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Health

REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

NDoH-13(2021/2022)

REQUEST FOR THE APPOINTMENT TO SERVE AS A SUB-RECIPIENT (SR) FOR THE NATIONAL DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH GLOBAL FUND TB/HIV PROGRAM FROM APRIL 2022-MARCH 2025.

BID VALIDITY PERIOD: 120 DAYS DATE ISSUED: 11 OCTOBER 2021 CLOSING DATE: 10 NOVEMBER 2021 AT 11H00 NON-COMPULSORY VIRTUAL BRIEFING SESSION: 25 OCTOBER 2021 at 09:00AM VENUE: VIRTUAL

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PART B TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR BIDDING

1.	BID SUBMISSION:
1.1.	BIDS MUST BE DELIVERED BY THE STIPULATED TIME TO THE CORRECT ADDRESS. LATE BIDS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED FOR CONSIDERATION.
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- 1.2. ALL BIDS MUST BE SUBMITTED ON THE OFFICIAL FORMS PROVIDED-(NOT TO BE RE-TYPED) OR IN THE MANNER PRESCRIBED IN THE BID DOCUMENT.
- 1.3. THIS BID IS SUBJECT TO THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT POLICY FRAMEWORK ACT, 2000 AND THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS, 2017, THE GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT (GCC) AND, IF APPLICABLE, ANY OTHER SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT.
- 1.4. THE SUCCESSFUL BIDDER WILL BE REQUIRED TO FILL IN AND SIGN A WRITTEN CONTRACT FORM (SBD7).

2. TAX COMPLIANCE REQUIREMENTS

- 2.1 BIDDERS MUST ENSURE COMPLIANCE WITH THEIR TAX OBLIGATIONS.
- 2.2 BIDDERS ARE REQUIRED TO SUBMIT THEIR UNIQUE PERSONAL IDENTIFICATION NUMBER (PIN) ISSUED BY SARS TO ENABLE THE ORGAN OF STATE TO VERIFY THE TAXPAYER'S PROFILE AND TAX STATUS.
- 2.3 APPLICATION FOR TAX COMPLIANCE STATUS (TCS) PIN MAY BE MADE VIA E-FILING THROUGH THE SARS WEBSITE WWW.SARS.GOV.ZA.
- 2.4 BIDDERS MAY ALSO SUBMIT A PRINTED TCS CERTIFICATE TOGETHER WITH THE BID.
- 2.5 IN BIDS WHERE CONSORTIA / JOINT VENTURES / SUB-CONTRACTORS ARE INVOLVED, EACH PARTY MUST SUBMIT A SEPARATE TCS CERTIFICATE / PIN / CSD NUMBER.
- 2.6 WHERE NO TCS PIN IS AVAILABLE BUT THE BIDDER IS REGISTERED ON THE CENTRAL SUPPLIER DATABASE (CSD), A CSD NUMBER MUST BE PROVIDED.
- 2.7 NO BIDS WILL BE CONSIDERED FROM PERSONS IN THE SERVICE OF THE STATE, COMPANIES WITH DIRECTORS WHO ARE PERSONS IN THE SERVICE OF THE STATE, OR CLOSE CORPORATIONS WITH MEMBERS PERSONS IN THE SERVICE OF THE STATE."

NB: FAILURE TO PROVIDE / OR COMPLY WITH ANY OF THE ABOVE PARTICULARS MAY RENDER THE BID INVALID.

SIGNATURE OF BIDDER.	
CAPACITY UNDER WHICH THIS BID IS SIGNED: (Proof of authority must be submitted e.g. company resolution)	

DATE:

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Roger Dyason Road M7

THE NATIONAL TREASURY

Republic of South Africa



GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT:

GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT

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NOTES

The purpose of this document is to:

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

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

- The General Conditions of Contract will form part of all bid documents and may not be amended.
- Special Conditions of Contract (SCC) relevant to a specific bid, should be compiled separately for every bid (if (applicable) and will supplement the General Conditions of Contract. Whenever there is a conflict, the provisions in the SCC shall prevail.

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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 supplies 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 supplies 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 "Written" or "in writing" means handwritten in ink or any form of electronic or mechanical writing. These general conditions are applicable to all bids, contracts and orders 2. Application 2.1 including bids for functional and professional services, 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 supplies, 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 non-refundable fee for documents may be charged. 3.2 With certain exceptions, invitations to bid are only published in the Government Tender Bulletin. The Government Tender Bulletin may be obtained directly from the Government Printer, Private Bag X85, Pretoria 0001, or accessed electronically from www.treasury.gov.za 4. Standards 4.1 The goods supplied shall conform to the standards mentioned in the bidding documents and specifications. 5. Use of 5.1 The supplier shall not, without the purchaser's prior written consent, contract disclose the contract, or any provision thereof, or any specification, documents plan, drawing, pattern, sample, or information furnished by or on and behalf of the purchaser in connection therewith, to any person other information: than a person employed by the supplier in the performance of the inspection. contract. Disclosure to any such employed person shall be made in confidence and shall extend only so 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 third-party claims of infringement of patent, trademark, or industrial design rights arising from use of the goods or any part thereof by the purchaser.

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 in SCC.
8. Inspections, tests and	8.1	All pre-bidding testing will be for the account of the bidder.
analyses	8.2	If it is a bid condition that supplies to be produced or services to be rendered should at any stage during production or execution or on completion be subject to inspection, the premises of the bidder or contractor shall be open, at all reasonable hours, for inspection by a representative of the Department or an organization acting on behalf of the Department.
	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 supplies 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 supplies or services referred to in clauses 8.2 and 8.3 do not comply with the contract requirements, irrespective of whether such supplies or services are accepted or not, the cost in connection with these inspections, tests or analyses shall be defrayed by the supplier.
	8.6	Supplies 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 supplies may on or after delivery be inspected, tested or

analyzed and may be rejected if found not to comply with the requirements of the contract. Such rejected supplies 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 supplies which do comply with the requirements of the contract. Failing such removal the rejected supplies shall be returned at the suppliers cost and risk. Should the supplier fail to provide the substitute supplies forthwith, the purchaser may, without giving the supplier further opportunity to substitute the rejected supplies, purchase such supplies 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 23 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, specified in SCC, and in any subsequent instructions ordered by the purchaser.
- 10. Delivery
and documents10.1Delivery of the goods shall be made by the supplier in accordance with
the terms specified in the contract. The details of shipping and/or other
documents to be furnished by the supplier are specified in SCC.
 - 10.2 Documents to be submitted by the supplier are specified in SCC.
- **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 in the SCC.
- **12. Transportation** 12.1 Should a price other than an all-inclusive delivered price be required, this shall be specified in the SCC.

13. Incidental
services13.1The supplier may be required to provide any or all of the following
services, including additional services, if any, specified in SCC:

- (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.
- 14.1 As specified in SCC, 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:
 - (a) 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 in SCC.
 - 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 in SCC 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 in SCC, the purchaser may proceed to take

14. Spare parts

		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 in SCC.
	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 in SCC.
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 in SCC or in the purchaser's request for bid validity extension, as the case may be.
18. Contract amendments	18.1	No variation in or modification of the terms of the contract shall be made except by written amendment signed by the parties concerned.
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 this 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	No provision in a contract shall be deemed to prohibit the obtaining of supplies or services from a national department, provincial department, or a local authority.
	21.4	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 supplies are required, or the supplier's services are not readily available.

- 21.5 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 21.2 without the application of penalties.
- 21.6 Upon any delay beyond the delivery period in the case of a supplies contract, the purchaser shall, without canceling the contract, be entitled to purchase supplies 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.
 - mination23.1The purchaser, without prejudice to any other remedy for 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 judgment 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. Termination for default

^{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 intended penalty as not objected against and may impose it on the supplier.

- 23.5 Any restriction imposed on any person by the Accounting Officer / Authority will, at the discretion of the Accounting Officer / Authority, also be applicable to any other enterprise or any partner, manager, director or other person who wholly or partly exercises or exercised or may 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 Accounting Officer / Authority 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 of 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 be 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 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. Anti-dumping 24.1 When, after the date of bid, provisional payments are required, or anticountervailing and dumping or countervailing duties are imposed, or the amount of a duties and rights provisional payment or anti-dumping 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 increase. 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 contractor to the State or the State may deduct such amounts from moneys (if any) which may otherwise be due to the contractor in regard to supplies 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 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 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.
	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	Mediation proceedings shall be conducted in accordance with the rules of procedure specified in the SCC.
	27.5	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.
28. Limitation of liability	28.1	Except in cases of criminal negligence or willful 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 in SCC.
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 the Department must be in possession of a tax clearance certificate, submitted by the bidder. This certificate must be an original issued by the South African Revenue Services.
33. National Industrial Participation (NIP) Programme	33.1	The NIP Programme administered by the Department of Trade and Industry shall be applicable to all contracts that are subject to the NIP obligation.
34 Prohibition of Restrictive practices	34.1	In terms of section 4 (1) (b) (iii) of the Competition Act No. 89 of 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 (or bid rigging).
	34.2	If a bidder(s) or contractor(s), based on reasonable grounds or evidence obtained by the purchaser, has / have engaged in the restrictive practice referred to above, the purchaser may refer the matter to the Competition Commission for investigation and possible imposition of administrative penalties as contemplated in the Competition Act No. 89 of 1998.

34.3 If a bidder(s) or contractor(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 whole or 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.

Js General Conditions of Contract (revised July 2010)

NAME OF	F BIDDE	R:	BID NO: NDOH 13/2021-2022 CLOSING DATE: 03/11/2021			
CLOSINC	G TIME 1	1:00				
OFFER T	O BE VA	ALID FOR 120 DAYS FROM THE CLOSING DATE OF BID.				
ITEM NO		DESCRIPTION:	BID PRICE IN RSA CURRENCY ** (ALL APPLICABLE TAXES INCLUDED)			
	1.	The accompanying information must be used for the formulation of proposals.				
	2.	Bidders are required to indicate a ceiling price based on the total estimated time for completion of all phases and including all expenses inclusive of all applicable taxes for the project.	R			
	3.	PERSONS WHO WILL BE INVOLVED IN THE PROJECT AND RATES APPLICABLE (CERTIFIED INVOICES MUST BE RENDERED IN TERMS HEREOF)				
	4.	PERSON AND POSITION	HOURLY RATE	DAII	LY RATE	
			R			
			R			
			R			
			R			
			R			
	5.	PHASES ACCORDING TO WHICH THE PROJECT WILL BE COMPLETED, COST PER PHASE AND MAN-DAYS TO BE SPENT				
			R		days	
			R		days	
			R		days	
			R		days	
	5.1	Travel expenses (specify, for example rate/km and total km, class of airtravel, etc). Only actual costs are recoverable. Proof of the expenses incurred must accompany certified invoices.				
		DESCRIPTION OF EXPENSE TO BE INCURRED	RATE	QUANTITY	AMOUNT	
					R	
					R	
					R	
					R	
			TOTAL: R			

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

5.2 Other expenses, for example accommodation (specify, eg. Three star hotel, bed and breakfast, telephone cost, reproduction cost, etc.). On basis of these particulars, certified invoices will be checked for correctness. Proof of the expenses must accompany invoices.

	DESCRIPTION OF EXPENSE TO BE INCURRED	RATE	QUANTITY	AMOUNT
				R
				R
				R
				R
		TOTAL: R		
6.	Period required for commencement with project after acceptance of bid			
7.	Estimated man-days for completion of project			
8.	Are the rates quoted firm for the full period of contract?			*YES/NO
9.	If not firm for the full period, provide details of the basis on which adjustments will be applied for, for example consumer price index.			

SBD 4

DECLARATION OF INTEREST

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

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

2.1	Full Name of bidder or his or her representative:
2.2	Identity Number:
2.3	Position occupied in the Company (director, trustee, shareholder ²):
2.4	Company Registration Number:
2.5	Tax Reference Number:
2.6	VAT Registration Number:
2.6.1	The names of all directors / trustees / shareholders / members, their individual identity numbers, tax reference numbers and, if applicable, employee / persal numbers must be indicated in paragraph 3 below.
¹ "State" me	ans –
	(a) 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);
- (b) any municipality or municipal entity;
- (c) provincial legislature;
- (d) national Assembly or the national Council of provinces; or
- (e) Parliament.

²"Shareholder" means a person who owns shares in the company and is actively involved in the management of the enterprise or business and exercises control over the enterprise.

2.7	Are you or any person connected with the bidder presently employed by the state?	YES / NO
2.7.1	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:	
2.7.2	If you are presently employed by the state, did you obtain the appropriate authority to undertake remunerative work outside employment in the public sector?	YES / NO
2.7.2.1	If yes, did you attached proof of such authority to the bid document?	YES / NO
	(Note: Failure to submit proof of such authority, where applicable, may result in the disqualification of the bid.	
2.7.2.2	If no, furnish reasons for non-submission of such proof:	
2.8	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?	YES / NO
2.8.1	If so, furnish particulars:	
2.9	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?	YES / NO

2.9.1lf so, furnish particulars. YES/NO 2.10 Are you, or any person connected with the bidder, aware of any relationship (family, friend, other) between any other bidder and any person employed by the state who may be involved with the evaluation and or adjudication of this bid? 2.10.1 If so, furnish particulars. 2.11 Do you or any of the directors / trustees / shareholders / members YES/NO of the company have any interest in any other related companies whether or not they are bidding for this contract? 2.11.1 If so, furnish particulars:

.....

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

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

4 DECLARATION

I, THE UNDERSIGNED (NAME).....

CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION FURNISHED IN PARAGRAPHS 2 and 3 ABOVE IS CORRECT. I ACCEPT THAT THE STATE MAY REJECT THE BID OR ACT AGAINST ME IN TERMS OF PARAGRAPH 23 OF THE GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT SHOULD THIS DECLARATION PROVE TO BE FALSE.

Signature	Date
Position	Name of bidder

May 2011

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

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

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

1. GENERAL CONDITIONS

- 1.1 The following preference point systems are applicable to all bids:
 - the 80/20 system for requirements with a Rand value of up to R50 000 000 (all applicable taxes included); and
 - the 90/10 system for requirements with a Rand value above R50 000 000 (all applicable taxes included).

1.2

- a) The value of this bid is estimated to not 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 (*delete whichever is not applicable for 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	
B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL OF CONTRIBUTOR	
Total points for Price and B-BBEE must not exceed	100

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

2. DEFINITIONS

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

3. POINTS AWARDED FOR PRICE

3.1 THE 80/20 OR 90/10 PREFERENCE POINT SYSTEMS

A maximum of 80 or 90 points is allocated for price on the following basis: 80/20 or 90/10

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

Where

Ps = Points scored for price of bid under consideration

Pt = Price of bid under consideration

Pmin = Price of lowest acceptable bid

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

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

B-BBEE Status Level of Contributor	Number of points (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 PARAGRAPHS 1.4 AND 4.1

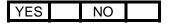
6.1 B-BBEE Status Level of Contributor: . =(maximum of 10 or 20 points)

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

7. SUB-CONTRACTING

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

(Tick applicable box)



7.1.1 If yes, indicate:

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

- iv) Whether the sub-contractor is an EME or QSE
 - (Tick applicable box)
 - YES NO
- v) Specify, by ticking the appropriate box, if subcontracting with an enterprise in terms of Preferential Procurement Regulations,2017:

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

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

8.8 I/we, the undersigned, who is / are duly authorised to do so on behalf of the company/firm, certify that the points claimed, based on the B-BBE status level of contributor indicated in paragraphs 1.4 and 6.1 of the foregoing certificate, qualifies the company/ firm for the preference(s) shown and I / we acknowledge that:

- i) The information furnished is true and correct;
- ii) The preference points claimed are in accordance with the General Conditions as indicated in paragraph 1 of this form;
- iii) In the event of a contract being awarded as a result of points claimed as shown in paragraphs 1.4 and 6.1, the contractor may be required to furnish documentary proof to the satisfaction of the purchaser that the claims are correct;
- iv) If the B-BBEE status level of contributor has been claimed or obtained on a fraudulent basis or any of the conditions of contract have not been fulfilled, the purchaser may, in addition to any other remedy it may have
 - (a) disqualify the person from the bidding process;
 - (b) recover costs, losses or damages it has incurred or suffered as a result of that person's conduct;
 - (c) cancel the contract and claim any damages which it has suffered as a result of having to make less favourable arrangements due to such cancellation;
 - (d) recommend that the bidder or contractor, its shareholders and directors, or only the shareholders and directors who acted on a fraudulent basis, be restricted by the National Treasury from obtaining business from any organ of state for a period not exceeding 10 years, after the *audi alteram partem* (hear the other side) rule has been applied; and
 - (e) forward the matter for criminal prosecution.

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

DECLARATION OF BIDDER'S PAST SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT PRACTICES

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

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

Item	Question	Yes	No
4.1	Is the bidder or any of its directors listed on the National Treasury's Database of Restricted Suppliers as companies or persons prohibited from doing business with the public sector? (Companies or persons who are listed on this Database were informed in writing	Yes	No
	of this restriction by the Accounting Officer/Authority of the institution that imposed the restriction after the <i>audi alteram partem</i> rule was applied).		
	The Database of Restricted Suppliers now resides on the National Treasury's website(<u>www.treasury.gov.za</u>) and can be accessed by clicking on its link at the bottom of the home page.		
4.1.1	If so, furnish particulars:		
4.2	Is the bidder or any of its directors listed on the Register for Tender Defaulters in terms of section 29 of the Prevention and Combating of Corrupt Activities Act (No 12 of 2004)? The Register for Tender Defaulters can be accessed on the National Treasury's website (www.treasury.gov.za) by clicking on its link at the bottom of the home page.	Yes	No
4.2.1	If so, furnish particulars:		
4.3	Was the bidder or any of its directors convicted by a court of law (including a court outside of the Republic of South Africa) for fraud or corruption during the past five years?	Yes	No □
4.3.1	If so, furnish particulars:		

4.4	Was any contract between the bidder and any organ of state terminated during the past five years on account of failure to perform on or comply with the contract?	Yes	No
4.4.1	If so, furnish particulars:		

SBD 8

CERTIFICATION

I, THE UNDERSIGNED (FULL NAME)..... CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION FURNISHED ON THIS DECLARATION FORM IS TRUE AND CORRECT.

I ACCEPT THAT, IN ADDITION TO CANCELLATION OF A CONTRACT, ACTION MAY BE TAKEN AGAINST ME SHOULD THIS DECLARATION PROVE TO BE FALSE.

•••••	•••••	 	•••••
Signa	ture		

Date

Position

Name of Bidder

Js365bW

CERTIFICATE OF INDEPENDENT BID DETERMINATION

- 1 This Standard Bidding Document (SBD) 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 Treasury Regulation 16A9 prescribes that accounting officers and accounting authorities must take all reasonable steps to prevent abuse of the supply chain management system and authorizes accounting officers and accounting authorities to:
 - a. disregard the bid of any bidder if that bidder, or any of its directors have abused the institution's supply chain management system and or committed fraud or any other improper conduct in relation to such system.
 - b. cancel a contract awarded to a supplier of goods and services if the supplier committed any corrupt or fraudulent act during the bidding process or the execution of that contract.
- 4 This SBD serves as a certificate of declaration that would be used by institutions to ensure that, when bids are considered, reasonable steps are taken to prevent any form of bid-rigging.
- 5 In order to give effect to the above, the attached Certificate of Bid Determination (SBD 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 Institution)

do hereby make the following statements that I certify to be true and complete in every respect:

I certify, on behalf of:______that:

(Name of Bidder)

- 1. I have read and I understand the contents of this Certificate;
- 2. I understand that the accompanying bid will be disqualified if this Certificate is found not to be true and complete in every respect;
- 3. I am authorized by the bidder to sign this Certificate, and to submit the accompanying bid, on behalf of the bidder;
- 4. Each person whose signature appears on the accompanying bid has been authorized by the bidder to determine the terms of, and to sign the bid, on behalf of the bidder;
- 5. For the purposes of this Certificate and the accompanying bid, I understand that the word "competitor" shall include any individual or organization, other than the bidder, whether or not affiliated with the bidder, who:
 - (a) has been requested to submit a bid in response to this bid invitation;
 - (b) could potentially submit a bid in response to this bid invitation, based on their qualifications, abilities or experience; and
 - (c) provides the same goods and services as the bidder and/or is in the same line of business as the bidder

- 6. The bidder has arrived at the accompanying bid independently from, and without consultation, communication, agreement or arrangement with any competitor. However communication between partners in a joint venture or consortium³ will not be construed as collusive bidding.
- 7. In particular, without limiting the generality of paragraphs 6 above, there has been no consultation, communication, agreement or arrangement with any competitor regarding:
 - (a) prices;
 - (b) geographical area where product or service will be rendered (market allocation)
 - (c) methods, factors or formulas used to calculate prices;
 - (d) the intention or decision to submit or not to submit, a bid;
 - (e) the submission of a bid which does not meet the specifications and conditions of the bid; or
 - (f) bidding with the intention not to win the bid.
- 8. In addition, there have been no consultations, communications, agreements or arrangements with any competitor regarding the quality, quantity, specifications and conditions or delivery particulars of the products or services to which this bid invitation relates.
- 9. The terms of the accompanying bid have not been, and will not be, disclosed by the bidder, directly or indirectly, to any competitor, prior to the date and time of the official bid opening or of the awarding of the contract.

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
Position	Name of Bidder
	Js914w 2



Private Bag X828, PRETORIA, 0001, Dr AB Xuma Building, 1112 Voortrekker Road, Thaba Tshwane, Pretoria

NDOH 13 / 2021-2022

South Africa National Department of Health Global Fund TB/HIV Program

Request for appointment to serve as a Sub-Recipient (SR) for the National Department of Health Global Fund TB/HIV Program from April 2022 – March 2025

Validity Period: 120 Days

National Department of Health

Non-compulsory Virtual Briefing Session

Date: 25 October 2021 Time: 09h00 Venue: Virtual Microsoft Teams Meeting Link: <u>https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_NmYwYzk4NjctMDFIMy00MGQyLTk00TAtMzRiYmE0NTIxMzVh%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%22a517371c-f316-484c-ac5c-98b76127790a%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22434ef73f-81ba-4087-828d-5878ed20a3ab%22%7d</u>

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ADSM AIDS BAC B-BBEE BEC CHC CCM DHMT DCXR DMoC DR-TB DS-TB GF HCW HIV IPC LFA LF-LAM MDR-TB M&E NDoH NIMDR-TB M&E NDoH NIMDR-TB PHC PLHIV PR PVIMS QI RFF SLA SRS TB		Active Drug Safety Monitoring Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome Bid Adjudication Committee Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Bid Evaluation Committee Community Health Centres Country Co-Ordinating Mechanism District Health Management Team Digital Chest X-Ray Decentralised Model of Care Drug Resistant-TB Drug Sensitive-TB Global Fund Health Care Worker Human Immunodeficiency Virus Infection Prevention and Control Local Fund Agent Lateral Flow Lipoarabinomannan Multidrug Resistant TB Monitoring and Evaluation National Department of Health Nurse Initiated MDR-TB treatment Primary Health Care People Living with HIV Principal Recipient Pharmacovigilance Monitoring System Quality Improvement Request for Funding Service Level Agreement Sub-Recipients Tuberculosis
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ТВ	:	Tuberculosis
TPT	:	Tuberculosis Preventive Therapy
WHO	:	World Health Organisation
Xpert	:	Xpert® MTB/ RIF Ultra

Glossary of Terms

Diversity	Diversity elements should include (but are not limited to)					
	professional background, career stage, gender, geographic					
	location, and race.					
Joint Venture	A business arrangement in which two or more companies					
	combine resources on a project or service. This is formalised					
	through a Joint Venture Agreement signed by all parties. A Joint					
	Venture is a registered legal entity and is not part of the					
	individual participant's enterprise.					
Consortium	An association of two or more companies, or organisations with					
	the objective of participating in a common activity (project or					
	service). Entities that participate in a consortium pool resources					
	but are otherwise only responsible for the obligations that are					
	set out in the consortium's agreement.					
Service Provider	Refers to the Party (includes individual or entity, whether public,					
	quasi-public or private, and in certain cases may also be					
	referred to as "Consultant") that is contracted to perform the					
	services and/or deliver the related goods using its own means,					
	methods or manner of accomplishing the desired result					
	pursuant to the contract.					
Principal Recipient	An entity nominated or appointed by the Country Coordinating					
	Mechanism (CCM) to implement the program and has signed a					
	Grant Agreement with the Global Fund.					
Sub Recipient	An entity that receives grant funds directly or indirectly from the					
	PR, implements program activities under the oversight of the					
	PR as per signed Service Level Agreement (SLA).					
Project Manager	The lead person in the implementation of the grant activities.					

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1. Introduction

The National Department of Health (NDoH) is one of the recommended Principal Recipients (PRs) that will implement Global Fund programmes from the 1st April 2022 to 31st March 2025. PRs serve as grants management units while sub-recipients (SRs) will be the main implementers of the programmes. Therefore, NDoH invites interested non-profit organisations (NPOs) and government departments to apply to be considered as SRs who will be implementing the Global Fund TB/HIV Grant activities in 12 prioritised districts that form part of the TB/HIV request for funding (RFF) submitted to the Global Fund to Fight AIDS, TB, and Malaria by the Global Fund Country Coordinating Mechanism (CCM) in August 2021. The NDoH seeks the services of SRs to implement robust strategies for TB prevention, early TB diagnosis, linkage to treatment for TB disease and TB infection as well as retention in treatment and care until completion. In addition, the SRs will strengthen the delivery of TB services at facility and community levels by improving the quality of care and data management.

Interested entities should meet all NDoH and Global Fund grant requirements and have the capacity to implement an agreed comprehensive package of services to be determined by the NDoH. SRs should be able to implement the package of TB services in an efficient, effective, sustainable manner and demonstrate value for money. The NDoH will use specific criteria to appoint SRs that demonstrate the ability and capacity to function as SRs according to NDoH and Global Fund requirements.

It should be noted that applicants are required to submit implementation plans and not costed workplans with budgets as part of this call for proposals.

Applicants who are selected by NDoH for an SR role will undergo a capacity assessment by the NDoH and the Local Fund Agent (LFA) before the final decision to appoint them is made. The selected SRs will also be invited to undertake detailed programming, costing, and budgeting under the guidance of NDoH and Global Fund requirements.

2. Roles and Responsibilities

2.1 Principal Recipient

As a PR, NDoH's role is to manage and coordinate the implementation of the grant, disburse funding, provide support to implementers and report to the Global Fund in-country authorities such as the CCM, provincial AIDS Councils and National Treasury. The PR ensures prudent management of grant funds in accordance with the obligations under the Global Fund Grant Regulations and that the SRs fulfil all fiduciary responsibilities as agreed upon with the Global Fund.

The PR shall appoint the required number of SRs to implement a full comprehensive package of services, based on the set objectives and criteria that demonstrate the capacity and experience

to implement large programmes. The PR has the responsibility to select the most capable SRs in an open and transparent process and the selection must be in line with relevant NDoH and Global Fund policies, and other relevant Guidelines.

2.2 Sub-Recipients

SRs have a contractual relationship with the PR and are direct implementers of programmes financed by the Global Fund. Selected SRs are expected to contribute to the delivery of the program and subsequently to the good performance of the grant. The responsibilities of SRs include the following:

- Sign Service Level Agreements with the PR.
- Appoint and contract service providers, where necessary, under the guidance of and approval by the PR.
- Develop work plans and budgets that will be approved by the PR.
- Collaborate with relevant district management teams, other stakeholders, and structures such as government departments, provincial, district and local AIDS Councils so that implementation is coordinated and contributes to broader local implementation plans.
- Propose changes to the PR on the work plans and budgets when necessary.
- Participate in performance review meetings to improve programme performance and impact.
- Report on programme progress and challenges to the PR and district management teams through regular reports.
- Identify key implementation issues and bottlenecks and escalate to the PR.
- Provide additional grant-related information to the PR when requested.
- Implement any other grant-related intervention as requested by the PR.

3. Organisational Requirements

The minimum requirements to serve as an SR include:

3.1 Governance and Programme Management

- Organisational management and implementation structure.
- Governance structure, management practices and processes.
- Technical expertise including grant management experience.
- Infrastructure and management information system.
- Internal controls and risk management systems.
- Management, capacity building and oversight of service providers and satellite offices.

3.2 Financial Management

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- Financial organizational structure and functions.
- Financial Management Policies and Procedures.
- Budget management processes.
- Accounting and record-keeping.
- Payments and invoicing.
- Cash flow management.
- Asset management.
- Audits mechanisms.

3.3 Monitoring, Reporting and Evaluation

- Organisational structure and M&E functions.
- Human capacity for monitoring and evaluation unit.
- Coordination and management of M&E systems.
- Programme monitoring and evaluation.
- Database and information management system.
- Data dissemination and use.

3.4 Human Resource Management

- Organisational human resource structure and functions.
- Human resource policies and procedures.
- Payroll management.
- Performance and development management systems.

3.5 Supply Chain Management

- Supply Chain Management structure and functions.
- Supply Chain Management policies and procedures.

3.6 Organisational Culture on Communication and Advocacy

 Existence of information products (i.e., reports, website content, emails, newsletters, geo-spatial maps, tables, charts, etc).

These organisational requirements will be assessed during the evaluation and capacity assessment processes.

4. Geographic Location

The SRs will be expected to provide a full comprehensive TB/HIV package of services in 12 priority districts namely – Amathole, Buffalo City, City of Cape Town, Johannesburg Health District (City of Johannesburg), Dr Kenneth Kaunda, Ehlanzeni, Ekurhuleni Health District, eThekwini, Francis Baard, King Cetshwayo, OR Tambo, and Ugu.

5. Grant Implementation Approach

The National Department of Health has adopted the 90-90-90 strategy to fight against TB and to contribute to the Sustainable Development Goal (SDG) to end TB by 2030. The implementation approach will focus on implementing targeted strategies for finding and treating TB in adults and children through risk profiling, strengthening systems for linkage and retention in care, strengthening prevention strategies, improving the quality of TB services and data management at facility and community levels. In addition, the following overarching interventions are critical to the attainment of these targets:

- 1) Capacity building for staff at facility, sub-district and district levels.
- 2) Use of quality improvement methodology to close the gaps along the TB care cascade.
- 3) Providing technical support and mentoring to health facility staff.
- 4) Strengthening community outreach services including the decentralised model of care (DMoC).
- 5) Use of mHealth technologies to support screening, linkage, and retention in care strategies.
- 6) Social mobilisation, awareness, and stigma mitigation.

The SRs will work closely with and be accountable to the District Health Management Teams (DHMT) and the PR. The SR implementation plans must support the district TB service recovery or catch-up plans to ensure the attainment of the set targets. The implementation models may differ based on the district health systems and community dynamics; this should therefore be guided by the DHMT. The district remains central to the implementation and will provide guidance and support to ensure sustainability. The SR is expected to work with the district management teams and facilities to ensure monthly and quarterly reporting to the PR.

6. Scope of work for the Comprehensive Package of Services in Twelve Priority Districts

Below is the scope of work for the comprehensive package of services applicable to the twelve priority districts and it is divided into three programmatic modules. The program will be implemented at district, sub-district, hospital, CHC, clinic and community levels within each district.

Table 1: Modules, interventions and key activities

Module	Intervention	Key Activities
1. TB Care and Prevention	1.1 Case detection and diagnosis	 Strengthen TB symptoms and chest x-ray screening in facilities and comunnities. Support integration of screening activities with other programmes. Support scale-up of targeted universal testing using Xpert for high-risk population. Support the scale-up of the use of urine LF-LAM assay for PLHIV. Conduct social mobilization activities to create demand for
	1.2 Treatment	 services and mitigate stigma. Support scale-up of patient-centred differentiated models of care for people on treatment for TB disease and TB infection. Support the implementation of mHealth platforms to address initial loss to follow-up and improve treatment adherence. Support strategies for linking people on treatment for TB disease to social support and mental health services. Partner with other health care providers including the private
	1.3 Engaging all care providers	 Partner with other health care providers including the private sector in the provision of TB prevention, detection, and treatment services.
2. TB /HIV	2.1 Prevention	 Support the roll-out of TPT including 3HP. Strengthen implementation of Infection Prevention and Control (IPC) measures in Health care facilities.
	2.2 Community TB/HIV delivery	 Conduct community awareness campaigns to address barriers to TPT uptake. Strengthen community TB/ HIV outreach services.
Module	Intervention	Key Activities

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3. MDR-TB	3.1 Prevention	 Support the scale-up of TPT for DR-TB contacts. 			
	3.2 Case detection and diagnosis	Support DR-TB case finding amongst children.			
	3.3 Treatment	 Support expansion of DR-TB treatment initiation sites to underserved areas/ sub districts. 			
		 Support training on the clinical management of DR-TB. 			
		 Support scale up of the Pharmacovigilance system for DR-TB and DS-TB. 			
		 Provide technical support on MDR-TB management, strengthening linkage to treatment and adherence support programme. 			
		 Support the implementation of mHealth adherence solutions for DR-TB patients. 			
4. RSSH	4.1 Health Management and M&E	 Capacity building for health information/ M&E staff. 			
		 Provide technical support and improve data quality at facility, sub district and district levels. 			
		 Strengthen capturing and data management at facility level. 			
		 Strengthen the quality of TB services at facility level through implementation of Quality Improvement. 			
	4.2 Pharmaceutical Service Support	 Monitor medicine availability in health facilities. 			
		 Support the differentiated models of care. 			
		 Support implementation of the Pharmacovigilance system and reporting 			

7. Key Positions for Implementation of the Comprehensive Package of Services in the Twelve Priority Districts

The key positions needed to support programme implementation in the 12 priority districts are listed in Table 2 below and MUST be included in the proposal.

Table 2: Key positions in the 12 districts

District	Sub District	Hospital	CHCs/ Clinics/ Decentralized sites	Community-level	DCXR-Containers/ Vans
 Assistant Programme Managers Medical Officers QI Advisors NIMDR-TB Nurses M & E Officers Pharmacists Social Workers 	 Social Auxiliary Workers QI Coaches 	 TB focal Nurses (professional nurses) Data Capturers 	 Data Capture/s Enrolled Nurses Enrolled Nurse Assistants 	 TB Support Officers (TSOs) 	 Radiographers Drivers Enrolled Nurses Data Capturers

8. Pre-Qualification Criteria

Pre-qualification bid wherein only bidders with B-BBEE status level of contributor level two or better will be considered. This includes Exempted Micro Enterprise (EME) and Qualifying Small Business Enterprise (QSE) bidders. A Consortium/ joint venture will be considered for the pre-qualification B-BBEE level 2 or better provided that the Consortium/ joint venture submits a consolidated B-BBEE certificate.

9. Mandatory Requirements

The following mandatory administrative and technical requirements will have to be met otherwise an application will be rejected and not subjected to further evaluation:

9.1 Mandatory Administrative Requirements

- Compliance with all (SARS) TAX clearance requirements, attached TAX compliance status PIN, central supplier database number, where consortium/ joint ventures/ sub-contractor are involved each party to the association must submit separate TAX clearance requirement.
- Resolution authorisation of a particular person to sign the bid document. The letter should be on the letterhead of the company where applicable and signed by the Chairperson of the Board.
- Latest Annual Financial Statement with the audit report signed by the Board chairperson (not older than a year).

9.2 Mandatory Technical Requirements

The following mandatory technical documents should be submitted by bidders otherwise an application will be rejected and not subjected to further evaluation:

- Proof of legal entity (NPC, Trust, NPO, Close Corporation, Pty (Ltd) etc.).
- NPO registration status and confirmation of compliance with Department of Social Development requirements.
- Profile of the organisation showing its history and some of its work relevant to the advertised project. In the case of a consortium, a consolidated profile of the consortium should be provided.

- List of board members and management, their current job titles and certified copies of IDs. In the case of a consortium, the list of board members should be of the lead organisation.
- Organogram and CVs for all management, technical (TB/ HIV) and administrative positions (Human resources, Finance, Procurement and Supply Chain Management (PSM), M&E and Project Management).

10. Methodology Approach

10.1 Implementation Plan (maximum 10 pages)

- Provide a description of how your organisation will effectively implement the programs under the three modules, namely, i) TB Care and Prevention, ii) MDR/ DR TB, iii) TB/ HIV (aligned to sections 5 and 6 above).
- State the areas of operation where services will be implemented (i.e., provinces and districts).
- Targeted beneficiaries.
- State how operations will be managed in the different areas (e.g., whether there is an office in the province/district or is it managed remotely).
- Describe how your operations will be monitored, reported and evaluated.

10.2 Cost effectiveness and value for money (maximum 2 pages)

- Provide a brief description of how your organisation will ensure cost-effectiveness and value for money for programme modules to be delivered.
- Describe how communities will benefit through your interventions.

10.3 Collaborative relationships (maximum 1 page)

• Indicate the stakeholders you will collaborate with, focusing on reasons for engagement.

11. Evaluation Process and Criteria

The evaluation of submissions will be managed by an NDoH Bid Evaluation Committee (BEC) appointed by the Director-General. The evaluation process will be conducted according to the following stages:

- The first stage of the evaluation process assesses compliance with pre-qualification criteria.
- The second stage of the evaluation process assesses compliance with administrative requirements.
- The third stage of the evaluation process assesses technical competency focusing on the ability to fulfil the technical mandatory requirements.
- The fourth stage of the evaluation process assesses the functionality evaluation (Annexure A and B).

• The fifth stage of the evaluation process assesses the presentation of the proposal (*only shortlisted bidders will be invited for presentation*).

The BEC will make recommendations to the NDoH Bid Adjudication Committee (BAC) for consideration and BAC will make recommendations to the Director-General for appointment of the final list of SRs.

NB: The PR reserves the right to conduct due diligence on information provided prior to and post-appointment.

12. Application Instructions

Bidders are required to:

- Submit two hard copies and an electronic copy (memory stick) of the proposal.
- Ensure completeness of the bid documentation (including the attachment of all necessary supporting documentation) and not exceed the recommended length of sections.
- Attach board resolution authorising submission of application.
- All proposals with all supporting documentation must be deposited into the tender box located in the reception area at Dr AB Xuma Building, 1112 Voortrekker Road, Thaba Tshwane, Pretoria, 0187 before the deadline of 10th of November 2021 by 11H00.

13. Application Timeframe

The timelines for the application process are shown in Table 3.

Table 3. Application timelines

Stage	Date/period
1. Publication date	11 October 2021
2. Virtual Briefing session (not compulsory)	25 October 2021 at 09:00
3. Deadline for submitting applications	10 November 2021 (on or before 11:00)

14. Contact Details

Please direct your requests for information and questions/queries to:

Contact email: <u>tenders@health.gov.za</u>

Please note that questions and requests for information must be submitted on or before the 29th of October 2021, between 08:00 and 16:00.

Annexure A: Evaluation criteria

Criteria	Weight	Sub-Criteria	Measure	Sub- Weight
			Governance structure.	3
			Program management structure.	5
		Capacity to functions as an SR and meet GF	Financial management systems including financial resource capacity to support grant implementation.	3
		grant requirements under NDoH (20)	Procurement and supply chain management processes including Capacity and systems for management and oversight of relevant service providers.	3
			Monitoring, evaluation and reporting systems.	3
			Organisational culture on communication.	3
			Implementation Plan (maximum 10 pages)	20
		Methodology Approach (30)	Cost effectiveness and Value for money (maximum 2 pages)	5
			Collaborative relationships (maximum 1 page)	5
Technical Competency (Minimum score of 42 points on technical points required to progress to presentation stage)70	70	Experience of entity in implementing similar or related project (10)	 Bidders are required to demonstrate experience and competency in implementing similar or related projects. Bidders to submit full details of at least three reliable contactable signed references for, projects of a similar/ related scope which were successfully implemented and completed in previous years. 3 or more concluded projects = 5 2 concluded and 1 ongoing project = 4 2 concluded and 1 ongoing project = 2 1 concluded and 1 ongoing project = 2 1 concluded project = 1 0 projects = 0 	10
	Qualifications and experience in similar/ related field for proposed key personnel for this project (10)	 Project Manager (Demonstrate the ability and experience in executing required services, attach CV and certified copies of certificates which must include clearly reflected experience and number of years). NQF level 7 or higher qualification with the below number of years experience in a similar/ related field. 10 and more years = 5 7-9 years = 4 4-6 years = 3 2-3 years = 2 1 year = 1 	2	

Criteria	Weight	Sub-Criteria	Measure	Sub- Weight
		0 years = 0 Finance Manager (Demonstrate the ability and experience in executing required services, attach CV and certified copies of certificates which must include clearly reflected experience and number of years). NQF level 7 or higher qualification with the below number of years' experience in similar/related field. 10 and more years = 5 7-9 years = 4 4-6 years = 3 2-3 years = 2 1 year = 1 0 years = 0		2
			0 years = 0 M&E Manager (Demonstrate the ability and experience in executing required services, attach CV and certified copies of certificates which must include clearly reflected experience and number of years). NQF level 7 or higher qualification with the below number of years' experience in similar/ related field. 10 and more years = 5 7-9 years = 4 4-6 years = 3 2-3 years = 2 1 year = 1 0 years = 0	2
			O years = 0 Procurement and Supply Chain Manager (Demonstrate the ability and experience in executing required services, attach CV and certified copies of certificates which must include clearly reflected experience and number of years). NQF level 7 or higher qualification with the below number of years' experience in similar/ related field. 10 and more years = 5 7-9 years = 4 4-6 years = 3 2-3 years = 2 1 year = 1 0 years = 0	2

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Criteria	Weight	Sub-Criteria	Measure	Sub- Weight
			 TB/ HIV Specialist (Demonstrate the ability and experience in executing required services, attach CV and certified copies of certificates which must include clearly reflected experience and number of years). NQF level 9 or higher qualification with the below number of years' experience in similar/ related field. 10 and more years = 5 7-9 years = 4 4-6 years = 3 2-3 years = 2 1 year = 1 0 years = 0 	2
Technical Con	npetency S	ubtotal		70
			r investing in the organisation as an SR is clear, vidence based.	15
Presentation	30		n submitted application and oral presentation	10
		Ability to respond additional informa	fully to questions raised by the BEC and provide tion if requested.	5
Presentation S	Subtotal	L		30
Minimum Fund	ctionality			60
Grand Total				100

NB: Bidders should take note that the minimum functionality threshold is 60%. Bidders should score a minimum of 60% (42 points) on technical competencies based on the submitted proposal to progress to the presentation stage.

Annexure B:	The scoring	criteria for	evaluation	of functionality
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Score	Classification	fication Definition						
0	No response (complete non- compliance)	No response at all or insufficient information provided in the response such that the solution is totally not assessable and/or incomprehensible.						
1	Unsatisfactory response (potential for some compliance but very major areas of weakness)	Substantially unacceptable submission which fails in several significant areas to set out a solution that addresses and meets the requirements: little or no detail may (and, where evidence is required or necessary, no evidence) have been provided to support and demonstrate that the Service Provider will be able to provide the services and/or considerable reservations as to the Service Provider's proposals in respect of relevant ability, understanding, expertise, skills and/or resources to deliver the requirements. Would represent a very high-risk solution for the Department.						
2	Partially acceptable response (one or more areas of major weakness)	Weak submission which does not set out a solution that fully addresses and meets the requirements: response may be basic/ minimal with little or no detail (and, where evidence is required or necessary, with insufficient evidence) provided to support the solution and demonstrate that the Service Provider will be able to provide the services and/or some reservations as to the Service Provider's solution in respect of relevant ability, understanding, expertise, skills and/or resources to deliver the requirements. May represent a high- risk solution for the Department.						
3	Satisfactory and acceptable response (substantial compliance with no major concerns)	Submission sets out a solution that largely addresses and meets the requirements, with some detail (or, where evidence is required or necessary, some relevant evidence) provided to support the solution; minor reservations or weakness in a few areas of the solution in respect of relevant ability, understanding, expertise, skills and/or resources to deliver the requirements. Medium, acceptable risk solution to the Department.						
4	Fully satisfactory /very good response (fully compliant with requirements).	Submission sets out a robust solution that fully addresses and meets the requirements, with full details (and, where evidence is required or necessary, full, and relevant evidence) provided to support the solution; provides full confidence as to the relevant ability, understanding, expertise, skills and/or resources to deliver the requirements. Low/no-risk solution for the Department.						
5	Outstanding response (fully compliant, with	Submission sets out a robust solution and, in addition, provides or proposes additional value and/or elements of the						

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Score	Classification	Definition
	some areas exceeding requirements)	solution which exceed the requirements in substance and outcomes in a manner acceptable to the Department; provides full confidence as to the relevant ability, understanding, expertise, skills and/or resources not only to deliver the requirements but also exceed it as described. Low/no-risk solution for the Department.

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I/we understand that the credit transfers hereby authorised will be processed by computer through a system known as "ACB - Electronic Fund Transfer Service", and I/we understand that not additional advice of payment will be provided by my/our bank, but that the details of each payment will be printed on my/our bank statement or any accompanying voucher. (This does not apply where it is not customary for banks to furnish bank statements).

I/we understand that the Department will supply a payment advice in the normal way, and that it will indicate the date on which the funds will be made available on my/our account.

This authority may be cancelled by me/us by giving thirty days notice by prepaid registered post. Please ensure information is validate as per required bank screens.

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