INVITATION TO BID



DESCRIPTION: APPOINTMENT OF A SERVICE PROVIDER FOR THE ROLL OUT OF THE NATIONAL CERTIFICATE: LOCAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Bid No. : ZNT1980/2019LG	
COMPANY NAME :	
Type of Bidder (Tick One Box)	
One-person Business/Sole Trader	
Close corporation	
PTY (Ltd)	
Private Company	V.
Partnership	
Consortium/Joint Venture	
Co-operative	
Participation Capacity (Tick One Box)	
Prime Contractor	
Supplier/Sub-Contractor	

RETURN OF PROPOSAL

Proposal must be deposited in the Bid box situated at Department of Co-operative Governance and Traditional Affairs, Lift Area, 13th floor, North Tower, Natalia Building.

CLOSING TIME: 11:00 AM

CLOSING DATE: 28 OCTOBER 2020

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PART A INVITATION TO BID

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PART B TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR BIDDING

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3.4.	DOES THE BIDDER HAVE ANY SOURCE OF INCOME IN THE RSA?	YES NO				
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3.1.	IS THE BIDDER A RESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA (RSA)?	☐ YES ☐ NO				
3.	QUESTIONNAIRE TO BIDDING FOREIGN SUPPLIERS					
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1.5.	THIS BID IS SUBJECT TO THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT POLICY FRAMEWORK ACT 200 PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS, 2017, THE GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT (GCC) AND LEGISLATION OR SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT.	00 AND THE PREFERENTIAL D, IF APPLICABLE, ANY OTHER				
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1.3.	BIDDERS MUST REGISTER ON THE CENTRAL SUPPLIER DATABASE (CSD) TO UPLOAD NAMELY: (BUSINESS REGISTRATION/ DIRECTORSHIP/ MEMBERSHIP/IDENTITY NUMBERS AND BANKING INFORMATION FOR VERIFICATION PURPOSES). B-BBEE CERTIFICATE OR SMUST BE SUBMITTED TO BIDDING INSTITUTION.	S; TAX COMPLIANCE STATUS;				
1.2.	ALL BIDS MUST BE SUBMITTED ON THE OFFICIAL FORMS PROVIDED-(NOT TO BE RE-TYPE	D) OR ONLINE				
1.1,	BIDS MUST BE DELIVERED BY THE STIPULATED TIME TO THE CORRECT ADDRESS. LATE BID: CONSIDERATION.	S WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED FOR				
1.	BID SUBMISSION:					

NB: FAILURE TO PROVIDE ANY OF THE ABOVE PARTICULARS MAY RENDER THE BID INVALID.

SECTION C (SBD 3)

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS AND NOTICES TO BIDDERS REGARDING THE COMPLETION OF BIDDING FORMS

PLEASE NOTE THAT THIS BID IS SUBJECT TO TREASURY REGULATIONS 16A ISSUED IN TERMS OF THE PUBLIC FINANCE MANAGEMENT ACT, 1991, THE KWAZULU-NATAL SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT POLICY FRAMEWORK AND THE GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT.

- 1. Unless inconsistent with or expressly indicated otherwise by the context, the singular shall include the plural and visa versa and with words importing the masculine gender shall include the feminine and the neuter.
- 2. Under no circumstances whatsoever may the bid forms be retyped or redrafted. Photocopies of the original bid documentation may be used, but an original signature must appear on such photocopies.
- 3. The bidder is advised to check the number of pages and to satisfy himself that none are missing or duplicated.
- 4. Bids submitted must be complete in all respects.
- 5. Bids shall be lodged at the address indicated not later than the closing time specified for their receipt, and in accordance with the directives in the bid documents.
- 6. Each bid shall be addressed in accordance with the directives in the bid documents and shall be lodged in a separate sealed envelope, with the name and address of the bidder, the bid number and closing date indicated on the envelope. The envelope shall not contain documents relating to any bid other than that shown on the envelope. If this provision is not complied with, such bids may be rejected as being invalid.
- 7. All bids received in sealed envelopes with the relevant bid numbers on the envelopes are kept unopened in safe custody until the closing time of the bids. Where, however, a bid is received open, it shall be sealed. If it is received without a bid number on the envelope, it shall be opened, the bid number ascertained, the envelope sealed and the bid number written on the envelope.
- 8. A specific box is provided for the receipt of bids, and no bid found in any other box or elsewhere subsequent to the closing date and time of bid will be considered.
- 9. No bid sent through the post will be considered if it is received after the closing date and time stipulated in the bid documentation, and proof of posting will not be accepted as proof of delivery.
- 10. No bid submitted by telefax, telegraphic or other electronic means will be considered.
- 11. Bidding documents must not be included in packages containing samples. Such bids may be rejected as being invalid.
- 12. Any alteration made by the bidder must be initialed.
- 13. Use of correcting fluid is prohibited
- 14. Bids will be opened in public as soon as practicable after the closing time of bid.
- 15. Where practical, prices are made public at the time of opening bids.
- 16. If it is desired to make more than one offer against any individual item, such offers should be given on a photocopy of the page in question. Clear indication thereof must be stated on the schedules attached.

ANY ENQUIRIES REGARDING THE BIDDING PROCEDURE MAY BE DIRECTED TO:

Department: Co-operative Governance and Traditional Affairs

Contact Person: Ms Lindiwe Madlala

Tel: 033 395 2174

Fax: 086 642 8873/ 033 342 8830

Email: lindiwe.madlala@kzncogta.gov.za

ANY ENQUIRIES REGARDING SPECIFICATION INFORMATION MAY BE DIRECTED TO:

Contact Person: Ms Beryl Sewpersadh

Contact number: 033 355 6561/ 0734515092

Email address: beryl.sewpersadh@kzncogta.gov.za

SECTION E (SBD 4) DECLARATION OF INTEREST

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

2.	In order to bid.	give effect t	o the above	e, the following	questio	nnaire mus	st be com	oleted and	d submitte	ed with the
2.1		Name	of	bidder	or	his	or	her	rep	resentative:
2.2	Identity Number:									
2.3	Position	occupied		e Compan	y (d	irector,	trustee,	shareh	older²,	member):
2.4	Registration		of compar	ny, enterprise,	close	corporation	on, partne	ership ag	greement	or trust:
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2.7	Are you or any presently empl	•		ne bidder		YES	3 🗆	NO		
2.7.1	If so, furnish th	e following p	articulars:							
	Name of person / director / trustee / shareholder/ member: Name of state institution at which you or the person connected to the bidder is employed:									

	Position occupied in the state institution:	***************************************			
	Any other particulars:			••••	
2.7.2	If you are presently employed by the state, did you obtain the appropriate authority to undertake remunerative work outside employment in the public sector?	YES		NO	
2.7.2.1	If yes, did you attach proof of such authority to the bid document? (Note: Failure to submit proof of such authority, where applicable, may result in the disqualification of the bid.	YES		NO	
2.7.2.2	If no, furnish reasons for non-submission of such proof:				
2.8 Dio	d you or your spouse, or any of the company's directors / trustees / shareholders / members or their spouses conduct business with the state in the previous twelve months?	YES		NO	
2.8.1	If so, furnish particulars:				
2.9 Do 2.9.1	you, or any person connected with the bidder, have any relationship (family, friend, other) with a person employed by the state and who may be involved with the evaluation and or adjudication of this bid? If so, furnish particulars.	s 🗆	NO		
2.10	Are you, or any person connected with the bidder, aware of any relationship (family, friend, other) between any other bidder and any person employed by the state who may be involved with the evaluation and or adjudication of this bid?	YES		NO	
2.10.1	If so, furnish particulars.				
of the	Do you or any of the directors / trustees / shareholders / members e company have any interest in any other related companies her or not they are bidding for this contract?	YES		NO	
2.11.	1 If so, furnish particulars:				

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

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

DECLARATION	
I, THE UNDERSIGNED (NAME).	
CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMAT	TION FURNISHED IN PARAGRAPHS 2 and 3 ABOVE IS CORRECT.
I ACCEPT THAT THE STATE MA DECLARATION PROVE TO BE F	Y REJECT THE BID OR ACT AGAINST ME SHOULD THIS FALSE.
Signature	Date
Position	Name of bidder

SECTION F

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

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

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

1. GENERAL CONDITIONS

- 1.1 The following preference point systems are applicable to all bids:
 - the 80/20 system for requirements with a Rand value of up to R50 000 000 (all applicable taxes included); and

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

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

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

2. DEFINITIONS

- (a) "B-BBEE" means broad-based black economic empowerment as defined in section 1 of the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act;
- (b) "B-BBEE status level of contributor" means the B-BBEE status of an entity in terms of a code of good practice on black economic empowerment, issued in terms of section 9(1) of the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act;

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

3. POINTS AWARDED FOR PRICE

3.1 THE 80/20 PREFERENCE POINT SYSTEMS

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

80/20

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

Where

Ps = Points scored for price of bid under consideration

Pt = Price of bid under consideration

Pmin = Price of lowest acceptable bid

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

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

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

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

6.	B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL	L OF CONTRIBUT	OR CLAIMED IN	I TERMS OF	PARAGRAPHS
	1.4 AND 4.1				

6.1	B-BBEE Status Level of Contributor:		=	(maximum of 10 or 20 points)
	(Points claimed in respect of paragraph 7	.1 mu	ıst be	e in accordance with the table reflecte

(Points claimed in respect of paragraph 7.1 must be in accordance with the table reflected in paragraph 4.1 and must be substantiated by relevant proof of B-BBEE status level of contributor.

7. SUB-CONTRACTING

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

(Tick applicable box)

YES	NO	

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- i) What percentage of the contract will be subcontracted.....%
- ii) The name of the sub-contractor.....
- iii) The B-BBEE status level of the sub-contractor.....
- iv) Whether the sub-contractor is an EME or QSE

(Tick applicable box)
YES NO

v) Specify, by ticking the appropriate box, if subcontracting with an enterprise in terms of Preferential Procurement Regulations, 2017:

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

OR							
Any EME							
Any QSE							

8.	DECLARATION WITH REGARD TO COMPANY/FIRM
8.1	Name of company/firm:
8.2	VAT registration number:
8.3	Company registration number:
8.4	TYPE OF COMPANY/ FIRM
	Partnership/Joint Venture / Consortium One person business/sole propriety Close corporation Company (Pty) Limited [TICK APPLICABLE BOX]
8.5	DESCRIBE PRINCIPAL BUSINESS ACTIVITIES
8.6	COMPANY CLASSIFICATION
	Manufacturer Supplier Professional service provider Other service providers, e.g. transporter, etc. [TICK APPLICABLE BOX]
8.7	Total number of years the company/firm has been in business:

- 8.8 I/we, the undersigned, who is / are duly authorised to do so on behalf of the company/firm, certify that the points claimed, based on the B-BBE status level of contributor indicated in paragraphs 1.4 and 6.1 of the foregoing certificate, qualifies the company/ firm for the preference(s) shown and I / we acknowledge that:
 - i) The information furnished is true and correct;
 - ii) The preference points claimed are in accordance with the General Conditions as indicated in paragraph 1 of this form;
 - iii) In the event of a contract being awarded as a result of points claimed as shown in paragraphs 1.4 and 6.1, the contractor may be required to furnish documentary proof to the satisfaction of the purchaser that the claims are correct;
 - iv) If the B-BBEE status level of contributor has been claimed or obtained on a fraudulent basis or any of the conditions of contract have not been fulfilled, the purchaser may, in addition to any other remedy it may have
 - disqualify the person from the bidding process;

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- (b) recover costs, losses or damages it has incurred or suffered as a result of that person's conduct;
- (c) cancel the contract and claim any damages which it has suffered as a result of having to make less favourable arrangements due to such cancellation;
- (d) recommend that the bidder or contractor, its shareholders and directors, or only the shareholders and directors who acted on a fraudulent basis, be restricted by the National Treasury from obtaining business from any organ of state for a period not exceeding 10 years, after the audi alteram partem (hear the other side) rule has been applied; and
- (e) forward the matter for criminal prosecution.

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

OWNERS/SHAREHOLDERS/PARTNERS/SOLE PROPRPRIETORS/TRUSTEES / BENEFIFICARIES.

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HANDI- CAPPED YES/NO						
MALE/ FEMALE						
% OWNERSHIP/ PARTNERSHIP/ TRUST/ CO- OPERATIVE						
CAPACITY: MEMBER/PART NER/ PROPRIETOR/ SHARE- HOLDER/TRUS TEE/ BENEFICIARY						
ID NUMBER						
FULL NAME						

SECTION G CONDITIONS OF BID

- 1. I/We hereby bid to supply all or any of the supplies and/or to render all or any of the services described in the attached documents to the KwaZulu-Natal Provincial Administration (hereinafter called the "Province") on the terms and conditions and be in accordance with the specifications stipulated in the bid documents (and which shall be taken as part of and be incorporated into this bid) at the prices and on the terms regarding time for delivery and/or execution inserted therein.
- 2. I/we agree that:
- (a) the offer herein shall remain binding upon me and open for acceptance by the Province during the validity period indicated and calculated from the closing time of the bid;
- (b) this bid and its acceptance shall be subject to Treasury Regulations 16A issued in terms of the Public Finance Management Act, 1991, the KwaZulu-Natal Supply Chain Management Policy Framework, the Provincial Treasury issued Practice Notes, and the KwaZulu-Natal General Conditions of Contract, with which I/we am fully acquainted;
- (c) if I/we withdraw my bid within the period for which I/we have agreed that the bid shall remain open for acceptance, or fail to fulfil the contract when called upon to do so, the Province may, without prejudice to its other rights, agree to the withdrawal of my bid or cancel the contract that may have been entered into between me and the Province. I/we will then pay to the Province any additional expenses incurred by the Province having either to accept any less favourable bid or, if fresh bids have to be invited, the additional expenditure incurred by the invitation of fresh bids and by the subsequent acceptance of any less favourable bid. The Province shall have the right to recover such additional expenditure by set-off against monies which may be due to me under this or any other bid or contract or against any guarantee or deposit that may have been furnished by me or on my behalf for the due fulfilment of this or any other bid or contract and pending the ascertainment of the amount of such additional expenditure to retain such monies, guarantee or deposit as security for any loss the Province may sustain by reason of my default;
- (d) if my bid is accepted, the acceptance may be communicated to me by registered post, and that the South African Post Office Limited shall be treated as delivery agent to me;

(e)	the law of the Republic of South Africa shall govern the contract created by the acceptance of my bid and I choose <i>domicilium citandi et executandi</i> in the Republic at (full physical address)
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- 3. I/we furthermore confirm that I/we have satisfied myself as to the correctness and validity of my bid: that the price(s), rate(s) and preference bid cover all of the work/item(s) and my obligations under a resulting contract, and I accept that any mistakes regarding the price(s) and calculations will be at my risk.
- 4. I/we hereby accept full responsibility for the proper execution and fulfilment of all obligations and conditions devolving on me under this agreement, as the Principal(s) liable for the due fulfilment of this contract.
- 5. I/we agree that any action arising from this contract may in all respects be instituted against me and I/we hereby undertake to satisfy fully any sentence or judgement which may be pronounced against me as a result of such action.
- 6. I/we confirm that I/we have declared all and any interest that I or any persons related to my business has with regard to this bid or any related bids by completion of the Declaration of Interest Section.

SECTION H PRICING PAGE – FIRM PRICES (SERVICES)

N.B.: This form must be completed in detail, signed by the Bidder and bear the signature of a witness. Failure to comply with these requirements may result in the bid being disregarded.

CLOSING DATE AND TIME: 28 OCTOBER 2020

@ 11:00 VALIDITY PERIOD: 120 DAYS

BID NO: ZNT 1980/2019 LG	PERIOD: 18 MONTHS
APPOINTMENT OF A SERVICE PROVIDER FOR THE ROLL OUT OF THE NATIONAL CERTIFICATE:	NAME AND ADDRESS OF BIDDER(FIRM)
LOCAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT	
	TEL:
	FAX:
DOES OFFER COMPLY WITH THE SPECIFICATION? If not, furnish details of deviation in space provided for "Remarks"	YES / NO (Delete which is not applicable)
TOTAL BID PRICE ** (ALL APPLICABLE TAXES INCLUDED)	R
BID PRICE IN WORDS ** (ALL APPLICABLE TAXES INCLUDED)	
REMARKS (If any):	*
	(Signature of Bidder)
	DATE:
	(Signature of Witness)
	DATE:

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

^{**}all applicable taxes" includes value- added tax, pay as you earn, income tax, unemployment insurance fund contributions and skills development levies.

SECTION I (SBD 7) AUTHORITY TO SIGN A BID

A. COMPANIES

ALITHORITY BY BOARD OF DIRECTORS

If a Bidder is a company, a certified copy of the resolution by the board of directors, personally signed by the chairperson of the board, authorizing the person who signs this bid to do so, as well as to sign any contract resulting from this bid and any other documents and correspondence in connection with this bid and/or contract on behalf of the company must be submitted with this bid, that is before the closing time and date of the bid

Additional Di Box and G			
	by the Board of Directors		
below) has been duly au	horized to sign all documents in	connection with this bid on	
IN HIS/HER CAPACITY AS			
SIGNED ON BEHALF OF ((PRINT NAME)	COMPANY:		
SIGNATURE OF SIGNATO	RY:	DATE:	
WITNESSES: 1			
2			
B. SOLE PROPRIETOR (O	NE - PERSON BUSINESS)		
I, the undersigned		hereby confirm that I am th	ne sole
owner of the business tradir	g as		
SIGNATURE			
DATE			
C. PARTNERSHIP			
The following particulars in	espect of every partner must be ful	rnished and signed by every pa	rtner:
Full name of partner	Residential address	Signature	

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			2	
= :	s in the business trading as			
•	ments and correspondence in c	_	s bid as well as any contract resulting to with this bid and /or contract on beha	
SIGNATURE	SIGNATURE		SIGNATURE	
DATE	DATE		DATE	
D. CLOSE CORPORATION				
•	, together with the resolution by		e Founding Statement of such corpora s authorizing a member or other officia	
By resolution of members at	a meeting on	20	at	
documents in connection	Ms, whose sign with this bid on	behalf o	ears below, has been authorized to sig f (Name of Close Corporat	
SIGNED ON BEHALF OF CL (PRINT NAME)	OSE CORPORATION:			
IN HIS/HER CAPACITY AS	DATE:	l		
SIGNATURE OF SIGNATOR	Y:			
WITNESSES: 1	WITENS	S: 2		
E. CO-OPERATIVE				
	•		with the bid, together with the resolution gn the bid documents on their behalf.	n by
By resolution of members at a	a meeting on	20	at	
	tion with this bid on behalf of (Na	_	ure appears below, has been authorize	d to

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SIGNED ON BEHALF OF CO-OPERATIVE: (PRINT NAME)	
IN HIS/HER CAPACITY AS:	DATE:
SIGNATURE OF AUTHORISED REPRESENTATI	IVE/SIGNATORY:
WITNESSES: 1	WITNESS:- 2
F. CONSORTIUM	
representatives of concerned enterprises, authorizesign any contract resulting from this bid and any contract resulting from the contract re	solution/agreement passed/reached signed by the duly authorized zing the representatives who sign this bid to do so, as well as to other documents and correspondence in connection with this bid be submitted with this bid, before the closing time and date of the
AUTHORITY TO SIGN ON BEHALF OF THE CON	ISORTIUM
By resolution/agreement passed/reached by the co	onsortium on 20
Mr/Mrssign all documents in connection with this bid on be	(whose signature appear below) have been duly authorised to ehalf of:
(Name of Consortium)	
SIGNED ON BEHALF OF CLOSE CORPORATIO (PRINT NAME)	N:
IN HIS/HER CAPACITY AS	DATE:

G. JOINT VENTURE

If a bidder is a joint venture, a certified copy of the resolution/agreement passed/reached signed by the duly authorized representatives of the enterprises, authorizing the representatives who sign this bid to do so, as well as to sign any contract resulting from this bid and any other documents and correspondence in connection with this bid and/or contract on behalf of the joint venture must be submitted with this bid, before the closing time and date of the bid.

AUTHORITY TO SIGN ON BEHALF OF THE JOINT VENTURE

SIGNATURE OF SIGNATORY:

WITNESSES: 1 WITNESS: - 2

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By resolution/agreement passed/reached by the joint venture partners on20
Mr/Mrs,Mr/Mrs
Mr/Mrs
IN HIS/HER CAPACITY AS:
SIGNED ON BEHALF OF (COMPANY NAME): (PRINT NAME)
SIGNATURE: DATE:
IN HIS/HER CAPACITY AS:
SIGNED ON BEHALF OF (COMPANY NAME): (PRINT NAME)
SIGNATURE : DATE:
IN HIS/HER CAPACITY AS:
SIGNED ON BEHALF OF (COMPANY NAME): (PRINT NAME)
SIGNATURE : DATE:
IN HIS/HER CAPACITY AS:
SIGNED ON BEHALF OF (COMPANY NAME): (PRINT NAME)
SIGNATURE: DATE:
IN HIS/HER CAPACITY AS:

SECTION J (SBD 8)

DECLARATION OF BIDDER'S PAST SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT PRACTICES

- 1 This Standard Bidding Document must form part of all bids invited.
- 2 It serves as a declaration to be used by institutions in ensuring that when goods and services are being procured, all reasonable steps are taken to combat the abuse of the supply chain management system.
- 3 The bid of any bidder may be disregarded if that bidder, or any of its directors have-
- Abused the institution's supply chain management system; committed fraud or any other improper conduct in relation to such system; or failed to perform on any previous contract.
- In order to give effect to the above, the following questionnaire must be completed and submitted with the bid.

Item	Question	Yes	No				
4.1	Is the bidder or any of its directors listed on the National Treasury's Database of Restricted Suppliers as companies or persons prohibited from doing business with the public sector?	Yes	No				
	(Companies or persons who are listed on this Database were informed in writing of this restriction by the Accounting Officer/Authority of the institution that imposed the restriction after the <i>audi alteram partem</i> rule was applied).						
	The Database of Restricted Suppliers now resides on the National Treasury's website (www.treasury.gov.za) and can be accessed by clicking on its link at the bottom of the home pg						
4.1.1	If so, furnish particulars:						
4.2	Is the bidder or any of its directors listed on the Register for Tender Defaulters in terms of section 29 of the Prevention and Combating of Corrupt Activities Act (No 12 of 2004)? The Register for Tender Defaulters can be accessed on the National Treasury's website (www.treasury.gov.za) by clicking on its link at the bottom of the home page.	Yes	No				
4.2.1	If so, furnish particulars:						
4.3	Was the bidder or any of its directors convicted by a court of law (including a court outside of the Republic of South Africa) for fraud or corruption during the past five years?	Yes	No				
4.3.1							
4.4	Was any contract between the bidder and any organ of state terminated during the past five years on account of failure to perform on or comply with the contract?	Yes	No				
4.4.1	If so, furnish particulars:						
	CERTIFICATION						
I, NAM	THE UNDERSIGNED	((FULL				
CER	TIFY THAT THE INFORMATION FURNISHED ON THIS DECLARATION FORM IS TRUE AN	ND CORF	RECT.				
I ACCEPT THAT, IN ADDITION TO CANCELLATION OF A CONTRACT, ACTION MAY BE TAKEN AGAINST ME SHOULD THIS DECLARATION PROVE TO BE FALSE.							
	gnature Date						
 Po	Position Name of Bidder						

SECTION K (SBD 9) CERTIFICATE OF INDEPENDENT BID DETERMINATION

- 1 This Standard Bidding Document (SBD) must form part of all bids¹ invited.
- Section 4 (1) (b) (iii) of the Competition Act No. 89 of 1991, as amended, prohibits an agreement between, or concerted practice by, firms, or a decision by an association of firms, if it is between parties in a horizontal relationship and if it involves collusive bidding (or bid rigging).² Collusive bidding is a pe se prohibition meaning that it cannot be justified under any grounds.
- Treasury Regulation 16A9 prescribes that accounting officers and accounting authorities must take all reasonable steps to prevent abuse of the supply chain management system and authorizes accounting officers and accounting authorities to:
 - a. disregard the bid of any bidder if that bidder, or any of its directors have abused the institution's supply chain management system and or committed fraud or any other improper conduct in relation to such system.
 - b. cancel a contract awarded to a supplier of goods and services if the supplier committed any corrupt or fraudulent act during the bidding process or the execution of that contract.
- This SBD serves as a certificate of declaration that would be used by institutions to ensure that, when bids are considered, reasonable steps are taken to prevent any form of bid-rigging.
- In order to give effect to the above, the attached Certificate of Bid Determination (SBD 9) must be completed and submitted with the bid:

I, the undersigned, in submitting the accompanying bid:
(Bid Number and Description)
in response to the invitation for the bid made by:
(Name of Institution)
do hereby make the following statements that I certify to be true and complete in every respect:
I certify, on behalf of:that: (Name of Bidder)

- 4. I have read and I understand the contents of this Certificate;
- 5. I understand that the accompanying bid will be disqualified if this Certificate is found not to be true and complete in every respect;
- 6. I am authorized by the bidder to sign this Certificate, and to submit the accompanying bid, on behalf of the bidder;
- 7. Each person whose signature appears on the accompanying bid has been authorized by the bidder to determine the terms of, and to sign the bid, on behalf of the bidder;
- 8. For the purposes of this Certificate and the accompanying bid, I understand that the word "competitor" shall include any individual or organization, other than the bidder, whether or not

¹ Includes price quotations, advertised competitive bids, limited bids and proposals.

² Bid rigging (or collusive bidding) occurs when businesses, that would otherwise be expected to compete, secretly conspire to raise prices or lower the quality of goods and / or services for purchasers who wish to acquire goods and / or services through a bidding process. Bid rigging is, therefore, an agreement between competitors not to compete.

affiliated with the bidder, who:

- (a) has been requested to submit a bid in response to this bid invitation;
- (b) could potentially submit a bid in response to this bid invitation, based on their qualifications, abilities or experience; and
- (c) provides the same goods and services as the bidder and/or is in the same line of business as the bidder
- 9. The bidder has arrived at the accompanying bid independently from, and without consultation, communication, agreement or arrangement with any competitor. However communication between partners in a joint venture or consortium³ will not be construed as collusive bidding.
- 10. In particular, without limiting the generality of paragraphs 6 above, there has been no consultation, communication, agreement or arrangement with any competitor regarding:
- (a) prices;
- (b) geographical area where product or service will be rendered (market allocation)
 - (c) methods, factors or formulas used to calculate prices;
 - (d) the intention or decision to submit or not to submit, a bid;
 - (e) the submission of a bid which does not meet the specifications and conditions of the bid; or
 - (f) bidding with the intention not to win the bid.
- 11. In addition, there have been no consultations, communications, agreements or arrangements with any competitor regarding the quality, quantity, specifications and conditions or delivery particulars of the products or services to which this bid invitation relates.
- 12. The terms of the accompanying bid have not been, and will not be, disclosed by the bidder, directly or indirectly, to any competitor, prior to the date and time of the official bid opening or of the awarding of the contract.
- 10. I am aware that, in addition and without prejudice to any other remedy provided to combat any restrictive practices related to bids and contracts, bids that are suspicious will be reported to the Competition Commission for investigation and possible imposition of administrative penalties in terms of section 59 of the Competition Act No 89 of 1991 and or may be reported to the National Prosecuting Authority (NPA) for criminal investigation and or may be restricted from conducting business with the public sector for a period not exceeding ten (10) years in terms of the Prevention and Combating of Corrupt Activities Act No 12 of 2004 or any other applicable legislation.

Signature	Date

Position	Name of Bidder

³ Joint venture or Consortium means an association of persons for the purpose of combining their expertise, property, capital, efforts, skill and knowledge in an activity for the execution of a contract.

SECTION L SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT

SECTION 1: DEFINITION OF TERMS

1.1 SERVICE

The services to be rendered by professional service providers must be rendered in terms of this contract.

1.2 CONTRACTOR

The person or persons, partnership, close corporation, firm or company, whose bid for this service was accepted.

1.3 AGREEMENT

This comprises the agreement signed by parties, the conditions of bid, the bid and the specifications.

1.4 AGREEMENT PERIOD

The period during which the service is to be rendered and originally determined in the agreement, or as amended, extended or renewed in accordance with stipulations of the agreement.

1.5 PARTIES

The parties to this contract are The Head of Co-operative Governance and Traditional Affairs in the KwaZulu-Natal Provincial Administration and Contractor.

1.8 DEPARTMENT

KwaZulu-Natal department of Co-operative Governance and Traditional Affairs.

1.9 CURTAILMENT OF SERVICE

The Department reserves the right to withdraw from the service any part/s of the contract as a whole, with one month's written notification to the contractor. In a case such as this, the contract sum will be adjusted *pro rata* from the date of withdrawal.

SECTION 2: IMPORTANT INFORMATION TO NOTE

- 2.1 This bid is invited and will be awarded and administered in terms of the following:-
 - 2.1 KwaZulu-Natal Supply Chain Management Policy Framework,
 - 2.2 Section 217 of the Constitution,
 - 2.3 The PFMA and its Regulations in general,
 - 2.4 The Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act,
 - 2.5 National Treasury guidelines, and
 - 2.6 Provincial Treasury's Supply Chain Management Practice Notes and guidelines

2.2 REQUIRED COMPULSORY INFORMATION

2.2.1 The bidder shall ensure that all the required information is furnished; viz:-

- 2.2.1 Declaration of interest (SECTION E)
- 2.2.2 Tax Compliance Status Requirements,

- 2.2.3 Compulsory Briefing Session (SECTION M)
- 2.2.4 Authority to sign a bid (SECTION I),
- 2.2.5 Conditions of Bid (SECTION G)
- 2.2.6 Tax Compliance Status.
- 2.2.7 Each party to a Consortium/Group of sub-contractors must obtain separate Tax Clearance Certificate(s) and also be registered on the Suppliers Database.
- 2.2.8 A valid certified copy of B-BBEE Status Level Verification Certificate/ Letter from Sworn Affidavit must be submitted with the proposal.

NOTE: Failure to submit the required information may invalidate the entire proposal.

SECTION 3: SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT

3.1 ACCEPTANCE OF BID

- 3.1.1 This bid has been invited, and will be adjudicated in terms of the KwaZulu-Natal Supply Chain Management Policy Framework and the KwaZulu-Natal Provincial Treasury's Practice Notes. Co-operative Governance and Traditional Affairs' Bid Adjudication Committee is under no obligation to accept the lowest or any bid.
- 3.1.2 The financial standing of bidders and their ability to manufacture or to supply goods or render services may be examined before their bids are considered for acceptance.

3.2 APPEALS

3.2.1 Entities aggrieved by a decision of a departmental Bid Adjudication Committee or a delegate of an accounting officer, may appeal to the Bid Appeals Tribunal in the prescribed manner by the Supply Chain Management Policy Framework

3.3 AMENDMENT OF CONTRACT

3.3.1 Any amendment to or renunciation of the provisions of the contract shall at all times be done in writing and shall be signed by both parties subject to the Legal Services screening the amendment before it is signed.

3.4 CHANGE OF ADDRESS

3.4.1 Bidders must advise the Department should their address (*domicilium citandi et executandi*) details change from the time of bidding to the expiry of the contract.

3.5 COMMUNICATION

3.5.1 All correspondence with regard to this bid must be addressed or hand delivered to the:

The Head SCM Unit, Department Co-operative Governance and Traditional Affairs, Private Bag X9078, Pietermaritzburg 3200

ENQUIRIES: Ms Lindiwe Madlala TEL.: 033-395 2174

3.6 COMPLETENESS OF BID

3.6.1 Bids will only be considered if correctly completed and accompanied by all relevant certificates and other necessary applicable information.

3.7 COMPLETION OF SPECIFICATION

3.7.1 Where specifications are designed in such a way that responses would be required from bidders, these forms <u>must</u> be completed and submitted as part of the bid document.

3.8 CONDITIONS OF BID

- 3.8.1 The successful Contractor must be in a position to assume duty on the date stipulated in the letter of acceptance.
- 3.8.2 No bid received by telegram, telex, or facsimile will be considered.
- 3.8.3 It shall be noted that the Department is under no obligation to accept the lowest or any bid.
- 3.8.4 The offer shall be made <u>strictly</u> according to the specification. <u>No alternative offers will be</u> considered.
- 3.8.5 Bidders must provide the following particulars about themselves as part of the bid:
 - 3.8.5.1 Where they have their Headquarters
 - 3.8.5.2 Where they have their Regional Office.
 - 3.8.5.3 Name, address and telephone number of bankers together with their bank account number.
 - 3.8.5.4 The names, identity numbers and street addresses of all partners in cases where persons, a partnership, or a firm consists of a partnership.
- 3.9 In cases where a person or persons, a partnership, close corporation, firm or company enters business for the very first time, the following particulars shall be provided:
 - 3.9.1 By whom, or with whose assistance, was the business plan drafted?
 - 3.9.2 By whom, or with whose assistance, were the bid prices calculated?
 - 3.9.3 Whose advice is relied on?
 - 3.9.4 Who will provide financial support?
- 3.10 A list of references must accompany this bid. Particulars shall be submitted regarding similar agreements completed successfully or of projects which the bidder is engaged in.

3.11 CONFIDENTIALITY

The contractor's staff that comes into contact with the Department's confidential information and documents may be required to sign confidentiality agreements so as to protect the Department's information.

3.12 CONTRACT PERIOD

- 3.12. 1 The contract period shall remain in force for a period of 36 months from date of signing of official contracts.
- 3.12.2 The Department of Co-operative Governance and Traditional Affairs reserves the right to terminate the contract with any contractor should the contractor fail to fulfil his/her contractual obligations in terms of the contract.

3.13 DETAILS OF CURRENT CONTRACTS HELD BY THE BIDDER

- 3.13.1The bidder must furnish the following details of all current contracts:
 - (i) Date of commencement of contract/s;
 - (ii) Expiry date/s;
 - (iii) Value per contract; and
 - (iv) Contract details. That is, with whom held, phone number and address/s of the company.

3.14 EQUAL BIDS

3.14.1 In the event that two or more bids have equal total points, the successful bid will be the one scoring the highest number of preference points for specified goals. Should two or more bids be equal in all respects, the Adjudication shall be decided by the drawing of lots.

3.15 EXECUTION CAPACITY

3.15.1 The bidder will be required to provide an efficient and effective service. Therefore, the bidder is required to submit proof that he/she has the required capacity to execute the contract tendered for successfully. The bidder must supply references or state his/her experience as a company to undertake the contract. References of past experience of owners/employees of new entities must accompany the bid document.

3.16 EXTENSION OF CONTRACT

3.16.1 An extension of contract may be considered. It is the normal policy that contracts are not extended. However, circumstances may arise whereby a contract cannot be renewed in time. If this is found to be the case, the right is reserved to approach existing contractor(s) to extend the contract for such period agreed to.

3.17 GENERAL EVALUATION CRITERIA

The Bid Evaluation Committee will assess offers and adhere to the following basic guidelines when evaluating.

- a. Whether all the required information called for in the bid document has been submitted by the bidder.
- b. Has the bidder supplied references or stated his/her experience as a Company to undertake the contract. References of past experience must accompany the bid document.
- c. The financial standing of the bidder and ability to render a service may be examined before an award of bid take place.
- d. Preferences will be taken into consideration by the Department in terms of the B-BBEE Scorecard.
- e. Documented reports received from an institution/s pertaining to past bad performance by a company who is tendering, may be taken into consideration.
- f. Did the bidder attend the site inspection?
- g. Will the bidder be in a position to successfully execute the contract?
- h. The 80/20 Point System will apply in the evaluation of this bid.

3.18 IRREGULARITIES

2.18.1 Companies are encouraged to advise the Department timeously of any possible irregularities which might come to their notice in connection with this or other contracts.

3.19 JOINT VENTURES

- 3.19.1 In terms of the Supply Chain Management Policy Framework, a consortium or joint venture may, based on the percentage of the contract value managed or executed by respective members.
- 3.19.2 Should this bid be submitted by a joint venture, a certified copy of the joint venture agreement must accompany the bid document before the closing date and time of bid. The joint venture agreement must clearly specify the percentage of the contract to be undertaken by each company participating therein.
- 3.19.3 A trust, consortium or joint-venture must obtain and submit a consolidated B-BBEE

 Status Level Verification Certificate. The non-submission of a consolidated B-BBEE

 Certificate by a company will result in preference points not being allocated to such company.

 Failure to submit the joint venture Agreement will result in preference points not being allocated to all companies participating in the joint venture.

3.20 LATE BIDS

3.20.1 Bids are late if they are received at the address indicated in the bid documents after the closing date and time.

3.20.2 A late bid shall not be considered and, where practicable, shall be returned unopened to the Bidder, accompanied by an explanation.

3.21 NOTIFICATION OF ADJUDICATION OF BIDDER & ADVERTISING OF RESULTS

3.21.1 Notification of the Adjudication of bid shall be in writing by a duly authorized official of Cooperative Governance and Tradition Affairs' Supply Chain Management unit.

3.22 PRO RATA DECREASE OF COMPENSATION

3.22.1 Should the services not be rendered to the satisfaction of the Department and unsatisfactory items/ aspects/ events have already, in writing, been brought to the attention of the Contractor, the Department reserves the right in terms of paragraph 3.27 hereunder, to retain payment to the Contractor for as long as the unsatisfactory service continues.

3.23 CENTRAL SUPPLIERS DATABASE

- 2.23.1 A bidder submitting an offer must be registered on the Central Suppliers Database. A bidder who has submitted an offer and is not registered on the Central Suppliers Database will not be considered.
- 3.23.2 Each party to a Joint Venture/Consortium must be registered on the Central Suppliers Database at the time of submitting the bid.

3.24 SUBMISSIONS AND COMPLETION OF SBD 6.1

3.24.1 Bidders are to complete SBD 6.1 document where applicable. Failure by the bidder to submit a valid B-BBEE status level verification certificate will result in the bidder not being considered for preference points allocation. If the information required is not applicable to the business, clearly insert the symbols "N/A" in the appropriate space. If the space provided is left blank, it will be regarded as information that is still outstanding and the SBD 6.1 will not be processed further.

3.25 TERMINATION OF SERVICES

3.25.1 Should the Contractor fail to meet the conditions of this contract, or continue rendering unsatisfactory service, the Employer reserves the right to terminate the contract, after written notification has been served on the Contractor, with retention of the right to recover from the Contractor any losses which the Employer may suffer/ incur as a result of the failure, without prejudicing any other rights it may have.

3.26 TAX CLEARANCE CERTIFICATE

- 3.26.1 The central supplier database and the tax compliance status pin are the approved methods that will be utilised to verify Tax Clearance compliance.
- 3.26.2 Each party to a Joint Venture/Consortium must submit the tax compliance status pin/ printed copies of tax compliance certificates together with the bid before the closing date and time of bid.

3.27 UNSATISFACTORY PERFORMANCE

- 3.27.1 Unsatisfactory performance occurs when performance is not in accordance with the contract conditions.
 - (i) Before any action is taken, the Department shall warn the contractor by registered/certified mail that action will be taken in accordance with the contract conditions unless the contractor complies with the contract conditions and delivers satisfactory supplies or services within a specified reasonable time (7 days minimum). If the contractor does not perform satisfactorily despite the warning the Department will:
 - (a) take action in terms of its delegated powers
 - (b) make a recommendation for cancellation of the contract concerned.

3.28 VALIDITY PERIOD AND EXTENSION THEREOF

3.28.1 The validity (binding) period for the bid must be **120** days from close of bid. However, circumstances may arise whereby this Department may request the bidders to extend the validity (binding) period. Should this occur, the Department will request bidders to extend the validity (binding) period under the same terms and conditions as originally tendered for by bidders. This request will be done before the expiry of the original validity (binding) period.

3.29 VAT

- 2.29.1 Bid prices must be inclusive of VAT.
- 2.29.2 A tax invoice shall be in the currency of the Republic of South Africa and shall contain the following particulars:
 - (a) The name, address and registration number of the supplier;
 - (b) the name and address of the recipient;
 - (c) an individual serialized number and the date upon which the tax invoice is issued;
 - (d) a description of the goods or services supplied;
 - (e) the quantity or volume of the goods or services supplied;
 - (f) either:-
 - (i) the value of the supply, the amount of tax charged and the consideration for the supply; **or**
 - (ii) where the amount of tax charged is calculated by applying the tax fraction to the consideration, the consideration for the supply and either the amount of the tax charged, or a statement that it includes a charge in respect of the tax and the rate at which the tax was charged.

3.30 REGISTERED ADDRESS

The Department provides the following:

Street address as it's *domicillium citandi et executandi* in respect of any lawsuit which might result from or bears relevance to this contract, as well as for purposes of notice to:

The Head SCM Unit, KwaZulu-Natal Co-operative Governance and Traditional Affairs

, 14th floor, South Tower, Natalia Building. 330 Langalibalele Street PIETERMARITZBURG 3200

Private Bag X9078, PIETERMARITZBURG 3200



BID NUMBER: ZNT1980/2019LG

APPOINTMENT OF A SERVICE PROVIDER FOR
THE ROLL OUT OF THE NATIONAL CERTIFICATE:
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6, SAQA QUAL ID: 36347, 144 CREDITS

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APPOINTMENT OF A SERVICE PROVIDER AND/OR CONSORTIUM TO ROLL-OUT THE NATIONAL CERTIFICATE: LOCAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, NQF LEVEL 6, SAQA QUAL ID 36437, 144 CREDITS TO 50 COUNCILLORS IN KWAZULU-NATAL

1. BACKGROUND TO THE PROJECT

1.1 In pursuit of enhancing governance and deepening local democracy that ultimately translates to improved service delivery, the Department rolled out the National Certificate: Local Government Councillor Practices, NQF Level 3, 122 credits. In enhancing the skills of Councillors approval was granted to roll out 2 qualifications at an NQF Level 6, namely, National Certificate: Public Service Communication and National Certificate: Local Economic Development. This Terms of Reference is for the National Certificate: Local Economic Development.

2. OBJECTIVE

The purpose of the qualification is to provide the learner with competencies needed to undertake a range of local economic development processes with the strategic intent to mobilise local skills and resources around the tackling of development challenges within a municipality. Learners will be able to design and apply systems for the monitoring, reporting and evaluation of LED programmes.

3. DETAILED SCOPE OF WORK

The successful bidder is expected to:

- (a) Develop a training plan and keep all partners informed about timing and progress;
- (b) Undertake all logistical arrangements relating to the project namely, securing of venues; training schedules; training aids; engaging with the Municipal Skills Development Facilitators (laptop; data projector; flip chart stand; attendance registers).
- (c) Provide copies of the training material to the Department
- (d) Print the training material for roll out to 50 Councillors.
- (e) Source nominations for the training.
- (f) Roll out the training programme to 50 identified Councillors
- (g) Undertake an assessment process and registration process to facilitate Recognition of Prior Learning for Councillors.
- (h) Facilitate training sessions using both English and isiZulu, depending on the audience, i.e. Facilitators must be fluent in both English and IsiZulu.
- (i) Conduct training sessions in the suitable municipal venues in order to save on costs. The service provider is not required to provide catering at these sessions.
- (j) Remind delegates of scheduled training sessions
- (k) Set up training venues according to Department standards
- (I) Monitor the caterer appointed by the Department and provide feedback.
- (m) Undertake the assessment, moderation and certification process upon completion of the training. This includes all the inherent LGSETA processes preceding the issuing of certificates of competence.
- (n) Provider to ensure verification is conducted by LGSETA.
- (o) Issue statements of results and certificates of competence.
- (p) Attend meetings with the Department's representative/s responsible for monitoring the project. Project Management Task Team meetings will be held monthly in order to monitor the project progress.
- (q) Compile and submit monthly training reports to the Department.
- (r) Draft the evaluation report based on the evaluation questionnaires received.
- (s) Develop the comprehensive learner database for the training
- (t) Submit a comprehensive close out report upon completion of the training project.
- (u) Take photos of the sessions for documentation purposes.

4. TRAINING MATERIAL

- 4.1 The Service Provider is to provide 1 copy of the training material to the Department including Facilitator and Learner guides.
- 4.2 Print and provide material to all learners timeously.

5. RESOURCE REQUIREMENTS AND PROVISIONS

The successful service provider must have his/her own PC/Laptop, cellular as well as landline and training aids e.g. data projector, charts, etc.

6. QUALIFICATION, EXPERIENCE COMPETENCY REQUIREMENTS

The service providers must:

- Be accredited by the LGSETA. Proof of accreditation will be required.
- Be specifically accredited for the National Certificate: Local Economic Development.
- Demonstrate skills and competence in local government training and will be required to indicate previous experience in similar projects.
- Have extensive experience in the delivery of accredited training; and will be required to produce proof of previous municipal training rolled out and completed successfully.
- Have three (3) years' experience in the field of training and development and have the necessary knowledge and expertise in presentation/facilitation. CVs of 1 trainer must be submitted with the application.
- Knowledge of the South African Local Government environment, including the legislated powers and functions of municipalities.
- Proof of prior experience in undertaking accredited training in at least three municipalities within the last five (5) years must be submitted.
- Required Competencies to include:
 - > Facilitation skills
 - > Research and presentation skills.
 - > Ability to draft clear unambiguous reports.
 - > Ability to communicate in IsiZulu and English.

7. DELIVERABLES

- 7.1 One service provider will be appointed to undertake training to the identified 50 Councillors.
- 7.2 Training will be conducted over a period of 12 months. The training groups may take place simultaneously. The total contract period is 18 months including planning, roll out of training and certification.
- 7.3 This training is pitched at NQF Level 6.

8. ROLL OUT OF TRAINING MODULES PLAN

The table below reflects developed training modules, applicable unit standards and number of training days as per applicable notional hours.

#		UNIT STANDAR D ID	NAME OF UNIT STANDARD	NUMBER OF CREDITS
1	Core	12891	Apply concepts and principles of business ethics in the professional environment	5
2	Core	110516	Compile and implement a resource plan to support the local economic development policy and strategic plan for a local economic development programme	12

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3	Core	110477	Design and apply appropriate value management systems and techniques for a local economic development unit	10
4	Core	110480	Design and implement a system for the on-going monitoring, reporting and evaluation of a local economic development programme	8
5	Core	110492	Develop and implement a local economic development policy for the local economic development unit	8
6	Core	110496	Develop and implement a strategic plan for a local economic development programme with specific reference to identified economic variables and priorities	8
7	Core	110499	Facilitate negotiations about all aspects of implementing local economic development programmes with a range of relevant stakeholders and role players	12
8	Core	110488	Facilitate the establishment of strategic partnerships to contribute to achieving the objectives of the strategic plan for a local economic development programme	12
9	Core	110495	Facilitate the inclusion of local economic development objectives in the integrated development planning (IDP) process of the municipality	8
10	Core	110491	Gather and manage information on a range of national strategies and international trends, on an on-going basis to make strategic local economic development decisions	8
11	Core	110474	Initiate and maintain networking opportunities with other municipalities, districts and metros	6
12	Core	110486	Manage the operations of a local economic development unit	8
13	Fundament al	14505	Demonstrate knowledge and understanding of e-business as a competitive tool	7
14	Fundament al	14512	Interpret the impact of macro economic decisions or indicators on a business environment	5
15	Fundament al	14515	Present a well-structured argument derived from qualitative and/or quantitative data to map new knowledge and generate a competitive advantage	12
16	Elective	337059	Apply monitoring and evaluation approaches and tools to assess an organisation's or programme's performance in a specific context.	

In essence, the deliverables will be as follows:-

- (a) Develop a training plan and keep all partners informed about timing and progress;
- (b) Undertake all logistical arrangements relating to the project namely, securing of venues; training schedules; training aids; engaging with the Municipal Skills Development Facilitators (laptop; data projector; flip chart stand; attendance registers).
- (c) Provide copies of the training material to the Department
- (d) Source nominations and development learner database
- (e) Print the training material for roll out to 50 Councillors.
- (f) Roll out the training programme to 50 identified Councillors
- (g) Undertake an assessment process and registration process to facilitate Recognition of Prior Learning for Councillors.
- (h) Facilitate training sessions using both English and isiZulu, depending on the audience, i.e. Facilitators must be fluent in both English and IsiZulu.
- (i) Conduct training sessions in the suitable municipal venues in order to save on costs. The service provider is <u>not required</u> to provide catering at these sessions.
- (j) Remind delegates of scheduled training sessions
- (k) Set up training venues according to Department standards
- (I) Monitor the caterer appointed by the Department and provide feedback.

- (m) Undertake the assessment, moderation and certification process upon completion of the training. This includes all the inherent LGSETA processes preceding the issuing of certificates of competence.
- (n) Provider to ensure verification is conducted by LGSETA.
- (o) Issue statements of results and certificates of competence.
- (p) Attend meetings with the Department's representative/s responsible for monitoring the project. Project Management Task Team meetings will be held monthly in order to monitor the project progress.
- (g) Compile and submit monthly training reports to the Department.
- (r) Draft the evaluation report based on the evaluation questionnaires received.
- (s) Develop the comprehensive learner database for the training
- (t) Submit a comprehensive close out report upon completion of the training project.
- (u) Take photos of the sessions for documentation purposes.

9 TECHNICAL STANDARDS

The training must be pitched at NQF level 6 and must be made up of Unit Standards indicated above. The roll out of the programme will be governed by the Service providers Quality Management System. Further, the Facilitator Code of Conduct must be in place prior to implementation of the programme. Copies of the documents must be provided to the Department after appointment.

10. ACTIVITIES AND JOB DESCRIPTION

As listed in sections 3 and 8.

11. MONITORING, REPORTING REQUIREMENTS AND PERFORMANCE MANAGEMENT

- Training sessions will be monitored by Departmental officials.
- The service provider must submit progress reports and attend meetings as agreed by both parties.
- The service provider must submit detailed time sheets together with monthly invoices.
- Payments will depend on milestones achieved and agreed to as part of the agreement and implementation plan.
- The close-out report must be submitted upon completion of the project.

12. TIME FRAMES

Activity schedule

If the service provider has to be within specific timeframe, such timeframes or milestones must be provided as follows:

ESTIMATED PROGRAMME SUMMARY TIMETABLE (Step)	TARGET DATE
Preparation of project implementation plan	Within 1 week of appointment
Making logistical arrangements	Within 1 week of appointment
Preparation of training schedule	Within 1 week of appointment
Facilitation of training sessions	Within 4 weeks of appointment
Roll out of training	12 months
Project close-out	Upon finalization of the project.

13. CONTRACT PERIOD

- 13.1 The contract duration is 18 months from the date of the letter of the contract award read in conjunction with the completed standard bid document.
- 13.2 The contract period may be extended for a maximum period of one month by mutual consent of both parties.

14. VALIDITY PERIOD

The bid price(s) will remain valid for a period of 120 days.

15. CONDITIONS

The Department must remunerate the Service Provider in respect of its services in accordance with the following conditions:-

- (1) The Service Provider must submit a tax invoice to the Department for each month, and the Department must pay the Service Provider the amount stipulated within 30 days (thirty days) of receipt of an agreed invoice, provided that all supporting documents must be attached to the invoices submitted:
- (2) In the event that the Department is not satisfied with the performance of the Service Provider, the Department must give written notice to this effect to the Service Provider providing sufficient details and a reasonable time frame to enable the Service Provider to rectify such performance.
- (3) In the event that the entire amount or a portion of the invoice is disputed by the Department, only that portion in dispute may be held for payment, until the dispute is resolved, and the undisputed portion must be paid to the Service Provider within the stipulated time frames.
- (4) The service Provider must immediately give notice of any circumstances preventing it from completing its obligations in terms of the contract.

16. CONTRACT CONDITIONS

16.1 Agreement

On award of the bid the successful service provider, in conjunction with the Department, will be required to enter into a contract with the Department of Cooperative Governance and Traditional Affairs in the form of a Memorandum of Agreement, Details specific to the project will be finalized on appointment.

17. QUALIFICATION CRITERIA

Only service providers who meet the qualifying criteria and administrative criteria will qualify for evaluation.

a) Pre- Qualifying Criteria

PRE- QUALIFICATION CRITERIA					
Requirement	Yes	No	Required Document		
A company must be a level 1 B-BBEE contributor and EME or QSE.			B-BBEE status level verification certificate confirming B-BBEE Level 1 contributor/ Sworn in affidavit and confirmation of being an EME or QSE		

b) Administrative Criteria

Administrative criteria		Method of verification (By Department)	YES / NO
1.	Accreditation to roll out of the National Certificate: Local Economic Development (Company)	Accreditation Certificate from LGSETA	

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2.	Project Manager	Accreditation Certificate from LGSETA	
3.	Moderator	Accreditation with relevant SETA or Tertiary Institution or LGSETA Certified Copy of certificate	
4.	Trainer	Accreditation Certificate from LGSETA	

18. BID SELECTION AND EVALUATION CRITERIA

The selection and evaluation of bid will be conducted in two phases which are functionality (on their compliance to qualification threshold) and price in accordance with Supply Chain Management Policies as well as the Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act 5 of 2000 as amended. The 80/20 preference point system will be used to allocate points.

A service provider that scores less than 80% for functionality will be regarded as submitting a non-responsive bid and will be disqualified.

19. FUNCTIONALITY

One Service Provider and/or consortium will be appointed to conduct the training in 4 Regions.

	Criteria	Weighting	Scoring Measurement	Score	Scoring
1.	Company Profile	20	Number of years of experience in the training and development field within the Local Government environment.	5 years or more experience = 5 4 years' experience = 4 3 years experience = 3 2 Years experience = 2 1 Year experience = 1 Less than 1 year = 0	
		20	Include 1 reference letter stating completed accredited training and development projects related to Local Government training	1 Letter = 5 0 Letters = 0	
2.	Project Manager	40	Number of projects managed in the training and development field. Provide contactable reference letters for each completed project reflecting management of completed training and development projects.	5 completed projects managed = 5 4 completed projects managed = 4 3 completed projects managed = 3 2 completed projects managed = 3	

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				1 completed projects managed	
				= 1	
				<1 completed	
				project managed = 0	
			The service provider to clearly indicate the training plan. The training plan to include: 1. Project Team Members 2. Planning and logistics for	Comprehensive training plan that includes all 10 topics = 5 Training plan that includes between	
3	Methodology	20	the training 3. Implementation of training 4. Monitoring of the training 5. Support to Learners to complete their Portfolios of evidence. 6. Reporting 7. Learner Database 8. Certification 9. Detailed budget 10. Close out	4-9 topics = 3 Training plan with below 3 topics = 0	

20. ENQUIRIES

All enquiries regarding bid matters must be directed to -

THE HEAD OF DEPARTMENT
DEPARTMENT OF COOPERATIVE GOVERNANCE AND TRADITIONAL AFFAIRS
PRIVATE BAG X 9078
PIETERMARITZBURG
3200

ATTENTION: Ms Lindiwe Madlala

TEL: (033) 395 2174.

All enquiries relating to the scope of work must be addressed to

Contact persons: Ms Beryl Sewpersadh Contact number: 033 355 6561/ 0734515092

Email address: beryl.sewpersadh@kzncogta.gov.za

21. PRICING OF BIDS

(1) The Department reserves the right to contact bidders to –

- (a) to obtain clarity where information is incomplete or where a lack of clarity exists about technical aspects of the bid;
- (b) to obtain confirmation of prices in cases where it is obvious that a written, typed or transcription error, or an error in the unit price has been made.
- (2) Service Provider must quote per learner.

DETAILS FOR COMPLETION OF AN ENVELOPE FOR A BID/QUOTATION

Section 1 paragraph 6 of this bid/quotation document indicates the requirements for addressing of an envelope when a bid/quotation is submitted to the Department. Kindly ensure the envelope is addressed correctly because if it is not properly addressed the bid/quotation may be rejected as being invalid and returned to the respective bidder. The correct manner in which it is to be addressed is detailed below:

EXAMPLE FORMAT

FRONT SIDE OF ENVELOPE

Name and address of bidder: XYZ Consultants,

PO Box 1234,

Durban 4000

Bid/Quotation Number:

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Description:

APPOINTMENT OF A SERVICE PROVIDER FOR THE ROLL

OUT OF THE NATIONAL CERTIFICATE: LOCAL ECONOMIC

DEVELOPMENT

Closing date:

28 OCTOBER 2020

Closing time:

11:00

REVERSE SIDE OF ENVELOPE

Department's details and address:

The Head: Supply Chain Management

Department of Co-operative Governance and Traditional Affairs

13th Floor, North Tower

Natalia Building

330 Langalibalele Street

Pietermaritzburg

3201

APPENDIX 2

RETURNABLE DOCUMENTS

BIDDERS ARE REQUIRED TO ATTACH THE FOLLOWING DOCUMENT TOGETHER WITH THEIR PROPOSAL ON THE CLOSIND DATE OF THE BID:

CERTIFIED COPY OF B-BBEE STATUS VERIFICATION CERTIFICATE

VALID PIN STATUS FROM SARS VALID FOR A MINIMUM OF 12 MONTHS

COMPANY PROFILE

PROOF OF REGISTRATION WITH CENTRAL SUPPLIER DATABASE (CSD)

COMPLETED TENDER DOCUMENT AND ATTACHMENTS SCANNED TO A DISC/STICK (COMPULSORY)

ANNEXURE "B"

GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT1



GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT: GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT July 2010

NOTES

The purpose of this document is to:

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

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

- 1. The General Conditions of Contract will form part of all bid documents and may not be amended.
- 2. Special Conditions of Contract (SCC) relevant to a specific bid, should be compiled separately for every bid (if

(applicable) and will supplement the General Conditions of Contract. Whenever there is a conflict, the provisions in the SCC shall prevail.

¹ A copy of the complete document set containing the General Conditions of Contract is available on www.kzncogta.gov.za/bids

GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT TABLE OF CLAUSES

- 1. Definitions
- 2. Application
- 3. General
- 4. Standards
- 5. Use of contract documents and information; inspection
- 6. Patent rights
- 7. Performance security
- 8. Inspections, tests and analysis
- 9. Packing
- 10. Delivery and documents
- 11. Insurance
- 12. Transportation
- 13. Incidental services
- 14. Spare parts
- 15. Warranty
- 16. Payment
- 17. Prices
- 18. Contract amendments
- 19. Assignment
- 20. Subcontracts
- 21. Delays in the supplier's performance
- 22. Penalties
- 23. Termination for default
- 24. Dumping and countervailing duties
- 25. Force Majeure
- 26. Termination for insolvency
- 27. Settlement of disputes
- 28. Limitation of liability
- 29. Governing language
- 30. Applicable law
- 31. Notices
- 32. Taxes and duties
- 33. National Industrial Participation Programme (NIPP)
- 34. Prohibition of restrictive practices