points for specific goals. • If two or more tenderers score equal total points in all respects, the award must be decided by the drawing of lots.
3.18 Objective Criteria (if applicable)	<p>Objective criteria are not applicable.</p> <p>Please note that Eskom may award the contract to a tenderer other than the highest scoring if objective criteria justify the award.</p>
3.19 Reverse e-auction (if applicable)	<p>Reverse e-auction is not applicable.</p>

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Contractual Requirements	<p><u>Mandatory Contractual Requirements</u> (prior to award).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Proof of CSD registration <p>The following additional Contractual requirements will be applicable to the tender:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Quality • Environmental • Commercial statutory documents. • Safety (Only Section B of Annexure C 1: SHE Tender Returnable) <p>Legal Requirement Safety (Only Section A of Annexure C 1: SHE Tender Returnable)</p> <p>Contractual Requirements are not evaluation criteria. They will be assessed after the evaluation and ranking of the tenders. Proof that the tenderer recommended for award has met the stipulated contractual requirements must be submitted prior to contract award.</p> <p>Failure to meet stipulated Contractual Requirements by the stipulated deadlines may result in the tenderer being regarded as non-responsive and ineligible for contract award.</p>
3.22 Sign form of Agreement/ Contractual Conditions	The conditions of contract will be the NEC 3 Term Service Contract (TSC) .
2.28 CIDB Requirements (where applicable for Engineering and Construction Works Contracts)	CIDB Requirements are not applicable

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Please note:

Tenderers are requested to bear in mind Eskom's standard payment terms as stipulated hereunder when submitting tenders and concluding contracts with Eskom:

For contracts valued below R50 000 000 (Fifty Million Rand) including VAT, Eskom is committed to paying Suppliers within 30 days of receipt of undisputed invoices.

For contracts valued above R50 000 000 (Fifty Million Rand) including VAT, Eskom is committed to paying suppliers within 60 days of receipt of undisputed invoices.

Eskom reserves the right to negotiate with preferred bidders after a competitive bidding process or price quotations should the tendered prices not be market-related.

Main contractors/ suppliers are discouraged from subcontracting with their subsidiary companies as this may be interpreted as subcontracting with themselves and / or using their subsidiaries for fronting. Where a main contractor subcontracts with a subsidiary, this must be declared in its tender documents.

A report containing a list of potential sub-contractors may be drawn by accessing the following link: www.csd.gov.za

“proof of B-BBEE status level of contributor” means-

- (a) the B-BBEE status level certificate issued by an authorised body or person; or
- (b) a sworn affidavit as prescribed by the B-BBEE Codes of Good Practice; or
- (c) any other requirement prescribed in terms of the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act

1.2 TENDER RETURNABLES

The tenderer must submit the returnable set out hereunder as part of its tender at the stipulated deadline.

NOTE THE FOLLOWING: -

*** Returnables required at Tender closing (disqualifiable): -**

These returnables are required to be fully completed, signed (if required on the returnable) and submitted with the tender at Tender closing date and time. If not fully completed, signed (if required on the returnable) and/or submitted by tender closing, the tenderer will be disqualified.

**** Returnable required at Tender closing (non-disqualifiable): -**

These returnables are required to be fully completed, signed (if required on the returnable) and submitted with Tender at Tender closing date and time; however, if not submitted by Tender closing, or submitted with incomplete information or without a required signature, the

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Procurement Practitioner will, in writing, request the tenderer to submit the returnable within 5 working days. If the returnable is not fully completed, signed if required and/or received by the Procurement Practitioner within 5 working days of the request, the tenderer will be disqualified.

The 5 working days period does not apply to CIDB proof of grading. Refer to the returnable table the prescribed period for CIDB proof of grading.

Returns required at Tender Closing date and time for evaluation: -

These returnables are required to be submitted at tender closing date and time. These returnables will not be requested by the Procurement Practitioner. A tenderer that does not submit the required returnable at stipulated deadline or submits an incomplete returnable; will not be disqualified but will score zero.

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Reference	Returnable From Suppliers	Returnable required at Tender closing (disqualifiable)*	Returnable required at Tender closing. (Non-disqualifiable) **	Returnable required prior to Contract Award.
Basic Compliance	Original tender plus one copy, both in paper form	√		
Annexure A	Authorisation Form	√		
Annexure B	Acknowledgement Form		√	
Annexure C	Tenderers Particulars		√	
Annexure D	Integrity Pact Declaration form		√	
Annexure E	CPA for local goods/services (if applicable)	√		
Annexure F	CPA(IG) for imported goods/services (if applicable)	Not applicable		
Annexure G1-G4	SBD 6.2 -Declaration certificate for local production and content and Annexures G2,G3,G4 [only applicable where designated materials are included]	Not applicable		
Annexure H (applicable for all suppliers including Foreign suppliers)	SBD 1- to be completed and submitted by all tenderers.		√	
# Annexure I	SBD 6.1- Preference Points Claim Form in terms of PPPFA 2022 regulations			
Annexure J	SBD 4 – Bidders Disclosure		√	
Reverse e-auction training acknowledgement form (if applicable)		Not applicable		
Additional Documents required in event of JV:-	Letter of intent to form a JV/consortium or Valid joint venture agreement confirming the rights and obligations of each of the joint venture partners and their profit-sharing ratios.		√	
	Separate written confirmation that the joint venture will operate as a single business entity (incorporated) for the duration of the contract or this		√	

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	may be included as an obligation within the JV agreement.			
	Details and confirmation of a single designated bank account in the name of the JV and independent of the individual JV partners, as set out in the joint venture agreement.			√
# Specific Goals	A tenderer's failure to submit proof that it meets the specific goals will not result in its disqualification. The tenderer will, however, be scored zero for Specific Goals for purposes of PPPFA scoring and ranking.			
Tax Clearance Certificates	A certified copy of a tax clearance certificate is required from foreign tenderers (with a footprint in South Africa but that are not registered on CSD and have not provided a SARS pin number) and local tenderers (that have not provided their SARS e-filing PIN number for verification by Eskom and/or their CSD profile / CSD number). Foreign suppliers with no footprint in South Africa must complete the SBD1 document; however, no proof of tax compliance is required.			√
Tax Evaluation Questionnaire (if services contract and was included as annexure)	Evaluation questionnaire to determine whether a company, close corporation (CC) or Trust is a personal service provider for purposes of PAYE			√
Compliance with Employment Equity Act	To the extent that the tenderer falls within the definition of a "designated Employer" as contemplated in the Employment Equity Act 55 of 1998, the tenderer is required to furnish the Employer with proof of compliance with the Employment Equity Act, including proof of submission of the Employment Equity report to the Department of Labour. (South African tenderers only)			√
CIDB (where applicable)	Valid proof of the required CIDB grading designation for the main contractor; JV and /or sub-contractor as may be required in the tender data at tender closing deadline or within 21 working days from the closing date of submission of tenders if this is agreed with the Employer	Not applicable		
NEC or other Contract	Acceptance of the Rates on NEC Pricing Schedule (BOQ) and Contract data.	√		
Pricing schedule	Completed pricing schedule (if not already submitted in the NEC or other Contract).	Not applicable		

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Additional documents required (ECSA/ SACPCMP/CVs/ permits/licenses/ specific registration documents (if applicable to scope of work))		√		
	MANDATORY CONTRACTUAL REQUIREMENTS SUPPORTING EVIDENCE			
Mandatory Contractual Requirement	Proof of valid and current CSD Registration (CSD number/CSD Report)			√
	ADDITIONAL CONTRACTUAL REQUIREMENTS SUPPORTING EVIDENCE			
Safety	COIDA - Original certificate of good standing or proof of application issued by the Compensation Fund (COID) or a licensed compensation insurer (South African tenderers only)			√
Quality	Tender Returnable <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 240-12248652 Category 3 (Rev 7) _List of Tender Returnable Documents • 240-68099512-(Rev 9) Form A Tender Contract Quality Requirements for 240-105658000 and Quality Requirements for ISO 9001 Standard. • 240-109253302- Quality Control Plan / Inspection and Test Plan (QCP/ITP). • 240-109253698- Template for a Typical Contract Quality Plan. Reference document <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 240-105658000 _Supplier Quality Management Specification for reference only (do not return). 			√
Other safety/quality documents as required per scope of works	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➢ Annexure C1 – Attachment ➢ Annexure B- Acknowledgement of Eskom Rules and Documents. SHE Specifications			√

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Environmental	240-121690759: Limplanga Cluster Environmental Requirements			√												
Due Diligence/financial analysis	<p>Audited Financial Statements of the tenderer for the previous 18 months, or to the extent that such statements are not available, for the last year.</p> <p>In the case of a joint venture or special purpose vehicle (SPV) specially formed for this tender, audited financial statements for each participant in the JV / SPV must be submitted.</p> <p>Start-up enterprises formed within the last 12 months are not required to submit audited financial statements, but if successful in this enquiry; will be required to furnish statements for the first year once available.</p>	Not applicable														
	DOCUMENTS REQUIRED UNDER FUNCTIONALITY/TECHINICAL CRITERIA															
Functionality/Technical [required for evaluation /scoring]	Functionality <table border="1" data-bbox="437 992 1114 1270"> <thead> <tr> <th>Criteria</th> <th>Weight</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Technical Training competency</td> <td>20%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Vehicle Requirements</td> <td>10%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Equipment and Tools</td> <td>60%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Handling and application of Chemicals (boron rods and gel/paste wrap) used to treat poles</td> <td>10%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Threshold</td> <td>100%</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Criteria	Weight	Technical Training competency	20%	Vehicle Requirements	10%	Equipment and Tools	60%	Handling and application of Chemicals (boron rods and gel/paste wrap) used to treat poles	10%	Threshold	100%	√		
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Technical Requirement

Technical tender evaluation procedure

This document is specific to maintenance inspection and supplemental treatment of utility wood poles. The evaluation method has two main parts:

- Desktop evaluation, and
- Equipment and vehicle assessment.

Eskom will perform a desktop evaluation and equipment assessments to assess the ability and readiness of the tenderer to provide the specified services to Eskom.

1.1 Desktop evaluation

This evaluation exercise is performed by the Eskom evaluating representatives. This part of the evaluation starts when submissions are opened for the first time. The technical desktop evaluation will be evaluated as follows: the mandatory criteria and then proceeds to functional criteria as outlined in Annex A.

The Eskom assessment representatives will go through the details of the returnable submissions that are required and will ensure that mandatory / gatekeeper qualification criteria are met.

Only submissions that pass all mandatory / gatekeeper requirements will proceed to the functional criteria evaluation phase. Scoring for functional criteria will be assessed out of 100 points. A minimum final score of 80% will have to be met before proceeding to the next stage.

Shortfalls identified during the scoring evaluation must be resolved prior to contract recommendation stage. Eskom will notify the tendering company of the deficiencies and the tendering company will have 30 days to respond demonstrating the required actions have been addressed and there must be supporting evidence where required. This is only applicable to the tenderers who have achieved the minimum 80% Threshold.

Equipment and Tools list (presented in Annexure C) is part of the tender returnable and will be used for the desktop evaluations.

1.2 Equipment and vehicle assessment

This assessment will be performed to assess the tenderer's capability to enter a contract with Eskom with respect to the provision of maintenance, inspection and supplemental treatment of utility wood poles.

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The assessment will be performed by the Eskom representative/s only on tenderers who have passed desktop evaluation.

Annex B of this document will be used to assess vehicles and equipment.

1.2.1 Scope

Eskom procurement representative will arrange a scheduled assessment with the tenderer that has qualified for equipment and vehicle assessment. At the arranged Eskom premises, the Eskom assessment representative(s) will conduct the assessment through the use of Annexure B of this document.

Annex B is used to verify capability of the tenderer to provide the required service and compliance to the equipment specification and tender submission documents. At the end of this exercise, the Eskom assessment representative(s) will list all the deviations on the evaluation document. At the end of the assessment, Eskom representative/s and the Tenderer representatives will sign the assessment document which shall continue to be used for concluding the Technical Evaluation report.

1.2.2 Assessment Purpose

Assessments are performed as part of standard practice within Eskom to determine whether a tenderer has the capability and capacity to provide maintenance inspection and supplemental treatment of utility wood poles, from a business, technical and quality perspective. The assessment also confirms the tenderer's compliance to the equipment specification and tender submission documents. This section of this document is intended to formalise equipment and vehicle assessment procedure for the provision of maintenance inspection and supplemental treatment of utility wood poles.

1.2.3 Confidentiality

All information reviewed, observed, recorded during and reported as a result of this assessment will be treated as, and shall remain, confidential.

1.2.4 Equipment and Vehicle Assessment Methodology

The assessment will follow a documented tenderer capability and capacity assessment criteria as shown in Annex B. These criteria are intended to assess the technical capabilities of the tenderer to ensure that they meets the tender requirements.

Annex B will be scored out of 100 points with the minimum passing score being 80%. The tenderer that score less than 80% will not be evaluated further. The tenderer that meet the minimum threshold of 80% will be evaluated further. However, the tenderer that scores 80% or above will be given a formal notice and thereafter a period of thirty days to correct all shortcomings that are required to get them to a 100%. If the shortcomings are not corrected

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within the given time period, then the tenderer will be disqualified. . This means that any shortcomings need to be rectified prior to contract award.

2. Authorisation

This document has been seen and accepted by:

Name and surname	Designation
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3. Revisions

Date	Rev	Compiler	Remarks
Nov 2021	1	P. Meruti	New Document number change to a report Document revised to align with the latest Task Manual: 240-133791951 Error! Reference source not found.
June 2022	2	P. Meruti	Mandatory technical requirement 1.1.4 removed
August 2022	3	P. Meruti	Scoring criteria amended
March 2023	4	P. Meruti	Removed mandatory technical requirement 1.1.2 Moved the mandatory technical requirement 1.1.3 to scoring criteria Removed mandatory technical requirement 1.1.5 Removed The Technical Schedule A & B Added The Equipment and tools List Updated Equipment and Vehicle assessment criteria Made Mandatory and scoring criteria as well as Equipment and vehicle assessment much clearer.

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**Annex A – Technical evaluation criteria for desktop evaluation
(mandatory and scoring)**

Specifications Referred to	SANS 10324:2007, TM: 240-133791951
Voltage Class Referred to	LV, MV and HV

Mandatory (Compulsory) Technical Requirements		
Criteria and returnable	Compliance Required	Qualification Criteria
<p>1.1.1 Criterion: Does each inspector (minimum of two inspectors) have a valid inspection competency training from a training institution that uses the latest revision of Task Manual -240-133791951: Maintenance inspection and supplemental treatment of treated wood utility poles for their training material?</p> <p>Returnable: Tenderer to submit valid certified copies of the above certificate for each inspector.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Copies of certificates must be certified by a commissioner of oaths; the commissioning must be clearly legible, and the commissioning date must not be older than three months prior to the tender closing date. Certificates that have expired prior to tender closing date will not be accepted as valid. <p>If inspectors have attended the training and have successfully passed, however, the certificates are not available at the time of tender submission, then supply a letter from a training institution confirming the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The letter must be on the training institution letterhead The inspector's name and ID number and the name of the employing company Achievement of modules against the Task Manual -240-133791951 The assessment mark achieved by the inspector The pass mark for the training assessment Confirmation that the inspector met the minimum competency requirement and will be receiving the certificate from the training institution The expiry date of certificate The letter must include the training institution authorised representative name, signature and contact details. <p>PLEASE NOTE THAT SUPPLYING NO CERTIFICATE OR NO LETTER WILL LEAD TO IMMEDIATE DISQUALIFICATION.</p>	Yes	Mandatory

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<p>1.1.2 Criterion: Is your supplier of the chemical used for supplemental treatment of wood poles, registered with the Department of Agriculture? For the supply of Paste/ Gel Wrap - for external treatment and Preservative boron rods - for internal treatment.</p> <p>Returnable: Tenderer to submit a proof in terms of an official letter/certificate from your chemical supplier stating that the chemical used is registered with the Department of Agriculture.</p> <p>PLEASE NOTE THAT SUPPLYING NO LETTER/CERTIFICATE WILL LEAD TO IMMEDIATE DISQUALIFICATION.</p>	Yes	Mandatory
<p>1.1.3 Criterion: Is the Equipment and Tools List completely filled out?</p> <p>Returnable: Tenderer to submit a fully completed Equipment and Tools List</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Equipment and Tools List is in Annex C of this Document <p>FAILURE TO SUBMIT THE FULLY COMPLETED EQUIPMENT AND TOOLS LIST WILL LEAD TO IMMEDIATE DISQUALIFICATION</p>		

Scoring/Rating (only submission that passes Mandatory gatekeepers)		
2.1 Technical Training competency – weight 20 points		
Activity	Weight	Score
<p>2.1.1 Criterion: Has each certified inspector (as submitted in the mandatory requirements 1.1.1) completed ALL of the following modules of the Operating Regulations for High Voltage Systems (ORHVS) from Eskom or external accredited training provider?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The list of external accredited training providers can be obtained by sending a request for the list to facilitators@eskom.co.za ORHVS HVA 001 HV Environment and Regulations awareness ORHVS HVO 01 Access ORHVS HVO 02 Responsible Person <p>Returnable: Tenderer to submit valid certified copies of the above training certificates for each inspector.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Copies of certificates must be certified by a commissioner of oaths; the commissioning must be clearly legible, and the commissioning date must not be older than three months prior to the tender closing date. Certificates that have expired prior to tender closing date will not be accepted as valid. 	20	0 – No or no answer 10 – for 1 valid certificate 20 – for 2 valid certificates

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<p>If inspector/s have attended the training and have successfully passed, however, the certificates are not available at the time of tender submission, then supply a letter from the training institution confirming the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The letter must be on the training institution letterhead • The inspector's name and ID number and the name of the employing company • Confirmation of modules achieved • The assessment mark achieved by the inspector • The pass mark for the training assessment • Confirmation that the inspector met the minimum competency requirement and will be receiving the certificate from the training institution • The expiry date of certificate • The letter must include the training institution authorised representative name, signature and contact details 		
2.2 Vehicle Requirements – weight 10 points		
<p>2.2.1 Criterion: Are suitable vehicles (4x4, 4x2 or AWD) available to carry out the allocated inspections and treatment of wood poles in all types of terrain? (In terms of transporting equipment and people).</p> <p>Requirement: A minimum of two vehicles</p> <p>Returnable: Tenderer to submit ownership document/s (vehicles to be registered in the name of the tendering company or in the name of the director/ member/ shareholder of the tendering company</p> <p>OR</p> <p>Rental agreement on the letterhead from a bonafide rental company. The letter must indicate the number and type of vehicles available for hire</p>	10	0 – No or no answer 5 – for 1 compliant vehicle 10 – for 2 compliant vehicles
2.3 Equipment and Tools – weight 60 points		
<p>Criterion: Ownership or hiring (hiring applicable only to 2.3.1 and 2.3.3) of equipment and tools listed below</p> <p>Requirement: A minimum of two items each for equipment or tools listed from 2.3.1 to 2.3.5</p> <p>Returnable: Tenderer to submit the fully completed and signed equipment and tools list (refer to annex C for template of equipment and tools list to be completed and submitted) for the following equipment and tools:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Equipment and tools list to be signed by the authorised tenderer's representative <p>2.3.1 Electronic recording device with a GPS function and capable of loading the latest Eskom data dictionary. (minimum of two recording device required in order to obtain a full score)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If hired, the tenderer must submit the rental agreement on the letterhead from a bonafide rental company. The letter must indicate the number and device description available for hire. <p>2.3.2 All hand tools (minimum of two required per item in order to obtain a full score)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • shovels, • picks, • hammers, • minimum 10kg stamper, 	10	0 – No or no answer 5 – for 1 compliant recording device 10 – for 2 compliant recording devices
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> pliers, shell gauges, diameter tapes check scrapers full set of 6mm number & letter punches Paint brushes 	2 2 2 2 2 2 2	0 – No or no answer 1 – for 1 compliant tool 2 – for 2 compliant tools (total points for 2.3.2 is 20)
2.3.3 Minimum of 2 petrol powered drilling machines (with spares of 12 mm diameter drill bits, which are at least 300 mm long) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> If hired, the tenderer must submit the rental agreement on the letterhead from a bonafide rental company. The letter must indicate the number and drilling machine description available for hire. 	10	0 – No or no answer 5 – for 1 compliant drilling machine 10 – for 2 compliant drilling machines
2.3.4 Minimum of 2 First aid kits	10	0 – No or no answer 5 – for 1 compliant First aid kit 10 – for 2 compliant First aid kits
2.3.5 Minimum of 2 Fire extinguishers	10	0 – No or no answer 5 – for 1 compliant Fire extinguisher 10 – for 2 compliant Fire extinguishers
2.4 Handling and application of Chemicals (boron rods and gel/paste wrap) used to treat poles – weight 10 points		
2.4.1 Criterion: Training requirements for handling and application of Chemicals used to treat wood poles Returnable: Tenderer to submit valid certified copies of certificates (for a minimum of 2 inspectors) of the training for the handling and application of these chemicals. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Copies of certificates must be certified by a commissioner of oaths; the commissioning must be clearly legible, and the commissioning date must not be older than three months prior to the tender closing date. Certificates that have expired prior to tender closing date will not be accepted as valid. 	10	0 – No or no answer 5 – for 1 training certificate 10 – for 2 training certificates

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Annex B – Equipment and vehicle assessment criteria

No:	Question	Max Score	Criteria	Evidence and comments
1	Equipment and tools Requirements (minimum of 2 of each of equipment and tool is required)	70	XXX	XXX
1.1	Are check Scrapers (sharp triangular instruments used to externally probe the outside layer of the pole) identified?	10	If 2 check Scrapers are identified, 10 points awarded. If only 1 check Scraper is identified, 5 points awarded. If not identified, 0 points awarded.	
1.2	Are petrol fuelled drilling machines used to drill inspection and treatment holes on the poles identified?	15	If 2 drilling machines are identified, 15 points awarded. If only 1 drilling machine is identified, 7.5 points awarded. If not identified, 0 points awarded. (In the case of hiring, points will be awarded if the rental agreement is available at the time of assessment)	
1.3	Are twist type or auger type drill bits consisting of a long shank with a maximum cutting diameter of 12 mm, capable of drilling a hole at least 300 mm deep identified?	10	If 2 drill bits are identified, 10 points awarded. If only 1 drill bit is identified, 5 points awarded. If not identified, 0 points awarded.	
1.4	Are Shell Thickness Indicators (A tool that is designed specifically to extract wood	10	If 2 Shell Thickness Indicators are identified, 10 points awarded. If only 1 Shell Thickness Indicator is identified, 5 points awarded.	

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	fibre from the holes drilled, to probe for decay and insect attack and that shall be graduated in centimetres to measure the remaining shell thickness) identified?		If not identified, 0 points awarded.	
1.5	Are hand Compactors/ stampers used for compaction weighing not less than 10 kg identified?	10	If 2 hand compactors/ stampers are identified, 10 points awarded. If only 1 hand I compactor/ stamper is identified, 5 points awarded. If not identified, 0 points awarded.	
1.6	Are handheld recording devices that have GPS coordinate recording capability and the ability to load the latest Eskom data dictionary for reporting purposes identified?	15	If 2 recording devices are identified, 15 points awarded. If only 1 recording device is identified, 7.5 points awarded. If not identified, 0 points awarded. (In the case of hiring, points will be awarded if the rental agreement is available at the time of assessment)	
2	Vehicle Requirements (minimum of 2 vehicles required)	30	XXX	XXX
2.1	Do the vehicles used for carrying out the inspection and treatment of wood poles meet the Eskom basic vehicle-related requirements as per 32-345: Eskom	15	If 2 vehicles are identified, 15 points awarded. If only 1 vehicle is identified, 7.5 points awarded. If not identified, 0 points awarded.	

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No:	Question	Max Score	Criteria	Evidence and comments
	Vehicle Safety Specification Error! Reference source not found.?		(In the case of hiring, points will be awarded if the requirements of 2.2 are met)	
2.2	Provide proof of ownership in the form of a logbook registered in the company's name or the owner of the company's name. In case of a rental vehicle, the rental agreement shall be provided from bona-fide rental company.	15	If 2 documents are identified, 15 points awarded. If only 1 document is identified, 7.5 points awarded. If not identified, 0 points awarded.	

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Annex CEquipment and tools list (Page 1 of 2)

Tendering Company Name: _____

No	Criteria	<u>Requirement:</u> Minimum of 2 required Quantity	Tick Appropriate Box	
			OWNED	HIRED
1	Electronic recording device with a GPS function			
2	Petrol powered drilling machines			
3	Picks		✓	N/A
4	Hammers		✓	N/A
5	Hand compactors/ stampers weighing no less than 10kg		✓	N/A
6	Pliers		✓	N/A
7	Shell thickness indicators (shell gauges)		✓	N/A
8	Shovels		✓	N/A
9	Check scrapers		✓	N/A
10	Full set of 6 mm number & letter punches		✓	N/A
11	Paint brushes		✓	N/A
12	Diameter tapes		✓	N/A

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No	Criteria	<u>Requirement:</u> Minimum of 2 required Quantity	Tick Appropriate Box	
			OWNED	HIRED
13	12 mm twist type or auger type drill bits, which are at least 300 mm long		✓	N/A
14	First aid kits		✓	N/A
15	Fire extinguishers		✓	N/A

NOTE: The ticks (✓) reflected under the owned column indicate that the respective items MUST be owned by the tendering company and cannot be hired.

DECLARATION: I hereby confirm that the equipment and tools list above is a true reflection of the equipment and tools owned or hired by my Company.

I will also ensure that all equipment and tools will be enough to cater for multiple full teams and equipment and tools that require calibration will have valid calibration certificates before the execution of work.

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Quality Requirement

	Supplier Quality Management: List of Tender Returnables Documents	Unique Identifier	240-12248652
		Revision	7
		Effective Date	2022/01/26
		Specification	
Category 3 : Quality Requirements		Deliverables to be evaluated indicator = 1	
SECTION A : Quality Management System Requirements ISO 9001 (Option 1) Valid certification of Quality Management System by an ISO accredited body			
			Apply =1
A.1 Product / Service Scoping on ISO 9001 certificate is defined and relevant			0
A.2 Certificate by Approved and Authorized certification authority			0
A.3 Certification Authority has Recognized International Accreditation			0
A.4 Validity (expiry date) of certificate			0
Section A Score Option 1			0
SECTION A : Quality Management System Requirements ISO 9001 Objective evidence of documented QMS that is not certified but complies with ISO 9001			
			Apply =1
A.1 QMS Manual or a document that defines and describes the QMS and its scope			1
A.2 Quality Policy Approved by top management.			1
A.3 Quality Objectives Approved by top management.			1
A.4 Control of documented information (i.e. document and record control) Clause 7.5 of ISO 9001:2015			1
A.5 Documented information for Control of nonconforming outputs Clause 8.7 of ISO 9001:2015			1
A.6 Documented information for Nonconformity and Corrective action Clause 10.2 of ISO 9001:2015			1
A.7 Documented information for Internal audit Clause 9.2 of ISO 9001:2015			1
Section A Score Option 2			7
SECTION B : Evidence of QMS in operation (Tender Quality Requirements -Ref 240-105658000)			

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	Apply =1
B.1 Documented information for defined roles, responsibilities and authorities - Organization chart and Responsibility matrix (must include but not limited to quality management function/role) (Clause 5.3 of ISO 9001:2015)	1
B.2 Documented information for Control of Externally Provided Processes, Products and Services - Must include criteria for evaluation, selection, monitoring of performance, and re-evaluation of external providers (Clause 8.4 of ISO 9001:2015)	1
Section B Score	2
SECTION C: Contract Quality Plan Requirements (Ref 240-105658000 and 240-109253698). Draft Contract Quality Plan specific to the scope of work as described in the tender documents (Ref ISO 10005)	
	Apply (Yes=1)
NB! Draft Contract/Project Quality Plan has important QA deliverables	1
Section C Score	1
SECTION D: Quality Control Plan Requirements (Ref 240-105658000 or 240-109253302) QCP /Checklist/ ITP (Quality Control Plans) as per Scope of Works (Ref ISO 10005)	
	Apply = 1
NB! Draft/ Example of an Inspection and Test Plan (ITP) or Quality Control Plan (QCP) on similar and/ or previous work done	1
Section D Score	1
SECTION E: User defined additional Requirements & miscellaneous (Ref 240-105658000) Customer specific requirements & other standards and required can be listed and evaluated here	
	Apply (Yes=1)
E.1 Form A is completed and signed.	1
Section E Score	1

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Environmental Requirement

	Limlanga Cluster Environmental Evaluations	Document Identifier	240 - 121690759	Rev	3
		Effective Date	01 Nov 2022		
		Review Date	01 Nov 2027		

Services Offered:	Wood Pole Testing 2024
Company Name	

OBJECTIVE REQUIREMENTS		SCORE		COMMENTS
		YES/NO	ACTUAL (1 OR 0)	
1.	Environmental policy Environmental policy signed by top management (CEO / managing director), dated and version controlled.			
2.	Company organogram Company's organogram depicting an environmental representative.			
3.	Environmental appointment letter Appointment letter of the employee responsible for environmental issues within the company. Appointment letter to be accepted and dated.			
4.	Communication plan Company's communication plan / procedure on what, how & when relevant environmental issues will be communicated.			
5.	Emergency preparedness plan (EPP) Emergency preparedness procedure/plan for environmental emergencies with emergency contact details			

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6.	Environmental Incident/complaints register Incident/complaints register for environmental incidents			
7.	Waste Management Plan Waste management plan on how waste generated on site will be managed, to include where disposal occurs. Note: Disposal to be at licenced Municipal landfill sites			
8.	Environmental Aspect and Impact Register Aspect and impact register relevant to the services (activity related) tendered for.			
9.	Environmental management programme Environmental management programme related to the services (activity related) tendered for.			
10.	Environmental Awareness Training Valid Eskom's Environmental law certificate (within 3 years) and valid Pest Control Operator Certificate – these will be required post contract award (not required at this stage)			
score				

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SDL&I Requirement

Description/ Scope of Work	Pole Inspection and Treatment
Duration of the Project	5 Years

Section 1: Specific Goals

A maximum of 20 points may be awarded to a tenderer for the specific goal specified for the tender. The points scored for the specific goal must be added to the points scored for price and the total must be rounded off to the nearest two decimal places. Subject to section 2(1)(f) of the Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act, the contract must be awarded to the tenderer scoring the highest points.

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

NB: The following documents are required to claim preference points:

- Valid B-BBEE certificate issued by a SANAS accredited verification agency / sworn affidavit / CIPS affidavit
- Proof of ownership / shareholding (preferably CIPC documentation) inclusive of shareholding breakdown

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- Certified ID copies of shareholder(s)
- Proof of Disability (where applicable)

Tenderer failing to provide documentation for the allocation of preference points will not be disqualified, but:

- May only score point out of 80 for price
- Scores 0 points out of 20 for specific goals

Section 2: SDL&I Objectives in line with Reconstruction and Development Programme (RDP) Goals

Tenderers who complete and submit the objectives as required, but who do not meet Eskom's targets, will not be disqualified. SDL&I objectives do not form part of scoring but commitments will form part of contractual obligations

2.1 Transformation – BBEE Improvement or Retention Plan

Transformation remains an area of focus, where Eskom continuously strives to align itself with national transformation imperatives to unlock growth, drive industrialization, create employment and contribute to skills development.

Eskom encourages its suppliers to constantly strive to improve their B-BBEE rating. Whereas Tenderer/s will be allocated points in terms of a preference point system based on specific goals, Eskom also requests that tenderer/s submits their B-BBEE improvement or retention plan within 30 days of signing the contract.

Tenderer/s are therefore requested to indicate the extent to which they will maintain (only if the respondent is a Level 1) or may improve/maintain their B-BBEE status over the contract period if their B-BBEE status is level 2 or 3. Tenderer/s with a B-BBEE status level 4 at the time of contract award, shall migrate and achieve as a non-negotiable a milestone of B-BBEE Level 3 by the end of the first year of the contract and thereafter improve their B-BBEE status level or migrate by one level higher.

Tenderer/s with a B-BBEE recognition status of Level 5 to Level 8 or non-compliant at the time of contract award, shall migrate and achieve as a non-negotiable a milestone of Level 4 by the end of the first year of the contract and thereafter improve at least one B-BBEE Level higher of each year from the second year of the contract.

Tenderer/s are requested to submit their B-BBEE Improvement Plan as an essential document within 30 days of signing the contract.

NB: A valid B-BBEE certificate or Sworn Affidavit is a condition for contract award, if your company's annual Total Revenue is R10 Million or less you qualify as an Exempted Micro Enterprise therefore you can submit Sworn Affidavit. If your annual Total Revenue is R50 Million or less, you qualify as Qualifying Small Enterprise and must comply with all of the elements of QSE score card relevant to

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your sector unless an entity is at least 51% Black owned you are required to obtain a Sworn affidavit. If your Annual Total Revenue is above R50m you need to submit a Valid B-BBEE certificate

2.2 Jobs

Successful tenderers will be required to report on the number of jobs created and or retained as a result of this contract.

2.3 Skills Development

Tenderers will be required to submit proposals in the table below for developing the skills of unemployed candidates in the country. The composition of candidates shall be representative of the population demographics of South Africa.

Skill Type / Occupation	Eskom's Target	Tenderer's Proposal
SHE Officer	5 (1per annum)	

The process of developing these skills shall involve the participation by tenderers directly and through their supply network. In certain cases, the SETA's accredited training providers can be approached to participate in developing critical and scarce skills.

Note: That these targets for skills development candidates categorically exclude Eskom employees and registered learners. The tenderers are required to take full responsibility for the total cost of developing the requisite skills, and Eskom shall not make any financial contribution towards the fulfilment of this obligation. Tenderers also are advised to approach their relevant SETAs to access grants, subsidies, and incentives as well as South African Revenue Services for tax rebates that are earmarked for skills development initiatives.

Section 3: Market Research

The following information demonstrates market analysis and assisted in arriving at the targets above.

<u>Current Suppliers Providing the Services</u>	<u>Potential Suppliers</u>
Not applicable	Potential service providers will be identified through the open tender process of this transaction

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Section 4: General Information on Validity of Sworn Affidavits

The following must be considered when it comes to validity of Affidavits;

Tenderers submitting B-BBEE Sworn Affidavits must ensure that the affidavits meet the following key pointers to ensure their validity:

- Name/s of deponent as they appear in the identity document and the identity number.
- Designation of the deponent as the **director, owner** or **member** must be indicated in order to know that person is duly authorised to depose of an affidavit. **(Mark the applicable option).**
- Name of enterprise as per enterprise registration documents issued by the CIPC, where applicable, and enterprise business address.
- Percentage of black ownership, black female ownership and designated group. In the case of specialised enterprises as per Statement 004, the percentage of black beneficiaries must be reflected. **(No blank spaces to be left).**
- Indicate total revenue for the year under review and whether it is based on **audited financial statements** or **management account**. **(Mark the applicable option).**
- Financial year end as per the **enterprise’s registration documents**, which was used to determine the total revenue. **(Financial year end to be stipulated by day/month/year).**
- B-BBEE Status level. An enterprise can only have one status level. **(Tick applicable level)**
- Empowering supplier status must be indicated. For QSEs, the deponent must select the basis for the empowering supplier status.
- Date deponent signed and date of Commissioner of Oath must be the same. **(The sworn affidavit must be signed in the presence of the Commissioner of Oath. Furthermore the Commissioner must also sign and stamp)**
- Commissioner of Oath cannot be an employee or ex officio of the enterprise because, a person cannot by law, commission a sworn affidavit in which they have an interest.

Tenderer

Tenderer’s Representative:

Signature:

Date

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ANNEXURE A

AUTHORISATION FORM

Indicate the status of the *tenderer* by ticking the appropriate box below.

A COMPANY	B CLOSE CORPORATION	C PARTNERSHIP	D JOINT VENTURE	E SOLE PROPRIETOR	F TRUST

The *tenderer* must complete the appropriate certificate set out below for its category of organisation. If the *tenderer* is a company, close corporation, joint venture, or trust the *tenderer* must attach a certified copy the document that is proof of the contents of the certificate (resolution of the board of directors of a company, members’ resolution of a close corporation, power of attorney in the case of a joint venture, or resolution of the board of trustees of a trust). Note further that, in addition to completing the relevant certificate for category of organisation, the authorised representative of the *tenderer* is also required to complete and sign the table at the end of this Authorisation Form.

A. Certificate for company

I, _____, in my capacity as _____ of the board of directors of _____, hereby confirm that by resolution of the board taken on _____ (date), Mr/Ms _____, acting in his/her capacity of _____, is authorised to submit this tender on behalf of the company, and to sign all documents in connection with this tender and any contract that may result from it on behalf of the company. A certified copy of the resolution of the board is annexed to this Form.

Signed:	Date:
Name:	Position:

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B. Certificate for close corporation

I, _____, in my capacity as member of _____, hereby confirm that by majority vote of the members taken on _____ (date), Mr/Ms _____, acting in his/her capacity of _____, is authorised to submit this tender on behalf of the close corporation, and to sign all documents in connection with this tender and any contract that may result from it on behalf of the close corporation. A certified copy of the members' resolution is annexed to this Form.

Signed:	Date:
Name:	Position:

C. Certificate for partnership

We, the undersigned, being the **key partners** in the business trading as _____ hereby authorise Mr/Ms _____, acting in his/her capacity of _____, to submit this tender on behalf of the partnership, and to sign all documents in connection with the tender and any contract that may result from it on behalf of the partnership.

Name	Address	Signature	Date

NOTE: This certificate is required to be completed and signed by the full number of Partners necessary to commit the Partnership. Attach additional pages if more space is required.

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D. Certificate for Joint Venture

We, the undersigned, are submitting this tender offer in Joint Venture and hereby authorise Mr/Ms _____, an authorised signatory of _____, being the lead member in the Joint Venture, to sign all documents in connection with the tender and any contract that may result from it on behalf of all the members in the Joint Venture.

This authorisation is evidenced by the attached power of attorney signed by the legally authorised signatories of all the members in the Joint Venture.

We attach to this Form a certified copy of the Joint Venture Agreement which incorporates a statement that all members in the Joint Venture are liable jointly and severally for the execution of the contract, a term that indicates which member will be the lead member, and terms that indicate the ratios according to which work and payment will be divided amongst the members.

Name of JV member	Address	Authorised signature, name and capacity
Lead member		
Member		
Member		
Member		

NOTE: This certificate is required to be completed and signed by all members of the joint venture. Attach additional pages if more space is required.

E. Certificate for sole proprietor

I, _____, hereby confirm that I am the sole proprietor of the business trading as _____

Signed:	Date:
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Name:	Position: (Sole Proprietor)
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F. Certificate for trust

I, _____, in my capacity as _____ of the board of trustees of _____, hereby confirm that by resolution of the board of trustees taken on _____ (date), Mr/Ms _____, acting in his/her capacity of _____, is authorised to submit this tender on behalf of the trust and to sign all documents in connection with this tender and any contract that may result from it on behalf of the trust. A certified copy of the resolution of the board of trustees is annexed to this Form.

Signed:	Date:
Name:	Position:

NOTE: The table below must also be fully completed by all *tenderers* in addition to the certificate that was selected and completed above.

Name of tenderer:	
Full names of authorised signatory:	
Designation and capacity:	
Signature of authorised signatory	
Date of signature:	

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ANNEXURE B

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT FORM

We are in receipt of the Invitation to Tender from Eskom Holdings SOC Ltd and the following addenda issued by Eskom:

We confirm that the documentation received by us is: **(Indicate by ticking the box)**

Correct as stated in the Invitation to Tender Content List, and that each document is complete.

Or: Incorrect or incomplete for the following reasons:

Cataloguing Acknowledgement:

Please select the relevant statement by ticking the appropriate box below:

1. We agree to provide the cataloguing information as described in the enquiry
2. We have already supplied Eskom with the cataloguing information pertaining to this enquiry in a previous contract/order [**insert previous contract/order number**]
3. We do not intend to provide the required cataloguing information for the reasons stated hereunder:

4. We are a Distributor/Importer/Agent and our Principal, being the Original Equipment Manufacturer (OEM), is or is not [**delete whichever is not applicable**] in the position to supply cataloguing information for items. We attach the letter from the OEM confirming its position.

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Invitation to Tender No: **LP00193ML**

Name of Tenderer: _____

Country of registration: _____

Full names of contact person: _____

Contact details:

Tel (landline):
Cell phone:
e-mail address:

Name of tenderer:	
Full names of authorised signatory:	
Signature:	
Designation and capacity:	
Date:	

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ANNEXURE C

TENDERER'S PARTICULARS

The tenderer must furnish the following particulars where applicable:

Indicate the type of tendering structure by marking with an 'X' (where applicable provide registration number):	
Individual tenderer	
Unincorporated Joint venture (registration number for each member of the JV)	
Incorporated JV	
Other	

Please complete the following:

Name of lead partner/member in case of JV	
CIPC Registration Number or CIPC disclosure certificate (for individual companies and each JV member) or trust number.	
VAT registration number (for individual companies and each JV member)	
CIDB registration number (for individual companies and each JV member), contractor grading designation (for individual companies and each JV member) and combined cidb contractor grading designation (for JVs)	
Contact person	
Telephone number	
E-mail address	
Postal address (also of each member in the case of a JV)	
Physical address (also of each member in the case of a JV)	

If subcontractors are to be used, indicate the following for the main sub-contractor(s). Add to the list of applicable.

Name of contractor	
CIPC Registration number or CIPC disclosure certificate	
VAT registration number	
CIDB Registration number (if applicable) and CIDB grade specified for the sub-contractor as may be stipulated in the Tender Data	

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Proposed Scope of work to be done by sub-contractor	
Contact person	
Telephone number	
Fax number	
E-mail address	
Postal address	
Physical address	

1. If you are currently registered as a vendor with Eskom, please provide your Vendor registration number with Eskom. _____
2. If you are currently registered as a vendor on the National Treasury’s Central Supplier Database (CSD), please provide your supplier registration number with Treasury _____
3. Please note that it is not mandatory for you to be registered on National Treasury’s CSD at the time of responding to this tender. It is, however, a mandatory requirement that you be registered on CSD prior to award.
4. You may register online at National Treasury website on www.treasury.gov.za
5. If you are registered on SARS E-filing system, please provide your PIN number in order to verify your tax compliance status _____
6. If you are required to be tax compliant as per SBD 1 but are not registered on CSD (foreign suppliers) or have not provided your SARS E-filing PIN, please confirm that you have attached or will furnish a copy of a current valid tax compliance certificate as a tender returnable by contract award stage.

YES		NO	

7. **If sub-contracting is prescribed in the enquiry, tenderers must complete 7.1 to 7.9.**

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7.1 Confirm if you intend sub-contracting

YES	<input type="checkbox"/>	NO	<input type="checkbox"/>
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7.2 What percentage will you be sub-contracting? _____%

7.3 To whom do you intend sub-contracting? _____

7.4 Is the said sub-contractor registered on CSD?

YES	<input type="checkbox"/>	NO	<input type="checkbox"/>
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7.5 If yes to 8.4, please provide CSD number. _____

7.6 Please confirm B-BBEE level of said sub-contractor _____

7.7 Which designated group does the sub-contractor belong to:-

- a) An EME or QSE;
- b) An EME or QSE which is at least 51% owned by black people;
- c) An EME or QSE which is at least 51% owned by black people who are youth;
- d) An EME or QSE which is at least 51% owned by black people who are women;
- e) An EME or QSE which is at least 51% owned by black people with disabilities;
- f) An EME or QSE which is 51% owned by black people living in rural or underdeveloped areas or townships;
- g) A cooperative which is at least 51% owned by black people;
- h) An EME or QSE which is at least 51% owned by black people who are military veterans; or
- i) More than one of the categories referred to in paragraphs (a) to (h).

7.8 Please confirm that you have attached your signed intention to sub-contract document.

YES	<input type="checkbox"/>	NO	<input type="checkbox"/>
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7.9 Have you attached proof of sub-contractor's belonging to designated group?

YES	<input type="checkbox"/>	NO	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Name of tenderer:	
Full names of authorised signatory:	
Signature:	
Designation and capacity:	
Date:	

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ANNEXURE D

INTEGRITY DECLARATION FORM

Note: This returnable is required to be fully completed, signed and submitted by tenderers at the stipulated deadlines.

1 DECLARATION OF INTEREST

I/We understand that an employee of the State as defined in the Public Service Act of 1994 is prohibited from conducting business with any organ of state and from being a director of a public or private company that conducts business with an organ of state.

I/We understand that any natural/legal person, including any natural legal person related to an Eskom employee/director as per the definition of "related" set out hereunder, may submit a tender to Eskom. However, in order to establish whether a conflict of interest exists tenderers are required to declare such interest/relationships where:-

1. the *tenderer/s* employees/directors are also employees/contractors/consultants/ directors of Eskom.
2. the *tenderer/s* employees/directors are also employees/contractors/consultants or directors in another entity together with Eskom employees/consultants/contractors/ directors.
3. the *legal entity including its employees/contractors/ directors / shareholders /members /partners / owners* on whose behalf the tender documents are signed, is/are in some other way related to an Eskom employee/contractor/consultant/director involved in the tender specification/ tender evaluation/tender adjudication/negotiation.
4. the tenderer/s and one or more other tenderers in this tendering/RFP process have a controlling partner in common, or have a relationship with each other, directly or through common third parties, that puts them in a position to have access to information about or influence over the tender/proposal of another tenderer, or influence over the decisions of Eskom regarding the bidding process;

Related:

(1) When used in respect of two persons, means persons who are connected to one another in any manner contemplated below:

- (a) an individual is related to another individual if they-
 - (i) are married, or live together in a relationship similar to a marriage; or
 - (ii) are separated by no more than two degrees of natural or adopted consanguinity or affinity;

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- (b) an individual is related to a juristic person if the individual directly or indirectly controls the juristic person, as determined in accordance with the definition of control as set out in subsection (2) below; and
- (c) a juristic person is related to another juristic person if-
- (i) either of them directly or indirectly controls the other, or the business of the other, as determined in accordance with subsection (2) below;
 - (ii) either is a subsidiary of the other; or
 - (iii) a person directly or indirectly controls each of them, or the business of each of them, as determined in accordance with subsection (2) below.

“related person”, when used in reference to a directors/shareholders/members/partners/owners, has the meaning set out in 3.3.16, but also includes a second company of which the directors/shareholders/members/partners/owners or a related person is also a director directors/shareholders/members/partners/owners, or a close corporation of which the director or a related person is a member.

Control:

- (2) For the purpose of subsection (1) above, a person controls a juristic person, or its business, if-
- (a) in the case of a juristic person that is a company-
 - (i) that juristic person is a subsidiary of that first person, as determined in accordance with the Companies Act¹; or
 - (ii) that first person together with any related or inter-related person, is-
 - (aa) directly or indirectly able to exercise or control the exercise of a majority of the voting rights associated with securities of that company, whether pursuant to a shareholder agreement or otherwise; or
 - (bb) has the right to appoint or elect, or control the appointment or election of, directors of that company who control a majority of the votes at a meeting of the board;
 - (b) in the case of a juristic person that is a close corporation, that first person owns the majority of the members’ interest, or controls directly, or has the right to control, the majority of members’ votes in the close corporation;

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- (c) in the case of a juristic person that is a trust, that first person has the ability to control the majority of the votes of the trustees or to appoint the majority of the trustees, or to appoint or change the majority of the beneficiaries of the trust; or
- (d) that first person has the ability to materially influence the policy of the juristic person in a manner comparable to a person who, in ordinary commercial practice, would be able to exercise an element of control referred to in paragraph (a), (b) or (c) of subsection (2).

“To give effect to the provisions above, please complete the table hereunder with all required information.

Full Name & Capacity/ Position within tenderer (e.g. employee/Director/member/ owner/shareholder)	Identity Number	Confirm and provide details (including employee number) if you are an employee/consultant/ contractor and/or director of a State/State owned entity.	Full Names & Capacity/Position of Eskom employee/ consultant/contractor and/or director details of the relationship or interest (marital/ familial/personal/ financial etc.)	To your knowledge is this person involved in the specification/ evaluation/ adjudication/ negotiation of tenders?

If any employee/director/member/shareholder/owner of the tenderer/s is also currently employed by Eskom, state whether this has been declared and whether there is authorisation to undertake remunerative work outside public sector employment and attach proof to this declaration. _____
[Yes/No]

Do the tenderer/s and any other tenderer/s in this tendering/RFP process share a controlling partner or have any relationship with each other, directly or through common third parties? _____(
[Yes/No]

If Yes, attach proof.

2 DECLARATION OF FAIR TENDERING PRACTICES

The tenderer declares that it has taken all reasonable steps to address and prevent the exploitation of the procurement process and the use of any unfair tendering practices.

A tender/proposal will be disqualified if the tenderer/s, or any of its directors have:

1. abused Eskom’s procurement process (e.g. bid rigging/collusion); or
2. committed fraud or any other improper conduct in relation to such procurement process.

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Please complete the declaration with an 'X' under YES or NO

Item	Question	Yes	No
1.1	Is the tenderer/s or any of its shareholders/directors/members/partners/owners/trustees/beneficiaries listed on National Treasury's Database of Restricted Suppliers as companies/persons prohibited from doing business with the public sector. The Database of Restricted Suppliers can be accessed on the National Treasury's website (www.treasury.gov.za).		
1.2	Is the tenderer/s or any of its shareholders/directors/members/partners/owners/trustees/beneficiaries listed on the Register for Tender Defaulters in terms of section 29 of the Prevention and Combatting of Corrupt Activities Act (No 12 of 2004) The Register for Tender Defaulters can be accessed on the National Treasury's website (www.treasury.gov.za).		
1.3	Was the tenderer/s or any of its shareholders/directors/members/partners/owners/trustees/beneficiaries convicted by a court of law (including a court outside South Africa) of fraud and/or corruption in respect of any procurement/tendering processes/procedures during the past five years?		
1.3.1	If "Yes", provide details including a case number and a copy of the judgement.		
1.4	Was the tenderer/s or any of its shareholders/directors/members/partners/owners/trustees/beneficiaries prohibited from doing business with any International Financial/Lending Institution or Development/Funding Agency?		
1.5	Is there any history/record of the tenderer/s or any of its shareholders/directors/members/partners/owners/trustees/beneficiaries failing to meet their contractual obligation with the State or any State owned entity?		
1.5.1	If "Yes", provide details		

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3. DECLARATION OF SHAREHOLDING / BENEFICIARY INFORMATION

I, the undersigned _____ [Full names and Position] _____ hereby declare that I am the duly authorised representative of _____ [Name of Tenderer].

I further declare that the following individuals and/or entities listed hereunder are Shareholders / Beneficiaries in _____ [Name of Tenderer]:

Note that the information in the table below must be completed in full for each tenderer including incorporated JVs. If the tenderer is an unincorporated JV, the tables must be completed for each JV member. Please add additional rows if required.

Individuals:

Full Name	Identity Number	Shareholding Percentage / Beneficiary Share

Other Entities*:

Full Legal / Trading Name	Entity Registration Number/Trust Number	Shareholding Percentage / Beneficiary Share	Full name and surname of the /shareholders/ directors/ trustees/ beneficiaries of the shareholding entity	Identification Numbers of the shareholders/directors/ trustees/beneficiaries of the shareholding entity

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I declare that I have read and understood the provisions of the Supplier Integrity Pact, that all information furnished herein is true and correct, that it is understood that the tenderer's tender/proposal may be rejected, and that Eskom will act against the tenderer should any aspect of this declaration prove to be false, and

I give my consent for this information to be used for the purpose as described in this Integrity Declaration Form and/or in relation to the Supplier Integrity Pact, and

I further consent that information provided in terms of this Integrity Declaration Form may be processed for verification of conflicts of interest and other ancillary purposes by Eskom. Such processing may include the sharing of the information with third parties.

Name of Tenderer:	
Full names of authorised signatory:	
Signature:	
Designation and capacity:	
Date:	

Joint Ventures

I declare that I have read and understood the provisions of the Supplier Integrity Pact, that all information furnished herein is true and correct that it is understood that the JV's tender/proposal may be rejected, and that Eskom will act against the JV should any aspect of this declaration prove to be false; and

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ANNEXURE E

CONTRACT PRICE ADJUSTMENT (CPA) REQUIREMENTS FOR LOCAL GOODS AND SERVICES.

The application of contract price adjustment (CPA) to tender submissions

Note: This Section will not be applicable to Professional services contracts (See relevant section hereunder for guidelines on this).

1. Application of CPA

- CPA conditions may apply if the contractual duration is to be longer than 12 months.
- If the contractual duration will be less than or equal to 12 months, a fixed priced offer must be submitted.
- For contracts with a duration more than twelve (12) months, CPA will not be applicable for the first year. CPA will then only be applied from year two (2) onwards.
- Failure to propose contract price adjustment, or submit a CPA formula with the tender submission, will result in the pricing being considered fixed.
- Eskom will not accept Rate of Exchange adjustment to be included in any CPA formula.
- Local indices may not be used for CPA purposes for any imported component.
- There must be separate CPA formulae for local and foreign CPA. Local and foreign escalation may not be combined into one formula.

2. Tender Submissions

Eskom Proposed CPA breakdown for Local Goods and Service

Formula A						
<i>Index Reference</i>	<i>Proposed portions/Weightings of each index</i>	<i>Description of Index</i>	<i>Full Title of Index published as</i>	<i>Source Publisher of Index</i>	<i>Base Month</i>	<i>Base Price/Base Index Figure</i>
A1	85%	SEISFA Table C3				
A2						
A3						
	15%	<i>Fixed portion not subject to CPA</i>				
Total	100%					

Note: Tenderers to take note that, if the Eskom proposed CPA breakdown is not populated, they are required to refer to the Pricing Schedule in the NEC or other Contract or standalone Pricing Schedule for Eskom’s proposed CPA breakdown.

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Eskom CPA Conditions/Requirements

- Tenderers are required to submit CPA that is aligned to Eskom’s proposed CPA breakdown in this Tender; or Tenderers may submit an alternative CPA proposal from Eskom’s CPA proposal, and this will be considered if deemed acceptable to Eskom;
- Note that for contracts exceeding a duration of 12 months if there is no CPA catered for by the tenderer; then prices will be deemed to be fixed and firm.
- A minimum of 15% of the total agreement value is to be fixed when a CPA formula is applied,
- Each CPA formula must add up to a final total of 100.
- Only official published CPA indices that are in the public domain must be used.
- No in-house indices may be used for CPA.
- There may be more than 1 CPA formula (Formula A, B, C etc) or a combination of all the cost components into 1 Formula (depending on how the pricing is to be submitted.
- If there are specific line items for Labour and Transport, individual Formulae might be used.

Note: Eskom reserves the right to negotiate CPA terms and conditions during negotiations held with tenderers.

3. BASE DATE AND BASE PRICE

- In instances of indices or other references published monthly, the Base Date is to be the month before the month in which the Enquiry closes.
- In instances where the reference figures, e.g. market prices, are published daily or at intervals more than once a month; then the average for the month before the month in which the Enquiry closes should be used as the Base Price.

4. CPA FOR PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

- The preferred index to be used for adjusting these agreements is the country specific CPI Headline index.
- The price adjustment factor will be effective from each contractual anniversary of the contract date. This must be the average of the country specific CPI Headline index figures published for the last twelve-month period (cycle) ending before the contract anniversary date.

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Closing date of tender:	
Name of tenderer:	
Full names of authorised signatory:	
Signature:	
Date of signature:	

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ANNEXURE F (Not applicable)

CPA (IG) REQUIREMENTS FOR FOREIGN GOODS AND SERVICES

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- Eskom will not accept Rate of Exchange adjustment to be included in any CPA formula.
- Local indices may not be used for CPA purposes for any imported component.
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A3						
	15%	<i>Fixed portion not subject to CPA</i>				
Total	100%					

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Eskom CPA Conditions/Requirements

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- Note that for contracts exceeding a duration of 12 months if there is no CPA catered for by the tenderer; then prices will be deemed to be fixed and firm.
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PAYMENT OF FOREIGN COMMITMENTS

PART 1: The application of importation payment requirements to tender submissions.

Where foreign exchange is involved, Eskom will take measures to mitigate any exposure to foreign currency exposure or exchange rate risk.

Tenderers:-

- Who wish to submit tenders with pricing in foreign currency for imported goods/services must establish **prior** to tender close (via the Procurement Practitioner), that the foreign currency that is being priced in the submission, is an acceptable foreign currency to Eskom.
- Who are pricing for imported goods/services in a foreign currency or linking their pricing of goods to a foreign currency exchange rate, **must be the direct importers** of the goods/services. For payment purposes, Eskom will require proof of importation.
- Who import goods into stock, for delivery to various customers, including Eskom, the price quoted must be in South African Rand. In such cases, Eskom will not undertake any foreign exchange commitment or arrange forward cover.
- Who have submissions where pricing for imported goods/services in a foreign currency or linked to a foreign currency exchange rate, must ensure that their pricing indicates the foreign currency and the foreign currency values.

Tenderers should note that all domestic value-added process, i.e., costs incurred in the Republic of South Africa, for example, transport costs will only be paid in Rands.

Tenderers who have submitted tenders, which have goods/services priced, are linked to a foreign currency or exchange rate, are required to select one of the payment methods indicated below for the payment relating to those imported goods/services:

Payment of Eskom's foreign commitment in foreign currency will be made either:

Payment Method 1A:

To a nominated bank account in a foreign country in a foreign currency (Payment will be made to the party and account nominated by the supplier in the contract, and not to any other party).

Please note that the contracting party OR Eskom SOC Limited must be the direct importer of the goods

Documentation to be submitted with payment:

- Commercial invoice (from the foreign supplier)

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Import payments

- SAD 500
- Bill of Entry as evidence that goods have been cleared by the Department of Customs and Excise
- Customs release notification
- Transport documents from the freight company
- Marine/ ocean bill of lading

Any one of the following documents as per the mode of transportation:-

- Airway bill / air transport document
- Road or rail consignment note.
- Postal receipt “goods despatched”.
- Certificate of posting
- Courier dispatch note or air waybill.

NB: Evidencing transport of the relative goods to the Republic of South Africa

Service- related payments

Documents to submit with payment:

- Commercial invoice (invoice from the overseas supplier)

Delete which is not applicable (Yes/No)]

OR

Payment Method 1B:

To a valid SARB approved CFC account in South Africa, in a foreign currency (payment will be made to the contracting party)

Please note:

- The contracting party must be the direct importer.
- For payment purposes, Eskom will require both the foreign (commercial) invoice and the local tax invoice.
- The foreign currency values on both the commercial and local invoice must match. Eskom will not pay any profit in foreign currency. (Please note that the commercial invoice used in the clearance of the imported goods must be from the country of origin)
- If Payment Method 1B is the option selected for the payment for any imported goods/services, then the following documentation is to be submitted with your submission:
 - Copy of tenderers bankers’ initial application to the Reserve Bank requesting approval to invoice a local entity or Eskom, and for Eskom to pay the invoiced currency into the contracting party’s CFC account.

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- Copy of the response from the Reserve Bank regarding the initial application, on the Reserve Bank’s letterhead
- Copy of the latest application to the Reserve Bank to renew the approval.
- Copy of the response from the Reserve Bank to the application to renew the approval to invoice Eskom in foreign currency.

Documents to submit with payment:

- Commercial invoice (from the foreign supplier, country of origin and used to clear the goods)
- Local invoice or Tax invoice
- Both the commercial invoice and local invoices must match

Import payments

- SAD 500
- Bill of Entry as evidence that goods have been cleared by the Department of Customs and Excise
- Customs release notification
- Transport documents from the freight company

Any of the following documents as per the mode of transportation:-

- Marine/ ocean bill of lading
- Airway bill / air transport document
- Road or rail consignment note.
- Postal receipt
- Certificate of posting
- Courier dispatch note or air waybill.

NB: Evidencing transport of the relative goods to the Republic of South Africa

All documents submitted to Eskom should not have any alterations.

The information on the documents should be as originally issued from the authorities, freight companies and overseas suppliers.

Service-related payments

- Should a supplier select this option, they are required to provide proof that the South African Reserve Bank has given them approval to invoice Eskom in foreign currency for services related payments and to receive foreign currency proceeds into that CFC account. The proof would consist of:-
 - A copy of a letter from the supplier’s bankers to the Reserve Bank requesting authority to receive services related payments to be made into a CFC account.
 - A copy of the official response from the Reserve Bank authorising payments to be made into the supplier’s CFC account. The supplier’s documents to the Reserve Bank must make specific reference to Eskom.
- This approval is only valid for a period of 1 year or as per SARB approval period.

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Documents to submit with payment:

- Commercial invoice (invoice from the overseas supplier to proof that we have foreign currency exposure)
- Local Tax invoice (from the local supplier)
- Both the commercial invoice and local invoices must match

NB: If a supplier is unable to produce or provide Eskom with a commercial invoice, the contract will be concluded in rands. The contract cannot be linked to any Exchange Rate.

[Delete which is not applicable (Yes/No)]

OR

Payment Method 2:

In South African Rand at the selling spot rate of exchange obtained by Eskom's Treasury on the date that the forward cover is cancelled. Eskom will notify the supplier of the date that the forward cover is cancelled as well as the intended payment date, which will be as per the agreed payment terms. Any exchange rate adjustment after Eskom has notified the supplier of the date and the rate which the forward cover is cancelled, will be for the account of the supplier.

Please note:

- The contracting party must be the direct importer of the goods.
- This payment option is not applicable for the payment of services
- Tenderers are required to indicate and request approval from Eskom to use Payment Method 2 **prior to tender close**. Where a tenderer has failed to obtain the required approval prior to tender close, the tenderer will have to select one of the other Payment Methods indicated in this document.
- Together with their submission, Tenderers will be required to provide Eskom with a written indemnity confirming that they will not buy and forward cover.,

Documents to submit with payment:

- Commercial invoice (from the foreign supplier)
- SAD 500
- Bill of Entry as evidence that goods have been cleared by the Department of Customs and Excise
- Customs release notification
- Transport documents from the freight company

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Any of the following documents as per the mode of transportation:-

- Marine/ ocean bill of lading
- Airway bill / air transport document
- Road or rail consignment note
- Postal receipt
- Certificate of posting
- Courier dispatch note or air waybill

NB: Evidencing transport of the relative goods to the Republic

- Local invoice or Tax invoice

NB: If a supplier is unable to produce or provide Eskom with a commercial invoice, the contract will be concluded in rands. The contract cannot be linked to any Exchange Rate.

[Delete which is not applicable (Yes/No)]

OR

Fixed ZAR Option (Payment Method 3)

This option is available to those tenderers who are the direct importers of the goods/services for which they have tendered, but do not find Payment Methods 1A, 1B or 2 and allows tenderers to be responsible for the foreign currency and exchange rate risk. If a tenderer selects this payment method, the process is as follows:

- Eskom and the successful tender will engage, on a simultaneous basis, with their respective bankers and compare the exchange rate/s obtained. This is done to ensure that any exchange rate/s used is/are market related.
- Tenderers will be required to match or better the exchange rate/s obtained by Eskom. If the tenderer's exchange rate/s is/are more expensive than the exchange rate/s indicated by Eskom, the exchange rate/s to convert the foreign values into ZAR will be the Eskom exchange rate/s.
- Once the exchange rate/s has/have been agreed by both parties, Eskom will not be liable for any further exchange rate adjustments.

From a Commercial perspective, please take note of the following:

- The foreign currency and foreign currency amount/s that Eskom is/are at risk to, need/s to be indicated in the pricing schedule submitted as part of the tender. If the pricing schedule does not allow for it, the foreign currency and foreign currency amount/s must be indicated in a covering letter.
- The exchange rate to be used in the tender submission is the exchange rate sourced from the South African Reserve Bank on the date the tender is advertised/published.

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- Due to the payments being made in ZAR, but based on an agreed exchange rate, the tenderer will be required to submit proof of importation at time of payment.

Delete which is not applicable (Yes/No)]

Documents to submit with payment:

- Commercial invoice (from the foreign supplier)
- Local invoice or Tax invoice

Import payments

- SAD 500
- Bill of Entry as evidence that goods have been cleared by the Department of Customs and Excise
- Customs release notification
- Transport documents from the freight company

Any of the following documents as per the mode of transportation:-

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- Postal receipt
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NB: Evidencing transport of the goods to the Republic of South Africa

Documents to submit with payment:

- Commercial invoice (invoice from the overseas supplier to proof that we have foreign currency exposure)
- Local Tax invoice (from the local supplier)

NB: If a supplier is unable to produce or provide Eskom with a commercial invoice, the contract will be concluded in RAND's Not in Currency

[Delete which is not applicable (Yes/No)]

Please note: Eskom will require substantiating proof of importation at the time of invoicing.

Where the supplier, previously imported goods into stock for delivery to various customers, including Eskom, the price quoted must be in South African Rand. In such cases, Eskom will not undertake any foreign exchange commitment or arrange forward cover.

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Take note of the following:

Service-related payment:

When specialist skills are required in South Africa, the local supplier will source the appropriate talent from their network of specialist companies overseas. The specialist is then brought into the country (South Africa) on one of two possible methodologies.

1) **Secondment**

In this approach, the foreign specialist retains their employment contract with their home unit (Employer overseas) but are seconded to the local company that has a contract with Eskom to work under the direction and control of the local management. Their salaries are paid to the foreign specialist by their home country and that foreign entity then invoices the local supplier (South Africa) in foreign currency for the cost relating to such employees. The invoices would typically be in Euro or GBP, this methodology is usually for short to medium term engagements.

Documents to be attached for payment:

- Commercial invoice from the specialist company
- Local invoice (South African company making use of the specialist services)
- Passport of the specialist and valid work permit
- Activity schedule signed by the contract manager.

2) **Payroll Transfer**

In this approach, the employee's contract with the overseas employer will be suspended and the specialist takes up a local contract with the local company. The remuneration is then **ZAR** based, the overseas employer is unable to provide the foreign invoice because the employment with the specialist is suspended this methodology is usually favoured for long term engagement. There is no foreign commitment, and the contract will be in ZAR.

PART 2: EXCHANGE RATES

The tenderer shall use the exchange rate as at 12H00 on the date of the advertisement of the tender. The source of the exchange rates shall be the South African Reserve Bank (www.resbank.co.za)

Please note that the tenderer is required to submit proof of the SARB rate/s used.

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Date of advertisement of tender:	
Closing date of tender:	
Name of tenderer:	
Full names of authorised signatory:	
Signature:	
Date of signature:	

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ANNEXURE G1 Not applicable

SBD 6.2

DECLARATION CERTIFICATE FOR LOCAL PRODUCTION AND CONTENT FOR DESIGNATED SECTORS

This Standard Bidding Document (SBD) must form part of all bids invited. It contains general information and serves as a declaration form for local content (local production and local content are used interchangeably).

Before completing this declaration, bidders must study the General Conditions, Definitions, Directives applicable in respect of Local Content as prescribed by the dtic, the South African Bureau of Standards (SABS) approved technical specification number SATS 1286:2011 (Edition 1) and the Guidance on the Calculation of Local Content together with the Local Content Declaration Templates [Annex C (Local Content Declaration: Summary Schedule), D (Imported Content Declaration: Supporting Schedule to Annex C) and E (Local Content Declaration: Supporting Schedule to Annex C)].

1. General Conditions

- 1.1. Dtic makes provision for the promotion of local production and content.
- 1.2. Dtic prescribes that in the case of designated sectors, organs of state must advertise such tenders with the specific bidding condition that only locally produced or manufactured goods, with a stipulated minimum threshold for local production and content will be considered.
- 1.3. A person awarded a contract in relation to a designated sector, may not sub-contract in such a manner that the local production and content of the overall value of the contract is reduced to below the stipulated minimum threshold.
- 1.4. The local content (LC) expressed as a percentage of the bid price must be calculated in accordance with the SABS approved technical specification number SATS 1286: 2011 as follows:

$$LC = [1 - x / y] * 100$$

Where:

x is the imported content in Rand

y is the bid price in Rand excluding value added tax (VAT)

Prices referred to in the determination of x must be converted to Rand (ZAR) by using the exchange rate published by South African Reserve Bank (SARB) at 12:00 on the date of advertisement of the bid as indicated in paragraph 4.1 below.

The SABS approved technical specification number SATS 1286:2011 is accessible on [http://www.thedti.gov.za/industrial development/ip.jsp](http://www.thedti.gov.za/industrial%20development/ip.jsp) at no cost.

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1.5. A bid may be disqualified if this Declaration Certificate and the Annex C (Local Content Declaration: Summary Schedule) are not submitted at the stipulated deadlines.

2. **The stipulated minimum threshold(s) for local production and content (refer to Annex A of SATS 1286:2011) for this bid is/are as follows:**

<u>Description of services, works or goods</u>	<u>Stipulated minimum threshold</u>
_____	_____ %
_____	_____ %
_____	_____ %

3. Does any portion of the goods or services offered have any imported content?

(Tick applicable box)

YES	<input type="checkbox"/>	NO	<input type="checkbox"/>
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3.1 If yes, the rate(s) of exchange to be used in this bid to calculate the local content as prescribed in paragraph 1.5 of the general conditions must be the rate(s) published by SARB for the specific currency at 12:00 on the date of advertisement of the bid.

The relevant rates of exchange information is accessible on www.reservebank.co.za

Indicate the rate(s) of exchange against the appropriate currency in the table below (refer to Annex A of SATS 1286:2011):

Currency	Rates of exchange
US Dollar	
Pound Sterling	
Euro	
Yen	
Other	

NB: Bidders must submit proof of the SARB rate (s) of exchange used.

4. Where, after the award of a bid, challenges are experienced in meeting the stipulated minimum threshold for local content the dti must be informed accordingly in order for the dti to verify and in consultation with the AO/AA provide directives in this regard.

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LOCAL CONTENT DECLARATION
(REFER TO ANNEX B OF SATS 1286:2011)

LOCAL CONTENT DECLARATION BY CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER OR OTHER LEGALLY RESPONSIBLE PERSON NOMINATED IN WRITING BY THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OR SENIOR MEMBER/PERSON WITH MANAGEMENT RESPONSIBILITY (CLOSE CORPORATION, PARTNERSHIP OR INDIVIDUAL)

IN RESPECT OF BID NO.

ISSUED BY: (Procurement Authority / Name of Institution):
.....

NB

- 1 The obligation to complete, duly sign and submit this declaration cannot be transferred to an external authorized representative, auditor or any other third party acting on behalf of the bidder.
- 2 Guidance on the Calculation of Local Content is accessible on http://www.thdti.gov.za/industrial_development/ip.jsp.
- 3 Local Content Declaration Templates (Annex C, D and E) is attached to this enquiry and must be submitted at the stipulated deadline.
- 4 Bidders should first complete Declaration D. After completing Declaration D, bidders should complete Declaration E and then consolidate the information on Declaration C. **Declaration C should be submitted at the stipulated deadline of the bid in order to substantiate the declaration made in paragraph (c) below.** Declarations D and E should be kept by the bidders for verification purposes for a period of at least 5 years. The successful bidder is required to continuously update Declarations C, D and E with the actual values for the duration of the contract.

I, the undersigned, (full names), do hereby declare, in my capacity as of(name of bidder entity), the following:

- (a) The facts contained herein are within my own personal knowledge.
- (b) I have satisfied myself that:
 - (i) the goods/services/works to be delivered in terms of the above-specified bid comply with the minimum local content requirements as specified in the bid, and as measured in terms of SATS 1286:2011; and
- (c) The local content percentage (%) indicated below has been calculated using the formula given in clause 3 of SATS 1286:2011, the rates of exchange indicated in paragraph 4.1 above and the information contained in Declaration D and E which has been consolidated in Declaration C:

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Bid price, excluding VAT (y)	R
Imported content (x), as calculated in terms of SATS 1286:2011	R
Stipulated minimum threshold for local content (paragraph 3 above)	
Local content %, as calculated in terms of SATS 1286:2011	

If the bid is for more than one product, the local content percentages for each product contained in Declaration C shall be used instead of the table above. The local content percentages for each product has been calculated using the formula given in clause 3 of SATS 1286:2011, the rates of exchange indicated in paragraph 4.1 above and the information contained in Declaration D and E.

(d) I accept that the Procurement Authority / Institution has the right to request that the local content be verified in terms of the requirements of SATS 1286:2011.

(e) I understand that the awarding of the bid is dependent on the accuracy of the information furnished in this application. I also understand that the submission of incorrect data, or data that are not verifiable as described in SATS 1286:2011, may result in the Procurement Authority / Institution imposing any or all of the remedies as provided for in Regulation 9.1 of the Preferential Procurement Regulations, 2022 promulgated under the Preferential Policy Framework Act (PPPFA), 2000 (Act No. 5 of 2000).

SIGNATURE: _____ **DATE:** _____

WITNESS No. 1 _____ **DATE:** _____

WITNESS No. 2 _____ **DATE:** _____

Annexure G2- _Local content Declaration-Summary Schedule (annex C)



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Annexure G3 - Imports Declaration-Supporting schedule to Annex C (annex D)



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Annexure G4 - Local Content Declaration-Supporting Schedule to Annex C (annex E)



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ANNEXURE H

SBD 1

**PART A
INVITATION TO BID**

YOU ARE HEREBY INVITED TO BID FOR REQUIREMENTS OF THE (NAME OF DEPARTMENT/ PUBLIC ENTITY)					
BID NUMBER:	LP00193ML	CLOSING DATE:	13 February 2025	CLOSING TIME:	10h00
DESCRIPTION	Maintenance inspection and supplemental treatment of utility wood poles for Limlanga Cluster on an "as and when" required basis within a period of sixty (60) months				
BID RESPONSE DOCUMENTS MAY BE DEPOSITED IN THE BID BOX SITUATED AT (STREET ADDRESS)					
Eskom Holding SOC Ltd					
The Tender Office					
Limlanga Cluster -Limpopo					
Millennium Building					
90 Hans Van Rensburg Street					
Polokwane					
BIDDING PROCEDURE ENQUIRIES MAY BE DIRECTED TO			TECHNICAL ENQUIRIES MAY BE DIRECTED TO:		
CONTACT PERSON	Maropene Leshabana		CONTACT PERSON	Maropene Leshabana	
TELEPHONE NUMBER	013 693 2948		TELEPHONE NUMBER	013 693 2948	
FACSIMILE NUMBER			FACSIMILE NUMBER		
E-MAIL ADDRESS	LeshabML@eskom.co.za		E-MAIL ADDRESS	LeshabML@eskom.co.za	
SUPPLIER INFORMATION					
NAME OF BIDDER					
POSTAL ADDRESS					
STREET ADDRESS					
TELEPHONE NUMBER	CODE		NUMBER		
CELLPHONE NUMBER					
FACSIMILE NUMBER	CODE		NUMBER		
E-MAIL ADDRESS					
VAT REGISTRATION NUMBER					
SUPPLIER COMPLIANCE STATUS	TAX COMPLIANCE SYSTEM PIN:		OR	CENTRAL SUPPLIER DATABASE No:	MAAA

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ARE YOU THE ACCREDITED REPRESENTATIVE IN SOUTH AFRICA FOR THE GOODS /SERVICES OFFERED?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No [IF YES ENCLOSE PROOF]	ARE YOU A FOREIGN BASED SUPPLIER FOR THE GOODS /SERVICES OFFERED?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No [IF YES, ANSWER THE QUESTIONNAIRE BELOW]
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QUESTIONNAIRE TO BIDDING FOREIGN SUPPLIERS

IS THE ENTITY A RESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA (RSA)? YES NO

DOES THE ENTITY HAVE A BRANCH IN THE RSA? YES NO

DOES THE ENTITY HAVE A PERMANENT ESTABLISHMENT IN THE RSA? YES NO

DOES THE ENTITY HAVE ANY SOURCE OF INCOME IN THE RSA? YES NO

IS THE ENTITY LIABLE IN THE RSA FOR ANY FORM OF TAXATION? YES NO

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.

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PART B TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR BIDDING

1. BID SUBMISSION:
1.1. BIDS MUST BE DELIVERED BY THE STIPULATED TIME TO THE CORRECT ADDRESS. LATE BIDS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED FOR CONSIDERATION. 1.2. ALL BIDS MUST BE SUBMITTED ON THE OFFICIAL FORMS PROVIDED (NOT TO BE RE-TYPED) OR IN THE MANNER PRESCRIBED IN THE BID DOCUMENT. 1.3. THIS BID IS SUBJECT TO THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT POLICY FRAMEWORK ACT, 2000 AND THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS, THE GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT (GCC) AND, IF APPLICABLE, ANY OTHER SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT. 1.4. THE SUCCESSFUL BIDDER WILL BE REQUIRED TO FILL IN AND SIGN A WRITTEN CONTRACT FORM (SBD7).
2. TAX COMPLIANCE REQUIREMENTS
2.1 BIDDERS MUST ENSURE COMPLIANCE WITH THEIR TAX OBLIGATIONS. 2.2 BIDDERS ARE REQUIRED TO SUBMIT THEIR UNIQUE PERSONAL IDENTIFICATION NUMBER (PIN) ISSUED BY SARS TO ENABLE THE ORGAN OF STATE TO VERIFY THE TAXPAYER'S PROFILE AND TAX STATUS. 2.3 APPLICATION FOR TAX COMPLIANCE STATUS (TCS) PIN MAY BE MADE VIA E-FILING THROUGH THE SARS WEBSITE WWW.SARS.GOV.ZA . 2.4 BIDDERS MAY ALSO SUBMIT A PRINTED TCS CERTIFICATE TOGETHER WITH THE BID. 2.5 IN BIDS WHERE CONSORTIA / JOINT VENTURES / SUB-CONTRACTORS ARE INVOLVED; EACH PARTY MUST SUBMIT A SEPARATE 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:

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(Proof of authority must be submitted e.g. company resolution)

DATE:

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ANNEXURE I

SBD 6.1

PREFERENCE POINTS CLAIM FORM IN TERMS OF THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS 2022

This preference form must form part of all tenders invited. It contains general information and serves as a claim form for preference points for specific goals.

NB: BEFORE COMPLETING THIS FORM, TENDERERS MUST STUDY THE GENERAL CONDITIONS, DEFINITIONS AND DIRECTIVES APPLICABLE IN RESPECT OF THE TENDER AND PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS, 2022

1. GENERAL CONDITIONS

- 1.1 The following preference point systems are applicable to invitations to tender:
- the 80/20 system for requirements with a Rand value of up to R50 000 000 (all applicable taxes included); and
 - the 90/10 system for requirements with a Rand value above R50 000 000 (all applicable taxes included).
- 1.2 **To be completed by the organ of state**
(delete whichever is not applicable for this tender).
- a) The applicable preference point system for this tender is the **80/20** preference point system.
- b) The **80/20 preference point system** will be applicable in this tender. The lowest/highest acceptable tender will be used to determine the accurate system once tenders are received.
- 1.3 Points for this tender (even in the case of a tender for income-generating contracts) shall be awarded for:
- (a) Price; and
- (b) Specific Goals.

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1.4 **To be completed by the organ of state:**

The maximum points for this tender are allocated as follows:

	POINTS
PRICE	80
SPECIFIC GOALS	20
Total points for Price and SPECIFIC GOALS	100

- 1.5 Failure on the part of a tenderer to submit proof or documentation required in terms of this tender to claim points for specific goals with the tender, will be interpreted to mean that preference points for specific goals are not claimed.
- 1.6 The organ of state reserves the right to require of a tenderer, either before a tender is adjudicated or at any time subsequently, to substantiate any claim in regard to preferences, in any manner required by the organ of state.

2. DEFINITIONS

- (a) **“tender”** means a written offer in the form determined by an organ of state in response to an invitation to provide goods or services through price quotations, competitive tendering process or any other method envisaged in legislation;
- (b) **“price”** means an amount of money tendered for goods or services, and includes all applicable taxes less all unconditional discounts;
- (c) **“rand value”** means the total estimated value of a contract in Rand, calculated at the time of bid invitation, and includes all applicable taxes;
- (d) **“tender for income-generating contracts”** means a written offer in the form determined by an organ of state in response to an invitation for the origination of income-generating contracts through any method envisaged in legislation that will result in a legal agreement between the organ of state and a third party that produces revenue for the organ of state, and includes, but is not limited to, leasing and disposal of assets and concession contracts, excluding direct sales and disposal of assets through public auctions; and
- (e) **“the Act”** means the Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act, 2000 (Act No. 5 of 2000).

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3. FORMULAE FOR PROCUREMENT OF GOODS AND SERVICES

3.1. POINTS AWARDED FOR PRICE

3.1.1 THE 80/20 PREFERENCE POINT SYSTEMS

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

80/20

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

Where

P_s = Points scored for price of tender under consideration

P_t = Price of tender under consideration

P_{min} = Price of lowest acceptable tender

4. POINTS AWARDED FOR SPECIFIC GOALS

4.1. In terms of Regulation 4(2); 5(2); 6(2) and 7(2) of the Preferential Procurement Regulations, preference points must be awarded for specific goals stated in the tender. For the purposes of this tender the tenderer will be allocated points based on the goals stated in table 1 below as may be supported by proof/ documentation stated in the conditions of this tender:

4.2. In cases where organs of state intend to use Regulation 3(2) of the Regulations, which states that, if it is unclear whether the 80/20 preference point system applies, an organ of state must, in the tender documents, stipulate in the case of—

- (a) an invitation for tender for income-generating contracts, that either the 80/20 preference point system will apply and that the highest acceptable tender will be used to determine the applicable preference point system; or
- (b) any other invitation for tender, that either the 80/20 preference point system will apply and that the lowest acceptable tender will be used to determine the applicable preference point system,

then the organ of state must indicate the points allocated for specific goals for both the and 80/20 preference point system.

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Table 1: Specific goals for the tender and points claimed are indicated per the table below.

(Note to organs of state: Where 80/20 preference point system is applicable, corresponding points must also be indicated as such.)

Note to tenderers: The tenderer must indicate how they claim points for each preference point system.)

The specific goals allocated points in terms of this tender	Number of points allocated (80/20 system) (To be completed by the organ of state)	Number of points claimed (80/20 system) (To be completed by the tenderer)
1	20	
2	18	
3	14	
4	12	
5	8	
6	6	
7	4	
8	2	
Non-compliant contributor	0	

DECLARATION WITH REGARD TO COMPANY/FIRM

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

4.4. Company registration number:

4.5. TYPE OF COMPANY/ FIRM

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

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- Trust
 - Non-Profit Company
 - State Owned Company
- [TICK APPLICABLE BOX]

4.6. I, the undersigned, who is duly authorised to do so on behalf of the company/firm, certify that the points claimed, based on the specific goals as advised in the tender, qualifies the company/ firm for the preference(s) shown and I acknowledge that:

- i) The information furnished is true and correct;
- ii) The preference points claimed are in accordance with the General Conditions as indicated in paragraph 1 of this form;
- iii) In the event of a contract being awarded as a result of points claimed as shown in paragraphs 1.4 and 4.2, the contractor may be required to furnish documentary proof to the satisfaction of the organ of state that the claims are correct;
- iv) If the specific goals have been claimed or obtained on a fraudulent basis or any of the conditions of contract have not been fulfilled, the organ of state may, in addition to any other remedy it may have –
 - (a) disqualify the person from the tendering process;
 - (b) recover costs, losses or damages it has incurred or suffered as a result of that person’s conduct;
 - (c) cancel the contract and claim any damages which it has suffered as a result of having to make less favourable arrangements due to such cancellation;
 - (d) recommend that the tenderer or contractor, its shareholders and directors, or only the shareholders and directors who acted on a fraudulent basis, be restricted from obtaining business from any organ of state for a period not exceeding 10 years, after the *audi alteram partem* (hear the other side) rule has been applied; and
 - (e) forward the matter for criminal prosecution, if deemed necessary.

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SIGNATURE(S) OF TENDERER(S)

SURNAME AND NAME:

DATE:

ADDRESS:

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.....

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ANNEXURE J

SBD 4

TENDERER'S DISCLOSURE

1. PURPOSE OF THE FORM

Any person (natural or juristic) may make an offer or offers in terms of this invitation to tender / request for proposal. In line with the principles of transparency, accountability, impartiality, and ethics as enshrined in the Constitution of the Republic of South Africa and further expressed in various pieces of legislation, Eskom requires the tenderer to make this declaration in respect of the details required hereunder.

Where a person/s are listed in the Register for Tender Defaulters and / or the List of Restricted Suppliers, that person will automatically be disqualified from the tender process.

2. TENDERER'S DECLARATION

2.1 Is the tenderer or any of its directors / trustees / shareholders / members / partners or any person having a controlling interest in the enterprise, employed by the state?

[YES/NO]

2.1.1 If so, furnish particulars of the names, individual identity numbers, and, if applicable, state employee numbers of sole proprietor/ directors / trustees / shareholders / members/ partners or any person having a controlling interest in the enterprise, in the table below.

Full Name	Identity Number	Name of State Institution

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2.2 Do you, or any person connected with the tenderer, have a relationship with any person who is employed by the procuring institution?

[YES/NO]

If so, furnish particulars:

.....
.....

2.3 Does the tenderer or any of its directors / trustees / shareholders / members / partners or any person having a controlling interest in the enterprise have any interest in any other related enterprise whether or not they are bidding for this contract?

[YES/NO]

If so, furnish particulars:

.....
.....

3. DECLARATION

I, the undersigned, (name)..... in submitting the accompanying tender, do hereby make the following statements that I certify to be true and complete in every respect:-

- 3.1 I have read and I understand the contents of this disclosure;
- 3.2 I understand that the accompanying tender will be disqualified if this disclosure is found not to be true and complete in every respect;
- 3.3 The tenderer has arrived at the accompanying tender independently from, and without consultation, communication, agreement or arrangement with any competitor. However, communication between partners in a joint venture or consortium will not be construed as collusive bidding.
- 3.4 There have been no consultations, communications, agreements or arrangements with any competitor regarding the quality, quantity, specifications, prices, including methods, factors or formulas used to calculate prices, market allocation, the intention or decision to submit or not to submit the tender, tendering with the intention not to win

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