

KWAZULU-NATAL PROVINCE

TRANSPORT REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

CONTRACT NO. ZNB01286/00000/00/IXO/INF/22/T: PROVISION OF ROUTINE AND SAFETY MAINTENANCE ON VARIOUS ROADS WITHIN ZONE 5- IXOPO AREA OFFICE

CIDB GRADE 8CE or higher

Name of Tenderer:

This tender closes at 11:00 on Tuesday, 14th February 2023 at the offices of the Department of Transport Cost Centre DC43 Ixopo Office located at 23 High Street, Ixopo 3276

LATE SUBMISSIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED

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DOCUMENT CHECKLIST

This document checklist is provided to assist the Tenderer.

ITEMS CHECKED 1 Returnable Schedules in Section T2.2 Correct Tender Offer carried forward to C1.1 Form of Offer and Acceptance 2 and the Form of Offer duly completed and signed..... 3 Bill of Quantities: i) Completed in legible INK only..... ii) Corrections crossed out and initialled 4 Contract specific data provided by the Contractor



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PART T1: TENDERING PROCEDURES

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PLEASE NOTE:

Any appeals regarding the award of this bid should be lodged within 5 working days from the date of the publication of bid results in the which is published every week on Friday and may be downloaded from the website, <u>e-tenderportal /www.kzntransport.gov.za</u>, (select platforms that is available for publication)

The publication is also published in the following platforms, www.cidb.org.za/.

The address provided for the lodging of appeals is:

The Chairperson Bid Appeals Tribunal Private Bag X9082 Pietermaritzburg 3200

FAX NO.: 033 897 4501

T1.1 TENDER NOTICE AND INVITATION TO TENDER

CONTRACT NO. ZNB01286/00000/00/IXO/INF/22/T: PROVISION OF ROUTINE AND SAFETY MAINTENANCE ON VARIOUS ROADS WITHIN ZONE 5 - IXOPO AREA OFFICE

The Province of KwaZulu-Natal, Department of Transport, invites tenders from contractors, experienced in roadworks, for the Provision of Routine and Safety Maintenance on Various Roads within Zone 5 –lxopo Office. This project is in the province of KwaZulu-Natal in the local municipality of Ubuhlebezwe. The duration of the project is 24 months.

Only tenderers that satisfy the eligibility criteria stipulated in clause C.2.1 of the Tender Data are eligible to have their tenders considered.

Tenders must have a minimum CIDB contractor grading designation of 8CE or higher.

Only locally produced or locally manufactured goods with a stipulated minimum threshold for local production and content as stated in the Tender Data will be considered. Failure to meet the minimum threshold for local production and content **will** lead to disqualification.

The successful tenderer must subcontract a minimum of 30% of the value of the Constructions Works to Targeted Enterprises through Contract Participation Goals (CPG) for a bidder that is BEE Level 1 EME or QSE that is more than 51% owned by black person(s).

Tenderers shall be required to demonstrate that they will have in their employ during the contract period the necessary personnel satisfying the requirements of the Scope of Work for labor-enhanced competencies for management and supervisory personnel.

Please note that there will be no clarification meeting. Refer to the briefing note attached (separately). Documents and briefing notes will be made available for download on <u>www.kzntransport.gov.za</u> as from **Thursday, 15th December 2022.**

Queries relating to this tender may be addressed to:

Bidding procedure enquiries:	Technical enquiries:
Ms Joice Dludla	Mr Lindelani Dlamini
Telephone: 039 834 0500	Telephone: 039 834 0500
Fax: 039 834 0555	E-mail: Lindelani.Dlamini@Kzntransport.gov.za
E-mail: Joice.Dludla@Kzntransport.gov.za	

The closing time for receipt of tenders is 11:00 on Tuesday, 14th February 2023.

Original hard copy tenders must be deposited at the Tender Box located at the foyer of Ixopo Cost Centre Office at 23 High Street; Ixopo

Requirements for sealing, addressing, delivery, opening and assessment of tenders are stated in the Tender Data.

T1.2 TENDER DATA

The conditions of tender are the standard conditions of tender contained in Annex C of the Construction Industry Development Board Standard for Uniformity in Engineering and Construction Works Contracts, published in Government Gazette No. 42622 dated 8 August 2019.

The standard conditions of tender make several references to the tender data for details that apply specifically to this tender. The tender data shall have precedence in the interpretation of any ambiguity or inconsistency between the tender data and the standard conditions of tender.

Each item of data given below is cross-referenced to the clause in the standard conditions of tender to which it mainly applies.

Clause Number	Data	
C.1.2	The Tender Documents consist of the following:	
	(a) This Project Document , which contains the following:	
	PART T1: TENDERING PROCEDURES T1.1 Tender Notice and Invitation to Tender T1.2 Tender Data	
	PART T2: RETURNABLE DOCUMENTS T2.1 List of Returnable Documents T2.2 Returnable Schedules	
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	(b) Drawings (issued separately by the Employer).	
	(c) 'General Conditions of Contract for Construction Works, Third Edition (2015)' issued by the South African Institution of Civil Engineering (abbreviated title 'General Conditions of Contract 2015' – 'GCC 2015'). This document is obtainable separately and Tenderers shall obtain their own copy.	
	(d) 'COTO Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Works for South African Road Authorities (Draft Standard) (October 2020). This document is obtainable separately and Tenderers shall obtain their own copy.	

Clause Number	Data		
	(e) 'Occupational Health and Safety Act No. 85 of 1993', 'Occupational Health and Safety Amendment Act No. 181 of 1993', and the 'Construction Regulations, 2014 (Government Notice No. R. 489 published in Government Gazette No. 40883 of 2 June 2017,)'. These documents are obtainable separately and Tenderers shall obtain the own copies.		
	(f) 'Construction Industry Development Board Act No. 38 of 2000' as amended and the 'Regulations in terms of the Construction Industry Development Board Act No. 38 of 2000' (Government Notice No. R. 692 published in Government Gazette No. 26427 of 9 June 2004, as amended).		
	In addition, Tenderers are advised, in their own interest, to obtain their own copies of the relevant Acts, Regulations and Standards referred to in this document as they are essential for the Tenderer to become acquainted with the basics of construction management, the implementation of preferential construction procurement policies, and participation of targeted enterprises and labour.		
C.1.4	The Employer's Agent is:		
	Contact person:Mr Lindelani DTelephone:039 834 0500Fax:039 834 0555	ent of Transport lamini . <u>ini@kzntransport.gov.za</u>	
C.2.10	All Tenderers that are registered for Value Added Tax (VAT) with the South African Revenue Service (SARS) must include VAT in their tender offer.		
C2.11	The tenderer shall not retype the tender document. tender submitted using a document that has been retyped shall be considere non-responsive and rejected in terms of clause C.3.8 of the Conditions of Tender		
C.2.12	The requirements are as described in clause A2.1.4.2'ALTERNATIVE DESIGNS' of the 'COTO Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Works for South African Road Authorities (Draft Standard) (October 2020 edition)'.		
C.2.13	C.2.13.3 Tender offers shall be submitted as an original only. Under no circumstances whatsoever may the tender forms be retyped or redrafted. Photocopies of the original tender documentation may be used, but an original signature must appear on such photocopies.		
	C.2.13.5 The Employer's address for delivery of tender offers and identification details to be shown on each tender offer package are:		
	Location of Tender Box: KZN Department of Transport, Cost Centre DC43 Ixo Office		
	Physical Address: 23 Hig	h Street, Ixopo	
	Identification Details: Contra	ct No. ZNB01286/00000/00/IXO/INF/22/T	
	C.2.13.6 A two-envelope system will NOT be followed.		

Clause Number	Data		
C.2.15	The closing time for submission of Tender Offers is: 11:00 on Tuesday, 14 th February 2023		
	Telegraphic, telephonic, telex, facsimile, electronic, e-mail and late tender accepted.	ers will not be	
C.2.16	The tender offer validity period is twenty-four (24) weeks, calculated from closure.	the date of bic	
C.2.18	The tenderer must submit to the Employer the names of all management and s that will be employed to supervise the labour-enhanced portion of the work satisfactory evidence that such staff members satisfy the eligibility require Returnable Schedule H).	s together with	
C.2.19	Access shall be provided for inspections and testing by personnel acting o Employer.	n behalf of the	
C.2.23	The certificates as required in the Returnable Schedules and Forms must be p tender for each party to a consortium / joint venture.	rovided with the	
C.3.4	The time and location for opening of the tender submissions are: Time: 11:00 Date: Tuesday, 14th February 2022		
	Location / Venue: KZN Department of Transport, Cost Centre DC43 Ixopo Cos 23 High Street, Ixopo, 3276	t Centre Office,	
C.3.5	A two-envelope system will NOT be followed.		
C.3.8	Determine, after opening and before detailed evaluation, whether each tender offer propreceived:		
	a) complies with the requirements of these Conditions of Tender,		
	b) has been properly and fully completed and signed, and		
	c) is responsive to the other requirements of the tender documents		
C3.11.1 The evaluation of tender offers will be based on administrative complia preference in accordance with the Preferential Procurement Regulations 2017 The scope of work for this contract is classified in the following table.			
	Please mark appropriate:	YES / NO	
	Simple/straightforward/routine work - where the tasks or activities are of a straightforward nature in terms of which inputs are relatively well known and outputs can be readily defined.	YES	
	Complex work - characterised by requirements for higher levels of skills, greater resources or not well-defined inputs and outputs.	NO	
	Specialist work - requiring considerable innovation, creativity, and expertise or skill (or both) or work that has a high downstream impact.	NO	
	The functionality criteria and weighting for each of the sub-criteria on which Proposal submitted with Returnable Schedule O will be evaluated, as in following table.		

Clause Number	Data			
	(a) Price and preference			
	Tenders will be evaluated on price and preference in accordance with the Preferential Procurement Regulations, 2017.			
	Preference points must be claimed using Returnable Schedule C - SBD 6.1 in accordance with the tenderer's B-BBEE status level of contributor.			
	The tenderer's B-BBEE Status Level Verification Certificate must comply with the requirements of Returnable Schedule D and be submitted as an attachment to the returnable schedule.			
	Total Score for Price and Preference The points scored for a Tenderer in respect of Price will be added to the points scored in respect of Preference. Only the tender with the highest number of points may be selected, except in those instances permissible by legislation, practice notes or relevant policies.			
C.3.13	(e) The legal requirements for acceptance of the tender offer are:			
	(i) Tender Defaulters Register - the Tenderer or any of its principals is <u>not</u> listed on the register of Tender Defaulters in terms of the Prevention and Combating of Corru Activities Act of 2004 as a person prohibited from doing business with the public sector.			
	(ii) Abuse of the SCM System - the Tenderer has <u>not</u> abused the Employer's Suppl Chain Management System and has <u>not</u> been given a written notice to the effect that he has failed to perform on any previous contract.			
	(iii) Declaration - the Tenderer has indicated and declared whether a spouse, child or parent of the Tenderer is in the service of the State.			
	(iv) Fraud and Corruption - the Employer is satisfied that the Tenderer or any of his principals have <u>not influenced</u> the tender offer and acceptance by the following criteria:			
	 having offered, promised or given a bribe or other gift or remuneration to any person in connection with the obtaining of this Contract; having acted in a fraudulent or corrupt manner in obtaining this Contract; having approached an officer or employee of the Employer or the Employer's Agent with the object of influencing the award of a Contract in the Tenderer's 			
	 having entered into any agreement or arrangement, whether legally binding or not, with any other person, firm or company to refrain from Tendering for this Contract or as to the amount of the Tender to be submitted by either party; or having disclosed to any other person, firm or company other than the Employer, the exact or approximate amount of his proposed Tender. 			
	The Employer may, in addition to using any other legal remedies, repudiate the Tender offer and acceptance and declare the Contract invalid should it have been concluded already.			
C.3.17	The number of paper copies of the signed contract to be provided by the Employer is one (1) .			

PART T2: RETURNABLE DOCUMENTS

T2.1 LIST OF RETURNABLE DOCUMENTS

The following schedules and forms are contained in this document and are to be properly completed as required:

- (a) Returnable Schedules in T2.2.
- (b) C1.1 Form of Offer and Acceptance, C1.1.1: Offer, on page C3.
- (c) Contract Specific Data Provided by the Contractor in C1.2.3.
- (d) Pricing Data in C2.2: Bill of Quantities.

T2.2 RETURNABLE SCHEDULES

А	RECORD OF ADDENDA TO TENDER DOCUMENTS	T13
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NOTE: The Tenderer is required to complete each schedule and form listed above to the best of his ability as the evaluation of tenders and the eventual contract will be based on the information provided by the Tenderer. Failure of a Tenderer to complete the schedules and forms to the satisfaction of the Employer may lead to rejection on the grounds that the tender is non-responsive.

A. RECORD OF ADDENDA TO TENDER DOCUMENTS

The undersigned confirm that the following communications received from the Employer or his representative before the date of submission of this tender offer, amending the tender documents, have been considered in this tender offer. (Addenda can only be issued following approval from the Employer. The Employer's representative is not allowed to issue addenda to bidders without prior approval in terms of the SCM Delegations).

DATE	TITLE OR DETAILS
	DATE

Signed	Date	
Name	Position	
Bidder		

Failure to complete, sign and date this form or failure to acknowledge receipt of each Addendum issued shall result in the tender being considered non-responsive and rejected in terms of clause C.3.8 of the Conditions of Tender.

B. COMPULSORY ENTERPRISE QUESTIONNAIRE

The following particulars must be furnished. In the case of a joint venture, separate enterprise questionnaires in respect of each partner must be completed and submitted.

Section 1: Name of enterprise:

Section 2: VAT registration number, if any:

Section 3: CIDB registration number, if any:

Section 4: CSD number:

Section 5: Particulars of sole proprietors and partners in partnerships:

Name*	Identity number*	Personal income tax number*

* Complete only if sole proprietor or partnership and attach separate page if more than 3 partners

Section 6: Particulars of companies and close corporations

Company registration number:

Close corporation number:

Tax reference number:

Section 7: SBD4 issued by National Treasury must be completed for each tender and be attached as a tender requirement.

Section 8: SBD 6 issued by National Treasury must be completed for each tender and be attached as a tender requirement.

The undersigned, who warrants that he / she is duly authorised to do so on behalf of the enterprise:

- i) authorizes the employer to verify the tenderers tax clearance status from the South African Revenue Services that it is in order;
- ii) confirms that the neither the name of the enterprise or the name of any partner, manager, director or other person, who wholly or partly exercises or may exercise, control over the enterprise appears on the Register of Tender Defaulters established in terms of the Prevention and Combating of Corrupt Activities Act of 2004;
- iii) confirms that no partner, member, director or other person, who wholly or partly exercises, or may exercise, control over the enterprise appears, has within the last five years been convicted of fraud or corruption;
- iv) confirms that I / we are not associated, linked or involved with any other tendering entities submitting tender offers and have no other relationship with any of the tenderers or those responsible for compiling the scope of work that could cause or be interpreted as a conflict of interest; and
- iv) confirms that the contents of this questionnaire are within my personal knowledge and are to the best of my belief both true and correct.

Signed		Date	
Name		Position	
Enterprise name			
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Failure to complete, sign and date this form shall result in the tender being considered nonresponsive and rejected in terms of clause C.3.8 of the Conditions of Tender.

C. STANDARD BIDDING DOCUMENTS

SECTION	SECTION A SBD INVITATION TO BID									
YOU ARE HEREBY INVITED TO TENDER FOR REQUIREMENTS OF THE KWAZULU-NATAL DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORT										
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PART B TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR BIDDING

1.	BID SUBMISSION:
1.1.	BIDS MUST BE DELIVERED BY THE STIPULATED TIME TO THE CORRECT ADDRESS. LATE BIDS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED FOR CONSIDERATION.
1.2.	ALL BIDS MUST BE SUBMITTED ON THE OFFICIAL FORMS PROVIDED-(NOT TO BE RE-TYPED) OR IN THE MANNER PRESCRIBED IN THE BID DOCUMENT.
1.3.	THIS BID IS SUBJECT TO THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT POLICY FRAMEWORK ACT, 2000 AND THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS, 2017, THE GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT (GCC) AND, IF APPLICABLE, ANY OTHER SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT.
1.4.	IF THE BID WAS INVITED THROUGH A CLOSE QUOTATION PROCESS; WHERE SUPPLIERS WERE SOURCED FROM CSD USING THE COMMODITY PROCESS; SUPPLIERS WHO WERE NOT INVITED WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.
1.5.	USE OF OMISSION IN THE DOCUMENT IS PROHIBITED, ALL CORRECTIONS MUST BE INITIALLED BY TENDERR AND USE OF CORRECTION FLUID IS PROHIBITED.
	FAILING TO COMPLY WITH THE ABOVE REQUIREMENTS WILL RESULT IN THE BID BEING NON-RESPONSIVE. THE SUCCESSFUL BIDDER WILL BE REQUIRED TO FILL IN AND SIGN A WRITTEN CONTRACT
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 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."
3.	COMPLIANCE AND RETURNABLES: THE FOLLOWING RETURNABLE DOCUMENTS MUST RETURNED WITH THE TENDER DOCUMENT
3.1	SCM APPENDIX 1 INVITATION TO TENDER (SBD1 PART A)
3.2	SCM APPENDIX 2 – TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR BIDDING (SBD1 PART B)
3.3	SBD 4 – BIDDER'S DISCLOSURE
3.4	SBD 6.1 - PREFERENCE POINTS CLAIM FORM IN TERMS OF THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS 2017;
	SBD 6.2 – DECLARATION CERTIFICATE FOR LOCAL PRODUCTION AND CONTENT TOGETHER WITH ANNEXURE C (COMPLETED IF APPLICABLE)
NB:	FAILURE TO PROVIDE / OR COMPLY WITH ANY OF THE ABOVE PARTICULARS MAY RENDER THE BID INVALID.
SIG	NATURE OF BIDDER:

SBD 4 BIDDER'S DISCLOSURE

1. PURPOSE OF THE FORM

Any person (natural or juristic) may make an offer or offers in terms of this invitation to bid. 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, it is required for the bidder 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 bid process.

2. Bidder's declaration

- 2.1 Is the bidder, or any of its directors / trustees / shareholders / members / partners or any person having a controlling interest1 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 table below.

Full Name	Identity Number	Name of State institution

- 2.2 Do you, or any person connected with the bidder, have a relationship with any person who is employed by the procuring institution? **YES/NO**
- 2.2.1 If so, furnish particulars:
- 2.3 Does the bidder 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**
- 2.3.1 If so, furnish particulars:

¹ the power, by one person or a group of persons holding the majority of the equity of an enterprise, alternatively, the person/s having the deciding vote or power to influence or to direct the course and decisions of the enterprise.

3 DECLARATION

I, the undersigned, (name)..... in submitting the accompanying bid, 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 bid will be disqualified if this disclosure is found not to be true and complete in every respect;
- 3.3 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 consortium2 will not be construed as collusive bidding.
- 3.4 In addition, 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 bid, bidding with the intention not to win the bid and conditions or delivery particulars of the products or services to which this bid invitation relates.
- 3.4 The terms of the accompanying bid have not been, and will not be, disclosed by the bidder, directly or indirectly, to any competitor, prior to the date and time of the official bid opening or of the awarding of the contract.
- 3.5 There have been no consultations, communications, agreements or arrangements made by the bidder with any official of the procuring institution in relation to this procurement process prior to and during the bidding process except to provide clarification on the bid submitted where so required by the institution; and the bidder was not involved in the drafting of the specifications or terms of reference for this bid.
- 3.6 I am aware that, in addition and without prejudice to any other remedy provided to combat any restrictive practices related to bids and contracts, bids that are suspicious will be reported to the Competition Commission for investigation and possible imposition of administrative penalties in terms of section 59 of the Competition Act No 89 of 1998 and or may be reported to the National Prosecuting Authority (NPA) for criminal investigation and or may be restricted from conducting business with the public sector for a period not exceeding ten (10) years in terms of the Prevention and Combating of Corrupt Activities Act No 12 of 2004 or any other applicable legislation.

I CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION FURNISHED IN PARAGRAPHS 1, 2 and 3 ABOVE IS CORRECT.

I ACCEPT THAT THE STATE MAY REJECT THE BID OR ACT AGAINST ME IN TERMS OF PARAGRAPH 6 OF PFMA SCM INSTRUCTION 03 OF 2021/22 ON PREVENTING AND COMBATING ABUSE IN THE SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT SYSTEM SHOULD THIS DECLARATION PROVE TO BE FALSE.

Signature	Date
Position	Name of bidder

Every question must be answered individually on this form, whether a relationship is present or not: Failure to do so will invalidate your tender.

² 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.

SBD 6.1

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 90/10 system for requirements with a Rand value above R50 000 000 (all applicable taxes included).
- 1.2 (a) The value of this bid is estimated to exceed R50 000 000 (all applicable taxes included) and therefore the 90/10 preference point system shall be applicable.
- 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	90
B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL OF CONTRIBUTOR	10
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 tenders, 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 90/10 PREFERENCE POINT SYSTEMS

A maximum of 90 points is allocated for price on the following basis: **90/10**

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

Where

Ps = Points scored for price of bid under consideration

Pt = Price of bid under consideration

Pmin = Price of lowest acceptable bid

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

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

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

5. BID DECLARATION

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

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

6.1 B-BBEE Status Level of Contributor: . =(maximum of 10 points)

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

7. SUB-CONTRACTING

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

(Tick applicable box)



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

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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 by:	EME √	$QSE_{}$
Black people		
Black people who are youth		
Black people who are women		
Black people with disabilities		
Black people living in rural or underdeveloped areas or townships		
Cooperative owned by black people		
Black people who are military veterans		
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 –
 - (a) disqualify the person from the bidding process;
 - (b) recover costs, losses or damages it has incurred or suffered as a result of that person's conduct;
 - (c) cancel the contract and claim any damages which it has suffered as a result of having to make less favourable arrangements due to such cancellation;
 - (d) recommend that the bidder or contractor, its shareholders and directors, or only the shareholders and directors who acted on a fraudulent basis, be restricted by the National Treasury from obtaining business from any organ of state for a period not exceeding 10 years, after the *audi alteram partem* (hear the other side) rule has been applied; and
 - (e) forward the matter for criminal prosecution.

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

B-BBEE EXEMPTED AFFIDAVIT FOR EXEMPTED MICRO ENTERPRISES (ISSUED IN TERMS OF THE AMENDED CONSTRUCTION SECTOR CODE) (Gazette Vol. 630 No. 41287) Issued in terms of paragraph 3.6.2.4.1 (B)

I, the undersigned,

Full name & Surname	
Identity number	

Hereby declare under oath as follows:

- 1. The contents of this statement are to the best of my knowledge a true reflection of the facts.
- 2. I am a member / director / owner of the following enterprise and am duly authorised to act on its behalf:

Enterprise Name	
Trading Name (If Applicable):	
Registration Number	
Enterprise Physical Address:	
Type of Entity (CC, (Pty) Ltd, Sole Prop etc.):	
Nature of Business:	BEP Contractor Supplier (Built Environment Professional)
Definition of "Black People"	As per the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act 53 of 2003 as Amended by Act No 46 of 2013 "Black People" is a generic term which means Africans, Coloureds and Indians – (a) who are citizens of the Republic of South Africa by birth or descent; or (b) who became citizens of the Republic of South Africa by naturalisationi- I. before 27 April 1994; or II. on or after 27 April 1994 and who would have been entitled to acquire citizenship by naturalization prior to that date;"
Definition of "Black Designated Groups"	 "Black Designated Groups means: (a) unemployed black people not attending and not required by law to attend an educational institution and not awaiting admission to an educational institution; (b) Black people who are youth as defined in the National Youth Commission Act of 1996; (c) Black people who are persons with disabilities as defined in the Code of Good Practice on employment of people with disabilities issued under the Employment Equity Act; (d) Black people living in rural and under developed areas; (e) Black military veterans who qualifies to be called a military veteran in terms of the Military Veterans Act 18 of 2011;"

Construction Sector Affidavit

- 3. I hereby declare under Oath that:
- The Enterprise is ______% Black Owned as per Amended Code Series 100 of the amended Codes of Good Practice issued under section 9 (1) of B-BBEE Act No 53 of 2003 as amended by Act No 46 of 2013,
- The Enterprise is _____% Black Female Owned as per Amended Code Series 100 of the Amended Codes of Good Practice issued under section 9 (1) of B-BBEE Act No 53 of 2003 as Amended by Act No 46 of 2013,
- The Enterprise is _____% Black Designated Group Owned as per Amended Code Series 100 of the Amended Codes of Good Practice issued under section 9 (1) of B-BBEE Act No 53 of 2003 as Amended by Act No 46 of 2013,
- Black Designated Group Owned % Breakdown as per the definition stated above:
 - •Black Youth % = ____%
 - •Black Disabled % =____%
 - •Black Unemployed % =____%
 - •Black People living in Rural areas % = _____%
 - •Black Military Veterans % =____%

BEP	R1.8 million	
Contractor	R3.0 million	
Supplier	R3.0 million	
If the turnover avceeds the applicable amount in the table above then this aft	idavit is no longer applicable and an EME certificate must be obtained from a rating agency accredited by SANAS or when applic	cable a B-BBFF Verification

Professional Regulator appointed by the Minister of Trade and Industry. Based on the Financial Statements/Management Accounts and other information available on the

latest financial year-end of ___/___, (dd/mm/yyyy) the annual Total Revenue was

R3,000,000.00 (3 Million Rands) or less

• Please Confirm on the below table the B-BBEE Level Contributor, by ticking the applicable box.

100% Black Owned	Level One (135% B-BBEE procurement recognition level)	
At least 51% Black Owned	Level Two (125% B-BBEE procurement recognition level)	
At least 35% Black Owned	Level Four (100% B-BBEE procurement recognition level)	
Less than 35% Black Owned	Level Five (80% B-BBEE procurement recognition level)	

- 4. I know and understand the contents of this affidavit and I have no objection to take the prescribed oath and consider the oath binding on my conscience and on the Owners of the Enterprise, which I represent in this matter.
 - 5. The sworn affidavit will be valid for a period of 12 months from the date signed by commissioner.

Deponent Signature: _____

Date: ____/___/_____/

Stamp		

Signature of Commissioner of Oaths

FAILURE TO FULLY COMPLETE DATE AND SIGN THIS FORM WILL RESULT TO NON-AWARD OF PREFERENCE POINTS

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 in the Preferential Procurement Regulations, 2017, 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. Preferential Procurement Regulations, 2017 (Regulation 8) make provision for the promotion of local production and content.
- 1.2. Regulation 8.(2) 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. Where necessary, for tenders referred to in paragraph 1.2 above, a two-stage bidding process may be followed, where the first stage involves a minimum threshold for local production and content and the second stage price and B-BBEE.
- 1.4. 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.
- 1.5. 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] * 100Where x is the import

- 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) on the date of advertisement of the bid as indicated in paragraph 3.1 below.

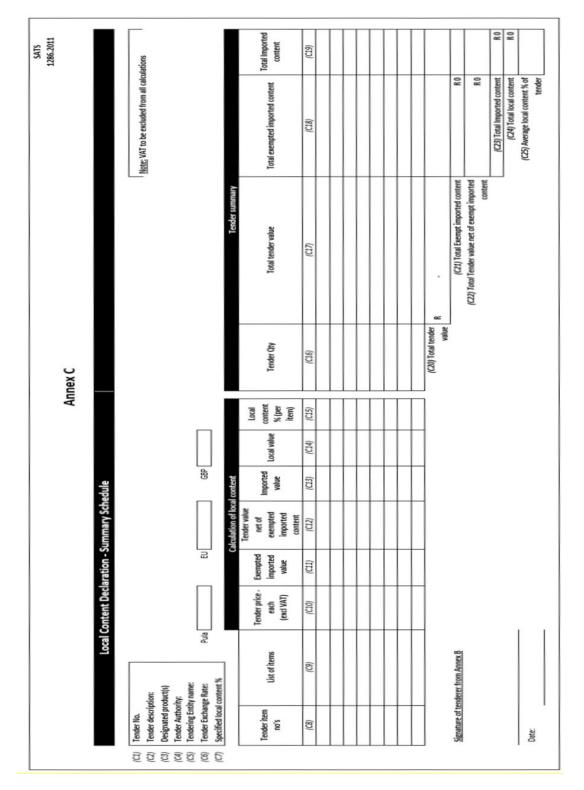
The SABS approved technical specification number SATS 1286:2011 is accessible on http://www.thedti.gov.za/industrial development/ip.jsp at no cost.

1.6. A bid may be disqualified if this Declaration Certificate and the Annex C (Local Content Declaration: Summary Schedule) are not submitted as part of the bid documentation.

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:

NB: the following list must be completed if applicable and each item must refer to the BOQ reference number for ease of reference. Link for designated items <u>https://kzntransport-my.sharepoint.com/:p:/g/personal/mangcobo_gumede_kzntransport_gov_za/EYQdUwuIrRBAltx4VOxR</u> <u>liABQQpZpdZ8Es2gEt46HyHIBw?e=ch3ErE</u>

Description of services, works or goods	BOQ Reference	Stipulated minimum threshold
Welded Steel Fabric	C3.2.10.3	100%
Galvanised Gabion Boxes	C11.2.3.1	100%
Galvanised Gabion Mattresses	C11.2.3.3	100%
Guardrails	C11.4.1.1 (a)	100%
End Wings	C11.4.1.2	100%
Steel Plates	C11.4.6.1	100%
Zinc Coated Barbed Wire	C11.5.1.1	100%
Zinc Coated Smooth Wire	C11.5.1.2	100%
Standards	C11.5.1.7	100%
Droppers	C11.5.1.8	100%
Vertical	C11.5.1.9 (a)(i)	100%
Signs; Area 0 – 0.5 m²	C11.6.1.3 (a)	100%
Signs; Area 0.5 not exceeding 2.0 m ²	C11.6.1.3 (b)	100%
Signs; Area 2.0 not exceeding 10 m ²	C11.6.1.3 (c)	100%
Cement (all types)	C6.1.1; C6.1.2; C3.2.7; C11.1.2; C11.1.6	100%
Steel reinforcement	C.6.1.7.1 ; C.6.1.7.2; C.6.1.7.3	100%
Dowels	C.6.1.2.2	100%



<u>Annexures of SBD 6.2 Local Production and Content</u> (Attach additional pages if more space is required)

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C. Importe	d by a 3rd part	ty and supplie	ed to the Te	nderer								
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This form must be completed, signed and dated by the contractor and kept for a period of 5 years for audit purposes. Annexure D is not a returnable document.

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	financing, interest etc.)	R 0
	(E13) Total local content	R 0
Signature of tenderer from Annex B		

This form must be completed, signed and dated by the contractor and kept for a period of 5 years for audit purposes. Annexure E is not a returnable document.

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

(Tick applicable box)

YES	NO	

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 on the date of advertisement of the bid.

The relevant rates of exchange information are accessible on www.resbank.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.

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) Province of KwaZulu-Natal, Department of Transport NB The obligation to complete, duly sign and submit this declaration cannot be transferred to an 1 external authorized representative, auditor or any other third party acting on behalf of the bidder. Guidance on the Calculation of Local Content together with Local Content Declaration 2 Templates (Annex C, D and E) is accessible on http://www.thedti.gov.za/industrial_development/ip.jsp. Bidders should complete first Declaration D. After completing Declaration D, bidders should complete Declaration E and then consolidate the information on Declaration C. Declaration C should be submitted with the bid documentation at the closing date and time 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. do hereby declare, in my capacity as of(name of bidder entity), the following: The facts contained herein are within my own personal knowledge. (a) I have satisfied myself that the goods/services/works to be delivered in terms of the above-(b) specified bid comply with the minimum local content requirements as specified in the bid, and as measured in terms of SATS 1286:2011. The local content percentage (%) indicated below has been calculated using the formula (c) given in clause 3 of SATS 1286:2011, the rates of exchange indicated in paragraph 3.1 above and the information contained in Declaration D and E which has been consolidated in Declaration C: R Bid price, excluding VAT (y) 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 3.1 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 14 of the Preferential Procurement Regulations, 2017 promulgated under the Preferential Policy
	Framework Act (PPPFA), 2000 (Act No. 5 of 2000).

WITNESS No. 2 _____

DATE:	

DATE: _____

D. B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL VERIFICATION CERTIFICATE

Notes to tenderer:

- 1. The tenderer shall submit proof of B-BBEE Status Level of Contributor by submitting a copy of a valid B-BBEE Verification Certificate issued in accordance with the Amended Construction Sector Code published in Notice 931 of 2017 of Government Gazette No. 41287 of 1 December 2017.
- 2. The certificate shall:
 - (i) have been issued by a verification agency accredited by the South African National Accreditation System (SANAS); or
 - (ii) in the case of an Exempted Micro Enterprise (EME) with a total annual revenue of R3 million and less, be in the form of a sworn affidavit, in respect of their ownership and annual turnover, for the year ending not earlier than 12 (twelve) months prior to the tender closing date; and
 - (iii) have a date of issue not earlier than 12 (twelve) months prior to the tender closing date.
- 3. A consortium or joint venture (including unincorporated consortia and joint ventures) must submit a consolidated B-BBEE Status Level Verification Certificate. In addition, the consolidated B-BBEE Status Level Verification Certificate for unincorporated joint ventures shall only be applicable to this project (Tender No. to be indicated on the certificate).
- 4. An enterprise will qualify as an Exempted Micro Enterprise (EME) if it has a total annual revenue of R3 million or less, and is deemed to have the following B-BBEE Status in accordance with their black ownership levels:
 - (i) if less than 35% Black Owned then "Level Five Contributor";
 - (ii) if at least 35% Black Owned but less than 51% Black Owned then "Level Four Contributor";
 - (iii) if at least 51% Black Owned but less than 100% Black Owned, then "Level Two Contributor"; and
 - (iv) if 100% Black Owned then "Level One Contributor".
- 5. Tenderers are advised that any misrepresentation in the affidavits is a criminal offence.

E. CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY FOR SIGNATORY

The Tenderer must indicate the enterprise status by ticking the appropriate box hereunder.

(I)	(II)	(111)	(IV)	(V) JOINT VENTURE / CONSORTIUM	
SOLE PROPRIETOR	CLOSE CORPORATION	PARTNERSHIP	COMPANY		
				Incorporated	
				Unincorporated	

Note:

The following document must be attached to this form according to the status of the enterprise, in the form of a resolution authorising the signatory to sign all documents in connection with this bid and any contract resulting therefrom on behalf of the enterprise, and <u>such resolution shall include a specimen signature</u> <u>of the signatory</u>.

Cooperative:	'Resolution of the Memb	ers'				
Close Corporation:	'Resolution of the Members'					
Company:	'Resolution of the Board' signed by the chairperson					
Joint Venture / Consortium:	'Resolution/agreement	passed/reached'	signed	by	the	authorised
representatives of the enterprises						

MEMBERS RESOLUTION

CONTRACT NO. ZNB01286/00000/00/IXO/INF/22/T

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Close Corporation / Company / Partnership / Trust /Sole proprietor or sole trader Name:

Number:	RESOLUTION OF THE
DIRECTORS OF THE COMPANY etc RESOLVED that	
, in his/her capacity a	as
, is authorised to	make applications on behalf of
the Close Corporation / Company / Partnership / Trust /Sole proprietor or serelating to the business (which is not necessarily a change of ownership). T	

Signature(s) for Close Corporation / Company / Partnership / Trust/ Sole proprietor or sole trader. (sole member still must sign this resolution)

Signature of members:

have access to webpage for the business.

Name	Signature	Date
1.		
2.		
3		
4		
5		
6		

Specimen signature of the signatory:

Failure to complete, sign and date the relevant certificate(s) set out hereafter or failure to provide the certificate(s) in the form of a resolution as described above shall result in the tender being considered non-responsive and rejected in terms of clause C.3.8 of the Conditions of Tender.

F. CONSTRUCTION EXPERIENCE

The following is a statement of work of similar nature recently successfully executed by myself / ourselves:

EMPLOYER: CONTACT PERSON AND TELEPHONE NUMBER	EMPLOYER'S AGENT: CONTACT PERSON AND TELEPHONE NUMBER	NATURE OF WORK	VALUE OF WORK (inclusive of VAT)	DATE COMPLETED OR EXPECTED TO BE COMPLETED

Attach additional pages if more space is required

SIGNATURE:

DATE:

(Of person authorised to sign on behalf of the Tenderer)

G. KEY PERSONNEL

G1. KEY PERSONNEL - MANAGEMENT

The Tenderer must insert in the spaces provided below a list of the key personnel to be employed in the management of the construction of the Works, together with a resume of their experience with particular reference to the construction of similar Works.

The Tenderer shall attach the curriculum vitae of the listed key management personnel to the page included below for this purpose.

DESIGNATION	NAME	PROJECT TYPE	VALUE OF WORK	YEAR COMPLETED
CONTRACTS MANAGER				
CONSTRUCTION MANAGER				
FOREMAN/ SUPERVISOR				

Attach additional pages if more space is required

SIGNATURE:

DATE:

G2. KEY PERSONNEL – LABOUR ENHANCED ACTIVITIES

Contractors shall employ in labour-enhanced works only those supervisory and management staff that have completed the required Skills Programme in terms of Appendix C of the "Guidelines for the implementation of labour-enhanced infrastructure projects under the Expanded Public Works Programme (EPWP) Third Edition 2015":

- Foremen / Supervisors at NQF level 4 "National Certificate: Supervision of Civil Engineering Construction Processes";
- Site Agent / Construction Manager at NQF level 5 "Manage Labour-Enhanced Construction Processes" or equivalent Quality Council for Trades and Occupations (QCTO) qualifications at NQF level 5 or 7.

Tenderers' attention is drawn to the required minimum supervisor to worker ratio for this project stated in clause F2.3 of Part F of the Particular Specifications.

The Tenderer must insert in the spaces provided below the relevant details of the personnel to be employed in the construction of the Works possessing the required qualifications in the supervision or management of LEA projects. A copy of the relevant qualification certificate for each such person shall be attached to the next page below.

DESIGNATION	NAME	NAME OF TRAINING INSTITUTION	QUALIFICATION OBTAINED IN THE SUPERVISION OR MANAGEMENT OF LIC PROJECTS	YEAR QUALIFICATION OBTAINED

Attach additional pages if more space is required

SIGNATURE:

DATE:	

CURRICULUM VITAE OF KEY PERSONNEL - MANAGEMENT

Refer to G1.

Curriculum Vitae of key management personnel to be attached to this page.

and

QUALIFICATIONS OF KEY PERSONNEL – LABOUR ENHANCED ACTIVITIES

Refer to G2.

Relevant qualification certificates to be attached to this page for each person possessing the required qualifications in the supervision or management of LEA projects.

Η. **CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT**

The following are lists of major construction equipment that I / we presently own or will acquire for this contract if my / our tender is accepted.

DESCRIPTION (type, size and capacity)	QUANTITY	YEAR OF MANUFACTURE

Details of major construction equipment owned by me / us: (a)

Attach additional pages if more space is required

Details of major construction equipment that will be acquired: (b)

	QUANTITY	HOW ACQUIRED		
DESCRIPTION (type, size and capacity)		HIRE / BUY	SOURCE	

Attach additional pages if more space is required

SIGNATURE:

DATE:

I. PROPOSED SUBCONTRACTORS

I/We hereby notify you that it is my/our intention to employ the following subcontractors for work under this contract. If I/we am/are awarded a contract I/we agree that this notification does not change the requirement for me/us to submit the names of proposed subcontractors in accordance with the requirements of the contract for such appointments.

Acceptance of this tender shall not be construed as approval of any or all of the listed subcontractors. Should any or all of the subcontractors not be approved subsequent to the acceptance of the tender, it shall in no way invalidate this tender, and the tendered unit rates for the various items of work shall remain final and binding, even in the event of a subcontractor not listed below being approved by the Employer.

CSD NUMBER	DESIGNATED GROUP AND OWNERSHIP %	B-BBEE LEVEL	NATURE OF WORK	PERCENTAGE TO BE SUBCONTRACTED
	CSD NUMBER	CSD NUMBER GROUP AND	CSD NUMBER GROUP AND B-BBEE	CSD NUMBER GROUP AND B-BBEE NATURE OF WORK

Attach additional pages if more space is required.

NB: The subcontractors listed above will not contribute to the achievements of the objectives specified in Section C3.3 Part G of this tender document.

SIGNATURE:

DATE:

(Of person authorised to sign on behalf of the Tenderer)

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J. PARTICIPATION IN JOB CREATION USING LOCAL LABOUR

The Tenderer shall be required to participate in job creation (employment of local labour) by executing various portions of the Works using local labour (<u>unskilled or semi-skilled</u>), recruited from the local community, who are South African Citizens or foreigners in possession of a work visa issued by the Department of Home Affairs (only one such foreigner may be employed on any project). Proof of citizenship or work visa may be audited during the contract period.

The creation of one job shall mean the employment, for any period of time, of one such unskilled or semi-skilled labourer from the local community.

The Tenderer shall note the requirements for Job Creation Reporting for EPWP as set out in Part F: Expanded Public Works Programme (EPWP) of the project specifications.

The number of jobs to be created using such local labour is inclusive of the local labour employed to execute various portions of the Works by both the main Contractor and any subcontractors, including the small development subcontractors in terms of Part G: Small Contractor Development of the project specifications.

The number of jobs to be created using such local labour shall include for a minimum percentage allocation to the following individual targeted groups:

- 60% Women;
- 55% Youth; and
- 2% Disabled.

The minimum required content of such local labour for this project shall be calculated as follows:

Minimum required content of such local labour (%)

(100 x amount spent on wages for such local labour (excluding VAT))
 (Subtotal 1* (excluding contingencies, contract price adjustment and VAT))

*Subtotal 1 is obtained from the Tender Summary under C2.2 Bill of Quantities

The minimum required content of such local labour for this project shall be <u>6 %</u>.

For purposes of completing the table on the next page containing the Tenderer's declaration with respect to participation in job creation using local labour, the value of Subtotal 1* (excluding contingencies, contract price adjustment and VAT) which is obtained from the Tender Summary under C2.2 Bill of Quantities, shall be used.

TENDERER'S DECLARATION WITH RESPECT TO PARTICIPATION IN JOB CREATION USING LOCAL LABOUR:

The Tenderer shall complete the table below reflecting the anticipated local labour force to be employed on this contract, including such local labour employed by subcontractors.

I/We hereby tender to participate in job creation through the employment of local labour by creating the following number of jobs using unskilled or semi-skilled labourers, recruited from the local community, who are South African Citizens or foreigners in possession of a work visa issued by the Department of Home Affairs (only one such foreigner may be employed on any project), including for a minimum allocation of 60% Women, 55% Youth and 2% Disabled:

Local labour comprising unskilled or semi-skilled labourers recruited from the local community	Anticipated number of jobs to be created	Total number of days anticipated	Wage rate per day (excluding VAT) (Rand)	Total wage cost (excluding VAT) (Rand)
Contractor's local labour content				
Subcontractors' local labour content				
Total antic	R			
Subtotal 1* (excl	R			
Hence anticipated local labour content expressed as a percentage of Subtotal 1* (excluding contingencies, contract price adjustment and VAT)) Note: Should this percentage not equal or exceed the specified minimum percentage, the Tender will be considered non-responsive in terms of subclause C.3.8 of the Conditions of Tender and such a tender shall be rejected.			%	
Specified minimum local labour content			6 %	

A penalty shall be applied to any shortfall in the local labour content achieved when measured against the specified minimum local labour content, as set out in Part E: Expanded Public Works Programme (EPWP) of the project specifications. The penalty shall not apply to shortfalls in the allocations to the individual target groups (i.e., Women/Youth/Disabled), only to shortfalls in the total local labour content achieved.

The undersigned, who warrants that he/she is duly authorized to do so on behalf of the Tenderer, confirms that he/she understands the conditions for such participation and confirms that the tender satisfies the conditions for participation in job creation through the employment of local labour.

Name:

Duly authorized to sign on behalf of:

SIGNATURE:

DATE:

(Of person authorised to sign on behalf of the Tenderer)

Failure to complete, sign and date this form shall result in the tender being considered nonresponsive and rejected in terms of clause C.3.8 of the Conditions of Tender.

K. BIDDERS HEALTH AND SAFETY DECLARATION

In terms of Regulation 5(1)(h) of the OHSA 1993 Construction Regulations 2014 (referred to as 'the Regulations' hereafter), a Contractor may only be appointed to perform construction work if the Employer is satisfied that the Contractor has the necessary competencies and resources to carry out the work safely in accordance with the Occupational Health and Safety Act No 85 of 1993, as amended and the OHSA 1993 Construction Regulations 2014.

To that effect a person duly authorised by the Tenderer must complete and sign the declaration hereafter in detail.

Declaration by Tenderer

- 1. I, the undersigned, hereby declare and confirm that I am fully conversant with the Occupational Health and Safety Act No. 85 of 1993 (as amended by the Occupational Health and Safety Amendment Act No. 181 of 1993), and the OHSA 1993 Construction Regulations 2014.
- 2. I hereby declare that my company has the competence and the necessary resources to safely carry out the construction work under this contract in compliance with the Construction Regulations and the Employer's Health and Safety Specification.
- 3. I propose to achieve compliance with the Regulations by one of the following:
 - (a) From my own competent resources as detailed in 4(a) hereafter:*Yes / No

 - (* = delete whatever is not applicable)
- 4. Details of resources I propose:
 - <u>Note:</u> Competent resources shall include safety personnel such as the construction manager, construction health and safety officer and construction supervisor as defined in Regulation 8, and competent persons as defined in the OHSA 1993 Construction Regulations 2014, as applicable to this contract.
 - (a) Details of the competent and qualified key persons from my company's own resources, who will form part of the contract team:

NAME OF COMPETENT PERSONS	POSITION TO BE FILLED BY COMPETENT PERSONS

- (b) Details of training of persons from my company's own resources (or to be hired) who still have to be trained to achieve the necessary competency:

 (i) By whom will training be provided?
 (ii) When will training be undertaken?
 (iii) List the positions to be filled by persons to be trained or hired:
 (iii) List the positions to be filled by persons to be trained or hired:

 (c) Details of competent resources to be appointed as subcontractors if competent persons cannot be supplied from own company:
 Name of proposed subcontractor:
 Qualifications or details of competency of the subcontractor:
- 5. I hereby undertake, if my tender is accepted, to provide, before commencement of the works under the contract, a suitable, sufficiently documented and coherent site-specific Health and Safety Plan in accordance with Regulation 7(1)(a) of the Construction Regulations, which plan shall be subject to approval by the Employer.
- 6. I confirm that copies of my company's approved Health and Safety Plan, the Employer's Health and Safety Specification as well as the OHSA 1993 Construction Regulations 2014 will be provided on site and will at all times be available for inspection by the Contractor's personnel, the Employer's personnel, the Employer's Agent, Construction Health and Safety Agent, visitors, and officials and inspectors of the Department of Labour.
- 7. I hereby confirm that adequate provision has been made in my tendered rates and prices in the schedule of quantities to cover the cost of all resources, actions, training and all health and safety measures envisaged in the OHSA 1993 Construction Regulations 2014, and that I will be liable for any penalties that may be applied in terms of the said Regulations (Regulation 33) as a result of contravening or failing to comply with the provisions of the Act and the Regulations.
- 8. I agree that my failure to complete and execute this declaration to the satisfaction of the Employer will mean that I am unable to comply with the requirements of the OHSA 1993 Construction Regulations 2014, and accept that my tender will be prejudiced and may be rejected at the discretion of the Employer.

SIGNATURE:

DATE:

L. DEVIATIONS AND QUALIFICATIONS

Should the Tenderer wish to make any deviation from or any qualification to the Special Conditions of Contract, Specifications, Bill of Quantities, or Drawings, or should he wish to qualify the tender in any way, he shall indicate the proposals clearly hereunder or alternatively on photocopies of the original tender documentation which shall be attached to this page.

<u>Please note:</u> The extent of deviations from the tender documents issued by the Employer prior to the tender closing date is limited to those permissible in terms of the Conditions of Tender. Please also refer to Returnable Schedule N.

SECTION	PAGE	DEVIATION OR QUALIFICATION, INCLUDING REFERENCE CLAUSE OR ITEM NUMBER

Attach additional pages if more space is required

SIGNATURE:

DATE:

M. SCHEDULE OF ALTERNATIVE TENDERS

The attention of tenderers is specifically drawn to clause C.2.12 Alternative tender offers of Annex C Standard Conditions of Tender and to clause C.2.12 of section T1.2 TENDER DATA in this project document.

An alternative tender offer or design shall be considered only if the main tender offer has also been submitted in accordance with the requirements of clauses C.2.12.1 and C.2.12.2 of Annex C and such main tender offer is the winning tender as stated in clause C.2.12.3 of Annex C.

The requirements for alternative offers are as described in clause A2.1.4.2'ALTERNATIVE DESIGNS' of the 'COTO Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Works for South African Road Authorities (Draft Standard) (October 2020 edition)'.

Such alternative offers shall be described, measured and priced in sufficient detail to enable the Employer to evaluate the alternative. The Tenderer shall set out the proposal clearly hereunder or alternatively on photocopies of the original tender documentation which shall be attached to this page.

SECTION	PAGE	ALTERNATIVE OFFER, INCLUDING REFERENCE CLAUSE OR ITEM NUMBER

SIGNATURE:

DATE:

N. NOTICES TO TENDERERS REGARDING THE COMPLETION OF FORMS

PLEASE NOTE THAT THIS TENDER IS SUBJECT TO TREASURY REGULATIONS 16A ISSUED IN TERMS OF THE PUBLIC FINANCE MANAGEMENT ACT, 1999, 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 vice versa and with words importing the masculine gender shall include the feminine and the neuter.
- Under no circumstances whatsoever may the tender forms be retyped or redrafted. Photocopies of the original tender documentation may be used, but an original signature must appear on such photocopies.
- 3. The tenderer is advised to check the number of pages and to satisfy himself that none are missing or duplicated.
- 4. Tender submitted must be complete in all respects.
- 5. Tender 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 tender documents.
- 6. Each tender shall be addressed in accordance with the directives in the tender documents and shall be lodged in a separate sealed envelope, with the name and address of the tenderer, the tender number and closing date indicated on the envelope. The envelope shall not contain documents relating to any tender other than that shown on the envelope. If this provision is not complied with, such tender may be rejected as being invalid.
- 7. All tenders received in sealed envelopes with the relevant tender numbers on the envelopes are kept unopened in safe custody until the closing time of the tender. Where, however, a tender is received open, it shall be sealed. If it is received without a tender number on the envelope, it shall be opened, the tender number ascertained, the envelope sealed, and the tender number written on the envelope.
- 8. A specific box is provided for the receipt of tenders, and no tender found in any other box or elsewhere after the closing date and time of tender will be considered.
- 9. No tender sent through the post will be considered if it is received after the closing date and time stipulated in the tender documentation, and proof of posting will not be accepted as proof of delivery.
- 10. No tender submitted by telefax, telegraphic or other electronic means will be considered.
- 11. Tender documents must not be included in packages containing samples. Such tenders may be rejected as being invalid.
- 12. Any alteration made by the tenderer must be initialled. If not initialled the tenderer may be disqualified.
- 13. Use of correcting fluid is prohibited
- 14. Tenders documents will be opened in public as soon as practicable after the closing time of tender.
- 15. Where practical, prices are made public at the time of opening tender documents.

O. OTHER

a) Rights to Award

- KwaZulu-Natal Department of Transport reserves the right to call for presentations from shortlisted suppliers or **Reserves the Right to accept bid In Whole or In Part.**"
- Not to make any award in this bid or accept any tender submitted,
- Request further technical information from any tenderer after the closing date,
- Verify information and documentation of the tenderer(s),
- Not to accept any of the tender proposals submitted,
- To withdraw or amend any of the tender conditions by notice in writing to all tenderer prior to closing of the bid and post award, and
- If an incorrect award has been made to remedy the matter in any lawful manner it may deem fit.