CENTRAL KAROO DISTRICT MUNICIPALITY



FORMAL WRITTEN PRICE QUOTATION: SCM008 - 2019/2020

Supply and Delivery of Reinforcing Steel

Central Karoo District Municipality awaits formal written price quotations from service providers to supply and deliver of reinforcing steel in Beaufort West.

Local Production Content requirement is 100%.

The quotation must be submitted on the letterhead of your company and must be returned via the following means of communication:

1. Email: manager@skdm.co.za (no other email address should be used)

Suppliers must be registered on the Central Supplier Database. Proof of registration must be provided.

The quotation should reach Supply Chain Office by no later than at **12H00 on 18 March 2020**.

Queries relating specifications: Jan-Hendrik Bothma **Contact Person:** Michael Kennedy / Alicia Gouws

Contact Number: 023 449 1000

The following conditions will apply:

- 1. Price(s) quoted must be valid for thirty (30) days from date of offer;
- 2. Price(s) quoted must be firm and must be inclusive of VAT
- 3. A delivery period / commencement date must be indicated
- 4. This quotation will be evaluated in terms of the 80/20 Preference Points system as prescribed in the Preferential Procurement Regulations 2017, if the quote is above R30 000.00 and for this purpose the enclosed forms must be scrutinized, completed and submitted together with your quotation.
- 5. Only those suppliers who complies to specifications will be eligible for points.
- 6. Enclose valid Tax Clearance Certificate / Pin with the quotation.
- 7. Enclose valid B-BBEE certificate.
- 8. Enclose latest Municipal Rates and Taxes Account of the company and all the directors.
- 9. Please ensure that all pages of this document are read, signed off and submitted on or before the closing date and time.

Council reserves the right not to necessarily accept the lowest, only or any quotation.

Mr. S. Jooste
Municipal Manager

Central Karoo District Municipality
63 Donkin Street / Private Bag X560

Evaluation Criteria for the Bid

Only quotation which are completely responsive to the terms of the bid documents will qualify for evaluation. The following tests for responsiveness shall be performed:

Item	Responsiveness Test	Attached Yes/No	Official Purpose s
Central Supplier Database	Registration Compulsory, attach proof of registration		
Quotation / Price Schedule	Compulsory		
Bidder's Tax Clearance Certificate / PIN	Attachment Compulsory		
Proof of Payment of Municipal Rates And Taxes of company	Copy of latest Municipal Rates & Taxes account attached.		
Proof of Payment of Municipal Rates And Taxes of all directors	Copy of latest Municipal Rates & Taxes account attached.		
BBBEE Certificate	Valid copy of the document is compulsory.		
Company Details	Completion compulsory		
Certificate of Authority for Signatory	Completion or Attachment of Resolution Compulsory		
Declaration of interest	Completion Compulsory		
Declaration i.t.o Bidder Past SCM Practices	Completion Compulsory		
Certificate of Independent Bid Determination	Completion Compulsory		
Declaration Certificate for Local Production Content	Completion Compulsory		
Proof of Registration of Company	Attachment Compulsory		

Non-Compliance with anyone of these minimum requirements will lead to immediate disqualification.

Α	CATEGORY	WEIGHT	SCORE
	PRICE: < R 50 000 000 = 80/20	80	
	> R 50 000 000 = 90/10		
В	BBBEE Certificate	20	
	Level contributor.		
	TOTAL.	100	

DEPARTMENT OF TECHNICAL SERVICES:

Supply, delivery of Reinforcing Steel

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SPESIFIKASIEVORM / SPECIFICATION FORM

SCOPE

Bidders are hereby invited to submit a formal written quotation for the supply and delivery of reinforcing steel as per Annexure A and Annexure B attached. All prices quoted are to be VAT inclusive.

SPECIFICATIONS

With reference to COLTO SERIES 6000: STRUCTURES, SECTION 6300: STEEL REINFORCEMENT FOR STRUCTURES, the following shall apply:

- Steel reinforcing bars shall comply with the requirements of SANS 920:2011. Coldworked reinforcing bars will not be accepted. High tensile steel 450 MPa
- Welded steel mesh reinforcement to conform to SANS 1024:2012. High tensile steel 485 Mpa.
- Reinforcement shall be cut or cut and bent to the dimensions shown on the bending schedules and in accordance with SANS 282:2011. All the bars shall be bent cold.
- Where applicable, Y16 dowels shall be hot dip galvanized. See * on bending schedule.

DELIVERY

Reinforcing steel to be delivered to CKDM Depot, Arbeid street, Beaufort West, 6970. Delivery to be completed no later than 7 days after receipt of official CKDM purchase order. Where delivery may exceed 7 days, please clearly state required lead time with submission of quotation.

LEAD	TIME:	DAYS

ADDITIONAL NOTES

Please note that **100% LOCAL CONTENT** applies. Any bidder that have not completed MBD 6.2 form will be disqualified.

Annexure A

BAR					В	ENDING SO	CHEDULE C1	1347					
MEMBER MARK AND PER OF NO. LENSTH CODE A B C D DIAM. UNIT UNITS (mm)			r	r	1								
DECK SLAB		BAR	TYPE	NO.	NO.	TOTAL	CUTTING	SHAPE			IMENSION	1	
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NOTE:

Bars denoted with * are to be hot dip galvanized

Annexure B

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	BAR	TYPE	NO.	NO.	TOTAL	CUTTING	SHAPE			DIMENSION	١	
MEMBER	MARK	AND	PER	OF	NO.	LENGTH	CODE	Α	В	С	D	E/R
		DIAM.	UNIT	UNITS		(mm)		(mm)	(mm)	(mm)	(mm)	(mm)
DECK SLAB	A1	Y10	152	1	152	5550	20	5550				
DECK SLAB	A1 A2	Y10	230	1	230	3550	38	100	3400	100		
										100		
	A3	Y10	30	2	60	1650	60	530	190			
BASE SLAB	B1	Y10	94	1	94	8000	20	8000				
	B2	Y16	328	1	328	5600	38	200	5260	200		
	В3	Y12	41	2	82	1350	95	665	230	470		
	**B4	Y16	15	3	45	2050	38	200	1720	200		
OLUBERI OOK	04	V40	- 0	40	400	4050	-00					
GUIDEBLOCK	C1	Y10	8	16	128	1050	99					
	C2	Y12	2	16	32	400	20	400				
CUT-OFF WALLS	D1	Y10	8	4	32	5250	20	5250				
	D2	Y10	43	2	86	2000	60	600	300			
DOWELS	*E1	Y16	53	1	53	1000	20	1000				
	*E2	Y16	16	2	32	900	37	450	500			
Y-bar summary:				Y8			Y16	Y20	Y25	Y32	Y40	Tota
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Total Mass (kg)				0	1 778	11	3 029	0	0	0	0	4 81

NOTE:

Bars denoted with * are to be hot dip galvanized

By signing this page, I declare that I have read, and understand, pages 4-6.
Signature of bidder

COMPANY'S DETAILS

the following details schedule must be completed to ensure that the prerequisite requirements to tendering are met.

Registered Company Name:	
Central Supplier Database Number (MAAA number)	
Contact Person:	
Cell phone number:	Office Number
Fax number:	e-mail address
Company Physical Address:	
Company Postal Address:	
Company Registration Number:	
VAT Number: (if registered)	
Bank Name and Branch:	
Bank Account Number:	
Name of Account Holder:	
e of Bidder :	
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AUTHORITY FOR SIGNATORY

Details of person	responsible for Lender p	rocess
Name		
Contact number	()	
Address of office Tender	e submitting the	
Telephone no		
E-mail address		
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"By resolution of	the board of directors pas	ssed on <i>(date)</i>
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		ments in connection with the Tender for Contractand any Contract which may arise
(BLOCK CAPITA	LS)	
SIGNED ON BEH	HALF OF THE COMPANY	·
IN HIS CAPACIT	Y AS	
DATE		
FULL NAMES OF	SIGNATORY	
AS WITNESSES	1.	
	2.	

MBD 4 DECLARATION OF INTEREST

- 1. No bid will be accepted from persons in the service of the state*.
- 2. Any legal person, having a kinship with persons employed by the state, including a blood relationship, may make an offer or offers in terms of this invitation to bid. 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 the service of the state, it is required that the bidder or their authorised representative declare their position in relation to the evaluating/adjudicating authority and/or take an oath declaring his/her interest.

3.	In order to give effect to the above, the following questionnaire must be completed
	and submitted with the bid.

3.1	Full Name	
3.2	Identity number	
3.3	Company Registration Number	
3.4	Tax Reference Number	
3.5	VAT Registration Number	
3.6	CIDB Registration Numbern/aGrading:	n/a
3.7	The names of all directors/trustees/shareholders, member and identity numbers must be indicated in paragraph 4 below.	their individual
3.8	Are you presently in service of the state*	YES / NO
3.8.1	If so, furnish particulars.	

*MSCM 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.

"Shareholder" mean a person wo owns shares in the company and is actively involved in the management of the company or business and exercises control over the company.

3.9 Have you been in the service of the state for the past twelve months?

YES / NO

3.9.1	If so, furnish particulars.						
3.10			end, other) with personathe evaluation and adj				
3.10.1	If so, state particulars	S.					
Direct	Full Name of tor/Trustee/Manager/	Relationship	Related Party's Name	State Organisation			
3.11		the service of the	y, friend, other) betweer e state who may be				
3.11.1	If so, state particulars						
3.12	Are any of the compa shareholders or stake			YES / NO			
3.12.1	If so, furnish particula	rs.					
3.13	Are any spouse, child or parent of the company's YES /						

directors, managers, principle shareholders or stakeholders in service of the state?

3.13.1 If so, furnish particulars.

Full Name of Director/Trustee/Manager Shareholder	Relationship	Related Party's Name	State Organisation	Capacity of related party

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

YES/NO

3.14.1 If yes, furnish particulars:

Full details of directors / trustees / members / shareholders.

Full Name	Identity Number	Capacity in company

DECLARATION

I, THE UNDERSIGNED (NAME)	
CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION FURN CORRECT.	IISHED ON THIS DECLARATION FORM IS
I ACCEPT THAT THE STATE MAY ACT AG	AINST ME SHOULD THIS DECLARATION
PROVE TO BE FALSE.	
Signature	Date
Position	Name of bidder

TAX CLEARANCE CERTIFICATE REQUIREMENTS

It is a condition of the bid that the taxes of the successful bidder must be in order, or that satisfactory arrangements have been made with South African Revenue Service (SARS) to meet the bidder's tax obligations.

1	A copy of a Tax Compliance Status pin and a Tax Compliance Certificate, printed from the South African Revenue Service (SARS) website, must accompany the bid documents. The onus is on the bidder to ensure that their tax matter with SARS are in order.
2	In the case of a Consortium/Joint Venture every member must submit a separate
	Tax Compliance Status Pin and Tax Compliance Certificate, printed from the SARS
	website, with the bid documents.
3	If a bid is not supported by a Tax Compliance Status Pin and a Tax Compliance
	Certificate as an attachment to the bid documents, the Municipality reserves the right
	to obtain such documents after the closing date to verity that the bidder's tax matters
	are in order. If no such document can be obtained within a period as specified by
	the Municipality, the bid will be disqualified.
4	The Tax Compliance Status Pin will be verified by the Municipality on the SARS
	website.

PROOF OF PAYMENT OF MUNICIPAL RATES AND TAXES

In terms of Council's Supply Chain Management Policy, the Head of Department must check whether "any municipal rates and taxes or municipal service charges owed by a bidder or any of its directors to the municipality or municipal entity, or to any other municipality or municipal entity, are not in arrears.

ATTACHED TO THIS FORM

PLEASE ATTACHED TO THIS FORM

The recent municipal account of the Company that is bidding as well as the municipal account of each Director on the CIPRO of the Company. Include a copy of the CIPRO if possible then we can be sure all of the Directors accounts has been received.

Failing to include all of the above accounts will mean that your bid will not be considered as it will be regarded as non-compliant.

THIS IS COMPULSORY.	
SIGNED ON BEHALF OF THE TENDERER	
SIGNED ON BEHALF OF THE TENDERER	

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 not to exceed R50 000 000 (all applicable taxes included) and therefore the 80/20 preference point system shall be applicable; or
- b) Either the 80/20 or 90/10 preference point system will be applicable to this tender
- 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;
 - any other requirement prescribed in terms of the B-BBEE Act;
- "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 (90/10 system)	Number of points (80/20 system)
1	10	20
2	9	18
3	6	14
4	5	12
5	4	8
6	3	6
7	2	4
8	1	2
Non-compliant contributor	0	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
	PARAGR	APHS 1.4	AND 4.1						

6.1	B-BBEE Status Level of Contributor:	=	(maximum of 10 or 20
	points)		·

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

7. SUB-CONTRACTING

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

(Tick applicable box)

YES	NO	

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i)	What	percentage	of	the	contract	will	be
	subcontract	ted		%			
ii)	The	name		of	the		sub-
	contractor						
iii)	The	B-BBEE	status	level	of	the	sub-

	 (Tick applicable box) YES NO NO Specify, by ticking the appropriate box, if subcontracting terms of Preferential Procurement Regulations,2017: 	with an en	terprise in
Des	ignated Group: An EME or QSE which is at last 51% owned	EME	QSE
	by:	$\sqrt{}$	\checkmark
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		
	erative owned by black people		
Black	people who are military veterans		
	OR		<u> </u>
Any E	EME		
Any C	QSE		
8. 8.1 8.2 8.3	Name company/firm: VAT number: Company		of egistration egistration
8.4	number: 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		
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contractor.....iv) Whether the sub-contractor is an EME or QSE

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8.7	MUNICIP	AL INFOR	MATI	NC						
	Municipa	ality where	busir	ness is si	tuated:					
	_	ed Accour umber:								
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	(b)			losses or person's o		es it has i	ncurred	or suffer	ed as	
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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.
- 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).
- In order to give effect to the above, the following questionnaire must be completed and submitted with the bid.

Item	Question	Yes	No
4.1	Is the bidder or any of its directors listed on the National Treasury's database as a company or person prohibited from doing business with the public sector? (Companies or persons who are listed on this database were informed in writing of this restriction by the National Treasury after the audi alteram partem rule was applied).	Yes	No
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)?	Yes	No
	(To access this Register enter the National Treasury's website, www.treasury.gov.za , click on the icon "Register for Tender Defaulters" or submit your written request for a hard copy of the Register to facsimile number (012) 3265445).		
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 outside the Republic of South Africa) for fraud or corruption during the past five years?	Yes	No

4.3.1	If so, furnish particulars:		
Item	Question	Yes	No
4.4		Yes	No
4.4	Does the bidder or any of its directors owe any municipal rates and taxes or municipal charges to the municipality / municipal entity, or to	Tes	
	any other municipality / municipal entity, or to		Ш
	than three months?		
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4.4.1	If so, furnish particulars:		
4.5	Was any contract between the bidder and the municipality / municipal	Yes	No
	entity or any other organ of state terminated during the past five years		
	on account of failure to perform on or comply with the contract?		
4.7.1	If so, furnish particulars:		
	CERTIFICATION		
	IF UNDERGIONED (EUL L MAME)		
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CER	TIFY THAT THE INFORMATION FURNISHED ON THIS		
DEC	CLARATION FORM TRUE AND CORRECT.		
	CEPT THAT, IN ADDITION TO CANCELLATION OF A CONTRACT, A		MAY
BE	TAKEN AGAINST ME SHOULD THIS DECLARATION PROVE TO BE I	FALSE.	
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CERTIFICATE OF INDEPENDENT BID DETERMINATION

- 1. This Municipal Bidding Document (MBD) must form part of all bids¹ 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.
- 3. 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:
 - a. 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
 - c. 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.
- 4. 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.
- 5. In order to give effect to the above, the attached Certificate of Bid Determination (MBD 9) must be completed and submitted with the bid:
- ¹ Includes price quotations, advertised competitive bids, limited bids and proposals.
- ² Bid rigging (or collusive bidding) occurs when businesses, that would otherwise be expected to compete, secretly conspire to raise prices or lower the quality of goods and / or services for purchasers who wish to acquire goods and / or services through a bidding process. Bid rigging is, therefore, an agreement between competitors not to compete.

CERTIFICATE OF INDEPENDENT BID DETERMINATION

I, the undersigned, in submitting the accompanying bid:
(Bid 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 everespect:
I certify, on behalf of:tha
(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.
- 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 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.

Signature	Date

DECLARATION CERTIFICATE FOR LOCAL PRODUCTION AND CONTENT

This Municipal Bidding Document (MBD) 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, 2011 and the South African Bureau of Standards (SABS) approved technical specification number SATS 1286:201x.

- 1. South African Bureau of Standards (SABS) approved technical specification number SATS 1286:2011 (Edition 1)1 and the Guidance on the Calculation of Local Content together with the Local Content Declaration Templates
- 1.1. Annexure C- Local Content Declaration: Summary Schedule,
- 1.2. Annexure D- Imported Content Declaration: Supporting Schedule to Annex C and
- 1.3. Annexure E- Local Content Declaration: Supporting Schedule to Annex C.
- 2. General Conditions
- 2.1. Preferential Procurement Regulations, 2011 (Regulation 9.(1) and 9.(3) make provision for the promotion of local production and content.
- 2.2. Regulation 9.(1) prescribes that in the case of designated sectors, where in the award of bids local production and content is of critical importance, such bids must be advertised with the specific bidding condition that only locally produced goods, services or works or locally manufactured goods, with a stipulated minimum threshold for local production and content will be considered.
- 2.3. Regulation 9.(3) prescribes that where there is no designated sector, a specific bidding condition may be included, that only locally produced services, works or goods or locally manufactured goods with a stipulated minimum threshold for local production and content, will be considered.
- 2.4. Where necessary, for bids referred to in paragraphs 1.2 and 1.3 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.
- 2.5. 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 The SABS approved technical specification number SATS 1286:2011 is accessible on http://www.thedti.gov.za/industrial development/ip.jsp at no cost.

2.6. The local content (LC) as a percentage of the bid price must be calculated in accordance with the SABS approved technical specification number SATS 1286: 201x as follows:

$$LC = 1 - \left(\frac{x}{y}\right)_{x \ 100}$$

Where

x imported content

y bid price 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 the South African Reserve Bank (SARB) at 12:00 on the date, one week (7 calendar days) prior to the closing date of the bid as required in paragraph 4.1 below.

- 2.7. A bid will be disqualified if:
 - the bidder fails to achieve the stipulated minimum threshold for local production and content indicated in paragraph 3 below; and.
 - this declaration certificate is not submitted as part of the bid documentation.
- 3. Definitions
- 3.1. "bid" includes advertised competitive bids, written price bids or proposals;
- 3.2. "bid price" price offered by the bidder, excluding value added tax (VAT);
- 3.3. "contract" means the agreement that results from the acceptance of a bid by an organ of state:
- 3.4. "designated sector" means a sector, sub-sector or industry that has been designated by the Department of Trade and Industry in line with national development and industrial policies for local production, where only locally produced services, works or goods or locally manufactured goods meet the stipulated minimum threshold for local production and content;
- 3.5. "duly sign" means a Declaration Certificate for Local Content that has been signed by the 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).
- 3.6. "imported content" means that portion of the bid price represented by the cost of components, parts or materials which have been or are still to be imported (whether by the supplier or its subcontractors) and which costs are inclusive of the costs abroad, plus freight and other direct importation costs, such as landing costs, dock duties, import duty, sales duty or other similar tax or duty at the South African port of entry;
- 3.7. "local content" means that portion of the bid price which is not included in the imported content, provided that local manufacture does take place;

- 3.8. "stipulated minimum threshold" means that portion of local production and content as determined by the Department of Trade and Industry; and
- 3.9. "sub-contract" means the primary contractor's assigning, leasing, making out work to, or employing another person to support such primary contractor in the execution of part of a project in terms of the contract.
- 4. The stipulated minimum threshold(s) for local production and content for this bid is/are as follows:

Description of services, works or goods

Stipulated minimum threshold

1. Reinforcing Steel

100%

5. Does any portion of the services, works or goods offered

have any imported content?

YES / NO

4.1 If yes, the rate(s) of exchange to be used in this bid to calculate the local content as prescribed in paragraph 1.6 of the general conditions must be the rate(s) published by the SARB for the specific currency at 12:00 on the date, one week (7 calendar days) prior to the closing date of the bid.

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

Indicate the rate(s)of exchange against the appropriate currency in the table below:

Currency	Rates of exchange
US Dollar	
Pound Sterling	
Euro	
Yen	
Other	

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

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)

RESPONSIBILITY (CLOSE CORPORATION, PARTNERSHIP OR INDIVIDUAL)								
IN RESPECT OF BID No.								
ISSUED BY : (Procurement Authority / Name of Municipality / Municipal Entity):								
NB The obligation to complete, duly sign and submit this declaration cannot be transferred to a external authorized representative, auditor or any other third party acting on behalf of the bidder.								
I. the undersigned								

do hereby declare, in my capacity as	(name of bidder ent	ity), the			
following:					
(a) The facts contained herein are within my own personal knowle	edge.				
(b) I have satisfied myself that the goods/services/works to be a specified bid comply with the minimum local content requirement measured in terms of SATS 1286.					
(c) The local content has been calculated using the formula given rates of exchange indicated in paragraph 4.1 above and the following		286, the			
Bid price, excluding VAT (y)	R				
Imported content (x)	R				
Stipulated minimum threshold for Local content (paragra above)	aph 3				
Local content % as calculated in terms of SATS 1286					
If the bid is for more than one product, a schedule of the local context (d) I accept that the Procurement Authority / Municipality /M request that the local content be verified in terms of the requirement	unicipal Entity has the				
(e) I understand that the awarding of the bid is dependent on furnished in this application. I also understand that the submistrat are not verifiable as described in SATS 1286, may resul Municipal / Municipal Entity imposing any or all of the remedies of the Preferential Procurement Regulations, 2011 promulgated ut (PPPFA), 2000 (Act No. 5 of 2000).	the accuracy of the info ssion of incorrect data, t in the Procurement Au as provided for in Regula	or data thority / ation 13			
SIGNATURE:	DATE:				
WITNESS No. 1	DATE:				
WITNESS No. 2	DATE:				

ANNEXURE C SATS 1286.2									TS 1286.2011			
Local Content Declaration - Summary Schedule												
(C1) Tender No.										N	OTE: VAT to be	excluded from all calculations
(C2) To	ender Description											
(C3) D	esignated product(s)											
(C4) To	ender Authority											
(C5) N	ame of Tendering Entity				•							
	ender Exchange Rate	Currency			Rate							
(C7)S _I	pecified local content %											1
				Calculation of loc	cal content					Tender s	ummary	
Tend er Item No's	List of Items	Tender Price – each	Exempted imported value	Tender value net of exempted imported content	Imported value	Local value	Local content % (per item)		Tender Quantity	Total tender value	Total exempted imported content	Total imported content
(C8)	(C9)	(C10)	(C11)	(C12)	(C13)	(C14)	(C15)		(C16)	(C17)	(C18)	(C19)
								-				
							•		l tender value			
					(C21) Total Exempt imported content							
						(C22)) Total Tender	r valu	ie net of exemp	t imported content		
SIGNATURE OF TENDERER AS PER LOCAL CONTENT DECLARATION				(C23) Total Imported content								
										(C24) Tot	al local content	
DATE									(C25)	Average local conto	ent % of tender	

ANNEXURE D SATS 1286.2011

Imported Content Declaration – Supporting Schedule to Annexure C

(D1)	Tender No.			
(D2)	Tender Description			
(D3)	Designated product(s)			
(D4)	Tender Authority			
(D5)	Tendering Entity's Name			
(D6)	Tender Exchange Rate	Currency	Rate	

NOTE: VAT to be excluded from all calculations

A. Exem	npted imported content			Calculation of imported content						
Tende r item no's	Description of imported content	Local supplier	Overseas supplier	Foreign currency value as per Commercial Invoice	Tender Exchange Rate	Local value of imports	Freight costs to port of entry	All locally incurred landing costs & duties	Total landed cost	
(D7)	(D8)	(D9)	(D10)	(D11)	(D12)	(D13)	(D14)	(D15)	(D16)	

Summary				
Tender Quantity	Exempted imported value			
(D17)	(D18)			

(D19) Total exempt imported value

This total must correspond with Annex C – C21

B. Impo	rted directly by the Tenderer			Calculation of imported content					
Tende r item no's	Description of imported content	- Exchange		Freight costs to port of entry	All locally incurred landing costs & duties	Total landed cost			
(D20)	(D21)	(D22)	(D23)	(D24)	(D25)	(D26)	(D27)	(D28)	(D29)

Summary				
Tender Quantity	Total imported value			
(D30)	(D31)			

	(D32) Total imported value by tenderer													
ANNEXURE D - Continued														
							SATS	S 1286	5.2011					
					Imported	Content Decl	aration -	- Supj	porting	g Schedule t	o Annexure	C		
												N	NOTE: VAT to	be excluded from all calculations
C. Imported by a	3 rd part	v and supplie	ed to th	he Tender	er			Calcu	ılation of	imported content			5	Summary
Description of imported content Unit of Local Overseas value a supplier Supplier Commo						Foreign currency value as per Commercial Invoice	Tender Exchang e Rate Local value of imports		F0reight costs to port of entry	All locally incurred landing costs & duties	Total landed cost	Quantity imported	Total imported value	
(D33)		(D34)	(L	D35)	(D36)	(D37)	(D38)	(D	39)	(D40)	(D41)	(D42)	(D43)	(D44)
4 co														
	•										(D45 ₎) Total imported v	value by 3 rd party	
D. Other foreign o	currency	y payments				Calculation of f	oreign curre	ncy					Summary	of Payments
Type of payment Local supplier making the payment Overseas beneficiary				Foreign currency value paid Tender rate of exchange							Local value	e of payments		
(D46)		(D47)		((D48)	(D49)	(D50))					(1	051)
			•				(D52) Total	of foreig	n currenc	cy payments decla	red by tenderer an	nd/or 3 rd party		
						(D53) Total o in	nported con	tent and	foreign c	urrency payments	- (D32), (D45) an	d (D52) above		
SIGNATU	RE OF	TENDEREI DECLA			CAL CONTE	NT						This total	must correspond	d with Annex C –
DATE														

ANNEX C	SATS 1286.2011
Local content Declaration – Summary Schedule	

(E1) Tender No.	NOTE: VAT to be excluded from all calculations
(E2)Tender Description	
(E3) Designated product(s)	
(E4) Tender Authority	
(E5) Tendering Entity's Name	

LOCAL PRODUC	CTS (Goods, Services and Works)	
Description of items purchased	Local suppliers	Value
(E6)	(E7)	(E8)
(E9) Total local p	products (Goods, service and works)	
(E10) Manpower c	costs (Tenderer's own manpower cost)	
(E11) Factory overheads (Rental, dep.	reciation & amortization, utility costs, consumables, etc.)	
(E12) Administration overheads and mark	k-up (Marketing, insurance, financing interest, etc.)	
	(E13) Total local content	
	This total must corre	espond with Annex C -
IGNATURE OF TENDERER AS PER LOCAL (DECLARATION	CONTENT	
DATE		

PROCUREMENT:

GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT

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General Conditions of Contract

- **1. Definitions** 1. The following terms shall be interpreted as indicated:
 - 1.1 "Closing time" means the date and hour specified in the bidding documents for the receipt of bids.
 - 1.2 "Contract" means the written agreement entered into between the purchaser and the supplier, as recorded in the contract form signed by the parties, including all attachments and appendices thereto and all documents incorporated by reference therein.
 - 1.3 "Contract price" means the price payable to the supplier under the contract for the full and proper performance of his contractual obligations.
 - 1.4 "Corrupt practice" means the offering, giving, receiving, or soliciting of any thing of value to influence the action of a public official in the procurement process or in contract execution.
 - 1.5 "Countervailing duties" are imposed in cases where an enterprise abroad is subsidized by its government and encouraged to market its products internationally.
 - 1.6 "Country of origin" means the place where the goods were mined, grown or produced or from which the services are supplied. Goods are produced when, through manufacturing, processing or substantial and major assembly of components, a commercially recognized new product results that is substantially different in basic characteristics or in purpose or utility from its components.
 - 1.7 "Day" means calendar day.
 - 1.8 "Delivery" means delivery in compliance of the conditions of the contract or order.
 - 1.9 "Delivery ex stock" means immediate delivery directly from stock actually on hand.
 - 1.10 "Delivery into consignees store or to his site" means delivered and unloaded in the specified store or depot or on the specified site in compliance with the conditions of the contract or order, the supplier bearing all risks and charges involved until the goods are so delivered and a valid receipt is obtained.
 - 1.11 "Dumping" occurs when a private enterprise abroad market its goods on own initiative in the RSA at lower prices than that of the country of origin and which have the potential to harm the local industries in the RSA.
 - 1.12 "Force majeure" means an event beyond the control of the supplier and not involving the supplier's fault or negligence and

not foreseeable. Such events may include, but is not restricted to, acts of the purchaser in its sovereign capacity, wars or revolutions, fires, floods, epidemics, quarantine restrictions and freight embargoes.

- 1.13 "Fraudulent practice" means a misrepresentation of facts in order to influence a procurement process or the execution of a contract to the detriment of any bidder, and includes collusive practice among bidders (prior to or after bid submission) designed to establish bid prices at artificial non-competitive levels and to deprive the bidder of the benefits of free and open competition.
- 1.14 "GCC" means the General Conditions of Contract.
- 1.15 "Goods" means all of the equipment, machinery, and/or other materials that the supplier is required to supply to the purchaser under the contract.
- 1.16 "Imported content" means that portion of the bidding price represented by the cost of components, parts or materials which have been or are still to be imported (whether by the supplier or his subcontractors) and which costs are inclusive of the costs abroad, plus freight and other direct importation costs such as landing costs, dock dues, import duty, sales duty or other similar tax or duty at the South African place of entry as well as transportation and handling charges to the factory in the Republic where the goods covered by the bid will be manufactured.
- 1.17 "Local content" means that portion of the bidding price, which is not included in the imported content provided that local manufacture does take place.
- 1.18 "Manufacture" means the production of products in a factory using labour, materials, components and machinery and includes other related value-adding activities.
- 1.19 "Order" means an official written order issued for the supply of goods or works or the rendering of a service.
- 1.20 "Project site," where applicable, means the place indicated in bidding documents.
- 1.21 "Purchaser" means the organization purchasing the goods.
- 1.22 "Republic" means the Republic of South Africa.
- 1.23 "SCC" means the Special Conditions of Contract.
- 1.24 "Services" means those functional services ancillary to the supply of the goods, such as transportation and any other incidental services, such as installation, commissioning, provision of technical assistance, training, catering, gardening, security, maintenance and other such obligations of the supplier covered under the contract.

- 1.25 "Supplier" means the successful bidder who is awarded the contract to maintain and administer the required and specified service(s) to the State.
- 1.26 "Tort" means in breach of contract.
- 1.27 "Turnkey" means a procurement process where one service provider assumes total responsibility for all aspects of the project and delivers the full end product / service required by the contract.
- 1.28 "Written" or "in writing" means hand-written in ink or any form of electronic or mechanical writing.

2. Application

- 2.1 These general conditions are applicable to all bids, contracts and orders including bids for functional and professional services (excluding professional services related to the building and construction industry), sales, hiring, letting and the granting or acquiring of rights, but excluding immovable property, unless otherwise indicated in the bidding documents.
- 2.2 Where applicable, special conditions of contract are also laid down to cover specific goods, services or works.
- 2.3 Where such special conditions of contract are in conflict with these general conditions, the special conditions shall apply.

3. General

- 3.1 Unless otherwise indicated in the bidding documents, the purchaser shall not be liable for any expense incurred in the preparation and submission of a bid. Where applicable a nonrefundable fee for documents may be charged.
- 3.2 Invitations to bid are usually published in locally distributed news media and on the municipality/municipal entity website.

4. Standards

4.1 The goods supplied shall conform to the standards mentioned in the bidding documents and specifications.

5. Use of contract documents and information inspection

- 5.1 The supplier shall not, without the purchaser's prior written consent, disclose the contract, or any provision thereof, or any specification, plan, drawing, pattern, sample, or information furnished by or on behalf of the purchaser in connection therewith, to any person other than a person employed by the supplier in the performance of the contract. Disclosure to any such employed person shall be made in confidence and shall extend only as far as may be necessary for purposes of such performance.
- 5.2 The supplier shall not, without the purchaser's prior written consent, make use of any document or information mentioned

in GCC clause 5.1 except for purposes of performing the contract.

- 5.3 Any document, other than the contract itself mentioned in GCC clause 5.1 shall remain the property of the purchaser and shall be returned (all copies) to the purchaser on completion of the supplier's performance under the contract if so required by the purchaser.
- 5.4 The supplier shall permit the purchaser to inspect the supplier's records relating to the performance of the supplier and to have them audited by auditors appointed by the purchaser, if so required by the purchaser.

6. Patent Rights

- 6.1 The supplier shall indemnify the purchaser against all thirdparty claims of infringement of patent, trademark, or industrial design rights arising from use of the goods or any part thereof by the purchaser.
- 6.2 When a supplier developed documentation / projects for the municipality / municipal entity, the intellectual, copy and patent rights or ownership of such documents or projects will vest in the municipality / municipal entity.

7. Performance security

- 7.1 Within thirty (30) days of receipt of the notification of contract award, the successful bidder shall furnish to the purchaser the performance security of the amount specified in SCC.
- 7.2 The proceeds of the performance security shall be payable to the purchaser as compensation for any loss resulting from the supplier's failure to complete his obligations under the contract.
- 7.3 The performance security shall be denominated in the currency of the contract, or in a freely convertible currency acceptable to the purchaser and shall be in one of the following forms:
 - (a) a bank guarantee or an irrevocable letter of credit issued by a reputable bank located in the purchaser's country or abroad, acceptable to the purchaser, in the form provided in the bidding documents or another form acceptable to the purchaser; or
 - (b) a cashier's or certified cheque 7.4 The performance security will be discharged by the purchaser and returned to the supplier not later than thirty (30) days following the date of completion of the supplier's performance obligations under the contract, including any warranty obligations, unless otherwise specified.

8. Inspections, tests and analyses

- 8.1 All pre-bidding testing will be for the account of the bidder.
- 8.2 If it is a bid condition that goods to be produced or services to be rendered should at any stage be subject to inspections, tests and analyses, the bidder or contractor's premises shall be open, at all reasonable hours, for

inspection by a representative of the purchaser or organization acting on behalf of the purchaser.

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- 8.3 If there are no inspection requirements indicated in the bidding documents and no mention is made in the contract, but during the contract period, it is decided that inspections shall be carried out, the purchaser shall itself make the necessary arrangements, including payment arrangements with the testing authority concerned.
- 8.4 If the inspections, tests and analyses referred to in clauses 8.2 and 8.3 show the goods to be in accordance with the contract requirements, the cost of the inspections, tests and analyses shall be defrayed by the purchaser.
- 8.5 Where the goods or services referred to in clauses 8.2 and 8.3 do not comply with the contract requirements, irrespective of whether such goods or services are accepted or not, the cost in connection with these inspections, tests or analyses shall be defrayed by the supplier.
- 8.6 Goods and services which are referred to in clauses 8.2 and 8.3 and which do not comply with the contract requirements may be rejected.
- 8.7 Any contract goods may on or after delivery be inspected, tested or analysed and may be rejected if found not to comply with the requirements of the contract. Such rejected goods shall be held at the cost and risk of the supplier who shall, when called upon, remove them immediately at his own cost and forthwith substitute them with goods, which do comply with the requirements of the contract. Failing such removal the rejected goods shall be returned at the suppliers cost and risk. Should the supplier fail to provide the substitute goods forthwith, the purchaser may, without giving the supplier further opportunity to substitute the rejected goods, purchase such goods as may be necessary at the expense of the supplier.
- 8.8 The provisions of clauses 8.4 to 8.7 shall not prejudice the right of the purchaser to cancel the contract on account of a breach of the conditions thereof, or to act in terms of Clause 22 of GCC.

9. Packing

9.1 The supplier shall provide such packing of the goods as is required to prevent their damage or deterioration during transit to their final destination, as indicated in the contract. The packing shall be sufficient to withstand, without limitation, rough handling during transit and exposure to extreme temperatures, salt and precipitation during transit, and open

storage. Packing, case size and weights shall take into consideration, where appropriate, the remoteness of the goods' final destination and the absence of heavy handling facilities at all points in transit.

9.2 The packing, marking, and documentation within and outside the packages shall comply strictly with such special requirements as shall be expressly provided for in the contract, including additional requirements, if any, and in any subsequent instructions ordered by the purchaser.

10. Delivery and documents

10.1 Delivery of the goods and arrangements for shipping and clearance obligations, shall be made by the supplier in accordance with the terms specified in the contract.

11. Insurance

- 11.1 The goods supplied under the contract shall be fully insured in a freely convertible currency against loss or damage incidental to manufacture or acquisition, transportation, storage and delivery in the manner specified.
- **12. Transportation** 12.1 Should a price other than an all-inclusive delivered price be required, this shall be specified.

13. Incidental 13.1 Services

The supplier may be required to provide any or all of the following services, including additional services, if any:

- (a) performance or supervision of on-site assembly and/or commissioning of the supplied goods;
- (b) furnishing of tools required for assembly and/or maintenance of the supplied goods;
- (c) furnishing of a detailed operations and maintenance manual for each appropriate unit of the supplied goods;
- (d) performance or supervision or maintenance and/or repair of the supplied goods, for a period of time agreed by the parties, provided that this service shall not relieve the supplier of any warranty obligations under this contract; and (e) training of the purchaser's personnel, at the supplier's plant and/or on-site, in assembly, start-up, operation, maintenance, and/or repair of the supplied goods.
- 13.2 Prices charged by the supplier for incidental services, if not included in the contract price for the goods, shall be agreed upon in advance by the parties and shall not exceed the prevailing rates charged to other parties by the supplier for similar services.

14. Spare parts

14.1 As specified, the supplier may be required to provide any or all of the following materials, notifications, and information pertaining to spare parts manufactured or distributed by the supplier:

- such spare parts as the purchaser may elect to purchase from the supplier, provided that this election shall not relieve the supplier of any warranty obligations under the contract; and
- (b) in the event of termination of production of the spare parts:
 - (i) advance notification to the purchaser of the pending termination, in sufficient time to permit the purchaser to procure needed requirements; and
 - (ii) following such termination, furnishing at no cost to the purchaser, the blueprints, drawings, and specifications of the spare parts, if requested.

15. Warranty

- 15.1 The supplier warrants that the goods supplied under the contract are new, unused, of the most recent or current models, and that they incorporate all recent improvements in design and materials unless provided otherwise in the contract. The supplier further warrants that all goods supplied under this contract shall have no defect, arising from design, materials, or workmanship (except when the design and/or material is required by the purchaser's specifications) or from any act or omission of the supplier, that may develop under normal use of the supplied goods in the conditions prevailing in the country of final destination.
- 15.2 This warranty shall remain valid for twelve (12) months after the goods, or any portion thereof as the case may be, have been delivered to and accepted at the final
 - destination indicated in the contract, or for eighteen (18) months after the date of shipment from the port or place of loading in the source country, whichever period concludes earlier, unless specified otherwise.
- 15.3 The purchaser shall promptly notify the supplier in writing of any claims arising under this warranty.
- 15.4 Upon receipt of such notice, the supplier shall, within the period specified and with all reasonable speed, repair or replace the defective goods or parts thereof, without costs to the purchaser.
- 15.5 If the supplier, having been notified, fails to remedy the defect(s) within the period specified, the purchaser may proceed to take such remedial action as may be necessary, at the supplier's risk and expense and without prejudice to any other rights, which the purchaser may have against the supplier under the contract.

16. Payment

- 16.1 The method and conditions of payment to be made to the supplier under this contract shall be specified.
- 16.2 The supplier shall furnish the purchaser with an invoice accompanied by a copy of the delivery note and upon fulfillment of other obligations stipulated in the contract.

- 16.3 Payments shall be made promptly by the purchaser, but in no case later than thirty (30) days after submission of an invoice or claim by the supplier.
- 16.4 Payment will be made in Rand unless otherwise stipulated.

17. Prices

17.1 Prices charged by the supplier for goods delivered and services performed under the contract shall not vary from the prices quoted by the supplier in his bid, with the exception of any price adjustments authorized or in the purchaser's request for bid validity extension, as the case may be.

18. Variation orders 18.1

In cases where the estimated value of the envisaged changes in purchase does not vary more than 15% of the total value of the original contract, the contractor may be instructed to deliver the goods or render the services as such. In cases of measurable quantities, the contractor may be approached to reduce the unit price, and such offers may be accepted provided that there is no escalation in price.

19. Assignment

19.1 The supplier shall not assign, in whole or in part, its obligations to perform under the contract, except with the purchaser's prior written consent.

20. Subcontracts

20.1 The supplier shall notify the purchaser in writing of all subcontracts awarded under these contracts if not already specified in the bid. Such notification, in the original bid or

later, shall not relieve the supplier from any liability or obligation under the contract.

21. Delays in the supplier's performance

- 21.1 Delivery of the goods and performance of services shall be made by the supplier in accordance with the time schedule prescribed by the purchaser in the contract.
- 21.2 If at any time during performance of the contract, the supplier or its subcontractor(s) should encounter conditions impeding timely delivery of the goods and performance of services, the supplier shall promptly notify the purchaser in writing of the fact of the delay, its likely duration and its cause(s). As soon as practicable after receipt of the supplier's notice, the purchaser shall evaluate the situation and may at his discretion extend the supplier's time for performance, with or without the imposition of penalties, in which case the extension shall be ratified by the parties by amendment of contract.
- 21.3 The right is reserved to procure outside of the contract small quantities or to have minor essential services executed if an emergency arises, the supplier's point of supply is not situated at or near the place where the goods are required, or the supplier's services are not readily available.
- 21.4 Except as provided under GCC Clause 25, a delay by the supplier in the performance of its delivery obligations shall render the supplier liable to the imposition of penalties, pursuant to GCC Clause 22, unless an extension of time is

agreed upon pursuant to GCC Clause 22.2 without the application of penalties.

21.5 Upon any delay beyond the delivery period in the case of a goods contract, the purchaser shall, without cancelling the contract, be entitled to purchase goods of a similar quality and up to the same quantity in substitution of the goods not supplied in conformity with the contract and to return any goods delivered later at the supplier's expense and risk, or to cancel the contract and buy such goods as may be required to complete the contract and without prejudice to his other rights, be entitled to claim damages from the supplier.

22. Penalties

22.1 Subject to GCC Clause 25, if the supplier fails to deliver any or all of the goods or to perform the services within the period(s) specified in the contract, the purchaser shall, without prejudice to its other remedies under the contract, deduct from the contract price, as a penalty, a sum calculated on the delivered price of the delayed goods or unperformed services using the current prime interest rate calculated for each day of the delay until actual delivery or performance. The purchaser may also consider termination of the contract pursuant to GCC Clause 23.

23. Termination

- 23.1 The purchaser, without prejudice to any other remedy for **for default** breach of contract, by written notice of default sent to the supplier, may terminate this contract in whole or in part:
 - (a) if the supplier fails to deliver any or all of the goods within the period(s) specified in the contract, or within any extension thereof granted by the purchaser pursuant to GCC Clause 21.2;
 - (b) if the supplier fails to perform any other obligation(s) under the contract; or
 - (c) if the supplier, in the judgement of the purchaser, has engaged in corrupt or fraudulent practices in competing for or in executing the contract.
- 23.2 In the event the purchaser terminates the contract in whole or in part, the purchaser may procure, upon such terms and in such manner, as it deems appropriate, goods, works or services similar to those undelivered, and the supplier shall be liable to the purchaser for any excess costs for such similar goods, works or services. However, the supplier shall continue performance of the contract to the extent not terminated.
- 23.3 Where the purchaser terminates the contract in whole or in part, the purchaser may decide to impose a restriction penalty on the supplier by prohibiting such supplier from doing business with the public sector for a period not exceeding 10 years.
- 23.4 If a purchaser intends imposing a restriction on a supplier or any person associated with the supplier, the supplier will be allowed a time period of not more than fourteen (14) days to provide reasons why the envisaged restriction should not be imposed. Should the supplier fail to respond within the stipulated fourteen (14) days the purchaser may regard the

supplier as having no objection and proceed with the restriction.

- 23.5 Any restriction imposed on any person by the purchaser will, at the discretion of the purchaser, also be applicable to any other enterprise or any partner, manager, director or other person who wholly or partly exercise or exercise control over the enterprise of the first mentioned person, and with which enterprise or person the first-mentioned person, is or was in the opinion of the purchaser actively associated
- 23.6 If a restriction is imposed, the purchaser must, within five (5) working days of such imposition, furnish the National Treasury, with the following information:
 - (i) The name and address of the supplier and / or person restricted by the purchaser;
 - (ii) the date of commencement of the restriction
 - (iii) the period of restriction; and
 - (iv) the reasons for the restriction

These details will be loaded in the National Treasury's central database of suppliers or persons prohibited from doing business with the public sector.

- 23.7 If a court of law convicts a person on an offence as contemplated in sections 12 or 13 of the prevention and combating of corrupt Activities Act, No. 12 of 2004, the court may also rule that such person's name has been endorsed on the register for Tender defaulters. When a person's name has been endorsed on the register, the person will be prohibited from doing business with the public sector for a period not less than five years and not more than 10 years. The National Treasury is empowered to determine the period of the restriction and each case will be dealt with on its own merits. According to section 32 of the act the Register must be open to the public. The Register can be perused on the National Treasury website
- 24. Antidumping 24.1 and countervailing duties and rights

When, after the date of bid, provisional payments are required, or anti-dumping or countervailing duties are imposed, or the amount of a provisional payment or antidumping or countervailing right is increased in respect of any dumped or subsidized import, the State is not liable for any amount so required or imposed, or for the amount of any such When, after the said date, such a provisional payment is no longer required or any such anti-dumping or countervailing right is abolished, or where the amount of such provisional payment or any such right is reduced, any such favourable difference shall on demand be paid forthwith by the supplier to the purchaser or the purchaser may deduct such amounts from moneys (if any) which may otherwise be due to the supplier in regard to goods or services which he delivered or rendered, or is to deliver or render in terms of the contract or any other contract or any other amount which may be due to him.

25. Force Majeure

25.1

Notwithstanding the provisions of GCC Clauses 22 and 23, the supplier shall not be liable for forfeiture of its performance supplier shall not be liable for forfeiture of its performance security, damages, or termination for default if and to the extent that his delay in performance or other failure to perform his obligations under the contract is the result of an event of force majeure. 25.2 If a force majeure situation arises, the supplier shall promptly notify the purchaser in writing of such condition and the cause thereof. Unless otherwise directed by the purchaser in

writing, the supplier shall continue to perform its obligations under the contract as far as is reasonably practical, and shall seek all reasonable alternative means for performance not prevented by the force majeure event.

26. Termination for insolvency

26.1 The purchaser may at any time terminate the contract by giving written notice to the supplier if the supplier becomes bankrupt or otherwise insolvent. In this event, termination will be without compensation to the supplier, provided that such termination will not prejudice or affect any right of action or remedy, which has accrued or will accrue thereafter to the purchaser.

27. Settlement of Disputes

- 27.1 If any dispute or difference of any kind whatsoever arises between the purchaser and the supplier in connection with or between the purchaser and the supplier in connection with or arising out of the contract, the parties shall make every effort to resolve amicably such dispute or difference by mutual consultation.
- 27.2 If, after thirty (30) days, the parties have failed to resolve their dispute or difference by such mutual consultation, then either the purchaser or the supplier may give notice to the other party of his intention to commence with mediation. No mediation in respect of this matter may be commenced unless such notice is given to the other party.

28. Limitation of Liability

- 27.3 Should it not be possible to settle a dispute by means of mediation, it may be settled in a South African court of law.
- 27.4 Notwithstanding any reference to mediation and/or court proceedings herein,
 - (a) the parties shall continue to perform their respective obligations under the contract unless they otherwise agree; and
 - (b) the purchaser shall pay the supplier any monies due the supplier for goods delivered and / or services rendered according to the prescripts of the contract.
- 28.1 Except in cases of criminal negligence or wilful misconduct, and in the case of infringement pursuant to Clause 6;
 - (a) the supplier shall not be liable to the purchaser, whether in contract, tort, or otherwise, for any indirect or consequential loss or damage, loss of use, loss of

- production, or loss of profits or interest costs, provided that this exclusion shall not apply to any obligation of the supplier to pay penalties and/or damages to the purchaser; and
- (b) the aggregate liability of the supplier to the purchaser, whether under the contract, in tort or otherwise, shall not exceed the total contract price, provided that this limitation shall not apply to the cost of repairing or replacing defective equipment.

29. Governing language

29.1 The contract shall be written in English. All correspondence and other documents pertaining to the contract that is exchanged by the parties shall also be written in English.

30. Applicable law

30.1 The contract shall be interpreted in accordance with South African laws, unless otherwise specified.

31. Notices

- 31.1 Every written acceptance of a bid shall be posted to the supplier concerned by registered or certified mail and any other notice to him shall be posted by ordinary mail to the address furnished in his bid or to the address notified later by him in writing and such posting shall be deemed to be proper service of such notice.
- 31.2 The time mentioned in the contract documents for performing any act after such aforesaid notice has been given, shall be reckoned from the date of posting of such notice.

32. Taxes and duties

- 32.1 A foreign supplier shall be entirely responsible for all taxes, stamp duties, license fees, and other such levies imposed outside the purchaser's country.
- 32.2 A local supplier shall be entirely responsible for all taxes, duties, license fees, etc., incurred until delivery of the contracted goods to the purchaser.
- 32.3 No contract shall be concluded with any bidder whose tax matters are not in order. Prior to the award of a bid SARS must have certified that the tax matters of the preferred bidder are in order.
- 32.4 No contract shall be concluded with any bidder whose municipal rates and taxes and municipal services charges are in arrears.

33. Transfer of contracts

33.1 The contractor shall not abandon, transfer, cede assign or sublet a contract or part thereof without the written permission of the purchaser

34. Amendment of contracts

34.1 No agreement to amend or vary a contract or order or the conditions, stipulations or provisions thereof shall be valid and of any force unless such agreement to amend or vary is entered into in writing and signed by the contracting parties. Any waiver of the requirement that the agreement to amend or vary shall be in writing, shall also be in writing.

35. Prohibition of 35.1 In terms of section 4 (1) (b) (iii) of the Competition Act No. 89 of restrictive practices 1998, as amended, an agreement between, or concerted practice by, firms, or a decision by an association of firms, is prohibited if it is between parties in a horizontal relationship and if a bidder(s) is / are or a contractor(s) was / were involved in collusive bidding. 35.2 If a bidder(s) or contractor(s) based on a reasonable grounds or evidence obtained by the purchaser has / have engaged in the restrictive practice referred to above, the purchaser may refer the of the Competition Commission for investigation and possible imposition of administrative penalties as contemplated in section 59 of the Competition Act No 89 of 1998. 35.3 if a bidder(s) or contractors(s) has / have been found guilty by the Competition Commission of the restrictive practice referred to above, the purchaser may, in addition and without prejudice to any other remedy provided for, invalidate the bid(s) for such item(s) offered, and / or terminate the contract in a whole of part, and / or restrict the bidder(s) or contractor(s) from conducting business with the public sector for a period not exceeding ten (10) years and / or claim damages from the bidder(s) or contractor(s) concerned.