

TENDER NO: 8/3/3-2025 (MN37-2025)

APPOINTMENT OF A SERVICE PROVIDER FOR FINANCIAL AND ACCOUNTING SERVICES FOR BERGRIVIER MUNICIPALITY FROM DATE OF APPOINTMENT UNTIL 30 JUNE 2028

PROCUREMENT DOCUMENT

| NAME OF TENDERER: | | | |
|---|-------|-------|--------|
| Total Bid Price (Inclusive of VAT) | | | |
| B-BBEE LEVEL | | | |
| MUNICIPAL AREA: | | | |
| PLEASE REFER TO PAGE 64 AND TICK AS APPROPRIATE: SMME | MICRO | SMALL | MEDIUM |

FEBRUARY 2025

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TENDERS are hereby invited from service providers for financial and accounting services for Bergrivier Municipality from date of appointment until 30 June 2028, as set out in the specifications.

Bids, in sealed envelopes, clearly marked <u>"Tender No 8/3/3-2025 / MN37-2025: Appointment of a service provider for financial and accounting services for Bergrivier Municipality from date of appointment until 30 June 2028"</u>, must be placed in the tender box at the Municipal Offices, 13 Kerk Street, Piketberg no later than <u>12:00 on Wednesday, 02 April 2025</u>, when the bids will be opened in public. Bids addressed to any municipal official in his/her personal capacity will not be considered and will immediately be disqualified. It is the bidder's responsibility to make sure that bids are being placed in the tender box by courier companies. The Municipality will not be held accountable for any bids not being placed in the tender box by courier companies.

Tender documents and specifications that contain the minimum requirements are available on Bergrivier Municipality's website (<u>www.bergmun.org.za</u>) free of charge, or a hard copy on request at a <u>non-refundable fee of R500.00</u> from Mr. Coellin Julius at tel. no. (022) 913 6000 or email: <u>juliusc@bergmun.org.za</u> during office hours. All technical enquiries can be addressed to Ms. Nelmarie Bothma at tel. no. (022) 913 6000 or e-mail: <u>bothman@bergmun.org.za</u>.

Tenders must be valid and binding for one hundred and twenty (120) days after closing date.

Bids will be evaluated using the Council's Supply Chain Management Policy. It is therefore compulsory that the Preference Point Claim form for the Preferential Procurement Regulations is completed in full to make application for preference points of 80 points for price, 10 points for specific participation goals and 10 points for BBBEE. The Bid price must be VAT inclusive.

Bidders must be registered as a prospective supplier on National Treasury's Central Supplier Database (CSD). The Tax Clearance Certificate/ Tax Compliance Status (TCS) Pin/ Centralised Suppliers Database (CSD) Registration Number must be submitted together with the bid. Failure to submit a Tax Clearance Certificate/TCS Pin/CSD registration number may result in the invalidation of the bid.

Only bids completed in **black** ink on the original Bid documentation will be accepted. Late, incomplete or Bids submitted by facsimile or email will not be accepted. Proof of submitting a Bid will not be accepted as proof of the Bid having been received. The Municipality is not obliged to accept the lowest or any Bid submitted to it. The Municipality reserves the right to accept any Bid in full or in part. If prices offered are cost effective Council reserves the right to procure more items to take financial advantage thereof.

MUNICIPAL OFFICES 13 CHURCH STREET PIKETBERG 7320 ADV. HANLIE LINDE MUNICIPAL MANAGER

MN37-2025

28 February 2025



TENDER 8/3/3-2025 / MK37-2025: AANSTELLING VAN 'N DIENVERSKAFFER VIR FINANSIËLE EN REKENINGKUNDIGE DIENSTE VIR BERGRIVIER MUNISIPALITEIT VANAF DIE AANSTELLINGSDATUM TOT EN MET 30 JUNIE 2028

TENDERS word hiermee aangevra vanaf diensverskaffers vir finansiële en rekeningkundige dienste vir Bergrivier Munisipaliteit vanaf die aanstellingsdatum tot en met 30 Junie 2028, soos uiteengesit in die spesifikasies.

Tenders, in verseëlde koeverte en duidelik buite-op gemerk <u>"Tender 8/3/3-2025 / MK37-2025:</u> <u>Aanstelling van 'n dienverskaffer vir finansiële en rekeningkundige dienste vir Bergrivier</u> <u>Munisipaliteit vanaf die aanstellingsdatum tot en met 30 Junie 2028"</u>, moet in die tenderbus by die Munisipale Kantore, Kerkstraat 13, Piketberg geplaas word teen nie later as 12:00 op <u>Woensdag, 02 April 2025</u>, waarna tenders in die openbaar oopgemaak sal word. 'n Bod dokument wat aan enige munisipale amptenaar in sy/haar persoonlike hoedanigheid gerig word, sal nie oorweeg word nie en sal onmiddellik gediskwalifiseer word. Dit is die diensverskaffer se verantwoordelikheid om seker te maak dat 'n Bod dokument deur die koerier maatskappye in die tenderbus geplaas word. Die Munisipaliteit sal nie aanspreeklik gehou word vir enige Bod dokument wat nie deur die koerier maatskappye in die tenderbus geplaas word nie.</u>

Tender dokumente en spesifikasies is verkrygbaar op Bergrivier Munisipaliteit se webtuiste (<u>www.bergmun.org.za</u>) teen geen tenderfooi, of 'n harde kopie verkrygbaar teen 'n <u>nie-terugbetaalbare tenderfooi van R500.00</u> by Mr. Coellin Julius by tel. no. (022) 913 6000 of e-pos: <u>juliusc@bergmun.org.za</u>, gedurende kantoorure. Alle tegniese navrae moet gerig word aan Me. Nelmarie Bothma by tel. no. (022) 913 6000 of e-pos: <u>bothman@bergmun.co.za</u>.

Tenders moet geldig en bindend wees vir een honderd en twintig (120) dae na sluitingsdatum.

Tenders sal geëvalueer word ingevolge die Raad se Voorsieningskanaalbestuursbeleid, 80/20punte stelsel. Dit is dus verpligtend om die Voorkeurverkrygingsvorm te voltooi om te kwalifiseer vir enige voorkeurpunte van 80 punte vir prys, 10 punte vir spesifieke deelname doelwitte en 10 punte vir BBBEE. <u>Pryse moet BTW insluit.</u>

Verskaffers moet geregistreer wees as 'n voornemende verskaffer op Nasionale Tesourie se Sentrale Databasis (SDB). Die Belastinguitklaringsertifikaat / Belasting ooreenstemmende status Pin / Sentrale verskaffersdatabasis (SDB) nommer (MAAA....), moet saam met die tenderdokument ingedien word. Nie-nakoming hiervan sal die uitslag van die tender ongeldig verklaar.

Slegs tenders wat in <u>swart</u> ink voltooi is op die oorspronklike dokumentasie sal aanvaar word. Laat, onvolledige of tenders ontvang per faks of e-pos, sal nie aanvaar word nie. Bewys van versending van 'n tender sal nie as bewys van ontvangs van 'n tender gesien word nie. Die Raad is nie verplig om die laagste of enige tender te aanvaar nie. Die Raad behou die reg voor om enige tender of gedeelte daarvan te aanvaar. Indien goeie pryse vir items ontvang word kan Raad die hoeveelhede aanpas om voordeel daaruit te trek.

MUNISIPALE KANTORE KERKSTRAAT 13 PIKETBERG 7320 ADV. HANLIE LINDE MUNISIPALE BESTUURDER

MK37-2025

28 Februarie 2025



| TENDER DETAILS | | | | | | | | |
|--|---|--|----------|---------------|-----------|-------------|-----------------------|---------------|
| TENDER NUMBER: | TENDER 8/3/3-2025 MN37-2025 | | | | | | | |
| TENDER TITLE: | APPOINTMENT OF A SERVICE PROVIDER FOR FINANCIAL AND ACCOUNTING SERVICES FOR BERGRIVIER MUNICIPALITY FROM DATE OF APPOINTMENT UNTIL 30 JUNE 2028 | | | | | | | |
| CLOSING DATE: | 02 | APRIL 2025 | CLOS | SING TIME: | | | 12h00 | |
| SITE MEETING: | DATE: | N/A | TIME | 2 | I | N/A | COMPULSORY: | N/A |
| SITE MEETING ADDRESS: | N/A | 1 | | | | | | |
| NB: Please note that no latecon | ners will be | e allowed. | | | | | | |
| For all compulsory briefing sess meeting or arrived later than pre- | | | | | ed fror | n intereste | ed bidders that did n | ot attend the |
| CIDB GRADING REQUIRED: | NO | LEVEL AND CATE | GORY: | N/A | | | | |
| BID BOX: | | D AT: BERGRIVIER N ox is generally open 2 | | - | | Street, BEF | RGRIVIER. | |
| OFFER TO BE VALID FOR: | 120 DAYS | DAYS FROM THE | CLOSING | G DATE OF BI | D. | | | |
| TENDERER DETAILS (Please in | dicate post | al address for all co | rrespond | lence relevan | t to this | s specific | tender) | |
| NAME OF TENDERER: | | | | | | | | |
| NAME OF CONTACT PERSON: | | | | CELL PHO | NE NO | : | | |
| PHYSICAL ADDRESS: | POSTAL ADDRESS: | | | | | | | |
| TELEPHONE #: | | | | FAX NO. | | | | |
| E-MAIL ADDRESS: | | | | | | | | |
| DATE: | | | | | | | | |
| SIGNATURE OF TENDERER: | | | | | | | | |
| CAPACITY UNDER WHICH THIS | BID IS SIG | NED: | | | | | | |
| PLEASE NOTE: 1. Tenders that are deposited in the incorrect box will not be considered. 2. Mailed, telegraphic or faxed tenders will not be accepted. 3. If the bid is late, it will not be accepted for consideration. 4. Bids may only be submitted on the Bid Documentation provided by the Municipality. 5. All figures & signatures must be completed in an original format | | | | | | | | |
| ENQUIRIES MAY BE DIRECTED | AY BE DIRECTED CONTACT TEL NUMBER | | | | | | | |
| 1. TECHNICAL ENQUIRIES | Ms. | PERSON Nelmarie Both | ma | 022 913 6 | 000 | bo | thman@bergm | |
| 2. ENQUIRIES REGARDING BID PROCEDURES & COMPLETION OF BID DOCUMENTS | | r. Coellin Juliu | | | | | | |



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PART A – ADMINISTRATIVE REQUIREMENTS IN TERMS OF THE SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT POLICY



1. CHECKLIST

PLEASE ENSURE THAT THE FOLLOWING FORMS HAVE BEEN DULY COMPLETED AND SIGNED AND THAT ALL DOCUMENTS AS REQUESTED, ARE ATTACHED TO THE TENDER DOCUMENT:

| Authority to Sign a Bid - Is the form duly completed and is a certified copy of the resolution attached? | Yes | No | |
|---|-----|----|--|
| Tax Clearance Certificate -VALID Tax Clearance Certificate attached/ Tax compliance pin? | Yes | No | |
| MBD 4 (Declaration of Interest) - Is the form duly completed and signed? | Yes | No | |
| MBD 6.1 (Preference Points claim form for purchases/services) - Is the form duly completed and signed? Is a CERTIFIED copy of the B-BBEE Certificate or the original B-BBEE Certificate attached? | Yes | No | |
| MBD 8 (Declaration of Past Supply Chain Practices) - Is the form duly completed and signed? | Yes | No | |
| MBD 9 (Certificate of Independent Bid Determination) - Is the form duly completed and signed? | Yes | No | |
| MBD 10 (Certificate of Payment of Municipal Accounts) - Is the form duly completed and signed? Are the Identity numbers , residential addresses and municipal account numbers of ALL members, partners, directors, etc. provided on the form as requested? Are copies of these municipal accounts attached? | Yes | No | |
| OHSA (Occupational Health and Safety) - Is the form duly completed and signed? Is a valid Letter of Good Standing from the Compensation Commissioner attached? | Yes | No | |
| Form of Indemnity - Is the form duly completed and signed? | Yes | No | |
| Pricing Schedule - Is the form duly completed and signed? | Yes | No | |
| Form of Offer- Is the form duly completed and signed? | Yes | No | |
| Declaration by Tenderer - Is the form duly completed and signed? | Yes | No | |

By submitting an offer as well as participating in SCM processes I hereby warrant that I provide my information voluntarily, for the purposes of participating in this procurement process, and that I understand that this information will be processed, stored and even shared with third parties, if and when required, including for adjudication, verification and auditing purposes, and hereby, with my signature provide my consent to that effect.

| SIGNATURE | NAME (PRINT) | |
|--------------|--------------|--|
| CAPACITY | DATE | |
| NAME OF FIRM | | |

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2. AUTHORITY TO SIGN A BID

1. SOLE PROPRIETOR (SINGLE OWNER BUSINESS) AND NATURAL PERSON

| 1.1. l, | _, the undersigned, hereby confirm that I am the |
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| | |

submitting this tender in my capacity as natural person.

| SIGNATURE: | DATE: | |
|-------------|------------|--|
| PRINT NAME: | | |
| WITNESS 1: | WITNESS 2: | |

2. COMPANIES AND CLOSE CORPORATIONS

- 2.1. If a Bidder is a COMPANY, a certified copy of the resolution by the board of directors, duly signed, authorising the person who signs this bid to do so, as well as to sign any contract resulting from this bid and any other documents and correspondence in connection with this bid and/or contract on behalf of the company **must be submitted with this bid**, that is, before the closing time and date of the bid
- 2.2. In the case of a CLOSE CORPORATION (CC) submitting a bid, a resolution by its members, authorizing a member or other official of the corporation to sign the documents on their behalf, shall be included with the bid.

PARTICULARS OF RESOLUTION BY BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE COMPANY/MEMBERS OF THE CC

| Date | Date Resolution was taken | | | | | | | |
|---|--------------------------------------|------------------------------|-----|-------|-------|--|----|--|
| Reso | olution signed by (name | e and surname) | | | | | | |
| Сара | acity | | | | | | | |
| Nam | e and surname of deleg | gated Authorized Signatory | | | | | | |
| Сара | acity | | | | | | | |
| Spec | cimen Signature | | | | | | | |
| Full | name and surname of A | ALL Director(s) / Member (s) | | | | | | |
| 1. | | | 2. | | | | | |
| 3. | | | 4. | | | | | |
| 5. | | | 6. | | | | | |
| 7. | | | 8. | | | | | |
| 9. | | | 10. | | | | | |
| Is a CERTIFIED COPY of the resolution attached? | | | | | YES | | NO | |
| | SIGNED ON BEHALF OF COMPANY / CC: | | | DATE: | | | | |
| PRINT NAME: | | | | | | | | |
| WITH | NESS 1: | | | WITNE | SS 2: | | | |

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3. PARTNERSHIP

We, the undersigned partners in the business trading as ______hereby authorize Mr/Ms ______to sign this bid as well as any contract resulting from the bid and any other documents and correspondence in connection with this bid and /or contract for and on behalf of the abovementioned partnership.

The following particulars in respect of every partner must be furnished and signed by every partner:

| Full name of partner | | | Signature |
|-------------------------------------|--|------------|-----------|
| | | | |
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| | | | |
| | | | |
| | | | |
| SIGNED ON BEHALF OF PARTNERSHIP: | | DATE: | |
| PRINT NAME: | | | |
| WITNESS 1: | | WITNESS 2: | |

4. CONSORTIUM

We, the undersigned consortium partners, hereby authorize_____

_____ (Name of entity) to act as lead consortium partner and further authorize Mr./Ms.

To sign this offer as well as any contract resulting from this

tender and any other documents and correspondence in connection with this tender and / or contract for and on behalf of the consortium.

The following particulars in respect of each consortium member must be provided and signed by each member:

| Full Name of Consortium Member | Role of Consortium Member | % Participation | Signature |
|-------------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------|-----------|
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| | | | |
| SIGNED ON BEHALF OF PARTNERSHIP: | | DATE: | |
| PRINT NAME: | | | |
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3. CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY FOR JOINT VENTURES

This returnable schedule is to be completed by JOINT VENTURES

We, the undersigned, are submitting this tender offer in joint venture and hereby authorize Mr./Ms.

authorized signatory of the Company/Close Corporation/Partnership (name) ____

, acting in the capacity of lead partner, to

sign all documents in connection with the tender offer and any contract resulting from it on our behalf.

| (i) Name of firm (Le | partner) |
|----------------------|-------------|
| Address | |
| | Tel. No. |
| Signature | Designation |

| (ii) Name of firm | | | |
|-------------------|--|-------------|--|
| Address | | | |
| Auuress | | Tel. No. | |
| Signature | | Designation | |

| (iii)Name of firm | | | |
|-------------------|--|-------------|--|
| Address: | | | |
| | | Tel. No. | |
| Signature | | Designation | |

| (iv) Name of firm | | | |
|-------------------|--|-------------|--|
| Address | | | |
| Address | | Tel. No. | |
| Signature | | Designation | |

NOTE: A copy of the Joint Venture Agreement showing clearly the percentage contribution of each partner to the Joint Venture, shall be appended to this Schedule.

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4. GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT – GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT

1. **DEFINITIONS**

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 anything 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.
- 1.13. 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.
- 1.14. "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.
- 1.15. "GCC" means the General Conditions of Contract.
- 1.16. "Goods" means all of the equipment, machinery, and/or other materials that the supplier is required to supply to the purchaser under the contract.
- 1.17. "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.
- 1.18. "Local content" means that portion of the bidding price which is not included in the imported content provided that local manufacture does take place.

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- 1.19. "Manufacture" means the production of products in a factory using labor materials, components and machinery and includes other related value-adding activities.
- 1.20. "Order" means an official written order issued for the supply of goods or works or the rendering of a service.
- 1.21. "Project site" where applicable, means the place indicated in bidding documents.
- 1.22. "Purchaser" means the organization purchasing the goods.
- 1.23. "Republic" means the Republic of South Africa.
- 1.24. "SCC" means the Special Conditions of Contract.
- 1.25. "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.
- 1.26. "Supplier" means the successful bidder who is awarded the contract to maintain and administer the required and specified service(s) to the State.
- 1.27. "Tort" means in breach of contract.
- 1.28. "Turnkey" means a procurement process where one service provider assumes total responsibility for all aspects of the project and delivers the full end product / service required by the contract.
- 1.29. "Written" or "in writing" means handwritten in ink or any form of electronic or mechanical writing.

2. Application

- 2.1. These general conditions are applicable to all bids, contracts and orders including bids for functional and professional services, 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. Invitations to bid are usually published in locally distributed news media and on the municipality / municipal entity website.

4. Standards

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

5. Use of contract documents and information; inspection.

- 5.1. The supplier shall not, without the purchaser's prior written consent, disclose the contract, or any provision thereof, or any specification, plan, drawing, pattern, sample, or information furnished by or on behalf of the purchaser in connection therewith, to any person other than a person employed by the supplier in the performance of the contract. Disclosure to any such employed person shall be made in confidence and shall extend only as far as may be necessary for purposes of such performance.
- 5.2. The supplier shall not, without the purchaser's prior written consent, make use of any document or information mentioned in GCC clause 5.1 except for purposes of performing the contract.
- 5.3. Any document, other than the contract itself mentioned in GCC clause 5.1 shall remain the property of the purchaser and shall be returned (all copies) to the purchaser on completion of the supplier's performance under the contract if so required by the purchaser.

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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.
- 6.2. When a supplier developed documentation / projects for the municipality / municipal entity, the intellectual, copy and patent rights or ownership of such documents or projects will vest in the municipality / municipal entity.

7. Performance security

- 7.1. Within thirty (30) days of receipt of the notification of contract award, the successful bidder shall furnish to the purchaser the performance security of the amount specified in SCC.
- 7.2. The proceeds of the performance security shall be payable to the purchaser as compensation for any loss resulting from the supplier's failure to complete his obligations under the contract.
- 7.3. The performance security shall be denominated in the currency of the contract or in a freely convertible currency acceptable to the purchaser and shall be in one of the following forms:
 - 7.3.1. 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
 - 7.3.2. a cashier's or certified cheque.
- 7.4. The performance security will be discharged by the purchaser and returned to the supplier not later than thirty (30) days following the date of completion of the supplier's performance obligations under the contract, including any warranty obligations, unless otherwise specified.

8. Inspections, tests and analyses

- 8.1. All pre-bidding testing will be for the account of the bidder.
- 8.2. If it is a bid condition that supplies to be produced or services to be rendered should at any stage during production or execution or on completion be subject to inspections tests and analysis, the bidder or contractor's premises shall be open, at all reasonable hours, for inspection by a representative of the purchaser or an organization acting on behalf of the purchaser.
- 8.3. If there are no inspection requirements indicated in the bidding documents and no mention is made in the contract, but during the contract period it is decided that inspections shall be carried out, the purchaser shall itself make the necessary arrangements, including payment arrangements with the testing authority concerned.
- 8.4. If the inspections, tests and analyses referred to in clauses 8.2 and 8.3 show the goods to be in accordance with the contract requirements, the cost of the inspections, tests and analyses shall be defrayed by the purchaser.
- 8.5. Where the goods or services referred to in clauses 8.2 and 8.3 do not comply with the contract requirements, irrespective of whether such goods or services are accepted or not, the cost in connection with these inspections, tests or analyses shall be defrayed by the supplier.
- 8.6. 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.

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- 8.7. Any contract goods 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 goods shall be held at the cost and risk of the supplier who shall, when called upon, remove them immediately at his own cost and forthwith substitute them with goods which do comply with the requirements of the contract. Failing such removal, the rejected goods shall be returned at the suppliers cost and risk. Should the supplier fail to provide the substitute the rejected goods, purchase such goods as may be necessary at the expense of the supplier.
- 8.8. The provisions of clauses 8.4 to 8.7 shall not prejudice the right of the purchaser to cancel the contract on account of a breach of the conditions thereof, or to act in terms of Clause 22 of GCC.

9. Packing

- 9.1. The supplier shall provide such packing of the goods as is required to prevent their damage or deterioration during transit to their final destination, as indicated in the contract. The packing shall be sufficient to withstand, without limitation, rough handling during transit and exposure to extreme temperatures, salt and precipitation during transit, and open storage. Packing, case size and weights shall take into consideration, where appropriate, the remoteness of the goods' final destination and the absence of heavy handling facilities at all points in transit.
- 9.2. The packing, marking, and documentation within and outside the packages shall comply strictly with such special requirements as shall be expressly provided for in the contract, including additional requirements, and in any subsequent instructions ordered by the purchaser.

10. Delivery

Delivery of the goods shall be made by the supplier in accordance with the documents and terms specified in the contract. The details of shipping and/or other documents to be furnished by the supplier are specified.

11. Insurance

The goods supplied under the contract shall be fully insured in a freely convertible currency against loss or damage incidental to manufacture or acquisition, transportation, storage and delivery in the manner specified.

12. Transportation

Should a price other than an all-inclusive delivered price be required, this shall be specified.

13. Incidental

- 13.1. The supplier may be required to provide any or all of the following services, including additional services, if any:
 - 13.1.1. performance or supervision of on-site assembly and/or commissioning of the supplied goods;
 - 13.1.2. furnishing of tools required for assembly and/or maintenance of the supplied goods;
 - 13.1.3. furnishing of a detailed operations and maintenance manual for each appropriate unit of the supplied goods;
 - 13.1.4. 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
 - 13.1.5. training of the purchaser's personnel, at the supplier's plant and/or on-site, in assembly, start-up, operation, maintenance, and/or repair of the supplied goods.
- 13.2. Prices charged by the supplier for incidental services, if not included in the contract price for the goods, shall be agreed upon in advance by the parties and shall not exceed the prevailing rates charged to other parties by the supplier for similar services.

14. Spare parts

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

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- 14.1.1. 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;
- 14.1.2. in the event of termination of production of the spare parts:
 - 14.1.2.1. advance notification to the purchaser of the pending termination, in sufficient time to permit the purchaser to procure needed requirements; and
 - 14.1.2.2. 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, the purchaser may proceed to take such remedial action as may be necessary, at the supplier's risk and expense and without prejudice to any other rights which the purchaser may have against the supplier under the contract.

16. Payment

- 16.1. The method and conditions of payment to be made to the supplier under this contract shall be specified.
- 16.2. The supplier shall furnish the purchaser with an invoice accompanied by a copy of the delivery note and upon fulfillment of other obligations stipulated in the contract.
- 16.3. Payments shall be made by the purchaser **no later than thirty (30)** days after submission of an **invoice, statement** or claim by the supplier.
- 16.4. Payment will be made in Rand unless otherwise stipulated.

17. Prices

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

18. Variation orders

In cases where the estimated value of the envisaged changes in purchase does not vary more tha15% of the total value of the original contract, the contractor may be instructed to deliver the goods or render the services as such. In cases of measurable quantities, the contractor may be approached to reduce the unit price and such offers, may be accepted provided that there is no escalation in price.

19. Assignment

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.

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20. Subcontracts

The supplier shall notify the purchaser in writing of all subcontracts awarded under this contract, if not already specified in the bid. Such notification, in the original bid or later, shall not relieve the supplier from any liability or obligation under the contract.

21. Delays in the supplier's performance

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

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

23. Termination for default

- 23.1. The 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:
 - 23.1.1. 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;
 - 23.1.2. if the Supplier fails to perform any other obligation(s) under the contract; or
 - 23.1.3. 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.
- 23.4. If a purchaser intends imposing a restriction on a supplier or any person associated with the supplier, the supplier will be allowed a time period of not more than fourteen (14) days to



provide reasons why the envisaged restriction should not be imposed. Should the supplier fail to respond within the stipulated fourteen (14) days the purchaser may regard the supplier as having no objection and proceed with the restriction.

- 23.5. Any restriction imposed on any person by the purchaser will, at the discretion of the purchaser, also be applicable to any other enterprise or any partner, manager, director or other person who wholly or partly 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 purchase 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:
 - 23.6.1. the name and address of the supplier and / or person restricted by the purchaser;
 - 23.6.2. the date of commencement of the restriction
 - 23.6.3. the period of restriction; and
 - 23.6.4. 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 and countervailing duties and rights

When, after the date of bid, provisional payments are required, or antidumping or countervailing duties are imposed, or the amount of a provisional payment or anti-dumping or countervailing right is increased in respect of any dumped of 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 favorable 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 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

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.

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- 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. Notwithstanding any reference to mediation and/or court proceedings herein,
 - 27.4.1. the parties shall continue to perform their respective obligations under the contract unless they otherwise agree; and
 - 27.4.2. the purchaser shall pay the supplier any monies due for goods delivered and / or services rendered according to the prescripts of the contract.

28. Limitation of liability

- 28.1. Except in cases of criminal negligence or wilful misconduct, and in the case of infringement pursuant to Clause 6;
 - 28.1.1. 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
 - 28.1.2. 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

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

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

31. Notices

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

32. Taxes and duties

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

33. Transfer of contracts

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

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34. Amendment of contracts

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

35. Prohibition of restrictive practices.

- 35.1. 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.
- 35.2. 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 section 59 of the Competition Act No 89 0f 1998.
- 35.3. 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.

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5. GENERAL CONDITIONS OF TENDER

- 1. Sealed tenders, with the **"TENDER NUMBER: 8/3/3-2025 MN37-2025"** clearly endorsed on the envelope, must be deposited in the **TENDER BOX** at the offices of the Bergrivier Municipality, Kerk Street, Piketberg 7320.
- 2. The tender must be lodged by the Tenderer in the tender box in the Main Entrance, Bergrivier Municipal Offices, Kerk Street, Piketberg 7320.

PLEASE NOTE:

- 2.1. Tenders that are deposited in the incorrect box will not be considered.
- 2.2. Mailed, telegraphic or faxed tenders will not be accepted.
- 2.3. Documents may only be completed in non-erasable ink.
- 2.4. The use of correction fluid/tape is not allowed.
 - 2.4.1. In the event of a mistake having been made, it shall be crossed out in ink and be accompanied by an initial at each and every alteration.
 - 2.4.2. Alterations or deletions not signed by the Tenderer may render the tender invalid.
- 2.5. All bids must be submitted in writing on the official forms supplied (not to be re-typed)
- 2.6. All prices shall be quoted in South African currency and be **INCLUSIVE of VAT.**
- 3. Where the value of an intended contract will exceed R1 000 000, 00 (R1 million) it is the bidder's responsibility to be registered with the South African Revenue Service (SARS) for VAT purposes in order to be able to issue tax invoices. The municipality will deem the price above R 1 000 000.00 (R1 million) to be VAT inclusive even if it is indicated that no VAT is charged. Please insure that provision is made for VAT in these instances.
 - 3.1 It is a requirement of this contract that the amount of value-added tax (VAT) must be shown clearly on each invoice.
 - 3.2 The amended Value-Added Tax Act requires that a Tax Invoice for supplies in excess of R3 000 should, in addition to the other required information, also disclose the VAT registration number of the recipient, with effect from 1 March 2005. The VAT registration number of the Bergrivier Municipality is <u>4000 846 172.</u>
- 3 Any Tender received after the appointed time for the closing of Tenders shall not be considered but shall be filed unopened with the other Tenders received or may be returned to the Tenderer at his request.
- 4 Tenders may not be telefaxed to the Municipality and therefore any tenders received by fax will **not** be considered.
- 5 Tenders shall be opened in public at the Bergrivier Municipal Offices as soon as possible after the closing time for the receipt of tenders. Tenderers are encouraged to attend these openings.
- 6 The Municipality shall have the right to summarily disqualify any Tenderer who, either at the date of submission of this tender or at the date of its award, is indebted to the Municipality in respect of any rental, levies, rates and/or service charges; ALTERNATIVELY;
- 6.1 That an agreement be signed whereby the Tenderer agrees that a percentage or fixed amount at the discretion of the Municipality, be deducted from payments due to him for this tender, until the debt is paid in full.
- 6.2 The tenderer shall declare **all** the Municipal account numbers in the Bergrivier Area for which the enterprise or the proprietors or directors in their personal capacity is/ are responsible or co-responsible.

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- 7 This bid will be evaluated and adjudicated according to the following criteria:
 - 7.1 Relevant specifications
 - 7.2 Value for money
 - 7.3Capability to execute the contract
 - 7.4PPPFA & associated regulations

8 Service Level Agreement

The award of the tender is subject to the signing of a Service Level Agreement (SLA) between the successful bidder and Bergrivier Municipality.

9 Centralised Supplier Database

No Bids will be awarded to a bidder who is not registered on the Centralized Supplier Database (CSD).

The CSD supplier number starting with (MAAA) number is automatically generated by the Central Database System after successful registration and validation of a prospective service provider. This number is now a mandatory requirement, as referred to in regulation 14(1) (*b*) of the Municipal Supply Chain Management Regulations, as part of the listing criteria for accrediting a prospective service provider. Prospective suppliers should self – register on the CSD website at <u>www.csd.gov.za</u> Registration on the CSD will be compulsory in order to conduct business with the Bergrivier MUNICIPALITY. Registration on CSD can be done by contacting 022 913 6000 Mrs. Revedy-Levern Hendricks

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6. MBD 2 - TAX CLEARANCE CERTIFICATE REQUIREMENTS

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

- The <u>Tax Clearance Certificate/</u> Tax Compliance Status (<u>TCS) Pin/</u> Centralised Suppliers Database (CSD) Registration Number <u>must be submitted together with the bid</u>. Failure to submit a Tax Clearance Certificate/TCS Pin/CSD registration number may result in the invalidation of the bid.
 - (a) Tax Compliance Status (TCS) Pin as of 18 April 2016
 - i. In terms of the new Tax Compliance Status System implemented by SARS on 18 April 2016, taxpayers are now able to issue the municipality with a TCS Pin which will be used to verify a bidder's tax status online via SARS E-filing. This option will be used to verify the status of the service provider (which should be active or compliant) and will determine if the offer will be further evaluated or omitted, even if the bidder only submitted a TCC as per point 1 above. Service provider's status which is found inactive or non-compliant their offers will be omitted. Bidders who are not in possession of a valid Tax Clearance Certificate must issue the municipality with the following:

| Tax Clearance Certificate printed for SARS E- | filing |
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| Tax Reference Number: | |
| Tax Compliance Status Pin: | |

- 2. In bids where Consortia / Joint Ventures / Sub-contractors are involved, each party must submit a separate Tax Clearance Certificate, Tax Compliance Status Pin or CSD Registration number
- 3. Applications for the Tax Clearance Certificates may also be made via e-Filing. In order to use this provision, taxpayers will need to register with SARS as e-Filers through the website <u>www.sars.gov.za</u>.
- 4. <u>If a bidder is registered on Bergrivier Municipality supplier's database; that contains a tax</u> <u>clearance certificate which is active on closing date of Bid/Formal quotation, it must be indicated</u> <u>as such on this page, whereby the attaching of a new tax clearance certificate to this page will</u> <u>not be required.</u>
- 6. Non-adherence to point 4 above may invalidate your offer.



| | PART B: TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR BIDDING | | | | | | | |
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| 1. | BID SUBMISSION: | | | | | | | |
| 1.1. | BIDS MUST BE DELIVERED BY THE STIPULATED TIME TO THE CORRECT AD WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED FOR CONSIDERATION. | DRESS. LATE BIDS | | | | | | |
| 1.2. | ALL BIDS MUST BE SUBMITTED ON THE OFFICIAL FORMS PROVIDED-(NOT TO BE RE-TYPED) OR ONLINE | | | | | | | |
| 1.3. | THIS BID IS SUBJECT TO THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT POLICY FRAM PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS, 2017, THE GENERAL COND (GCC) AND, IF APPLICABLE, ANY OTHER SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRAC | ITIONS OF CONTRACT | | | | | | |
| 2. | TAX COMPLIANCE REQUIREMENTS | | | | | | | |
| 2.1 | BIDDERS MUST ENSURE COMPLIANCE WITH THEIR TAX OBLIGATIONS. | | | | | | | |
| 2.2 | BIDDERS ARE REQUIRED TO SUBMIT THEIR UNIQUE PERSONAL IDENTIFICA ISSUED BY SARS TO ENABLE THE ORGAN OF STATE TO VIEW THE TAXPAY TAX STATUS. | | | | | | | |
| 2.3 | APPLICATION FOR THE TAX COMPLIANCE STATUS (TCS) CERTIFICATE OR PIN MAY ALSO BE MADE VIA E-FILING. IN ORDER TO USE THIS PROVISION, TAXPAYERS WILL NEED TO REGISTER WITH SARS AS E-FILERS THROUGH THE WEBSITE WWW.SARS.GOV.ZA. | | | | | | | |
| 2.4 | FOREIGN SUPPLIERS MUST COMPLETE THE PRE-AWARD QUESTIONNAIRE IN PART B:3. | | | | | | | |
| 2.5 | BIDDERS MAY ALSO SUBMIT A PRINTED TCS CERTIFICATE TOGETHER WITH THE BID. | | | | | | | |
| 2.6 | IN BIDS WHERE CONSORTIA / JOINT VENTURES / SUB-CONTRACTORS ARE INVOLVED; EACH PARTY MUST SUBMIT A SEPARATE TCS CERTIFICATE / PIN / CSD NUMBER. | | | | | | | |
| 2.7 | WHERE NO TCS IS AVAILABLE BUT THE BIDDER IS REGISTERED ON THE CENTRAL SUPPLIER DATABASE (CSD), A CSD NUMBER MUST BE PROVIDED. | | | | | | | |
| 3. | QUESTIONNAIRE TO BIDDING FOREIGN SUPPLIERS | | | | | | | |
| 3.1. | IS THE ENTITY A RESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA (RSA)? | □ YES □ NO | | | | | | |
| 3.2. | DOES THE ENTITY HAVE A BRANCH IN THE RSA? | 🗌 YES 🗌 NO | | | | | | |
| 3.3. | DOES THE ENTITY HAVE A PERMANENT ESTABLISHMENT IN THE RSA? | 🗌 YES 🗌 NO | | | | | | |
| 3.4. | DOES THE ENTITY HAVE ANY SOURCE OF INCOME IN THE RSA? | YES NO | | | | | | |
| 3.5. | IS THE ENTITY LIABLE IN THE RSA FOR ANY FORM OF TAXATION? | □ YES □ NO | | | | | | |
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NB: FAILURE TO PROVIDE ANY OF THE ABOVE PARTICULARS MAY RENDER THE BID INVALID. NO BIDS WILL BE CONSIDERED FROM PERSONS IN THE SERVICE OF THE STATE.



7. MBD 4 - DECLARATION OF INTEREST

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

| 3.1. | Full Name of bidder or his or her representative | | | | | | | | | | |
|--------|--|--------|------|-------|-------|---|------|-----|---|----|--|
| 3.2. | Identity Number | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3.3. | Position occupied in the Company (director, shareholder ² etc.) | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3.4. | Company Registration Number | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3.5. | Tax Reference Number | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3.6. | VAT Registration Number | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3.7. | Are you presently in the service of the state? | | | | | | | YES | 5 | NO | |
| 3.7.1. | If so, furnish particulars: | | | | | | | | | | |
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| 3.8. | Have you been in the service of the state for th | e past | twel | ve mo | onths | ? | | YES | 6 | NO | |

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

a. a member of -

b.

- i. any municipal council;
- ii. any provincial legislature; or
- iii. the National Assembly or the National Council of Provinces;
- a member of the board of directors of any municipal entity;
- c. an official of any municipality or municipal entity;
- d. an employee of any national or provincial department, national or provincial public entity or constitutional institution within the meaning of the Public Finance Management Act, 1999 (Act No.1 of 1999);
- e. an executive member of the accounting authority of any national or provincial public entity; or
- f. an employee of Parliament or a provincial legislature.
- ² "Shareholder" means a person who owns shares in the company and is actively involved in the management of the company or business and exercises control over the company.

| 3.9. | Do you have any relationship (family, friend, other) with persons in the service of the state and who may be involved with the evaluation and or adjudication of this bid? | YES | NO | |
|---------|--|-----|----|--|
| 3.9.1. | If so, furnish particulars: | | | |
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| 3.10. | Are you aware of any relationship (family, friend, other) between a bidder and any persons in the service of the state who may be involved with the evaluation and or adjudication of this bid? | YES | NO | |
| 3.10.1. | If so, furnish particulars: | | | |
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| 3.11. | Are any of the company's directors, managers, principal shareholders or stakeholders in the service of the state? | YES | NO | |
| 3.11.1. | If so, furnish particulars: | | | |
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| 3.12. | Is any spouse, child or parent of the company's directors, managers, principal shareholders or stakeholders in the service of the state? | YES | NO | |
| 3.12.1. | If so, furnish particulars: | | | |
| | Name of the spouse/child/parent : ID number of the spouse/child Relationship to the official Designation of the spouse/child Employer of the spouse/child/parent : Designation of the spouse/child | | | |
| 3.13. | Do you or any of the directors, trustees, managers, principal shareholders, or stakeholders of this company have any interest in any other related companies or business whether or not they are bidding for this contract? | YES | NO | |
| 3.13.1. | If so, furnish particulars: | | | |
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| Please provide the following information on ALL directors/shareholders/trustees/members below: | | | | | | | |
|--|-----------------|-------------------------------|---|--|--|--|--|
| Full Name and Surname | Identity Number | Personal Income Tax Number | Provide State ³ Employee Number | | | | |
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| | | | Full Name and Surname Identity Number Personal Income Tax | | | | |

NB:

- a) PLEASE ATTACH CERTIFIED COPY(IES) OF ID DOCUMENT(S)
- b) PLEASE PROVIDE PERSONAL INCOME TAX NUMBERS FOR ALL DIRECTORS / SHAREHOLDERS / TRUSTEES / MEMBERS, ETC.

4. DECLARATION

I, the undersigned (name)

certify that the information furnished in paragraph 3 above is correct.

I accept that the state may act against me should this declaration prove to be false.

| SIGNATURE | DATE | |
|-------------------|------|--|
| NAME OF SIGNATORY | | |
| POSITION | | |

 $^3\,$ MSCM Regulations: "in the service of the state" means to be –

a. a member of –

b.

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



8. MBD6.1 – PREFERENCE POINTS CLAIM FORM IN TERMS OF THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS 2022 – PURCHASES/SERVICES "Insert 80/20 or 90/10"

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, 2022.

This preference form must form part of all bids invited. It contains general information and serves as a claim form for preference points as well as a summary for preference points claimed for attainment of other specified goals

The Constitution of the Republic of South Africa, 1996, provides in sections 152(1)(c) and 152(2) that local government must promote social and economic development and that the municipality must strive within its financial and administrative capacity, to achieve the objects set out in subsection 152(1).

The Constitution provides in section 217 that an organ of state must contract for goods or services in accordance with a procurement system which is fair, equitable, transparent, competitive, and cost effective and to implement a policy to grant preferences within a framework prescribed by National Legislation.

The Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act, 2003 requires: "(1) Every organ of state and public entity must apply any relevant code of good practice issued in terms of this Act in (b) developing and implementing a preferential procurement policy

The Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act, 2000 (Act 5 of 2000)-[PPPFA] was promulgated by the Minister in response to the Constitutional provision and allow for a Municipality to develop a preferential procurement policy and to implement such policy within the PPPFA framework.

Section 2 (1) (d) (i) and (ii) of the Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act, 2000 refers to specific goals which may include:

- (i) contracting with persons, or categories of persons, historically disadvantaged by unfair discrimination on the basis of race, gender or disability;
- (ii) implementing the programmes of the Reconstruction and Development Programme (RDP) as published in *Government Gazette* 16085 dated 23 November 1994.

The RDP (1994), as basis for development in South Africa, was meant to provide a holistic, integrated, coherent socio-economic policy that is aimed at mobilizing people and resources to work towards the upliftment of the material and social conditions of local communities to build sustainable livelihoods for these communities.

In terms of Section 2 (1)(d)(ii), the following activities may be regarded as a contribution towards achieving the goals of the RDP, in addition to the awarding of preference points in favour of HDIs (published in Government Gazette No. 16085 dated 23 November 1994):

- (i) The promotion of South African owned enterprises;
- (ii) The promotion of export orientated production to create jobs;
- (iii) The promotion of SMMEs;
- (iv) The creation of new jobs or the intensification of labour absorption;
- (v) The promotion of enterprises located in a specific province for work to be done or services

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to be rendered in that province;

- (vi) The promotion of enterprises located in a specific region for work to be done or services to be rendered in that region;
- (vii) The promotion of enterprises located in a specific municipal area for work to be done or services to be rendered in that municipal area;
- (viii) The promotion of enterprises located in rural areas;
- (ix) The empowerment of the work force by standardizing the level of skill and knowledge of workers;
- (x) The development of human resources, including by assisting in tertiary and other advanced training programmes, in line with key indicators such as percentage of wage bill spent on education and training and improvement of management skills; and
- (xi) The upliftment of communities through, but not limited to, housing, transport, schools, infrastructure donations, and charity organisations.

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; and
 - the 90/10 system for requirements with a Rand value above R50 000 000.
- 1.2 The value of this bid is estimated to exceed/not exceed R50 000 000 and therefore the.....system shall be applicable.
- 1.3 Preference points for this bid shall be awarded for:
 - (a) Price; and
 - (b) Specific contract participation goals, as specified below.
- 1.3.1 The points for this bid are allocated as follows:

| | POINTS WILL BE ALLOCATED AS FOLLOWS below R50 000 000 | | | | |
|---------------------|---|--------|----------------------|--|--|
| | | POINTS | For office use | | |
| PRICE | | 80 | | | |
| SPECIFIC PARTICI | PATION GOALS | | | | |
| Bergrivier Jurisdic | tion | 10 | | | |
| West Coast jurisdi | iction | 5 | | | |
| Western Cape Pro | ovince | 3 | | | |
| South Africa | | 2 | | | |
| BBBEE SCORE CARD | | | | | |
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| POINTS WILL BE ALLOCATED AS FOLLOWS above R50 000 000 | | | | |
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| | POINTS | For office use | | |
| PRICE | 90 | 430 | | |
| SPECIFIC PARTICIPATION GOALS | | | | |
| Bergrivier Jurisdiction | 5 | | | |
| West Coast jurisdiction | 3 | | | |
| Western Cape Province 2 | | | | |
| South Africa 1 | | | | |
| BBBEE SCORE CARD | | | | |
| | 5 | | | |
| TOTAL | 100 | | | |

- 1.4 Failure on the part of a bidder to fill in and/or to sign this form may be interpreted to mean that preference points are not claimed (B-BBEE TABLE).
- 1.5. 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.
- 1.6. If you want to claim the specific goals you need to attach the business registration from CIPC, and if you're are a small business/SMME you need to attach the physical address of the business in the form of a municipal account in your personal name or the business name.
- 1.7. The Municipality reserves the right to verify the locality as per the Municipal Statement or Lease Agreement provided. Also note that the offices must be operational within the area as stated by the Bidder, if not the locality points cannot be claimed.
- 1.8. Please complete your CSD registration number: MAAA.....

2. GENERAL DEFINITIONS

In this application, unless the context indicates otherwise, any word or expression to which a meaning has been assigned in the Act must bear the meaning so assigned—

"Acceptable Tender" mean any tender which, in all respects, complies with the specification and conditions of tender as set out in tender document

"Black designated groups" has the meaning assigned to it in the codes of good practice issued in terms of section 9 (1) of the BBBEEA.

"Black people" has the meaning assigned to it in section 1 of the BBBEEA.

"**Designated group**" means black designated groups, black people, women, people with disabilities; or small enterprises which are enterprises, owned, managed, and controlled by previously disadvantaged persons and which is overcoming business impediments arising from the legacy of apartheid.

"**Disability**" means in respect of a person, a permanent means, in respect of a person, a permanent impairment of a physical, intellectual, or sensory function, which results in restricted, or lack of, ability to perform an activity in the manner, or within the range, considered normal for

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a human being.

"EME" means

(1) exempted micro enterprise in terms of a code of good practice on black economic empowerment issued in terms of a code of good practice on black economic empowerment issued in terms of section 9(1) of the BBBEEA.

(2) an entity with an annual turnover less than R10 000 00.000 (ten million Rand)

"Historically disadvantaged individual (HDI)" means a South African citizen -

(1) who, due to the apartheid policy that had been in place, had no franchise in national elections prior to the introduction of the Constitution of the Republic of South Africa, 1983 (Act No 110 of 1983); and / or

(2) who is a female; and / or

(3) who has a disability:

Provided that a person who obtained South African citizenship on or after the coming to effect of the Interim Constitution, is deemed not to be an HDI.

"highest acceptable tender" means a tender that complies with all specifications and

conditions of tender and that has the highest price compared to other tenders;

"lowest acceptable tender" means a tender that complies with all specifications and

conditions of tender and that has lowest price compared to other tenders;

"Locality" means the local suppliers and/or service providers that reside within the Municipal area and within the district boundaries.

"Large Enterprises" is a company with an annual turnover in excess of R50 million.

"Market Analysis" means a technique used to identify market characteristics for specific goods or services

"**National Treasury**" has the meaning assigned to it in section 1 of the Municipal Finance Management Act, 2003 (Act No. 56 of 2003);

"price" means an amount of money tendered for goods or services, and includes all applicable taxes less all unconditional discounts;

"Proof of B-BBEE status level of contributor" means the B-BBEE status level certificate issued by an authorized body or person

1) a sworn affidavit as prescribed by the B-BBEE Codes of Good Practice; or

2) any other requirement prescribed in terms of the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act.

"Qualifying Small Enterprise (QSE) "is a company with a turnover between R10 million and R50 million

"Rand value" means the total estimated value of a contract in Rand, calculated at the time of the tender invitation;

"Region" means the district and/or West Coast District Municipality.

"Rural area" means-

1) a separately populated area in which people farm or depend on natural resources, including villages and small towns that are dispersed through the area; or

2) an area including a large settlement which depends on migratory labour and remittances and government social grants for survival and may have a traditional land tenure system.

"**Specific** *goals*" means specific goals as contemplated in section 2(1)(d) of the Act which may include contracting with persons, or categories of persons, historically disadvantaged by unfair discrimination on the basis of race, gender and disability including the implementation of programmes of the Reconstruction and Development Programme as

published in Government Gazette No. 16085 dated 23 November 1994;

"SMME" means small, medium and micro enterprises namely Exempted Micro Enterprises and Qualifying Small Enterprises

"**Tender**" means a written offer in the form determined by a Municipality in response to an invitation to provide goods or services through price quotations, competitive tendering process or any other method envisaged in legislation;

"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;

"The Act" means the Preferential Procurement Policy Act, 2000 (Act No. 5 of 2000).

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"Youth" has the meaning assigned to it in section 1 of the National Youth Development Agency Act, 2008 (Act No. 54 of 2008).

3. ADJUDICATION USING A POINT SYSTEM

- 3.1 The bidder obtaining the highest number of points will be awarded the contract.
- 3.2 Preference points shall be calculated after prices have been brought to a comparative basis.
- 3.3 Points scored will be rounded off to 2 decimal places.
- 3.4 In the event of equal points scored, the bid will be awarded to the bidder scoring the highest number of points for specified goals.

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POINTS AWARDED FOR PRICE

3.5 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

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

Where
Ps = Points scored for price of bid under consideration

Pt = Price of bid under consideration

Pmin = Price of lowest acceptable bid

3.6 POINTS AWARDED FOR PRICE

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

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

Where

Ps = Points scored for price of bid under consideration

Pt = Price of bid under consideration

Pmax = Price of highest acceptable bid

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4 POINTS AWARDED FOR B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL OF CONTRIBUTOR

4.6 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 | 5 | 10 |
| 2 | 4 | 8 |
| 3 | 3 | 6 |
| 4 | 2 | 4 |
| 5 | 1 | 2 |
| 6 | 1 | 2 |
| 7 | 1 | 2 |
| 8 | 1 | 2 |
| Non-compliant contributor | 0 | 0 |

5. BID DECLARATION

5.1 Bidders who claim points in respect of equity ownership must complete the Bid Declaration at the end of this form.

6. DECLARATION WITH REGARD TO EQUITY

6.1 Name of firm :.....

6.2 VAT registration number :.....

6.3 Company registration number

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6.4 TYPE OF FIRM

- Partnership
- One person business/sole trader
- Close corporation
- Company
- (Pty) Limited

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6.5 DESCRIBE PRINCIPAL BUSINESS ACTIVITIES

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6.6 COMPANY CLASSIFICATION

- Manufacturer
- Supplier
- Professional service provider
- Other service providers, e.g. transporter, etc.
 [TICK APPLICABLE BOX]

6.7 MUNICIPAL INFORMATION

Municipality where business is situated:

Registered Account No:

Stand No:

- 6.8 TOTAL NUMBER OF YEARS THE FIRM HAS BEEN IN BUSINESS?
- 6.9 List all Shareholders by Name, Position, Identity Number, Citizenship, HDI status and ownership, as relevant. Information to be used to calculate the points claimed in paragraph 8.

| | | | | * | % | | |
|------|--|-----------|-------------------------------------|--|-------|----------|--------------------------------------|
| Name | Date/Position occupied in Enterprise | ID Number | Date RSA Citizenship obtained | No franchise prior to elections | Women | Disabled | of business / enterprise owned |
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*Indicate YES or NO

- 6.10 I/we, the undersigned, who warrants that he/she is duly authorised to do so on behalf of the firm certify that points claimed, based on the equity ownership, indicated in paragraph 8 of the foregoing certificate, qualifies the firm for the preference(s) shown and I / we acknowledge that:
 - (i) The information furnished is true and correct.
 - (ii) The points claimed is in accordance with the General Conditions as indicated in paragraph 1 of this form.

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(iii) If the claims are found to be incorrect, the purchaser may, in addition to any other remedy it may have -

(a) recover costs, losses or damages it has incurred or suffered as a result of that person's conduct; and

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| 2. | | |
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| SIGN | ATURE(S) OF BIDDERS(S) |
|---------|------------------------|
| DATE: | |
| ADDRESS | |
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9. MBD 8 – DECLARATION OF BIDDER'S PAST SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT PRACTICES

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

| 4.1 | Is the bidder or any of its directors listed on the National Treasury's database as a company or person prohibited from doing business with the public sector? (Companies or persons who are listed on this database were informed in writing of this restriction by the National Treasury after the audi alteram partem rule was applied). | Yes | No |
|-------|--|-----|----|
| 4.1.1 | If so, furnish particulars: | | |
| 4.2 | Is the bidder or any of its directors listed on the Register for Tender Defaulters in terms of section 29 of the Prevention and Combating of Corrupt Activities Act (No 12 of 2004)? (To access this Register enter the National Treasury's website, <u>www.treasury.gov.za</u> , click on the icon "Register for Tender Defaulters" or submit your written request for a hard copy of the Register to facsimile number (012) 3265445). | Yes | Νο |
| 4.2.1 | If so, furnish particulars: | | |
| 4.3 | Was the bidder or any of its directors convicted by a court of law (including a court of law outside the Republic of South Africa) for fraud or corruption during the past five years? | Yes | Νο |

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| 4.3.1 | If so, furnish particulars: | | |
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| 4.4 | Does the bidder or any of its directors owe any municipal rates and taxes or municipal charges to the municipality / municipal entity, or to any other municipality / municipal entity, that is in arrears for more than three months? | Yes | No |
| 4.4.1 | If so, furnish particulars: | | |
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| 4.5 | Was any contract between the bidder and the municipality / municipal entity or any other organ of state terminated during the past five years on account of failure to perform on or comply with the contract? | Yes | No |
| 4.5 4.5.1 | any other organ of state terminated during the past five years on account of | Yes | No |
| | any other organ of state terminated during the past five years on account of failure to perform on or comply with the contract? | Yes | No |
| | any other organ of state terminated during the past five years on account of failure to perform on or comply with the contract? | Yes | No |
| | any other organ of state terminated during the past five years on account of failure to perform on or comply with the contract? | Yes | No |

5. CERTIFICATION

I, the undersigned (full name), _____, certify that the information

furnished on this declaration form 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.

| SIGNATURE: | NAME (PRINT): | |
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| CAPACITY: | DATE: | |
| NAME OF FIRM: | | |

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10. MBD 9 – CERTIFICATE OF INDEPENDENT BID DETERMINATION

- 1. This Municipal Bidding Document (MBD) must form part of all bids invited.
- 2. Section 4 (1) (b) (iii) of the Competition Act No. 89 of 1998, as amended, prohibits an agreement between, or concerted practice by, firms, or a decision by an association of firms, if it is between parties in a horizontal relationship and if it involves collusive bidding (or bid rigging).⁴ Collusive bidding is a *per se* prohibition meaning that it cannot be justified under any grounds.
- 3. Municipal Supply Regulation 38 (1) prescribes that a supply chain management policy must provide measures for the combating of abuse of the supply chain management system, and must enable the accounting officer, among others, to:
 - 3.1. take all reasonable steps to prevent such abuse;
 - 3.2. reject the bid of any bidder if that bidder or any of its directors has abused the supply chain management system of the municipality or municipal entity or has committed any improper conduct in relation to such system; and
 - 3.3. cancel a contract awarded to a person if the person committed any corrupt or fraudulent act during the bidding process or the execution of the contract.
- 4. This MBD serves as a certificate of declaration that would be used by institutions to ensure that, when bids are considered, reasonable steps are taken to prevent any form of bid-rigging.
- 5. In order to give effect to the above, the attached Certificate of Bid Determination (MBD 9) must be completed and submitted with the bid:

CERTIFICATE OF INDEPENDENT BID DETERMINATION:

In response to the invitation for the bid made by:

BERGRIVIER MUNICIPALITY

I, the undersigned, in submitting the accompanying bid, hereby make the following statements that I certify to be true and complete in every respect:

- 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:

⁴ 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.



- 5.1. has been requested to submit a bid in response to this bid invitation;
- 5.2. could potentially submit a bid in response to this bid invitation, based on their qualifications, abilities or experience; and
- 5.3. 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 consortium⁵ 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:

7.1. prices;

7.2. geographical area where product or service will be rendered (market allocation)

7.3. methods, factors or formulas used to calculate prices;

7.4. the intention or decision to submit or not to submit, a bid;

7.5. the submission of a bid which does not meet the specifications and conditions of the bid; or

7.6. 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.
- 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 | NAME (PRINT) | |
|--------------|--------------|--|
| CAPACITY | DATE | |
| NAME OF FIRM | | |

⁵ 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.



11. MBD 10 – CERTIFICATE FOR PAYMENT OF MUNICIPAL SERVICES

DECLARATION IN TERMS OF CLAUSE 112(1) OF THE MUNICIPAL FINANCE MANAGEMENT ACT (NO.56 OF 2003)

I, ______, ______ (full name and ID no.), hereby acknowledge that according to SCM Regulation 38(1) (d) (i), the Municipality may reject the tender of the tenderer if any municipal rates and taxes or municipal service charges owed by the Tenderer or any of its directors/members/partners to the Bergrivier Municipality, or to any other municipality or municipal entity, are in arrears for more than 3 (three) months.

I declare that I am duly authorised to act on behalf of ______ (name of the firm) and hereby declare, that to the best of my personal knowledge, neither the firm nor any director/member/partner of said firm is in arrears on any of its municipal accounts with any municipality in the Republic of South Africa, for a period longer than 3 (three) months.

I further hereby certify that the information set out in this schedule and/or attachment(s) hereto is true and correct. The Tenderer acknowledges that failure to properly and truthfully complete this schedule may result in the tender being disqualified, and/or in the event that the tenderer is successful, the cancellation of the contract.

| PHYSICAL BUSINESS ADDRESS(ES) OF THE TENDERER | MUNICIPAL ACCOUNT NUMBER |
|---|--------------------------|
| | |
| | |

FURTHER DETAILS OF THE BIDDER'S Director / Shareholder / Partners, etc.:

| Director / Shareholder / partner | Physical address of the Business | Municipal Account number(s) | Physical residential address of the Director / shareholder / partner | Municipal Account number(s) |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|
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NB: Please attach certified copy (s) of ID document(s) and Municipal Accounts If the entity or any of its Directors/Shareholders/Partners, etc. rents/leases premises, a copy of the rental/lease agreement must be submitted with this tender.

| Signature | Position | Date |
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12. COMPENSATION FOR OCCUPATIONAL INJURIES AND DISEASES ACT, 1993 (ACT 130 OF 1993)

COMPENSATION FOR OCCUPATIONAL INJURIES AND DISEASES ACT, 1993 (ACT 130 OF 1993)

Bergrivier Municipality has legal duty in terms of Section 89 of the said Act to ensure that all contractors with whom agreements are entered into for the execution of work are registered as employers in accordance with the provisions of this Act and that all the necessary assessments have been paid by the contractor.

In order to enter into this agreement, the following information is needed regarding the abovementioned:

| Contractor's registration number with the office of the |
|---|
| Compensation Commissioner: |

NOTE:

A copy of the latest receipt together with a copy of the relevant assessment OR a copy of a valid Letter of Good Standing must be handed in, in this regard.

| PRINT NAME: | | |
|-------------|---------------|----|
| CAPACITY: | Nam of fir | |
| SIGNATURE: | DAT | E: |

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13. FORM OF INDEMNITY

| Given by (Name of Company) |
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| of (registered address of Company)a |
| company incorporated with limited liability according to the Company Laws of the Republic of South |
| Africa (hereinafter called the Contractor), represented herein by (Name of Representative) |
| in his capacity as (Designation) |
| of the Contractor, is duly authorized hereto by a resolution dated/20, to |
| sign on behalf of the Contractor. |
| WHEREAS the Contractor has entered into a Contract dated / 20, with the Municipality who require this indemnity from the Contractor. |
| NOW THEREFORE THIS DEED WITNESSES that the Contractor does hereby indemnify and hold barmless the Municipality in respect of all loss or damage that may be incurred or sustained by the |

harmless the Municipality in respect of all loss or damage that may be incurred or sustained by the Municipality by reason of or in any way arising out of or caused by operations that may be carried out by the Contractor in connection with the aforementioned contract; and also in respect of all claims that may be made against the Municipality in consequence of such operations, by reason of or in any way arising out of any accidents or damage to life or property or any other cause whatsoever; and also in respect of all legal or other expenses that may be incurred by the Municipality in examining, resisting or settling any such claims; for the due performance of which the Contractor binds itself according to law.

| SIGNATURE OF CONTRACTOR: | |
|--------------------------|--|
| DATE: | |
| SIGNATURE OF WITNESS 1: | |
| DATE: | |
| SIGNATURE OF WITNESS 2: | |
| DATE: | |

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PART B – SPECIFICATIONS AND PRICING DATA

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SPECIFICATIONS

DETAILED SPECIFICATIONS

TERMS OF REFERENCE

TENDER DATA

The Standard Conditions of Tender make several references to the Tender Data for details that apply specially to this tender. The tender data shall have precedence in the interpretation of any ambiguity or inconsistency between it and the standard conditions of tender. Each item of data given below is cross-referenced to the clause in the Standard Conditions of Tender to which it mainly applies:

Tender data

1. General

1.1 Actions

The Employer is the Bergrivier Local Municipality, represented by the Director: Financial Services

1.2 Tender Documents

The tender documents issued by the Employer comprise:

This tender document (Tender No <u>8/3/3-2025 / MN37-2025)</u>, in respect contract: APPOINTMENT OF A SERVICE PROVIDER FOR FINANCIAL AND ACCOUNTING SERVICES FOR BERGRIVIER MUNICIPALITY FROM DATE OF APPOINTMENT UNTIL 30 JUNE 2028

Tendering process

Tender notice and invitation to tender Tender data

The Contract Specifications Terms of reference (TOR)

Pricing data

Pricing Schedule

Agreement and contract data

Form of Offer and Acceptance Contract data

Returnable Documents

List of returnable documents Returnable schedules

This documents must be returned to the Employer, completed in all respects, together with any additional supporting documentation requires, in terms of submitting a tender offer.

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1.3 Communication and employer's agent

It should be noted that the employer has no agent acting on his behalf for the purpose of this tender.

The employer's representatives, for the purpose of any communication between the employer and tenderers, is:

Mrs. Nelmarie Bothma Bergrivier Municipality PIKETBERG 7320 E-mail: bothman@bergmun.org.za

Attention is drawn to the fact that no verbal communication will be allowed prior to the close of tenders. Only information requested and issued formally in writing to tenderers will be regarded as amending the tender document.

1. BACKGROUNG

Sections 16 and 24 of the MFMA requires every municipality to table an annual budget at a Council meeting at least 90 days before the start of the budget year and approve that annual budget at least 30 days before the start of the budget year. While sections 122 and 126 of the MFMA requires every municipality to prepare Annual Financial Statements (AFS) and submit them for audit by 31 August each year. Bergrivier Municipality established internal departments, Budget and Costing Department and AFS, Assets and Returns Department, to respectively carry out this responsibility. Due to the specialized nature of the work, key officials within these departments are upwardly mobile wherein they are appointed into senior positions in other departments within the municipality and other municipalities approach them for appointment. This exposes the municipality to a risk that vacancies might arise during the budget preparation process and/or year-end period which might impact on the municipality's ability to meet the aforementioned MFMA obligations.

In order to mitigate this risk, the municipality decided to issue a three year rates tender for accounting services to utilize in instances where positions in these departments became vacant and cannot be filled in time to enable the municipality to prepare the Budget or AFS in line with the MFMA timelines. These services will only be utilized when necessary. However, based on current vacancy levels, the services will be required for deliverables as stated below for the municipal years 2025-2028.

2. SCOPE OF WORKS

The appointed service provider will be responsible for performing the functions that were assigned to the official within the Budget and Costing Department and AFS, Assets and Returns Departments. The functions are summaries below:

Deliverable 1: Assistance with budget preparation

This deliverable consists of various activities that is performed in the Budget office by different personnel throughout the year from 1July until 30 June. In the event of a vacancy at a critical stage or

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backlogs that need to fast tracked, the municipality might require assistance to perform certain activities as and when the need arises in order to finalize and submit adjustments and annual budgets to comply with National Treasury prescripts, mSCOA and GRAP principles, the approved budget process plan and prescribed legislative deadlines. Although not limited to these the activities, the following is a summary at high level of activities the budget office among others perform in order to prepare and submit budgets as prescribed in terms of Chapter 4 of the MFMA and the Municipal Budget and reporting regulations as well as section 21A of the MSA:

a) Personnel Budget:

(i) Compilation of m SCOA personnel budget for approximately 600 personnel in excel based on approved organizational structure and new positions to be funded;

(ii) Prepare m SCOA budget in Pay Day, make extract from and Pay day and compare with Pay Day results with excel;

(iii) Adjust personnel budget based on review of organizational structure in terms of budget process plan;

(iv) once budget in Pay Day is correct and balance, import personnel Budget from Pay Day into Financial system and compare / follow up any discrepancies and balance;

(v) Prepare personnel budget summaries that included non-cash items such as employee benefits obligations

(vi) Prepare personnel budget report to budget steering committee, Mayco and Council for approval by 15 February;

(vii) Submit to senior manager and CFO for review

b) Capital Budget:

(i) Send out prescribed capital budget template for departments to provide needs in terms if IDP inputs for three year MTREF;

(ii) Capture all inputs received from departments in excel and allocate funding source per project as per affordability levels determined in budget principles approved by council;

(iii) Obtaining capital grants budgets revenue and expenditure from AFS department and capture excel;

(iv) Balance capital budget for MTREF in terms of budget principles and affordability;

(v) Prepare different summaries for capital budget;

(vi) Prepare report Budget steering committees, mayco and council for approval of draft capital budget by mid / end February;

(vii) After capital budget is approved capture each project on financial system and create new budget strings where required, and link to IDP strategic objectives

(viii) Extract summaries and compare with excel/ review for discrepancies and balance;

(ix) Prepare budget summaries of final draft budget for Tabled budget report;

(x) Submit summaries and draft report to senior manager and CFO for review

c) **Operating Budget:**

(i) Send out prescribed formats of budget sheets / template to departments to budget in terms of mSCOA;

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(ii) Capturing of operating budget inputs from departments;

(iii) Obtain calculated budget information from AFS department for operating grants balances with DORA, interest and redemption on external loans for existing and new proposed external loans and or finance leases;

(iv) Calculate all revenue per revenue source per ward with cash flow per month for first and per year for 2 outer years;

(v) Capture all budget inputs and calculations for 3 years on financial system budget module in terms of mSCOA requirements;

(vi) Extract summaries for balancing;

(vii) Hold meetings / Engage with each department to amend budget within affordability levels

(viii) Balance operating budget over MTREF on financial system;

(ix) Reviewing of captured budget information in respect of operating budget;

(x) Extract summaries on financial system for MTREF and review / sign-off;

(xi) Prepare report to budget steering committee with final personnel, Capital and Operating budget summaries; and

(xii) Submit summaries and draft report to senior manager for review.

d) Budget schedules: (as released and updated from time to time by National Treasury) Populate annual and adjustments budgets.

(i) Obtain and install latest version of mSCOA released version;

(ii) Ensure classifications mapping is in accordance with NT portal uploads;

(iii) Populate / Completing of prescribed National Treasury budget schedules where required that includes Statement of Financial performance, Statement of financial position, cash flow statement in various different formats and supporting tables;

(iv) Update Budget schedules with 7 years' information. 3 years actual audited, current year original and adjusted budget, as well as next 3 years MTREF budget information;

(v) Calculation of financial information for supporting schedules not populated by the financial system

(vi) Investigate and correct any differences between system summaries and populated budget schedules;

(vii) Obtain non-financial information from relevant departments from completing of budget tables;

(viii) Reconcile the budget schedules, the summaries from the financial system and portal uploads to ensure they are in balance;

(ix) Review of completed budget schedules

(x) Submit completed budget schedules to senior manager for review

e) Budget report: Tabled final and adjustments budgets:

(i) Prepare and review budget information to be included in budget reports

(ii) After tabled budget attend public participation / consolation meetings;

(iii) Prepare agenda and consolidate written submissions in respect of tabled budget and provide responses;

(iv) Perform material adjustments necessitated after written representations from community on budget module and re-populated all budget schedules and review for correctness;

(v) Prepare budget final budget reports based on final budget schedules for submission to council; and(vi) Submit draft report to senior manager and CFO for review

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f) Tariffs:

(i) Calculate all tariffs in tariffs and update tariff book in accordance with approved budget principles report;

(ii) Obtain inputs from departments on changes in tariff structures and increase in tariffs;

(iii) Adjust tariffs in tariff book after operating budget has been balanced and final budget steering committee has concluded on tariff increased if different from budget principles report;

(iv) Update / complete sensitivity analysis for inclusion in budget reports;

(v) Review tariff book after changes were made;

(vi) Submit reviewed tariffs to senior manager and CFO for review.

g) General activities:

(i) Perform reasonability testing on budget;

(ii) Place advertisements of budgets;

(iii) Submission of documents to National and Provincial Treasury in both electronic and hard copies as well as portal budgets and IDP uploads on portal uploads, TABB; PRTA; ORGB; PRPR; ADJB etc.;

(iv) Management of budget program to ensure deadlines are met;

(v) Compiles statement of comparison of budget and actual amounts for AFS and submit to senior manager for review;

(vi) Provide explanations for variances between budget and actual for revenue and expenditure classifications for variances above 10% and include in relevant to AFS and submit to senior manager for review;

| NO | Date | Description |
|----|--|--|
| 1. | 25 August | Roll-over adjustment budget |
| 2. | 31 August | Approval of Budget process plan for next MTREF |
| 3. | 31 January | Adjustments budget additional allocations |
| 4. | 28 February | Approval of normal adjustments budget |
| 5. | 31 March | Tabled budget approved by Council |
| 6. | 31 May | Final Budget considered by Council |
| 7. | Submission of budget documents to National treasury and provincial treasury | Within 10 days after budget was tabled in council. Applicable to all the above in 1-6. |

In order to ensure that the following high level legislated deadlines are met:

Deliverable 2: Audit file and lead schedules

a) Follow up on the progress on the year-end final accounts in line with the municipality's approved year-end plan;

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b) Prepare journals for transactions necessary for completion of the AFS and present to management for review;

c) Perform all correction of prior period errors where necessary, provide adequate narrative disclosure and advise management on accounting treatment of matters to be restated;

d) Obtain actuarial valuations report and calculate the financial impact of Employee Benefits Obligations (long service awards and Post-Retirement Medical aid benefits) based on the information provided by the Municipality. Recommend journals for approval by the management; (State fixed price on pricing schedule)

e) Review of employee related benefits calculations for 13th cheque, bonus provision, performance bonus, staff leave accrual etc. prepared by Senior Accountants and recommend journals for approval by the management;

f) Obtain landfill closure provisions report and calculate the financial impact of Landfill Site provision (Provision for Rehabilitation and the effect on the Landfill Site Asset). Recommend journals for approval by the management; (State fixed price on pricing schedule)

g) Making extracts of relevant financial information from the financial system;

h) Gathering any other information, financial or otherwise required from any other source;

i) Prepare the audit file in prescribed format, notes and annexures/ statements to financial statements from information gathered. The audit file includes a lead schedule for each account balance, class of transaction and disclosure note presented in the AFS linking amounts in the AFS to supporting documents.

j) Finalize lead schedule and sign it off (preparer) as accurate and complete. Scan all appropriate documents and save it with the relevant hyperlinks in the electronic audit file;

k) Ensure that all the lead sheets of the electronic audit file balances with ledger; and

I) Prepare detailed excel Cash Flow Statement workings and balance the Cash Flow Statement outside the financial statement system.

In order to ensure that the financial statements be finalized by due date 31 August.

Deliverable 3: Annual Financial Statements (FIXED PRICE)

Manage the compiling of the AFS in terms of Section 122 of MFMA and in accordance with GRAP and other relevant accounting standards by:

a) Preparing GRAP AFS using a financial statement system prescribed by the municipality.

b) Compiling and Balancing of Statements of Financial Position, Statement of Financial Performance,

Statement of Changes in Net Assets, Statement of Budget Comparison, Cash flow statement.

c) Reviewing the detailed excel Cash Flow Statement workings and balanced the Cash Flow Statement

outside the financial statement system.

d) Reviewing, updating and writing new accounting policies in the note to the financial statements in line with GRAP requirements.

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e) Review the calculation of the amounts to be disclosed in the AFS relating to traffic fines as per GRAP 23 and iGRAP 1 requirements;

f) Managing the compilation of and review the audit file to ensure that it supports and validates all the financial information reported in the financial statements.

g) Review the final asset register for compliance with GRAP requirements and ensure that it reconciles and balances to the annual financial statements by 31 August.

h) Ensure completeness of capital commitments by reviewing information supplied.

i) Perform financial risk management calculations including liquidity risks.

j) Perform classification of financial instruments and appropriately disclose in accordance with applicable accounting standard.

k) Consider information regarding contingent liabilities and ensure adequate and appropriate disclosure measured against GRAP requirements.

I) Ensure that adequate disclosure of material variances are done.

m) Ensure accurate appropriate disclosure of all grant receipts, verify information in grants reconciliation for inclusion in AFS and prepare correction journals if relevant.

n) Managing year-end transactions and reviewing closing journal entries in general ledger;

o) Managing the extraction of relevant financial information from the financial system;

p) Managing the gathering of any other information, financial or otherwise required from any other source;

q) Manage the preparation of notes and annexures/statements to financial statements from information gathered

r) Advise and liaise with other managers in finance on GRAP standards applicable, accounting treatment and information required for compilation of AFS.

s) Manage the progress with year-end and AFS plan

t) Perform self -review on AFS and annexures

u) Provide draft AFS for review to Senior Manager and CFO by 15 August

v) Provide information of all changes made to AFS after reviews

In order to ensure that the annual financial statements can be finalized and submitted to AGSA, National treasury and Provincial treasury by 31 August.

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Deliverable 4: Any ad-hoc requests (500 hours for evaluation purposes)

Any ad-hoc matters as determined by the Chief Financial Officer (CFO) during the duration of the project will be added as project deliverables. The ad-hoc matters will relate to expert opinion of the accounting treatment of complex transactions during the preparation of the AFS. Assist with reconciliations: -debtors, creditors, salaries, rates, VAT, logistics, budget, audit file or any other applicable accounting matter.

Any other support as needed based on the rates in this tender

DELIVERABLE 5

Prepare a skills transfer plan in terms of financial services as per statutory requirements.

The plan must be implementable over the tender period of appointment with set target activities and dates.

If this plan is not included in the offer – this tender will be classified as non-responsive.

3. ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

a) Only those bidders who meet the following eligibility criteria will be considered for this tender:

With 3 CA with 8 years Municipal Experience full-time employed CA(SA) and/or partners. The tender(s) are requested to provide names of the CA(SA) and proof of full-time employment and/or partnership.

| No | Name and Surname | SAICA number | Employee/Partner |
|----|------------------|--------------|------------------|
| 1 | | | |
| 2 | | | |
| 3 | | | |

References

Only those tenderers who have submitted at least five (5) references letters from five(5) different municipalities with clean audits (not unqualified) and with successful completed projects in line with the scope of works are eligible to tender.

The five(5) reference letters must adhere to the following criteria within the financial years 2021/2022,2022/2023 and 2023/2024 -

a) The reference letter must be provided on the official letter head of the Municipality. Note that only one reference letter from a municipality must be obtained to satisfy this criterion. Letters can be signed by any *duly authorized official acting on behalf of the municipality*.

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- b) The letter should be within the financial years *2021/2022, 2022/2023 and 2023/2024*.
- c) The letter must confirm that the *financial scope of work performed relating to our requirements* at that municipality is with a *minimum value of R500 000 per contract*.
- d) The letter must confirm that the *tenderer was responsible for the compilation of the GRAP compliant annual financial statements*. The review of GRAP compliant financial statements will not satisfy this criterion.
- e) The letters should illustrate the audit opinions that was obtained in the 2021/2022,2022/2023 and 2023/2024 financial years, in compliance with section 122(1) of the MFMA. To be eligible for this tender, the service provider must have obtained *at least 2 unqualified audit opinions with no findings ("Clean") at each of the five(5) from which they have obtained reference letters*. The table below illustrates the various audit opinions and what is acceptable to the municipality. Only the wording in the table will be considered to determine the audit outcome, no other wording will be acceptable.

| Audit Opinions | Acceptable |
|--|------------|
| Clean Audit/Unqualified with no findings | Yes |
| Unqualified with findings | No |
| Qualified | No |
| Adverse with findings | No |
| Disclaimer with findings | No |

Failure to adhere to the requirements set out in in section (a) to (e) will result in non-compliance with the eligible criteria. *Please attach the reference letters as required.*

Test for responsiveness

Tenders will be considered non-responsive if, inter alia: (this is a requirement on submission of tender document)

¹ The tenderer does not comply with the eligibility criteria listed above,

¹ The tenderer does not comply with the pricing instruction as advertised, no additional prices may be added by the tenderer to the pricing schedule or put hidden prices in the document,

I The tenderer has failed to comply with the scope of work as advertised,

^D The tenderer has failed to comply with the special conditions of contract₇

Test for administrative compliance

Tenders will be found non-compliant if, inter alia: (These documents may be requested) The tenderer has failed to complete and sign and attach requested information to all pages on the offer not excluded in responsiveness criteria;

In tenderer has failed to submit a municipal account of where the head office of the company is registered or in case where the premise is leased, the tenderer has failed to provide a copy of the lease of the premise; and municipal accounts of all their Directors not older than 90 days. The locality as per the PPPFA policy of Council will be applicable to score the local goals.

The tenderer has failed to fully complete all pages of the offer and failed to submit a valid Tax
 Compliance Status Pin Certificate; a valid Tax Compliance Status Pin Certificate may be requested; and

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Interview of the B-BBEE certificate, QSE or EME affidavit, (Zero points will be scored) whereas points were claimed and a copy of certificate or affidavit was supplied, a certified valid copy of the B-BBEE certificate, QSE or EME Affidavit may be requested.

2. Proof of payment of tender participation fee may be requested if the document has been purchased at our municipal offices in Piketberg. Off-loading of documents done by the tenderer from the website is free of charge.

 Copy of registration certificate of the South African Institute of Chartered Accountants (SAICA) and CV's as requested for all persons listed in the eligibility criteria.

PAYMENTS

Payments will be made to the appointed Consultant no later than 30 days after receiving of tax invoice for work done up to date, if your tax status is compliant

The invoice rendered to the Municipality shall be checked and no payment whatsoever shall be made in respect of any item on the account unless the amount has been verified in this manner to the satisfaction of the Delegated Official.

PROCUREMENT FROM OTHER SUPPLIERS

The Municipality may procure the goods and/or services in terms of this contract, from another supplier. This Contract therefore does not bind the Municipality to procure the goods from adjudicated tenderer/s.

SERVICE LEVEL AGREEMENT

It is the employers right to enter into a service level agreement with the successful bidder/s before the commencement of the contract. The Bidder will submit 'n pro-forma service level agreement to the Municipality after the appeal period has lapsed and final appointment is made within 14 days.

PRICE VARIATIONS

a) Prices for year 1 will be fixed from date of appointment until 30 June 2026, thereafter all increases for year (2) two and year (3) three will increase with 5%. (Not negotiable).

PRICING SCHEDULE

The cost structure shall be formulated in a manner to reflect the cost per deliverable per hour/or a fixed price irrespective of the number of team members used for that deliverable. The financial proposal shall be clearly designed to reflect all costs without causing any confusion, which may include travelling costs from the base premises to the municipal offices. All relevant costs will be taken into account for the purposes of evaluating prices.

The table below must be completed in full and will be used for price evaluation, and if not completed in full will be considered as non-responsive.

Deliverable Units Rand Value (R) Description Quantity Rate per As per above unit (R) Year 1 1 **Annual Financial** Sum 1 Fixed R Statements 2 **Interim Financial** 1 R Sum Fixed Statements

First year pricing

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| 3 | Rehabilitation calculation of Landfill sites | Sum | 1 | Fixed | R |
| 4 | Actuarial employee related benefits calculations cost | Sum | 1 | Fixed | R |
| 5 | Training on the skills implementation plan (All cost inclusive) | Sum | 5 days per annum | R | R |
| 6 | Any ad-hoc requests | Hourly rate | Per hour rate Director 200 hours. Sr Manager 200 hours Manager 100 hours | Director R Senior Manager R Manager R | R R R |
| All | All inclusive travelling time and cost with return to Bergrivier Municipality. | Per trip | 42 trips | R | R |
| All | All inclusive accommodation and subsistence allowance | Per person per night | 50 nights | R | R |
| | | | | IUIAL | l] |

TOTAL SUMMARY

| QUANTITY | PRICING [®] per annum |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| YEAR 1 – as per above schedule | R |
| YEAR 2 – 5% increase | R |
| YEAR 3 – 5% increase | R |
| TOTAL PRICE ALSO INDICATED ON MBD1 - | R |

Please note:- Evaluation on price will be done for the three years. If pricing errors are made it will be corrected for evaluation purposes.

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PLEASE NOTE

1. The services of the successful bidder shall be used as and when a need arises, during the entire duration of the tender.

2. Based on historical data/ trends, an estimated 500 man hours of assistance per year, may be required from the successful bidder for the successful completion of all the deliverables in the event that assistance is required for all the deliverables.

3. The municipality reserves the right to terminate the services, should satisfaction be received from the successful bidder.

4. The municipality reserves the right to request the appointment of the team composition in order to address a specific need, or should circumstances change during the execution of the project.

6. The municipality reserves the right to appoint different companies for different tasks.

7. Monthly with the submission of an invoice, performance evaluation must be done.

8. Each year at 30 March the updated skills transfer plan must be updated and sent to the CFO for audit purposes.



14. SCHEDULE OF PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

The following are lists of major items of relevant equipment that I/we **presently** own or lease and will have available for this contract or will acquire or hire for this contract if my / our tender is accepted.

| | 1. DETAILS OF MAJOR EQUIPMENT THAT IS OWNED BY AND IMMEDIATELY AVAILABLE FOR THIS CONTRACT. | | | | | |
|----------|--|------|----------|--|--|--|
| QUANTITY | DESCRIPTION | SIZE | CAPACITY | | | |
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Attach additional pages if mores space is required.

| 2. DETAIL OF MAJOR EQUIPMENT THAT WILL BE HIRED, ORE ACQUIRED FOR THIS CONTRACT IF MY / OUR TENDER IS ACCEPTED. | | | | | |
|---|--------------|------|----------|--|--|
| QUANTITY | DESCRIPTION, | SIZE | CAPACITY | | |
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Number of sheets appended by the tenderer to this schedule (If nil, enter NIL)

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15. SCHEDULE OF SUBCONTRACTORS

I/we the tenderer, notify the Bergrivier Municipality that it is our intention to employ the following Subcontractors for work in this contract:

| SUBCONTRACTORS | | | | |
|--------------------|----------------|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Category / Type | Subcont | ractor Name; Address; Contact Person; Tel. No. | Items of work (pay items) to be undertaken by the Subcontractor | Estimated cost of Work (Rand) |
| | Name of firm | | | |
| 1. | Contact person | | | |
| 1. | Tel No | | | |
| | Address | | | |
| | Name of firm | | | |
| 2. | Contact person | | | |
| Ζ. | Tel No | | | |
| | Address | | | |
| | Name of firm | | | |
| 3. | Contact person | | | |
| э. | Tel No | | | |
| | Address | | | |
| | Name of firm | | | |
| 4. | Contact person | | | |
| 4. | Tel No | | | |
| | Address | | | |
| | Name of firm | | | |
| 5. | Contact person | | | |
| | Tel No | | | |
| | Address | | | |
| Number of sl | heets appended | by the tenderer to this schedule (If nil, enter NIL) | | |

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

| SIGNATURE | NAME (PRINT) | |
|--------------|--------------|--|
| CAPACITY | DATE | |
| NAME OF FIRM | | |

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16. SCHEDULE OF WORK EXPERIENCE OF THE TENDERER - CURRENT CONTRACTS

| CURRENT CONTRACTS | | | | | | | |
|--|------------------------------|---|-------------|--------------|------------|---------------------------------|-------------------|
| EMPLOYER (Name, Tel, Fax, Em | nail) (N | Contact Person ame, Tel, Fax, Email) | | NATURE OF | WORK | VALUE OF WORK (INCL. VAT) | DATE COMPLETED |
| Name | Name | | | | | | |
| Tel | Tel | | | | | | |
| Fax | Fax | | | | | | |
| Email | Email | | | | | | |
| Name | Name | | | | | | |
| Tel | Tel | | | | | | |
| Fax | Fax | | | | | | |
| Email | Email | | | | | | |
| Name | Name | | | | | | |
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| Email | Email | | | | | | |
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| Fax | Fax | | | | | | |
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| Name | Name | | | | | | |
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| Email | Email | | | | | | |
| Name | Name | | | | | | |
| Tel | Tel | | | | | | |
| Fax | Fax | | | | | | |
| Email | Email | | | | | | |
| Name | Name | | | | | | |
| Tel | Tel | | | | | | |
| Fax | Fax | | | | | | |
| Email | Email | | | | | | - |
| Attach additional pa this schedule (If nil, ent | ages if mores spa er NIL) | ace is required.N | lumber of s | sheets apper | nded by th | e tenderer to | |
| SIGNATURE | | | NAME (F | PRINT) | | | |
| CAPACITY | | | DATE | | | | |
| NAME OF FIRM | | | | | 1 | | |

Reference No:



17. SCHEDULE OF WORK EXPERIENCE OF THE TENDERER - COMPLETED CONTRACTS

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

| COMPLETED CONTRACTS | | | | | | | |
|-------------------------------------|-------|--|----------------|---------------------------------|-------------------|--|--|
| EMPLOYER (Name, Tel, Fax, Email) | () | Contact Person Name, Tel, Fax, Email) | NATURE OF WORK | VALUE OF WORK (INCL. VAT) | DATE COMPLETED | | |
| Name | Name | | _ | | | | |
| Tel | Tel | | _ | | | | |
| Fax | Fax | | _ | | | | |
| Email | Email | | | | | | |
| Name | Name | | _ | | | | |
| Tel | Tel | | _ | | | | |
| Fax | Fax | | _ | | | | |
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| Name | Name | | | | | | |
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Attach additional pages if mores space is required.

Number of sheets appended by the tenderer to this schedule (If nil, enter NIL)

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18. FORM OF OFFER AND ACCEPTANCE

NOTE:

- 1. This form must be completed in duplicate by both the successful bidder (Part 1) and the purchaser (Part 2). Both forms must be signed in the original so that the successful bidder and the purchaser will be in possession of originally signed contracts for their respective records.
- 2. NO correction fluid/tape may be used.
 - a. In the event of a mistake having been made, it shall be crossed out in ink and be accompanied by an initial at each and every alteration.
- 3. The Bidder MUST indicate whether he/she/the entity is a registered VAT Vendor or not.
 - a. In the case of the Bidder not being a registered VAT Vendor, both columns (amount/rate excluding AND including VAT) must reflect the same amount.

| | INDICATE WITH AN 'X' | | | | | | | | |
|---|----------------------|--|--|--|--|----|--|--|--|
| Are you/is the firm a registered VAT Vendor | YES | | | | | NO | | | |
| If "YES", please provide VAT number | | | | | | | | | |

- 1. OFFER
 - 1.1. The Employer, identified in the Acceptance signature block, has solicited offers to enter into a contract in respect of the following works; **TENDER 8/3/3-2025 MN37-2025**
 - 1.2. The tenderer, identified in the Offer signature block, has examined the draft contract as listed in the Acceptance section and agreed to provide this Offer.
 - 1.3. By the representative of the Tenderer, deemed to be duly authorized, signing this part of this Form of Offer and Acceptance, the Tenderer offers to perform all of the obligations and liabilities of the **Employer** under the contract, including compliance with all its terms and conditions according to their true intent and meaning for an amount to be determined in accordance with the conditions of contract identified in the Contract Data.

| 2. THE ALL-INCLUSIVE RATE/AMOUNT OFFERED IS: | | | | | | |
|--|---|--|--|--|--|--|
| In figures: | R | | | | | |
| In words: | | | | | | |

2.1. This Offer may be accepted by the Employer by signing the Acceptance part of this Form of Offer and Acceptance and returning one copy of this document to the Tenderer before the end of the period of validity stated in the Tender Data, whereupon the Tenderer becomes the party named as the **Contractor** in the conditions of contract identified in the Contract Data.

| Signature(s) | | | |
|-----------------------|---|------|--|
| Name(s) | | | |
| Capacity | | | |
| Name of tenderer: | | | |
| Name of witness: | (Insert name and address of organization) | Date | |
| Signature of witness: | | | |

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3. ACCEPTANCE

- 3.1. By signing this part of this Form of Offer and Acceptance, the Employer identified below accepts the tenderer's Offer. In consideration thereof, the Employer shall pay the Contractor the amount due in accordance with the conditions of contract identified in the Contract Data. Acceptance of the tenderer's Offer shall form an agreement between the Employer and the tenderer upon the terms and conditions contained in this agreement and in the contract that is the subject of this agreement.
- 3.2. Deviations from and amendments to the documents listed in the Tender Data and any addenda thereto listed in the Returnable Schedules as well as any changes to the terms of the Offer agreed by the tenderer and the Employer during this process of offer and acceptance, are contained in the Schedule of Deviations attached to and forming part of this Form of Offer and Acceptance. No amendments to or deviations from said documents are valid unless contained in this Schedule.
- 3.3. It is expressly agreed that no other matter whether in writing, oral communication or implied during the period between the issue of the tender documents and the receipt by the tenderer of a completed signed copy of this Agreement shall have any meaning or effect in the contract between the parties arising from this agreement.

| Signature(s): | | | |
|-----------------------|---------------------------------------|------------|------|
| Name(s): | | | |
| Capacity: | | | |
| For the Employer: | Bergrivier Municipality, Kerk Street, | Piketberg, | 7320 |
| Name of witness: | | Date: | |
| Signature of witness: | | Dato. | |

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19. PRICING SCHEDULE

NOTE:

- 1. Only firm prices will be accepted. Non-firm prices will not be considered.
- 2. All delivery costs MUST be included in the bid price, for delivery at the prescribed destination.
- 3. Document MUST be completed in non-erasable black ink.
- 4. NO correction fluid/tape may be used.
 - a. In the event of a mistake having been made, it shall be crossed out in ink and be accompanied by an initial at each and every alteration.
- 5. The Bidder MUST indicate whether he/she/the entity is a registered VAT Vendor or not.
 - a. In the case of the Bidder not being a registered VAT Vendor, both columns (amount/rate excluding AND including VAT) must reflect the same amount.

I/We

(full name of Bidder) the undersigned in my capacity as _____

of the firm _

hereby offer to BERGRIVIER Municipality to render the services as described, in accordance with the specification

and conditions of contract to the entire satisfaction of the BERGRIVIER Municipality and subject to the conditions

of tender, for the amounts indicated hereunder:

| | INDICATE WITH AN 'X' | | | | | | | | |
|---|----------------------|--|--|--|--|--|--|----|--|
| Are you/is the firm a registered VAT Vendor | YES | | | | | | | NO | |
| If "YES", please provide VAT number | | | | | | | | | |

Please note the following:

- 1. BERGRIVIER Municipality reserves the right to downward adjust the scope of work/ quantity required to stay within its budget.
- 2. Only firm prices will be accepted and non-firm prices will not be considered.

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20. DECLARATION BY TENDERER

I / We acknowledge that I / we am / are fully acquainted with the contents of the conditions of tender of this tender document and that I / we accept the conditions in all respects.

I / We agree that the laws of the Republic of South Africa shall be applicable to the contract resulting from the acceptance of *my / our tender and that I / we elect *domicillium citandi et executandi* (physical address at which legal proceedings may be instituted) in the Republic at:

I / We accept full responsibility for the proper execution and fulfillment of all obligations and conditions devolving in me / us under this agreement as the principal liable for the due fulfillment of this contract.

I / We furthermore confirm I / we satisfied myself / ourselves as to the corrections and validity of my / our tender; that the price quoted cover all the work / items specified in the tender documents and that the price(s) cover all my / our obligations under a resulting contract and that I / we accept that any mistake(s) regarding price and calculations will be at my / our risk.

I / We furthermore confirm that my / our offer remains binding upon me / us and open for acceptance by the Purchases / Employer during the validity period indicated and calculated from the closing date of the bid.

| SIGNATURE | NAME (PRINT) | |
|--------------|--------------|--|
| CAPACITY | DATE | |
| NAME OF FIRM | | |
| WITNESS 1 | WITNESS 2 | |



SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT Enquiries: Mr. S. Wilschut Ref: 6/1/1 Tel: (022)913 6000 E-mail: wilschuts@bergmun.org.za

Fax: (022)913 1380

All Service Providers (SP's) and potential bidders

Dear Sir/Madam

Incomplete documentation in terms of bidding processes.

With reference to the judgment of the Supreme Court of Appeal case number 937/2012 Dr JS Moroka Municipality vs. Bertram (PTY) Limited 2013 JDR 2728 SCA the following:

"In our view the judgment supports the proposition that a Municipality determines the requirements for a valid tender and a failure to comply with the prescribed conditions of tender will result in such tender being disqualified as it would not be an 'acceptable tender' as defined in the Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act 5 of 2000 unless the prescribed conditions are immaterial, unreasonable or unconstitutional.

Therefore, provided that the relevant tender document makes provision for <u>an original tax clearance</u> <u>certificate and/or any other certificates/documents</u> as a prescribed minimum prerequisite and/or peremptory requirement in order for such tender to be considered an 'acceptable tender' and to pass the threshold requirement for consideration and evaluation, and a tenderer fails to provide same, the Municipality would be within its rights to disqualify such tender/tenderer."

Therefore, BERGRIVIER Municipality will with immediate effect exclude all offers from bidders if the required documentation is not handed in/or attached with the original bidding documents.

Adv. Hanlie Linde Municipal Manager

28 February 2025



SMME STATUS

98 No. 41970

GOVERNMENT GAZETTE, 12 OCTOBER 2018

SCHEDULE

The new National Small Enterprise Act thresholds for defining enterprise size classes by sector, using two proxies

| Column 1 | Column 2 | Column 3 | Column 4 |
|--|-----------------------------|---|-----------------------|
| Sectors or sub-sectors in accordance with the Standard Industrial Classification | Size or class of enterprise | Total full-time equivalent of paid employees | Total annual turnover |
| Agriculture | Medium | 250 | 35.0 million |
| | Small | 50 | 17.0 million |
| | Micro | 10 | 7,0 million |
| Mining and Quarrying | Medium | 250 | 210.0 million |
| | Small | 50 | 50.0 million |
| | Micro | 10 | 15.0 milion |
| Manufacturing | Medium | 250 | 170.0 million |
| | Small | <u>50</u> | 50.0 million |
| | Micro | 10 | 10.0 million |
| Electricity, Gas and Water | Medium | 250 | 180.0 million |
| | Small | 50 | 60.0 million |
| | Micro | 10 | 10.0 million |
| Construction | Medium | 250 | 170.0 million |
| | Small | 50 | 75.0 million |
| | Micro | 10 | 10.0 million |
| Retail, motor trade and repair services. | Medium | 250 | 80.0 million |
| | Small | 50 | 25.0 million |
| | Micro | 10 | 7,5 million |
| Wholesale | Medium | 250 | 220.0 million |
| | Small | 50 | 80.0 million |
| | Micro | 10 | 20,0 million |
| Catering, Accommodation and other Trade | Medium | 250 | 40.0 million |
| | Small | 50 | 15.0 million |
| | Micro | 10 | 5,0 million |
| Transport, Storage and Communications | Medium | 250 | 140,0 million |
| | Small | 50 | 45.0 million |
| | Micro | 10 | 7,5 million |
| Finance and Business Services | Medium | 250 | 85.0 million |
| | Small | 50 | 35.0 million |
| | Micro | 10 | 7,5 million |
| Community, Social and Personal Services | Medium | 250 | 70,0 million |
| | Small | 50 | 22.0 million |
| | Micro | 10 | 5,0 million |

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Lindiwe D Zulu, MP Minister of Small Business Development Date: 28 09 2018

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