

REQUEST FOR QUOTATION FOR

STANDARD AND LABELLING POLICY ASSESSMENT SPECIALIST FOR APPLIANCE RECYCLING PROJECT

| Signature of Bidder Date |
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| E-MAIL ADDRESS |
| FACSIMILE NUMBER CodeNumber |
| CELL PHONE NUMBER Code Number |
| TELEPHONE NUMBER Code |
| CONTACT PERSON |
| STREET ADDRESS |
| POSTAL ADDRESS |
| NAME OF BIDDER |

| RFQ Number | RFQ1223 |
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| Date of RFQ | 23 June 2023 |
| SANEDI Contact | All enquiries and RFQ submissions must be directed to : |
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| Closing date & Time | Monday the 10 th of July 2023 at 11:00am |
| Electronic - Submission | E-mail submission only: quotes.procurement@sanedi.org.za |
| Work | 1. Project Background |
| specification (and Technical specifications) | The Energy Efficiency Appliance Standards and Labelling (S&L) Programme was initially implemented by the Department of Mineral Resources and Energy (DMRE) in association with the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) with the aim to reduce energy consumption and greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions by influencing consumers to purchase more energy efficient appliances, removing inefficient appliance and encouraging the penetration of higher energy efficient appliances in South African market. At the end of the collaboration, DMRE mandated the South African National Development Institute (SANEDI) to implement the S&L Programme as an ongoing initiative. |
| | The amount of waste electrical and electronic equipment (WEEE) generated yearly in South Africa is increasing rapidly. Waste from electrical and electronic equipment include household appliances such as refrigerators, washing machines and air conditioners to name a few. These appliances contain mixture of materials that are toxic and hazardous. Hazardous waste that is mismanaged poses a serious threat to the environment and human health. Not only does WEEE harm the environment if untreated, it also causes the loss of precious metals such as copper. There are currently no standards and regulations put in place to regulate the recycling of electrical and electronic appliances at the end of their functional life. |
| | A feasibility study was done to determine the viability of an integrated appliance recycling system was conducted. The Study focused on how the government can enforce the proper handling and disposal of appliances to ensure that appliances are dismantled in an environmentally sound manner at the end of their useful life. From the findings of the feasibility study the DMRE intend to implement the Energy Efficiency Appliances Recycling System Pilot project. The Pilot project will be held in the Gauteng region because it is assumed that the region contain the highest number of appliances since it has the highest population. The findings from the Pilot project will be used by the DMRE to regulate the appliances recycling sector. |
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2. Project Objectives

To ensure that electrical and electronics appliances are properly disposed at the end of their functional life. When the WEEE are disposed correctly they won't harm the environment and human health.

To determine how the cost for collecting, transporting and recycling appliances will be covered.

To implement appliances recycling pilot project with the aim to inform policy. The pilot project will inform the DMRE on how to best regulate the appliances recycling sector.

To create appliances recycling awareness and educate consumers, manufacturer, retailers and recyclers on how to correctly recycle electrical and electronics appliances.

To ensure that old energy inefficient appliances are not donated/sold to people in lower income groups. It is important for consumers to know that energy inefficient appliances consume excessive amount of energy and it will cost them a lot of money to operate the appliance.

Scope of Works

3. Scope of work

The service provider must provide the following services:

The S&L team will provide project documents to the service providers so that they can familiarize themselves with the appliances recycling research that has been done. This will help the service provider when conducting their own research. The following documents will be shared:

- Feasibility Study to determine the viability of an integrated appliance recycling system published in 2020.
- Business Case for DMRE-SANEDI Energy Efficiency Appliance Recycling System Pilot Project and Energy Efficiency Awareness Creation.

When conducting the appliances recycling research, the service provider can use the appliances recycling plans from other countries as reference. Some procedures used in other countries can be adapted and localized to fit the South African context.

Identify and request collaboration with Scrap metal dealers and recyclers around Gauteng. The recyclers have to be educated about why it is important to correctly disposing appliances and to make the project a success, the project team needs the Scrap metal dealers and recyclers on their side.

Environmental specialist to advice on how to dispose appliances in a way that is environmentally sound. There must be a plan on how to safely remove refrigerant gases, lubricating oils, motors and capacitors, insulations, accessible cables and wires and other plastic components.

Environmental Lawyer to advice on how to regulate the recycling sector and develop a plan to ensure that costs of collecting, transporting and recycling appliances are covered. Before the beginning of the Appliances Recycling Project Pilot, there must be a clear plan on who is playing for what.

To identify drop-off depots/ facilities around Gauteng where consumers can drop or request the collection of their old appliances. the service provider can identify drop-off depot/facility for each metropolitan municipality in Gauteng.

The service provider shall familiarize and consult with the Department of Forestry, Fisheries, and the Environment on the work they are currently doing about the proper manner to dispose of appliances so that they don't harm the environment.

The service provider is expected to do monthly reporting. The S&L team will arrange a monthly meeting either a virtual meeting or in person meeting where the service provider will share the progress of the project and highlight areas where they need assistance. The service provider will be required to submit project progress report monthly and a final report at the end of the project. the report to include but not limited to:

- a) A background and introduction
- b) Detailed scope of work
- c) Proposed approach to policy assessment for appliances recycling project
- d) Stakeholder approach and consultation plan
- e) Policy assessment task team, the appointed team will work with the SANEDI project team in monthly working meetings to assign tasks contributing to the assessment
- f) Detailed workplan with project activities and timelines
- g) Feedback from recycling industry key players
- h) Recommendations on how to implement a well-planned appliances recycling Project

The service provider must be able to demonstrate research finding to the Appliances Recycling Project Steering Committee.

4. Project duration

9 months

Required qualifications and experience (Technical Evaluation Criteria)

Evaluation Criteria

| No. | Technical Criteria | Evaluation Criteria | Score Range 1-10 | Weighting |
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| 1 | Company Experience: Company profile demonstrating years and quality of work experience acquired on similar | Experience in Market/Industry/Policy Framework Assessment completed – 5 years or more | 8 - 10 | 20% |
| | assignments. | Experience in Market/Industry/Policy Framework Assessment completed – 3–4 years | 5 - 7 | |
| | | Experience in Market/Industry/Policy Framework Assessment completed – less than 3 years | 1 - 4 | |

| 2 | Team Leader Qualification: professional | PhD in Environmental Management/ | | 5% |
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| | qualifications and the experience of the team leader (qualifications and CVs) | Environmental Sciences related courses | 10 | 370 |
| | team leader (qualifications and evs) | Master's degree in Environmental Management/ Environmental Sciences related courses and other relevant and equivalent qualification | 8 - 9 | |
| | | Honours degree in Environmental Management/ Environmental Sciences related courses and other relevant and equivalent qualification | 6 – 7 | |
| | | Bachelor's degree/ Advanced Diploma/ B-tech in Environmental Management/ Environmental Sciences related courses and other relevant and equivalent qualification | 4 – 5 | |
| | | National Diploma/ Advanced certificates in Environmental Management/ Environmental Sciences related courses and other relevant and equivalent qualification | 2-3 | |
| | | Higher certificate and other relevant and equivalent qualification | 1 | |
| 3 | Team Leader Experience: Quality work experience on similar assessments/projects | Team leader with 5 years or more experience on similar assessments/projects | 8 - 10 | 15% |
| | | Team leader with 3 – 4 years' experience on similar assessments/projects | 5 - 7 | |
| | | Team leader with less than 3 years' experience on similar assessments/projects | 1-4 | |
| 4 | investigate concept of key focal areas | Comprehensive methodology outlining key focal areas and analysis | 8 - 10 | 30% |
| | presented in the proposal submitted. Approach to plan, design, execute and analysis of work assignment. | Reasonable methodology outlining focal areas and analysis | 5 – 7 | |
| | | Poor to average methodology – unsatisfactorily outlining focal area and analysis or touch | 1-4 | |
| 5 | that will assist in informing policy for the appliances Recycling Sector (e-waste). The specialist must have quality work | Lawyer with 5 years or more experience available or to be sourced. The specialist must submit a CV with contactable references | 8 – 10 | 20% |
| | experience acquired on similar assignments. | Lawyer with 3-4 years' experience available or to be sourced. The | 5 -7 | |

| | | | specialist must submit a CV with contactable references | | |
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| | | | Lawyer with less than 3 years' experience available or to be sourced. The specialist must submit a CV with | 1 - 4 | - |
| | | | contactable references | | |
| | 6 | Reference Letters: from different | 5 or more reference letters | 8 - 10 | 10% |
| | | companies (on company letterhead), signed by designed manager, and dated. | 3 to 4 reference letters | 5 – 7 | |
| | | | 1 to 2 reference letters | 1-4 | |
| | Total | points available 100 = Minimum threshold | 80 points | | |
| Terms and | | FQ shall be subjected to the SANEDI procure | ement terms and conditions which can be | found or | 1 |
| Conditions | www. | sanedi.org.za . | | | |
| | | suppliers are requested to apply for registra | • • | Qs will b | e considered |
| | witho | ut suppliers firstly being registered on the s | upplier database. | | |
| Quoted Price | (Attac | ch a formal quotation on company official le | tterhead to this RFQ) | | |
| excluding | | | | | |
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| Total Amount | | | | | |
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| | The su | upplier must submit the following returnabl | e schedules: | | |
| Other | | Delete a series de de | | | |
| Requirements | 1. | Pricing schedule | | | |
| | 2. | . Attach SBD9, SBD 4 and SBD 6.1 . Attach valid tax clearance | | | |
| | | . Certified BBBEE certificate | | | |
| | | s are available on www.sanedi.org.za | | | |
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SBD 4: Bidder's Declaration of Interest

Any legal person, including persons employed by the state, or persons having a kinship with persons employed by the state, including a blood relationship, may make an offer or offers in terms of this invitation to bid (includes an advertised competitive bid, a limited bid, a proposal or written price quotation). In view of possible allegations of favoritism, should the resulting bid, or part thereof, be awarded to persons employed by the state, or to persons connected with or related to them, it is required that the bidder or his/her authorised representative declare his/her position in relation to the evaluating/adjudicating authority where

- the bidder is employed by the state; and/or
- the legal person on whose behalf the bidding document is signed, has a relationship with persons/a person who are/is involved in the evaluation and or adjudication of the bid(s), or where it is known that such a relationship exists between the person or persons for or on whose behalf the declarant acts and persons who are involved with the evaluation and or adjudication of the bid.

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

| COMPANY & REPRESENTATIVE DETAIL | LS |
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| Full Name of bidder or his or her representative | |
| Identity Number | |
| Position occupied in the Company (director, trustee, shareholder, member): | |
| Registration number of company, enterprise, close corporation, partnership agreement or trust | |
| Tax Reference Number | |
| VAT Registration Number | |

| DECLARATIONS | YES | NO |
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| Are you or any person connected with the bidder presently employed by the state? | | |
| If so, furnish the following particulars: Name of person / director / trustee / shareholder/ member | | |
| Name of state institution at which you or the person connected to the bidder is employed : | | |
| Position occupied in the state institution | | |
| Any other particulars: | <u> </u> | |
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| If you are presently employed by the state, did you obtain the appropriate authority to undertake remunerative work outside employment in the public sector? | | |
| If yes, did you attach proof of such authority to the bid document? | | |
| (Note: Failure to submit proof of such authority, where | | |
| applicable, may result in the disqualification of the bid. | | |
| If no, furnish reasons for non-submission of such proof: | I | |
| Did you or your spouse, or any of the company's directors / trustees / shareholders / members or their spouses conduct business with the state in the previous twelve months? | | |

| | If so, furnish particul | lars: | | | | | | |
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| | Do you, or any person connected with the bidder, have any relationship (family, friend, other) with a person employed by the state and who may be involved with the evaluation and or adjudication of this bid? | | | | | | | |
| | If so, furnish particul | lars: | | | | | | |
| | Do you or any of the directors / trustees / shareholders / members of the company have any interest in any other related companies Wither or not they are bidding for this contract? | | | | | | | |
| | If so, furnish particul | lars: | | | | | | |
| Full o | details of directors / t | trustees / members | / shareholders. | | | | | |
| | names of all directors rence numbers and, if | | | | • | | | |
| Full Name | | Identity Number | Personal Income Tax Reference Number | State Employee N Number | Number / Persal | | | |
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| "State | " means – | | | | | |
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| (a) institu | • | • | • | ial public entity or constitutional Act, 1999 (Act No. 1 of 1999); | | |
| (b) | any municipality o | r municipal entity; | | | | |
| (c) | provincial legislatu | ıre; | | | | |
| (d) | (d) national Assembly or the national Council of provinces; or | | | | | |
| (e) Parliament. | | | | | | |
| | eholder" means a pe gement of the enter | | | nd is actively involved in the ver the enterprise. | | |
| DECLA | DECLARATION OF INTEREST | | | | | |
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| Ι, the ι | undersigned (name). | | | | | |
| - | Certify that the information furnished in this declaration is correct and I accept that SANEDI may reject the bid or act against me should this declaration prove to be false. | | | | | |
| Name of Enterprise Bidding: | | | | | | |
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| Name of Authorised Representative | | | | | | |
| Signat | Signature of Authorised Bidder | | | | | |

Date

1. Preference Points

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

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

1. GENERAL CONDITIONS

- 1.1 The following preference point systems are applicable to invitations to tender: the 80/20 system for requirements with a Rand value of up to R50 000 000 (all applicable taxes included); and the 90/10 system for requirements with a Rand value above R50 000 000 (all applicable taxes included).
- 1.2 Preference Points applicable:
- a) The applicable preference point system for this tender is the 80/20 preference point system.
- 1.3 Points for this tender shall be awarded for:
 - (a) Price; and
 - (b) Specific Goals.
- 1.4 The maximum points for this tender are allocated as follows:

| | POINTS |
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| Price | 80 |
| Specific Goals | 20 |
| Total points for price and specific goals | 100 |

1.5 Failure on the part of a tenderer to submit proof or documentation required in terms of this tender to claim points for specific goals with the tender, will be interpreted to mean that preference points for specific goals are not claimed.

1.6 SANEDI reserves the right to require of a tenderer, either before a tender is adjudicated or at any time subsequently, to substantiate any claim in regard to preferences, in any manner required by the SANEDI.

2. DEFINITIONS

- (a) "tender" means a written offer in the form determined by an organ of state in response to an invitation to provide goods or services through price quotations, competitive tendering process or any other method envisaged in legislation;
- (b) "price" means an amount of money tendered for goods or services, and includes all applicable taxes less all unconditional discounts;
- (c) "rand value" means the total estimated value of a contract in Rand, calculated at the time of bid invitation, and includes all applicable taxes;
- (d) "tender for income-generating contracts" means a written offer in the form determined by an organ of state in response to an invitation for the origination of income-generating contracts through any method envisaged in legislation that will result in a legal agreement between the organ of state and a third party that produces revenue for the organ of state, and includes, but is not limited to, leasing and disposal of assets and concession contracts, excluding direct sales and disposal of assets through public auctions; and
- (e) "the Act" means the Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act, 2000 (Act No. 5 of 2000).
- (f) "B-BBEE" means broad-based black economic empowerment as defined in section 1 of the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act;
- (g) "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;
- (h) "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;
- (i) "Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act" means the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act, 2003 (Act No. 53 of 2003);
- (j) "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;
- (k) "functionality" means the ability of a tenderer to provide goods or services in accordance with specifications as set out in the tender documents.
- (I) "proof of B-BBEE status level of contributor" means:
 - B-BBEE Status level certificate issued by an authorized body or person;
 - 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;

3. FORMULAE FOR PROCUREMENT OF GOODS AND SERVICES

3.1. POINTS AWARDED FOR PRICE

3.1.1 THE 80/20 OR 90/10 PREFERENCE POINT SYSTEMS A maximum of 80 or 90 points is allocated for price on the following basis:

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

Where

Ps = Points scored for price of tender under consideration

Pt = Price of tender under consideration

Pmin = Price of lowest acceptable tender

4. POINTS AWARDED FOR SPECIFIC GOALS

- 4.1. In terms of Regulation 4(2); 5(2); 6(2) and 7(2) of the Preferential Procurement Regulations, preference points must be awarded for specific goals stated in the tender. For the purposes of this tender the tenderer will be allocated points based on the goals stated in table 1 below as may be supported by proof/ documentation stated in the conditions of this tender:
- 4.2. In cases where organs of state intend to use Regulation 3(2) of the Regulations, which states that, if it is unclear whether the 80/20 or 90/10 preference point system applies, an organ of state must, in the tender documents, stipulate in the case of—
 - (a) an invitation for tender for income-generating contracts, that either the 80/20 or 90/10 preference point system will apply and that the highest acceptable tender will be used to determine the applicable preference point system; or
 - (b) any other invitation for tender, that either the 80/20 or 90/10 preference point system will apply and that the lowest acceptable tender will be used to determine the applicable preferencepoint system, then the organ of state must indicate the points allocated for specific goals for both the 90/10 and 80/20 preference point system.

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

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

| The specific goals allocated points in terms of this tender | Number of points allocated (80/20 system) | | | Number of points claimed (80/20 system) (To be completed by the tenderer) |
|---|---|-----------------------------------|------------------|---|
| | Total points possible | Indicator | Points allocated | |
| B-BBEE Status level | 10 | Level 1 | 10 | |
| of Contributor | | Level 2 | 9 | |
| | | Level 3 | 8 | |
| | | Level 4 | 5 | |
| | | Level 5 | 4 | |
| | | Level 6 | 3 | |
| | | Level 7 | 2 | |
| | | Level 8 | 1 | |
| | | Non-compliant | 0 | |
| Women | 5 | Women Owned 76% - 100% | 100% | |
| | | Women Owned 51% - 75% | 75% | |
| | | Women Owned 26% - 50% | 50% | |
| | | Women Owned 5% - 25% | 25% | |
| | | Women Owned less than 5% - 0% | 0% | |
| Youth | 2.5 | Youth Owned 76% - 100% | 100% | |
| | | Youth Owned 51% - 75% | 75% | |
| | | Youth Owned 26% - 50% | 50% | |
| | | Youth Owned 5% - 25% | 25% | |
| | | Youth Owned less than 5% - 0% | 0% | |
| Persons with | 2.5 | Person with Disability 76% - 100% | 100% | |
| Disability | | Persons with disability 51% - 75% | 75% | |
| | | Persons with disability 26% - 50% | 50% | |
| | | Persons with disability 5% - 25% | 25% | |

| | | Persons with disability less than 5% - 0% | 0% | |
|--------------------------|----|---|----|--|
| TOTAL FOR SPECIFIC GOALS | 20 | | | |

DECLARATION WITH REGARD TO COMPANY/FIRM

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| 4 - 7 | Name of the | company/firm |
| ┰.၂ | Name of the | COTTIPATTY/THITT: |

4.4 Company registration number:.....

4.5 TYPE OF COMPANY/FIRM

| Type of Firm | Tick the applicable box here |
|---------------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Partnership/Joint Venture/ Consortium | |
| One-person business/sole propriety | |
| Close corporation | |
| Public Company | |
| Personal Liability Company | |
| (Pty) Limited | |
| Non -Profit Company | |
| State Owned Company | |

- 4.6. I, the undersigned, who is duly authorised to do so on behalf of the company/firm, certify that the points claimed, based on the specific goals as advised in the tender, qualifies the company/ firm for the preference(s) shown and I acknowledge that:
 - i) The information furnished is true and correct;
 - ii) The preference points claimed are in accordance with the General Conditions as indicated in paragraph 1 of this form;
 - iii) In the event of a contract being awarded as a result of points claimed as shown in paragraphs 1.4 and 4.2, the contractor may be required to furnish documentary proof to the satisfaction of the organ of state that the claims are correct;
 - iv) If the specific goals have been claimed or obtained on a fraudulent basis or any of the conditions of contract have not been fulfilled, the organ of state may, in addition to any other remedy it may have –

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

| | SIGNATURE(S) OF TENDERER(S) |
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| SURNAME AND NAME: | |
| DATE: | |
| ADDRESS: | |
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SBD 9: Certificate of Independent Bid Determination

| | I, the undersigned, | in submitting | the accompan | ving bid for | |
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in response to the invitation for the bid made by SANEDI do hereby make the following statements that I certify to be true and complete in every respect:

I therefore certify, on behalf of that I have read and I understand the contents of this Certificate;

- 1. I understand that the accompanying bid will be disqualified if this Certificate is found not to be true and complete in every respect;
- 2. I am authorized by the bidder to sign this Certificate, and to submit the accompanying bid, on behalf of the bidder;
- 3. 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;
- 4. 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
 - 5. 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 consortium will not be construed as collusive bidding.
 - 6. 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.

- 7. 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.
- 8. 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.
- 9. 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.

| Name of Enterp | rise Bidding: |
|------------------|---------------------|
| Name of Author | ised Representative |
| Signature of Aut | horised Bidder |
| Date | |