UMZINYATHI DISTRICT MUNICIPALITY



Q01720

SPECIFICATION AND BID DOCUMENT Q01720 APPOINTMENT OF A SERVICE PROVIDER TO PROVIDE TRAINING ON REPORT WRITING AND RESEARCH DATA ANALYSIS FOR THE UMZINYATHI DEVELOPMENT AGENCY.

CLOSING DATE:	28 JUNE 2021
CLOSING TIME:	12H00 PM
NAME OF BIDDER:	•••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••
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REQUEST FOR FORMAL WRITTEN PRICE QUOTATIONS- Q01720 APPOINTMENT OF A SERVICE PROVIDER TO PROVIDE TRAINING ON REPORT WRITING AND RESEARCH DATA ANALYSIS FOR THE UMZINYATHI DEVELOPMENT AGENCY.

UMzinyathi District Municipality hereby invites offers from suitably qualified and experienced service providers for: APPOINTMENT OF A SERVICE PROVIDER TO PROVIDE TRAINING ON REPORT WRITING AND RESEARCH DATA ANALYSIS FOR THE UMZINYATHI DEVELOPMENT AGENCY. The bid documents must be clearly marked: Q01720 APPOINTMENT OF A SERVICE PROVIDER TO PROVIDE TRAINING ON REPORT WRITING AND RESEARCH DATA ANALYSIS FOR THE UMZINYATHI DEVELOPMENT AGENCY. Bid documents will be available as from 21 June 2021 at www.etenders.gov.za and Municipal website: www.umzinyathi.gov.za

Bid documents must be placed in the tender box situated at the offices of the uMzinyathi District Municipality Offices, 39 Victoria Street, Princess Magogo Building, Dundee, 3000, on or before 12h00 on Monday, 28 June 2021 where all bids will be opened in public. Telegraphic, faxed, emailed tender documents will not be accepted. Bidders must attach the following mandatory returnable documents in order to be considered for this bid:

- Printed copy tax clearance certificate accompanied by a pin for further verification.
- Certified ID(s) copies of company director(s)
- · Certified Proof of company registration,
- Company municipal rates, electricity or water account not older than 3 Months, proof of Residential lease or rental or sworn affidavit if the business operates at a place of residence.
- Completed, stamped (company stamp) and signed Municipal Bidding Document attached in the tender document.
- In addition to MBD'S, quotation must be submitted on the company letterhead
- Proof of registration Central Supplier database.
- Certified proof of BBBEE certificate/Original sworn affidavit
- Tender documents sent via Courier services must be deposited in the tender box and not be handed to an employee of uMzinyathi District Municipality.

Tenders will be evaluated on the Functionality Criteria as specified in the tender documents and thereafter bidders who score a minimum required number of points will be further evaluated using the 80/20 Preferential Point System as prescribed in the Council Supply Chain Management Policy. UMzinyathi District Municipality is not bound to accept the lowest or any quote.

The following conditions will apply:

- Price(s) quoted must be valid for at least thirty (30) days from date of your offer.
- Price(s) quoted must be firm and must be inclusive of VAT and disbursements
- Your valid tax clearance certificate must be attached

NB: No quotations will be considered from persons in the service of the state.

Failure to comply with these conditions may invalidate your offer.

Enquiries can be directed to Mr Sphephelo Mkhize on Tel: (087) 527 0837 during normal office hours.

UMZINYATHI DEVELOPMENT AGENCY

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS FROM SERVICE PROVIDERS TO PROVIDE TRAINING ON REPORT WRITING AND RESEARCH DATA ANALYSIS

REFERENCE NUMBER:

1. INTRODUCTION

The uMzinyathi District Development Agencies (UDA) was established for the purpose of enabling future local economic growth drivers of the district. The UDA forms part of a provincial strategy to develop special purpose vehicles for implementation of strategic economic development projects and programmes for the family of municipalities within the districts across the province, facilitating both private and public sector investment through inclusive projects.

The UDAs seeks to create economic development capacity and ability at local government level to work in partnership with, and further strengthen, the existing LED initiatives of the constituent municipalities. While LED units in the local municipalities (Endumeni, Nquthu, Umvoti and Msinga) focus on broadening the economic base and creating an environment conducive to economic development, the UDA focuses on catalytic projects and programmes leading directly to investment and job creation. The agency, while working within the context of the integrated development plans and local economic development plans set by the municipalities, is an independent special purpose vehicle driving focused objectives.

2. PROJECT PURPOSE

The purpose of this project is to appoint a suitable service provider who will provide three day training on *research data analysis* and **report writing** for the UDA staff. Within the two broad objectives, the successful bidder should at the very minimum cover the following areas:

2.1. Objective 1: Training on Research data analysis

The research data analysis should cover both quantitative and qualitative research methods.

The quantitative data analysis training should focus on *descriptive statistics* which should essentially cover the following analytical aspects:

- a. **Mean**: numerical average of a set of values.
- b. **Median**: midpoint of a set of numerical values.
- c. **Mode**: most common value among a set of values.
- d. **Percentage**: used to express how a value or group of respondents within the data relates to a larger group of respondents.
- e. **Frequency**: the number of times a value is found.
- f. **Range**: the highest and lowest value in a set of values.

The analysis should involve generating of graphs and charts.

The training on Qualitative Data Analysis Methods should include:

- (a) Content analysis:
- (b) Narrative analysis:
- (c) Discourse analysis and
- (d) Grounded theory:

2.2. Objective 2: Report writing

Training on report writing should include factors to consider when writing a report, how to structure the report and how to integrate /synthesise information to the report.

3. MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS

The successful bidder should demonstrate the following minimum qualifications and experience

- i. The Team leader should possess a minimum of a Masters Degree in cognitive social sciences, which include development studies, economics, political science, or sociology.
- ii. The Team leader should have sound knowledge of South Africa's economy and the functions of local government
- iii. The bidder should show over five years' experience specifically in the area of Local Economic Development, which the UDA is focused on. Experience in KwaZulu Natal province will be an added advantage.
- iv. The proposal should include a sound methodology, budget and work plan accounting for the above objectives.
- v. The bidder must submit a sample report which combines both quantitative and qualitative research methods.

4. TIMELINE

The training is expected to last for three days.

3. EVALUATION OF TENDER

Compulsory Returnable Documentation

Compulsory documents to be submitted:

- o MBD 1: Invitation to Tender (must be completed and signed)
- Copy tax clearance certificate accompanied by a pin for further verification in the name of the tenderer
- o MBD 3.1: Pricing Schedule
- o MBD 4: Declaration of Interest
- o MBD 6.1: Preferential points
- o MBD 8: Declaration of past Supply Chain Management Practise
 - MBD 9: Certificate of Independent Bid
- Proof of company registration
- o certified copies of owner's identity document (Not older than three months)
- O Company municipal rates, electricity or water account not older than 3 Months, proof of Residential lease or rental or sworn affidavit if the business operates at a place of residence.

Preference Point System 80/20

No.	DESCRIPTION	POINTS
1	Price	80
2	BBBEE Status level of contribution	20
	TOTAL	100

Bidders are encouraged to submit original or certified BBBEE certificates or sworn affidavit to claim preference points.

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BID NUMBER:



CLOSING TIME:

12H00

3000, **Tel:** 034 219 1500, Fax: 034 218 1940

MBD1 PART A INVITATION TO BID

YOU ARE HEREBY INVITED TO BID FOR REQUIREMENTS OF THE UMZINYATHI DISTRICT MUNICIPALITY CLOSING DATE: 28 June 2021

APPOINTMENT OF A SERVICE PROVIDER TO PROVIDE TRAINING ON REPORT

	WRITING AND RESEARCH DATA ANALYSIS FOR THE UMZINYATHI DEVELOPMENT					ATHI DEVELOPMENT		
DESCRIPTION	AGENCY.							
	THE SUCCESSFUL BIDDER	WILL BE REQUI	RED TO FIL	L IN AND	SIGN A	WRITTEN CONTR	RACTI	FORM (MBD7).
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TOTAL NUMBER O	F ITEMS OFFERED				T	OTAL BID PRICE		R
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CAPACITY UNDER	WHICH THIS BID IS SIGNED							
BIDDING I	PROCEDURE ENQUIRIES MAY	BE DIRECTED TO	0:		TECH	HNICAL INFORM	ATION	MAY BE DIRECTED TO:
D	EPARTMENT	SCM UNIT		CONTACT PERSON			Mr S Mkhize	
CON	ITACT PERSON	SCM UNIT		TELEPHONE NUMBER			087 527 0837 or 072 994 3371	
TELER	PHONE NUMBER	034 219 1	1500	F	FACSIMII	LE NUMBER		0342181940
FACS	SIMILE NUMBER				E-MAIL	ADDRESS		businessdev@umziagency.co.za
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PART B TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR BIDDING

	BID SUBMISSION: BIDS MUST BE DELIVERED BY THE STIPULATED TIME TO THE	CORRECT ADDRESS LATE BIDS WILL NOT BI
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1.2.	ALL BIDS MUST BE SUBMITTED ON THE OFFICIAL FORMS PROV	VIDED-(NOT TO BE RE-TYPED) OR ONLINE
1.3.	THIS BID IS SUBJECT TO THE PREFERENTIAL PROCURE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS, 2017, THE GEN APPLICABLE, ANY OTHER SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT	IERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT (GCC) AND, I
	TAX COMPLIANCE REQUIREMENTS	
2.1	BIDDERS MUST ENSURE COMPLIANCE WITH THEIR TAX OBLIGA	ATIONS.
2.2	BIDDERS ARE REQUIRED TO SUBMIT THEIR UNIQUE PERSONAL TO ENABLE THE ORGAN OF STATE TO VIEW THE TAXPAYER'S	
2.3	APPLICATION FOR THE TAX COMPLIANCE STATUS (TCS) CERTIFIN ORDER TO USE THIS PROVISION, TAXPAYERS WILL NEED TO THE WEBSITE WWW.SARS.GOV.ZA.	
2.4	FOREIGN SUPPLIERS MUST COMPLETE THE PRE-AWARD QUES	STIONNAIRE IN PART B:3.
2.5	BIDDERS MAY ALSO SUBMIT A PRINTED TCS CERTIFICATE TOG	SETHER WITH THE BID.
2.6	IN BIDS WHERE CONSORTIA / JOINT VENTURES / SUB-CONT SUBMIT A SEPARATE TCS CERTIFICATE / PIN / CSD NUMBER.	RACTORS ARE INVOLVED, EACH PARTY MUS
2.7	WHERE NO TCS IS AVAILABLE BUT THE BIDDER IS REGISTERED A CSD NUMBER MUST BE PROVIDED.	D ON THE CENTRAL SUPPLIER DATABASE (CSD)
3.	QUESTIONNAIRE TO BIDDING FOREIGN SUPPLIERS	
3.1.	IS THE ENTITY A RESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRIC	CA (RSA)?
3.2.	DOES THE ENTITY HAVE A BRANCH IN THE RSA?	☐ YES ☐ NO
3.3.	DOES THE ENTITY HAVE A PERMANENT ESTABLISHMENT IN TH	IE RSA? ☐ YES ☐ NO
3.4.	DOES THE ENTITY HAVE ANY SOURCE OF INCOME IN THE RSA?	?
3.5.	IS THE ENTITY LIABLE IN THE RSA FOR ANY FORM OF TAXATION	N? YES NO
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SIGN	ATURE OF BIDDER:	
CAP	ACITY UNDER WHICH THIS BID IS SIGNED:	
DATE	: :-	

PRICING SCHEDULE - FIRM PRICES (PURCHASES)

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

MBD 3.1

DESCRIPTION	QUANTITY	AMOUNT
	SUB-TOTAL	
COMPANY STAMP	VAT (15%)	
	TOTAL	

Note: All delivery costs must be included in the bid price, for delivery at the prescribed destination.

CONDITIONS OF TENDER

- Price(s) quoted must be valid for at least thirty (30) days from date of offer for evaluation purposes.
- Price(s) quoted must be firm and include VAT
- Tenderers original valid tax clearance certificate must be attached.
- Tender original or certified B-BBEE Certificate must be attached to the document
- Tender documents signed by a person who does not have authority to sign will be disqualified.
- Tenderers who did not complete the compulsory questionnaire, who abuse the employer's supply chain management system will not be conceded
- Non-collusion affidavit to be executed by bidder and submitted with the bid

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

MBD 4

DECLARATION OF INTEREST

- 1. No bid will be accepted from persons in the service of the state¹.
- 2. Any person, having a kinship with persons in the service of the state, including a blood relationship, may make an offer or offers in terms of this invitation to bid. In view of possible allegations of favouritism, should the resulting bid, or part thereof, be awarded to persons connected with or related to persons in service of the state, it is required that the bidder or their authorised representative declare their position in relation to the evaluating/adjudicating authority.
 - 3 In order to give effect to the above, the following questionnaire must be completed and submitted with the bid.

3.1	Full Name of bidder or his or her representative:	
3.2	Identity Number:	
3.3	Position occupied in the Company (director, trustee, hareholder²):	· • • •
3.4	Company Registration Number:	
3.5	Tax Reference Number:	
3.6	VAT Registration Number:	
3.7	The names of all directors / trustees / shareholders members, their individual identity numbers and state employee numbers must be indicated in paragraph 4 below.	
3.8	Are you presently in the service of the state? YES / NO	
	3.8.1 If yes, furnish particulars	

¹MSCM Regulations: "in the service of the state" means to be –

- (a) a member of -
 - (i) any municipal council;
 - (ii) any provincial legislature; or
 - (iii) the national Assembly or the national Council of provinces;
- (b) a member of the board of directors of any municipal entity;
- (c) an official of any municipality or municipal entity;
- (d) an employee of any national or provincial department, national or provincial public entity or constitutional institution within the meaning of the Public Finance Management Act, 1999 (Act No.1 of 1999);
- (e) a member of the accounting authority of any national or provincial public entity; or
- (f) an employee of Parliament or a provincial legislature.

	nent of the company or business and exercises control over the company.	ived in the
3.9	Have you been in the service of the state for the past twelve months?	YES / NO
	3.9.1 If yes, furnish particulars	
3.10	Do you have any relationship (family, friend, other) with persons in the service of the state and who may be involved with the evaluation and or adjudication of this bid?	. YES/NO
	3.10.1 If yes, furnish particulars.	
3.11	Are you, aware of any relationship (family, friend, other) between any other bidder and any persons in the service of the state who may be involved with the evaluation and or adjudication of this bid?	YES / NO
	3.11.1 If yes, furnish particulars	
3.12	Are any of the company's directors, trustees, managers, principle shareholders or stakeholders in service of the state? 3.12.1 If yes, furnish particulars.	YES / NO
3.13	Are any spouse, child or parent of the company's directors trustees, managers, principle shareholders or stakeholders in service of the state?	YES / NO
	3.13.1 If yes, furnish particulars.	
3.14	Do you or any of the directors, trustees, managers, principle shareholders, or stakeholders of this company have any interest in any other related companies or	
	business whether or not they are bidding for this contract. 3.14.1 If yes, furnish particulars:	YES / NO

4.	Full details	of directors	tructoos	mamhare	shareholders.
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Full Name	Identity Number	State Employee Number

5. I duly confirm that the above information is correct until otherwise advised in writing AND the company undertakes to immediately, in writing on same day of appointment, advise the Municipality immediately if any of its directors/trustees/ members/shareholders assumes appointment as an employee in national, provincial and/or local government AND the company will deregister from the Municipality Supplier Database and cease forthwith from doing business with the Municipality AND the company shall be subject to a penalty of forfeiting all payments for services rendered or products delivered or installed if it fails to immediately disclose in writing the employment of any of its directors/trustees/ members/shareholders in national, provincial and/or local government.

Signature	Date
Capacity	Name of Bidder

MBD6.1

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 80/20 system for requirements with a Rand value of up to R50 000 000 (all applicable taxes included); and
 - the 90/10 system for requirements with a Rand value above R50 000 000 (all applicable taxes included).

1.2

- a) The value of this bid is estimated to exceed/not exceed R50 000 000 (all applicable taxes included) and therefore the ______ 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 OR 90/10 PREFERENCE POINT SYSTEMS

A maximum of 80 or 90 points is allocated for price on the following basis:

80/20 or 90/10

$$Ps = 80 \left(1 - \frac{Pt - P\min}{P\min} \right)$$
 or $Ps = 90 \left(1 - \frac{Pt - P\min}{P\min} \right)$

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 (80/20 system)
1	20
2	18
3	14
4	12
5	8
6	6
7	4
8	2
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 I	B-BBEE Status Level of Contributor: .	=	(maximum of 10 or 20 points)
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(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)

125

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

(Tick applicable box)
YES 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		
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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] 				

Registered account number:				
Stand N	umber:			
8.8	Total number of years the company/firm has been in business:			
8.9	I/we, the undersigned, who is / are duly authorised to do so on behalf of the company/firm, certi that the points claimed, based on the B-BBE status level of contributor indicated in paragraphs 1 and 6.1 of the foregoing certificate, qualifies the company/ firm for the preference(s) shown and we acknowledge that:			
	i) The information furnished is true and correct;			
	 The preference points claimed are in accordance with the General Conditions as indicated paragraph 1 of this form; 			
	iii) In the event of a contract being awarded as a result of points claimed as shown in paragraph 1.4 and 6.1, the contractor may be required to furnish documentary proof to the satisfaction 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 of any of the conditions of contract have not been fulfilled, the purchaser may, in addition to an other remedy it may have – 			
	(a)	disqualify the person from the bid	ding 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 <i>audi alteram partem</i> (hear the other side) rule has been applied; and 			
	(e) forward the matter for criminal prosecution.			
	NESSES		SIGNATURE(S) OF BIDDERS(S)	
2			DATE: ADDRESS	

Municipality where business is situated:

8.7

MUNICIPAL INFORMATION

DECLARATION OF BIDDER'S PAST SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT PRACTICES

- 1 This Municipal Bidding Document must form part of all bids invited.
- It serves as a declaration to be used by municipalities and municipal entities 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 rejected if that bidder, or any of its directors have:
 - a. abused the municipality's / municipal entity's supply chain management system or committed any improper conduct in relation to such system;
 - b. been convicted for fraud or corruption during the past five years;
 - c. willfully neglected, reneged on or failed to comply with any government, municipal or other public sector contract during the past five years; or
 - d. been listed in the Register for Tender Defaulters in terms of section 29 of the Prevention and Combating of Corrupt Activities Act (No 12 of 2004).
- 4 In order to give effect to the above, the following questionnaire must be completed and submitted with the bid.

ltem	Question		Yes	No
4.1	Is the bidder or any of its directors listed on the National Treasury's Database of Restricted Sup companies or persons prohibited from doing business with the public sector?	pliers as	Yes	No □
	(Companies or persons who are listed on this Database were informed in writing of this restric	tion by the		
	Accounting Officer/Authority of the institution that imposed the restriction after the audi alteration	n partem ı	-ule	
	was applied).			
	The Database of Restricted Suppliers now resides on the National Treasury's website(www.trea	asury.gov.	za)	
	and can be accessed by clicking on its link at the bottom of the home page.			
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 of law	Yes	No	
	outside the Republic of South Africa) for fraud or corruption during the past five years?			
4.3.1	If so, furnish particulars:			
ltem	Question	Yes	No	

4.4	Does the bidder or any of its directors owe any municipal rates and taxes or mu charges to the municipality / municipal entity, or to any other municipality / mun entity, that is in arrears for more than three months?		Yes	No □			
4.4.1	If so, furnish particulars:						
4.5	Was any contract between the bidder and the municipality / municipal entity or ar organ of state terminated during the past five years on account of failure to perform comply with the contract?		Yes	No □			
4.7.1	4.7.1 If so, furnish particulars:						
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	PT THAT, IN ADDITION TO CANCELLATION OF A CONTRACT, ACTION MAY BE TAKEN E FALSE.	I AGAINST ME	SHOULD	THIS DECLARATION PROVE			
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- 1 This Municipal Bidding Document (MBD) must form part of all bids' invited.
- 2 Section 4 (1) (b) (iii) of the Competition Act No. 89 of 1998, as amended, prohibits an agreement between, or concerted practice by, firms, or a decision by an association of firms, if it is between parties in a horizontal relationship and if it involves collusive bidding (or bid rigging).² Collusive bidding is a *pe se* prohibition meaning that it cannot be justified under any grounds.
- Municipal Supply Regulation 38 (1) prescribes that a supply chain management policy must provide measures for the combating of abuse of the supply chain management system, and must enable the accounting officer, among others, to:
 - take all reasonable steps to prevent such abuse;
 - b. reject the bid of any bidder if that bidder or any of its directors has abused the supply chain management system of the municipality or municipal entity or has committed any improper conduct in relation to such system; and
 - cancel a contract awarded to a person if the person committed any corrupt or fraudulent act during the bidding process or the execution of the contract.
- This MBD 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 (MBD 9) must be completed and submitted with the bid:

^a 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.

MBD 9

CERTIFICATE OF INDEPENDENT BID DETERMINATION

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

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

(Name of Bidder)

- 1. I have read and I understand the contents of this Certificate;
- 2. I understand that the accompanying bid will be disqualified if this Certificate is found not to be true and complete in every respect;
- 3. I am authorized by the bidder to sign this Certificate, and to submit the accompanying bid, on behalf of the bidder;
- 4. Each person whose signature appears on the accompanying bid has been authorized by the bidder to determine the terms of, and to sign, the bid, on behalf of the bidder;
- 5. For the purposes of this Certificate and the accompanying bid, I understand that the word "competitor" shall include any individual or organization, other than the bidder, whether or not affiliated with the bidder, who:
 - (a) has been requested to submit a bid in response to this bid invitation;
 - (b) could potentially submit a bid in response to this bid invitation, based on their qualifications, abilities or experience; and
 - (c) provides the same goods and services as the bidder and/or is in the same line of business as the bidder
- 6. The bidder has arrived at the accompanying bid independently from, and without consultation, communication, agreement or arrangement with any competitor. However, communication between partners in a joint venture or consortium³ will not be construed as collusive bidding.
- 7. In particular, without limiting the generality of paragraphs 6 above, there has been no consultation, communication, agreement or arrangement with any competitor regarding:
 - (a) prices;
 - (b) geographical area where product or service will be rendered (market allocation)
 - (c) methods, factors or formulas used to calculate prices;
 - (d) the intention or decision to submit or not to submit, a bid;
 - (e) the submission of a bid which does not meet the specifications and conditions of the bid; or
 - (f) bidding with the intention not to win the bid.
- 8. In addition, there have been no consultations, communications, agreements or arrangements with any competitor regarding the quality, quantity, specifications and conditions or delivery particulars of the products or services to which this bid invitation relates.
- 9. The terms of the accompanying bid have not been, and will not be, disclosed by the bidder, directly or indirectly, to any competitor, prior to the date and time of the official bid opening or of the awarding of the contract.
- * Joint venture or Consortium means an association of persons for the purpose of combining their expertise, property, capital, efforts, skill and knowledge in an activity for the execution of a contract.
 - 10. I am aware that, in addition and without prejudice to any other remedy provided to combat any restrictive practices related to bids and contracts, bids that are suspicious will be reported to the Competition Commission for investigation and possible imposition of administrative penalties in terms of section 59 of the Competition Act No 89 of 1998 and or may be reported to the National Prosecuting Authority (NPA) for criminal investigation and or may be restricted from conducting business with the public sector for a period not exceeding ten (10) years in terms of the Prevention and Combating of Corrupt Activities Act No 12 of 2004 or any other applicable legislation.

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Position	Name of Bidder

Signature

Date