

#### **REQUEST FOR BIDS:**

(BID NUMBER: PROC T460)

APPOINTMENT OF A SERVICE PROVIDER TO PROVIDE TECHNICAL SUPPORT SERVICES FOR DESIGNING, IMPLEMENTING AND MAINTAINING AN INVOICE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

CLOSING DATE AND TIME: 07 NOVEMBER 2017 AT 11H00 AM

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#### **BID DOCUMENTS CHECK LIST:**

VERY IMPORTANT: THE CONTENTS OF THE BID/ TENDER DOCUMENT MUST BE AS FOLLOWS:

The potential bidder must submit four (2) Bid proposal, compile one (1) original and make one (1) copy from original bid document.

- 1. The Services SETA bid documents must be submitted in official format (not to be re-typed).
- 2. The bid proposal must be properly bonded, punched, numbered and separated per checklist schedule below.

PLEASE SUBMIT THE BID PROPOSAL AS PER AFOREMENTIONED SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS AND BELOW CHECKLIST SCHEDULE, AS IT MAKES IT EASIER FOR THE BID EVALUATION COMMITTEE TO EVALUATE YOUR PROPOSAL.

#### **Checklist Schedule**

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Schedules	Description	YES or NO
Schedule 1	Bid document must be signed and duly completed, together with all declaration of interest/standard bidding documents (SBD's 1, 2, 3.3, 4, 6.1, 7.2, 8, and 9)	
Schedule 2	The potential bidder must be <b>Tax Compliant</b> on National Treasury Central Supplier Database (CSD) prior to award	
Schedule 3	The potential bidder must be registered with National Treasury Central Supplier Database (CSD)	
Schedule 4	Provide and attach a copy of Company Registration Certificate	
Schedule 5	The potential bidder must submit <b>Proof of its B-BBEE Status Level of Contributor</b>	
Schedule 7	Capability of the Service Provider	
Schedule 8	Methodology and project approach	
Schedule 9	Project management	
Schedule 10	Time lines	
Schedule 11	Qualifications and Skills of Human Resources	
Schedule 12	Transformation	
Schedule 13	Identity Documents, Cancelled Cheque or Letter from the Bank Confirming Banking Details	
Schedule 14	Pricing Schedule	
Schedule 15	Bid proposals (2) must be properly bounded.	

1. INVITATION TO BID SBD 1

YOU ARE HEREBY INVITED TO BID FOR REQUIREMENTS OF THE SERVICES SETA (SSETA FOR COMPULSORY SPECIFICATIONS)

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Bid documents must be deposited in the bid box situated at:

**Services Seta (Head Office)** 

15 Sherborne Road,

Parktown,

**Johannesburg** 

2193

#### Important to note:

- Bidders should ensure that bids are delivered timeously to the correct address as late submissions will not be accepted for consideration.
- The bid box is generally open from 08h00 am to 16h00 pm Monday to Thursday and Friday from 08h00 am to 15h00 pm.
- All bids must be submitted on the official forms (not to be re-typed).
- Bidder must complete attendance register when submitting bid proposals

This bid is subject to the Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act and the Preferential Procurement Regulations, 2017, the General Conditions of Contract (GCC) and, if applicable, any other special conditions of contract.

# THE FOLLOWING PARTICULARS MUST BE FURNISHED (FAILURE TO DO SO MAY RESULT IN YOUR BID BEING DISQUALIFIED)

NAME OF BIDDER		
POSTAL ADDRESS		
STREET ADDRESS		
TELEPHONE NUMBER		
CELLPHONE NUMBER		
FACSIMILE NUMBER		
E-MAIL ADDRESS		
VAT REGISTRATION NU	JMBER	
Has an original and valid tax	c clearance certificate been submitted? (SBD 2)	Yes or No
Has a proof of B-BBEE S	tatus Level Contributor been submitted? (SBD 6.1)	Yes or No
If yes, who was the certifi	cate issued by?	
An Accounting Off	ficer as contemplated in the Close Corporation Act (CCA);	
A Verification Age	ncy Accredited by the South African Accreditation System (SA	NAS);
A Registered Audi	itor	

(A B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL VERIFICATION CERTIFICATE MUST BE SUBMITTED IN ORDER TO Page 5 of 64

#### QUALIFY FOR PREFERENCE POINTS FOR B-BBEE)

Are you the Accredited Representative in South Africa for the Goods / Services / Works offered?

- Yes or No (if you indicated yes, please enclose proof)

SIGNATUREOF BIDDER:			
DATE:			
CAPACITY UNDER WHICH THIS BID IS SIGNED:			

#### ANY ENQUIRIES REGARDING THE BIDDING PROCEDURE MAY BE DIRECTED TO:

#### **BID SUBMISSION**

All enquiries regarding this bid should be in writing and may be directed at E-mail tenders@serviceseta.org.za by 11:00 am on the 02 November 2017.

BID DOCUMENTS MUST BE SUBMITTED IN THE TENDER BOX AND ADDRESSED TO:

SENIOR MANAGER: SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT

#### **TENDER PROC-T460:**

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SERVICES SETA (HEAD OFFICE)
15 SHERBORNE ROAD,
PARKTOWN,
JOHANNESBURG
2193

Bidders should ensure that they REGISTER their bid on a Bid Submission Register held by a Security Officer next to the Tender Box and that bids are delivered ON TIME to the correct address.

**NB: LATE BIDS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED** 

# **NB: ALL BIDS MUST BE SUBMITTED IN THE TENDER BOX**

The bid box is open during office hours:

Monday - Thursday: 8am - 4pm

Friday: 8am - 3pm

#### NOTE!

THE RELEVANT AUTHORITY MUST SIGN IN FULL WHERE REQUIRED AND INITIAL ALL PAGES OF THE SBD FORMS

BIDS MUST BE SUBMITTED AS ONE ORIGINAL AND 1 COPY, EACH MARKED AS SUCH.

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.

- In order to meet this requirement bidders are required to complete in full the attached form TCC 001
  "Application for a Tax Clearance Certificate" and submit it to any SARS branch office nationally. The
  Tax Clearance Certificate Requirements are also applicable to foreign bidders / individuals who wish
  to submit bids.
- 2. SARS will then furnish the bidder with a Tax Clearance Certificate that will be valid for a period of 1 (one) year from the date of approval.
- 3. The original Tax Clearance Certificate must be submitted together with the bid. Failure to submit the original and valid Tax Clearance Certificate will result in the invalidation of the bid. Certified copies of the Tax Clearance Certificate will not be acceptable.
- 4. In bids where Consortia / Joint Ventures / Sub-contractors are involved, each party must submit a separate Tax Clearance Certificate.
- 5. Copies of the TCC 001 "Application for a Tax Clearance Certificate" form are available from any SARS branch office nationally or on the website <a href="www.sars.gov.za">www.sars.gov.za</a>.
- Applications for the Tax Clearance Certificates may also be made via eFiling. In order to use this
  provision, taxpayers will need to register with SARS as eFilers through the website <a href="www.sars.gov.za">www.sars.gov.za</a>.
  Or <a href="SARS Application for TCC SBD.pdf">SARS Application for TCC SBD.pdf</a>

3 PRICING SCHEDULE SBD 3.3

# (Professional Services)

#### OFFER TO BE VALID FOR 90 WORKING DAYS FROM THE CLOSING DATE OF BID.

Entity name		
Total value		

In order to compare process, bidders must indicate their prices on the basis of the following:

<u>Deliverables</u>	Total Amount
REQUIREMENTS ANALYSIS - SPECIFICATION AND DOCUMENTATION	
	R
SYSTEMS DESIGN (INCLUDING DOCUMENTATION OF THE DESIGN)	R
SYSTEMS DEVELOPMENT AND TESTING	R
SYSTEMS IMPLEMENTATION – FINAL GO-LIVE	R
TRAINING	
<ul> <li>End User Training (Up to 100 users)</li> </ul>	
Technical skills transfer to the Services SETA Cost Centre Owners, Finance Division, and Pilot on 20 Stakeholders	R
The professional provider must submit a detailed training plan, and all the training will be scheduled at Services SETA Head office <b>only</b> .	
ADD: OTHER COST TO SERVICES SETA (Provide breakdown of additional cost)	R
SUBTOTAL	R
14% VAT	R
TOTAL COST (VAT INCLUSIVE)	R
POST IMPLEMENTATION SUPPORT (VAT INCLUSIVE (PER MONTH UNTIL 31 MARCH 2020))	R

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Travel and <sup>1</sup> Travel and accommodation disbursement will be reimbursed on based on actual costs incurred in line with the Services SETA policies.

# Please Note the following:

- Services provided must price in accordance with the terms of reference
- Bidders are also advised to indicate a total cost breakdown for this assignment
- Own pricing schedule can be compiled to cover costs as per terms of reference.

<sup>\*</sup>Parties qualifying for VAT must complete the VAT column

It must be noted that the bid will NOT necessarily be concluded in terms of total price and/or rates only due to the high technical and functional requirements.

2. Total bid price (incl of all applicable taxes and skills development) R	
3. Period required for commencement with project after acceptance of	of bid
4. Are the rates quoted firm for the full period of contract?	Yes or No
5. If not firm for the full period, provide details of the basis on which a for, for example consumer price index.	ndjustments will be applied

All applicable taxes" includes value- added tax, pay as you earn, income tax, Unemployment

Insurance fund contributions and skills development levies.

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# \*\*\*[DELETE IF NOT APPLICABLE]

Any enquiries regarding bidding procedures may be directed to the following members in writing.

# **Supply Chain Management**

Email: <a href="mailto:simons@serviceseta.org.za">simons@serviceseta.org.za</a>

(011) 276 6166

#### Or for technical information -

Project Office; fulufhedzani phaswana

Email: <a href="mailto:fulufhedzanip@serviceseta.org.za">fulufhedzanip@serviceseta.org.za</a>

Tel: (011) 276 9640

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

2.1	Full Name of bidder or his or her representative	/e:
2.2	Identity Number:	
2.3	Position occupied in the Company (director, tr	ustee, shareholder², member):
2.4	Registration number of company, enterprise,	close corporation, partnership agreement or trust:
2.5	Tax Reference Number:	
2.6	VAT Registration Number:	

2.6.1 The names of all directors / trustees / shareholders / members, their individual identity numbers, tax reference numbers and, if applicable, employee / PERSAL numbers must be indicated in paragraph 3 below.

<sup>1&</sup>quot;State" means -

. ,	ny national or provincial department, national or provincial public enti stitution within the meaning of the Public Finance Management Act, 1999	•
(b) aı	ny municipality or municipal entity;	
(c) pı	rovincial legislature;	
(d) na	ational Assembly or the national Council of provinces; or	
(e) P	arliament.	
	eholder" means a person who owns shares in the company and is activagement of the enterprise or business and exercises control over the enter	•
2.7	Are you or any person connected with the bidder	YES / NO
	presently employed by the state?	
2.7.1	If so, furnish the following particulars:	
	Name of person / director / trustee / shareholder/ member:	
	Name of state institution at which you or the person	
	connected to the bidder is employed :	
	Position occupied in the state institution:	
	Any other particulars:	
2.7.2	If you are presently employed by the state, did you obtain	YES / NO
	the appropriate authority to undertake remunerative	
	work outside employment in the public sector?	
2.7.2.1	If yes, did you attach proof of such authority to the bid	YES / NO
	document?	

(Note: Failure to submit proof of such authority, where applicable, may result in the disqualification of the bid.

2.7.2	.2 If no, furnish reasons for non-submission of such proof:	
2.8	Did you or your spouse, or any of the company's directors /	YES / NO
	trustees / shareholders / members or their spouses conduct	
	business with the state in the previous twelve months?	
2.8.1	If so, furnish particulars:	
2.9	Do you, or any person connected with the bidder, have	YES / NO
	any relationship (family, friend, other) with a person	
	employed by the state and who may be involved with	
	the evaluation and or adjudication of this bid?	
2.9.1	If so, furnish particulars.	
2.10.	Are you, or any person connected with the bidder,	YES / NO
	aware of any relationship (family, friend, other) between	
	any other bidder and any person employed by the state	
	who may be involved with the evaluation and or adjudication	
	of this bid?	

2.10.1 If so, furnish particulars.	
2.11Do you or any of the directors / trustees / shareholders / members	YES / NO
of the company have any interest in any other related companies	
whether or not they are bidding for this contract?	
2.11.1 If so, furnish particulars:	

# Full details of directors / trustees / members / shareholders

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

# **DECLARATION**

I, the undersigned (name)	
Certify that the information furni	shed in Paragraphs 2 and 3 above is correct.
I accept that the state may reject	et the bid or act against me should this declaration prove to be false.
Signature	Date
Position	Name of bidder

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

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

#### Important to note:

Before completing this form, bidders must study the General Conditions, Definitions and Directives Applicable in respect of B-BBEE, as prescribed in the Preferential Procurement Regulations, 2017.

#### 1. GENERAL CONDITIONS

- 1.1 The following preference point systems are applicable to all bids:
  - the 80/20 system for requirements with a Rand value of up to R50 000 000 (all applicable taxes included); and
  - the 90/10 system for requirements with a Rand value above R50 000 000 (all applicable taxes included).
- 1.2 The value of this bid is estimated to be above **R500 000.00**, but below R **50 000 000.00** (all applicable taxes included); therefore **80/20** preference point system shall be applicable
- 1.3 Points for this bid shall be awarded for:
  - (a) Price; and
  - (b) B-BBEE Status Level of Contributor.
- 1.4 The maximum points for this bid are allocated as follows:

	POINTS
PRICE	80
B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL OF CONTRIBUTOR	20
Total points for Price and B-BBEE must not exceed	100

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

#### 2 **DEFINITIONS**

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

#### 3 POINTS AWARDED FOR PRICE

#### 3.2 THE 80/20 OR 90/10 PREFERENCE POINT SYSTEMS

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

80/20 or 90/10

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

Where

Ps = Points scored for price of bid under consideration

Pt = Price of bid under consideration

Pmin = Price of lowest acceptable bid

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

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

B-BBEE Status Level of Contributor	Number of points (80/20 system)
1	20
2	18
3	14
4	12
5	8
6	6
7	4
8	2
Non-compliant contributor	0

5 BID DECLARATION	N	O	IT	Α	R	LΑ	CI	Ε	D	ID	BI		5
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5.2 Bidders who claim points in respect of B-BBEE Status Level of Contribution must complete the following:

6	B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL OF CONTRIBUTOR CLAIMED IN TERMS OF PARAGRAPHS 1.4
	AND 4.1

6.2 B-BBEE Status Level of Contributor:	. =	(maximum of 10 or 20 points)
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(Points claimed in respect of paragraph 7.1 must be in accordance with the table reflected in paragraph 4.1 and must be substantiated by relevant proof of B-BBEE status level of contributor.

#### 7 SUB-CONTRACTING

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

(Tick applicable box)

YES	NO	
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7.2.1 If yes, indicate:

i)	What	percentage	of	the	contract	will	be
	subcontract	ted		%			
ii)	The	name		of	the		sub-

		contractor			
		iv) Whether the sub-contractor is an EME or QSE			
		(Tick applicable box)			
		v) Specify, by ticking the appropriate box, if subterms of Preferential Procurement Regulations,	_	ith an enter	rprise in
D	esigna	ted Group: An EME or QSE which is at last 51% owned by:	EME √	QSE √	
Blac	k peopl	e			
Blac	k peopl	e who are youth			
Blac	k peopl	e who are women			-
Blac	k peopl	e with disabilities			
	k peopl nships	e living in rural or underdeveloped areas or			
Coo	perative	e owned by black people			
Blac	k peopl	e who are military veterans			
		OR	<b>T</b>		
_	EME				
Any	QSE				
8	DECL	ARATION WITH REGARD TO COMPANY/FIRM			
8.2	Nam	e of company/firm:			
8.3	VAT	registration number:			
8.4	Com	pany registration number:			
8.5 TYPE OF COMPANY/ FIRM					
		Partnership/Joint Venture / Consortium			
		One person business/sole propriety			
		Close corporation			
		Company			
		(Pty) Limited			
	[Tici	K APPLICABLE BOX]			
		Page <b>19</b> of <b>6</b> /			

iii) The B-BBEE status level of the sub-

	8.6	DESCRIBE PRINCIPAL BUSINESS ACTIVITIES						
	8.7	COMPANY CLASSIFICATION						
		□ Manufacturer						
		□ Supplier						
		□ Professional service provider						
		☐ Other service providers, e.g. transporter, etc.						
	[ <i>Tio</i>	K APPLICABLE BOX]						
8.8	Tota	I number of years the company/firm has been in business:						
8.9	that and	the undersigned, who is / are duly authorised to do so on behalf of the company/firm, certify the points claimed, based on the B-BBE status level of contributor indicated in paragraphs 1.4 6.1 of the foregoing certificate, qualifies the company/ firm for the preference(s) shown and I / acknowledge that:						
	i)	he information furnished is true and correct;						
	ii)	The preference points claimed are in accordance with the General Conditions as indicated in paragraph 1 of this form;						
	·	n the event of a contract being awarded as a result of points claimed as shown in paragraphs I.4 and 6.1, the contractor may be required to furnish documentary proof to the satisfaction of he purchaser that the claims are correct;						
	iv)	f the B-BBEE status level of contributor has been claimed or obtained on a fraudulent basis or any of the conditions of contract have not been fulfilled, the purchaser may, in addition to any						

(a) disqualify the person from the bidding process;

other remedy it may have -

- (b) recover costs, losses or damages it has incurred or suffered as a result of that person's conduct;
- (c) cancel the contract and claim any damages which it has suffered as a result of having to make less favourable arrangements due to such cancellation;
- (d) recommend that the bidder or contractor, its shareholders and directors, or only the shareholders and directors who acted on a fraudulent basis, be restricted by the National Treasury from obtaining business from any organ of state for a period not exceeding 10 years, after the *audi alteram partem* (hear the other

side) rule has been applied; and

(e) forward the matter for criminal prosecution.

WITNESSES	
1	SIGNATURE(S) OF BIDDERS(S)
2	DATE:
	DATE.

This Form must be filled in Duplicate by both the Service Provider (Part 1) and the Purchaser (Part 2). Both Forms must be signed in the original so that the Service Provider and the Purchaser would be in possession of Originally Signed Contracts for their respective records.

#### PART 1 (TO BE FILLED IN BY THE SERVICE PROVIDER)

- 2. The following documents shall be deemed to form and be read and construed as part of this agreement:
  - (i) Bidding documents, viz
    - Invitation to bid;
    - Tax clearance certificate;
    - Pricing schedule(s);
    - Filled in task directive/proposal;
    - Preference claims for Broad Based Black Economic Empowerment Status Level of Contribution in terms of the Preferential Procurement Regulations 2011;
    - Declaration of interest;
    - Declaration of bidder's past SCM practices;
    - Certificate of Independent Bid Determination;
    - Special Conditions of Contract;
  - (ii) General Conditions of Contract; and
  - (iii) Other (specify)
- 3. I confirm that I have satisfied myself as to the correctness and validity of my bid; that the price(s) and rate(s) quoted cover all the services specified in the bidding documents; that the price(s) and rate(s) cover all my obligations and I accept that any mistakes regarding price(s) and rate(s) and calculations will be at my own risk.

4.	I accept full responsibility for the proper execution and fulfilment of all obligations and conditions devolving on me under this agreement as the principal liable for the due fulfillment of this contract.										
5.		clare that I have no participation in any collusive practices with any bidder or any other person arding this or any other bid.									
6.	I confi	nfirm that I am duly authorised to sign this contract.									
	NAME	(PRINT									
	CAPA	CITY		WITNESSES							
	SIGNA	ATURE		1							
	NAME	OF FIRM									
	DATE										
	CONT	RACT FOR	M - RENDERING OF SERVICES		SBD 7.2						
	PART	2 (TO BE F	ILLED IN BY THE PURCHASER)								
	1.	I	in my ca	pacity as							
		accept you	ur bid under reference number of services indicated hereunder and/o	dated	for the						
	An official order indicating service delivery instructions is forthcoming.										
	3.		e to make payment for the services of the contract, within 30 (thirty) days								

PROVIDE TECHNICAL SUPPORT SERVICES FOR DESIGNING, IMPLEMENTING AND MAINTAINING AN INVOICE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM	PRICE (ALL APPLICABLE TAXES INCLUDED)	COMPLETI ON DATE	B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL OF CONTRIBUTION	MINIMUM THRESHOLD FOR LOCAL PRODUCTION AND CONTENT (if applicable)

4. I confirm that I	am duly authorised to sign this contract.	
SIGNED AT		ON
NAME (PRINT)		
SIGNATURE		
OFFICIAL STAMP		WITNESSES
		1

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

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

# **CERTIFICATION**

I, THE UNDERSIGNED (FULL NAME)						
CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION FURNISHE CORRECT.	D ON THIS DECLARATION FORM IS TRUE AND					
I ACCEPT THAT, IN ADDITION TO CANCELLAT AGAINST ME SHOULD THIS DECLARATION PRO	TION OF A CONTRACT, ACTION MAY BE TAKEN OVE TO BE FALSE.					
Signature	Date					
Position	Name of Bidder					

- 1. This Standard Bidding Document (SBD) must form part of all bids<sup>1</sup> 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).<sup>2</sup> Collusive bidding is a *per se* prohibition meaning that it cannot be justified under any grounds.
- 3. Treasury Regulation 16A9 prescribes that accounting officers and accounting authorities must take all reasonable steps to prevent abuse of the supply chain management system and authorizes accounting officers and accounting authorities to:
  - a. disregard the bid of any bidder if that bidder, or any of its directors have abused the institution's supply chain management system and or committed fraud or any other improper conduct in relation to such system.
  - b. cancel a contract awarded to a supplier of goods and services if the supplier committed any corrupt or fraudulent act during the bidding process or the execution of that contract.
- 4. This SBD serves as a certificate of declaration that would be used by institutions to ensure that, when bids are considered, reasonable steps are taken to prevent any form of bid-rigging.
- 5. In order to give effect to the above, the attached Certificate of Bid Determination (SBD 9) must be completed and submitted with the bid:
- <sup>1</sup> Includes price quotations, advertised competitive bids, limited bids and proposals.
- <sup>2</sup> 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.

I, the undersigned, in submitting the accompanyi	ing bid:
(Bid Number	and Description)

in response to the invitation for the bid made by:	
(Name of Institution)	
do hereby make the following statements that I certify to be true and complete in every	/ respect:
I certify, on behalf of:	_that:
(Name of Bidder)	

- 1. I have read and I understand the contents of this Certificate:
- 2. I understand that the accompanying bid will be disqualified if this Certificate is found not to be true and complete in every respect;
- 3. I am authorized by the bidder to sign this Certificate, and to submit the accompanying bid, on behalf of the bidder:
- 4. Each person whose signature appears on the accompanying bid has been authorized by the bidder to determine the terms of, and to sign the bid, on behalf of the bidder;
- 5. For the purposes of this Certificate and the accompanying bid, I understand that the word "competitor" shall include any individual or organization, other than the bidder, whether or not affiliated with the bidder, who:
  - (a) has been requested to submit a bid in response to this bid invitation;
  - (b) could potentially submit a bid in response to this bid invitation, based on their qualifications, abilities or experience; and
  - (c) provides the same goods and services as the bidder and/or is in the same line of business as the bidder
- 6. The bidder has arrived at the accompanying bid independently from, and without consultation, communication, agreement or arrangement with any competitor. However communication between partners in a joint venture or consortium<sup>3</sup> will not be construed as collusive bidding.
- 7. In particular, without limiting the generality of paragraphs 6 above, there has been no consultation, communication, agreement or arrangement with any competitor regarding:
  - (a) prices;
  - (b) geographical area where product or service will be rendered (market allocation)
  - (c) methods, factors or formulas used to calculate prices;
  - (d) the intention or decision to submit or not to submit, a bid;
  - (e) the submission of a bid which does not meet the specifications and conditions of the bid; or

- (f) bidding with the intention not to win the bid.
- 8. In addition, there have been no consultations, communications, agreements or arrangements with any competitor regarding the quality, quantity, specifications and conditions or delivery particulars of the products or services to which this bid invitation relates.
- 9. The terms of the accompanying bid have not been, and will not be, disclosed by the bidder, directly or indirectly, to any competitor, prior to the date and time of the official bid opening or of the awarding of the contract.
- <sup>3</sup> Joint venture or Consortium means an association of persons for the purpose of combining their expertise, property, capital, efforts, skill and knowledge in an activity for the execution of a contract.
- 10. I am aware that, in addition and without prejudice to any other remedy provided to combat any restrictive practices related to bids and contracts, bids that are suspicious will be reported to the Competition Commission for investigation and possible imposition of administrative penalties in terms of section 59 of the Competition Act No 89 of 1998 and or may be reported to the National Prosecuting Authority (NPA) for criminal investigation and or may be restricted from conducting business with the public sector for a period not exceeding ten (10) years in terms of the Prevention and Combating of Corrupt Activities Act No 12 of 2004 or any other applicable legislation.

Signature	Date
Position	Name of Ridder

#### 9 AUTHORITY FOR SIGNATORY

Signatories for close corporations and companies shall confirm their authority **by attaching to this form** a duly signed and dated copy of the relevant resolution of their members or their board of directors, as the case may be.

# An example for a company is shown below:

" By resolution of the board of director	ors passed on	20
Mr		has been duly authorized to sign all
documents in connection with the Te	nder for Contract	
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SIGNED ON BEHALF OF THE COM	IPANY:	
IN HIS CAPACITY AS:		
DATE:		
SIGNATURE OF SIGNATORY:		
AS WITNESSES: 1		
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#### 1. PURPOSE OF THIS PROJECT

APPOINTMENT OF A SERVICE PROVIDER TO PROVIDE TECHNICAL SUPPORT SERVICES FOR DESIGNING, IMPLEMENTING AND MAINTAINING AN INVOICE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

#### INTRODUCTION AND OVERALL OBJECTIVES

The Services Sector Education and Training Authority (SSETA) was established and registered in March 2000 in terms of the Skills Development Act of 1998. The SETA aims to provide for the skills development needs of the services sector through the bursary awards and implementation of learnerships, disbursement of grants and monitoring of education and training.

The Services Sector Education and Training Authority (Services SETA) hereby invites bids from experienced, knowledgeable service providers to submit proposals for the development of an integrated invoice management system to enable the Service SETA to control and manage the invoice process from receiving, verification, authorisation to payment. The system should allow Services SETA's service providers to submit invoices and related supporting documents electronically. Upon receipt the system should automatically match the invoices to the purchase order/contract number then accept/reject the invoice. The system should enable service providers to search and trace invoices and their statuses and produce timeous statistics report.

# NO LATE SUBMISSIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED FOR EVALUATION AFTER THE CLOSING DATE AND TIME.

Please note that all pertinent documentation is available on the Services SETA website at www.serviceseta.org.za

#### 2. BACKGROUND

The Services SETA has two broad categories of invoices;

- a) Invoices submitted for training (non-exchange) these are generally based on the allocation of discretionary grants for implementation of learning interventions (learnerships, internships, skills programmes, bursaries, etc) for the benefit of learners
- b) Invoices submitted for supply of goods and services (exchange transactions) this refers to invoices submitted by service providers for providing a service and delivery of goods for the benefit of Services SETA in executing its mandate (i.e stationery, catering, equipment, professional services, etc)

The Services SETA servers stakeholders in all 9 provinces and has a head office located at number 15 Sherborne Road, Parktown, Johannesburg, and provincial offices in all 9 South African provinces. The

Services SETA is currently receiving and manually tracking more than 1000 invoices from stakeholders on a monthly basis and requires a system that will enable an automated control and management of the invoice process from receiving, verification, authorisation to payment.

The Services SETA financial system is Microsoft Dynamics AX with the following modules used related to invoice processing;

- a) General Finance (General ledger, payments, bank management)
- b) Supply Chain Management (Purchasing Management and General Contract Management)

#### 3. SCOPE OF WORK/ DELIVERABLES

- a. The invoice management system should be configured to interface with Microsoft Dynamics AX
- b. The system is expected to:
  - Allow for external submission of invoices and supporting documents with all related security measures incorporated in to the system
  - Automatically control and manage invoice processing through a complete workflow with notifications, reminders and escalations (notifications sent through an email)
  - Accept invoices in any document type and convert to the format that can be used by the SETA
  - Read the invoice, capture prescribed minimum information captured on the invoice, validation and communicate exceptions to the submitter- i.e but not limited to;
    - Outstanding invoice information
    - Duplicate invoice numbers
  - Once validated automatically match submitted invoices to the purchase order / purchase agreement
  - Automatically forward invoices to end-user departments for verification and approval
  - Once approved automatically load the invoice on the information to Microsoft Dynamics AX
  - Interact with stakeholder (submitter) on the status of the invoice and provide text comments where possible
    - o Received, verification, authorisation, payment, Paid, Not Paid, comments
  - Interface with Microsoft AX Dynamics for validation of invoices
  - Complete document archive on invoices and payments history
  - Search and trace invoices at different stages
  - Categories invoices into Discretionary Grants, Administration and Project Support
  - Produce periodic reports, statistics and dashboard (summary of invoices processed per month by category, ageing of invoices.
  - Allow end-user departments to appraise services providers performance and notify the service provider
  - Allow for uploading of service level agreement and escalations where the invoices have not been actioned
  - Flag budget shortages where applicable for both the service provider and the SETA

The company bid proposal must cover, but not limited to the following:

- Different stages of system development and implementation
- Skills transfer
- Process flows
- System descriptions
- Training Manuals
- Post Go-Live support
- Monthly support

Bidders might be invited to make a presentation as part of the selection process

#### 4. THE DURATION OF ASSIGNMENT

Three months for development and implementation. Post implementation support until 31 March 2020.

5. KINDLY FORWARD THE FOLLOWING BID DOCUMENTS, WHERE A CERTIFIED COPY OF A DOCUMENT IS REQUIRED, IT MUST BE CERTIFIED WITHIN THE LAST THREE (3) MONTHS

# **QUALIFICATION REQUIREMENT**

QUALIFICATION/ GATEKEEPER REQUIREMENT				
	Has the docume attached			
<ol> <li>The potential bidder must be registered with National Treasury Central Supplied Database (CSD).</li> </ol>	er Yes	No		
<ol><li>The potential bidder must be tax compliant on National Treasury Centres Supplier Database (CSD) prior to award.</li></ol>	al Yes	No 🗆		
<ol> <li>Bid document must be signed and duly completed, together with all declaration of interest/ standard bidding documents (SBD's 1, 2, 3.3, 4, 6.1, 7.2, 8, and 9</li> </ol>		No 🗆		
4. Provide and attach a copy of Company Registration Certificate.	Yes	No		
The bidder must comply with the aforementioned qualification requirements above. Failure to abide by any of the requirements will lead to automatic disqualification.				
OTHER IMPORTANT BID REQUIREMENT				

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PLEASE NOTE:		
The tenderer failing to submit proof of B-BBEE status level of contributor or is a non-compliant contributor to B-BBEE may not be disqualified, but may only score points out of 80 for price; and scores Zero(0) points out of 20 for B-BBEE.		
2. The Supplier status must be active, when verifying with Central Supplier Database	Yes	No
(CSD). Provide MAAA number		
3. Tax Clearance certificate Verification purposes, the potential bidder must indicate	Yes	No
pin number		

#### 6. EVALUATION CRITERIA

The value of this bid is estimated to be above R500 000 but below R50 000 000 (all applicable taxes included); therefore the **80/20** system shall be applicable.

#### **Criterion 1- Qualification Requirement**

Bidders will first be evaluated in terms of the gatekeeper/minimum requirements. Bidders who do not fulfil all the requirements or do not submit the required documents will be disqualified.

#### **Criterion 2-**Functionality Evaluation

Functionality is worth 100 points. The minimum threshold is 70 points. <u>Bidders who score less than 70 points on functionality will therefore be disqualified</u>; those who score 70 points or more will be further evaluated on **Criteria 3.** <u>Functionality is the core criteria to this award and will be given a higher weight and may thereof be used as the basis for award</u>

#### **Criterion 3-Price and Preference Evaluation**

Price and Preference points (B-BBEE status level of contributor), Evaluation will be conducted on a 80/20 preferential procurement principle.

NOTE: For the purpose of comparison and in order to ensure a meaningful evaluation, bidders must submit detailed information in substantiation of compliance to the evaluation criteria mentioned-above. Bidders may be invited to make a presentation as part of the evaluation process

#### **FUNCTIONALITY SCORE SHEET**

NAME OF POTENTIAL BIDDER.
BID REFERENCE NUMBER

Α	В	С	D	Е	F	G	Н
FUNCTIONA LITY	REQUIREMENT	SCORE QUALIFICATION	MEASUREMENT (what must be provided/ demonstrated as minimum)				
			Indicate what pages/ section in proposal?	Weight ed Points	Yes	No	Scor e
Capability of Service Provider	The potential bidder must provide and attach three formal testimonial/ references letters with logo, letterhead, contactable details and similar work/services executed signed by company representative/ Senior Official.	Attach (3) three or more written testimonials letters not older than five (5) years.  - Three (3) testimonial = 10pts - Two (2) testimonial = 7.5pts - One (1) testimonial = 5pts - No written testimonial=0pts	Attach three (3) references letters  What page (s) or section of your proposal for 3 references letters may be found?  State page (s) numberor State section/ tabon your proposal.	10pts			
Methodology and Project Approach	Demonstrate project implementation plan	<ul> <li>Control and manage invoice processing =10pts</li> <li>Integration with other Services SETA System=10pts</li> <li>Document depository=10pts</li> <li>Accept, read and validation of invoices=10pts</li> </ul>	Demonstrating your Bid proposal What page (s) or section of your proposal information may be found?	50pts			

		<ul> <li>Configuration of system dashboard= 2.5pts</li> <li>Communication platform (interface with internal and external stakeholders)= 2.5pts</li> <li>Configuration of reports=5pts</li> </ul>	State page (s) numberor  State section/ tabon your  proposal			
Project management	Demonstrate ability for system development life cycle	Establishment and coordination of Project Steer Committee=2.5pts     System Development life cycle=7.5pts     Process not limited     Establish system user functional requirement     Develop functional requirement document and obtain sign off from supper users     System development/configuration     User acceptance testing     Training     System implementation support	Demonstrating your Bid proposal What page (s) or section of your proposal information may be found?  State page (s) number	10pts		
Time lines	Demonstrate ability to develop system within timelines	Turnaround time to deliver on Invoice Management System.  0-4 months turnaround time=10pts  4-7 months turnaround time= 8pts  7-10 months turnaround time= 5pts  Above 10 months turnaround time=0pts	Demonstrating your Bid proposal What page (s) or section of your proposal information may be found?      State page (s) numberor     State section/ tabon your proposal.	10pts		
Qualification s and Skills of Human Resources	The proposed team must demonstrate experience, qualifications and capabilities including those of team leader/s, account managers and project managers. The proposed team and its leaders must have at least five (5) years' experience	The bidder must provide key team members CVs with expertise and experience in ICT solution design, Architect, Development and project management:  - Solution Design =2pts - IT Architect =2pts - IT Development =2pts - Successful IT project management =2pts - Development Methodology =2pts	Attach CV's and qualification on your company proposal  What page (s) or section of your proposal information may be found?	10pts		

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#### 11. GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT

# THE NATIONAL TREASURY Republic of South Africa

# GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT: GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT July 2010

#### **NOTES**

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

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

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□ Special Conditions of Contract (SCC) relevant to a specific bid, should be compiled separately for every bid (if (applicable) and will supplement the General Conditions of Contract. Whenever there is a conflict, the provisions in the SCC shall prevail.

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#### **General Conditions of Contract**

#### 1. Definitions

- 1. The following terms shall be interpreted as indicated:
- 1.1 "Closing time" means the date and hour specified in the bidding documents for the receipt of bids.
- 1.2 "Contract" means the written agreement entered into between the purchaser and the supplier, as recorded in the contract form signed by the parties, including all attachments and appendices thereto and all documents incorporated by reference therein.
- 1.3 "Contract price" means the price payable to the supplier under the contract for the full and proper performance of his contractual obligations.
- 1.4 "Corrupt practice" means the offering, giving, receiving, or soliciting of 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. Such events may include, but is not restricted to, acts of the purchaser in its sovereign capacity, wars or revolutions, fires, floods, epidemics, quarantine restrictions and freight embargoes.

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

# 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 With certain exceptions, invitations to bid are only published in the Government Tender Bulletin. The Government Tender Bulletin may be obtained directly from the Government Printer, Private Bag X85, Pretoria 0001, or accessed electronically from <a href="https://www.treasury.gov.za">www.treasury.gov.za</a>

#### 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 so far as may be necessary for purposes of such performance.
- 5.2 The supplier shall not, without the purchaser's prior written consent, make use of any document or information mentioned in GCC clause 5.1 except for purposes of performing the contract.
- 5.3 Any document, other than the contract itself mentioned in GCC clause 5.1 shall remain the property of the purchaser and shall be returned (all copies) to the purchaser on completion of the supplier's performance under the contract if so required by the purchaser.
- 5.4 The supplier shall permit the purchaser to inspect the supplier's records relating to the performance of the supplier and to have them audited by auditors appointed by the purchaser, if so required by the purchaser.

# 6. Patent rights

6.1 The supplier shall indemnify the purchaser against all third-party claims of infringement of patent, trademark, or industrial design rights arising from use of the goods or any part thereof by the purchaser.

# 7. Performance security

- 7.1.1 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.
- 7.1.2 The proceeds of the performance security shall be payable to the purchaser as compensation for any loss resulting from the supplier's failure to complete his obligations under the contract.
- 7.3 The performance security shall be denominated in the currency of the contract, or in a freely convertible currency acceptable to the purchaser and shall be in one of the following forms:
  - (a) a bank guarantee or an irrevocable letter of credit issued by a reputable bank located in the purchaser's country or abroad, acceptable to the purchaser, in the form provided in the bidding documents or another form acceptable to the purchaser; or
  - (b) a cashier's or certified cheque
- 7.4 The performance security will be discharged by the purchaser and returned to the supplier not later than thirty (30) days following the date of completion of the supplier's performance obligations under the contract, including any warranty obligations, unless otherwise specified in SCC.

#### 8. Inspections, tests and 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 inspection, the premises of the bidder or contractor shall be open, at all reasonable hours, for inspection by a representative of the Department or an organization acting on behalf of the Department.
- 8.3 If there are no inspection requirements indicated in the bidding documents and no mention is made in the contract, but during the contract period it is decided that inspections shall be carried out, the purchaser shall itself make the necessary arrangements, including payment arrangements with the

testing authority concerned.

- 8.4 If the inspections, tests and analyses referred to in clauses 8.2 and 8.3 show the supplies to be in accordance with the contract requirements, the cost of the inspections, tests and analyses shall be defrayed by the purchaser.
- 8.5 Where the supplies or services referred to in clauses 8.2 and 8.3 do not comply with the contract requirements, irrespective of whether such supplies or services are accepted or not, the cost in connection with these inspections, tests or analyses shall be defrayed by the supplier.
- 8.6 Supplies and services which are referred to in clauses 8.2 and 8.3 and which do not comply with the contract requirements may be rejected. 8.7 Any contract supplies may on or after delivery be inspected, tested or analyzed and may be rejected if found not to comply with the requirements of the contract. Such rejected supplies shall be held at the cost and risk of the supplier who shall, when called upon, remove them immediately at his own cost and forthwith substitute them with supplies which do comply with the requirements of the contract. Failing such removal the rejected supplies shall be returned at the suppliers cost and risk. Should the supplier fail to provide the substitute supplies forthwith, the purchaser may, without giving the supplier further opportunity to substitute the rejected supplies, purchase such supplies as may be necessary at the expense of the supplier.
- 8.8 The provisions of clauses 8.4 to 8.7 shall not prejudice the right of the purchaser to cancel the contract on account of a breach of the conditions thereof, or to act in terms of Clause 23 of GCC.

# 9. Packing

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

# 10. Delivery and documents

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

#### 11. Insurance

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

# 12. Transportation

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

#### 13. Incidental services

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

#### 14. Spare parts

- 14.1 As specified in SCC, the supplier may be required to provide any or all of the following materials, notifications, and information pertaining to spare parts manufactured or distributed by the supplier:
  - (a) such spare parts as the purchaser may elect to purchase from the supplier, provided that this election shall not relieve the supplier of any warranty obligations under the contract; and
  - (b) in the event of termination of production of the spare parts:
    - (i) Advance notification to the purchaser of the pending termination, in sufficient time to permit the purchaser to procure needed requirements; and
    - (ii) following such termination, furnishing at no cost to the purchaser, the blueprints, drawings, and specifications of the spare parts, if requested.

#### 15. Warranty

- 15.1 The supplier warrants that the goods supplied under the contract are new, unused, of the most recent or current models, and that they incorporate all recent improvements in design and materials unless provided otherwise in the contract. The supplier further warrants that all goods supplied under this contract shall have no defect, arising from design, materials, or workmanship (except when the design and/or material is required by the purchaser's specifications) or from any act or omission of the supplier, that may develop under normal use of the supplied goods in the conditions prevailing in the country of final destination.
- 15.2 This warranty shall remain valid for twelve (12) months after the goods, or any portion thereof as the case may be, have been delivered to and accepted at the final destination indicated in the contract, or for eighteen (18) months after the date of shipment from the port or place of loading in the source country, whichever period concludes earlier, unless specified otherwise in SCC.
- 15.3 The purchaser shall promptly notify the supplier in writing of any claims arising under this warranty.
- 15.4 Upon receipt of such notice, the supplier shall, within the period specified in SCC and with all reasonable speed, repair or replace the defective goods or parts thereof, without costs to the purchaser.
- 15.5 If the supplier, having been notified, fails to remedy the defect(s) within the period specified in SCC, the purchaser may proceed to take 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 specifie;9d in SCC.
- 16.2 The supplier shall furnish the purchaser with an invoice accompanied by a copy of the delivery note and upon fulfillment of other obligations stipulated in the contract.
- 16.3 Payments shall be made promptly by the purchaser, but in no case later than thirty (30) days after submission of an invoice or claim by the supplier.
- 16.4 Payment will be made in Rand unless otherwise stipulated in SCC.

#### 17. Prices

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

#### 18. Contract amendments

18.1 No variation in or modification of the terms of the contract shall be made except by written amendment signed by the parties concerned.

# 19. Assignment

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

#### 20. Subcontracts

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

#### 21. Delays in the supplier's performance

- 21. Delivery of the goods and performance of services shall be made by the supplier in accordance with the time schedule prescribed by the purchaser in the contract.
- 21.2 If at any time during performance of the contract, the supplier or its subcontractor(s) should encounter conditions impeding timely delivery of the goods and performance of services, the supplier shall promptly notify the purchaser in writing of the fact of the delay, its likely duration and its cause(s). As soon as practicable after receipt of the supplier's notice, the purchaser shall evaluate the situation and may at his discretion extend the supplier's time for performance, with or without the imposition of penalties, in which case the extension shall be ratified by the parties by amendment of contract.
- 21.3 No provision in a contract shall be deemed to prohibit the obtaining of supplies or services from a national department, provincial department, or a local authority.
- 21.4 The right is reserved to procure outside of the contract small quantities or to have minor essential services executed if an emergency arises, the supplier's point of supply is not situated at or near the place where the supplies are required, or the supplier's services are not readily available.
- 21.5 Except as provided under GCC Clause 25, a delay by the supplier in the performance of its delivery obligations shall render the supplier liable to the imposition of penalties, pursuant to GCC Clause
- 22, unless an extension of time is agreed upon pursuant to GCC Clause 21.2 without the application of penalties.
- 21.6 Upon any delay beyond the delivery period in the case of a supplies contract, the purchaser shall, without canceling the contract, be entitled to purchase supplies of a similar quality and up to the same quantity in substitution of the goods not supplied in conformity with the contract and to return any goods delivered later at the supplier's expense and risk, or to cancel the contract and buy such goods as may be required to complete the contract and without prejudice to his other rights, be entitled to claim damages from the supplier.

#### 22. Penalties

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

#### 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:
  - (a) if the supplier fails to deliver any or all of the goods within the period(s) specified in the contract, or within any extension thereof granted by the purchaser pursuant to GCC Clause 21.2;
  - (b) if the Supplier fails to perform any other obligation(s) under the contract; or
  - (c) if the supplier, in the judgment of the purchaser, has engaged in corrupt or fraudulent practices in competing for or in executing the contract.
- 23.2 In the event the purchaser terminates the contract in whole or in part, the purchaser may procure, upon such terms and in such manner as it deems appropriate, goods, works or services similar to those undelivered, and the supplier shall be liable to the purchaser for any excess costs for such similar goods, works or services. However, the supplier shall continue performance of the contract to the extent not terminated.
- 23.3 Where the purchaser terminates the contract in whole or in part, the purchaser may decide to impose a restriction penalty on the supplier by prohibiting such supplier from doing business with the public sector for a period not exceeding 10 years.
- 23.4 If a purchaser intends imposing a restriction on a supplier or any person associated with the supplier, the supplier will be allowed a time period of not more than fourteen (14) days to provide reasons why the envisaged restriction should not be imposed. Should the supplier fail to respond within the stipulated fourteen (14) days the purchaser may regard the intended penalty as not objected against and may impose it on the supplier.
- 23.5 Any restriction imposed on any person by the Accounting Officer / Authority will, at the discretion of the Accounting Officer / Authority, also be applicable to any other enterprise or any partner, manager, director or other person who wholly or partly exercises or exercised or may exercise control over the enterprise of the first-mentioned person, and with which enterprise or person the first-mentioned person, is or was in the opinion of the Accounting Officer / Authority actively associated.
- 23.6 If a restriction is imposed, the purchaser must, within five (5) working days of such imposition, furnish the National Treasury, with the following information:
  - (i) the name and address of the supplier and / or person restricted by the purchaser;
  - (ii) the date of commencement of the restriction
  - (iii) the period of restriction; and
  - (iv) the reasons for the restriction.

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

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

# 24. Anti-dumping and countervailing duties and rights

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

#### 25. Force Majeure

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

# 26. Termination for insolvency

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

# 27. Settlement of Disputes

- 27.1 If any dispute or difference of any kind whatsoever arises between the purchaser and the supplier in connection with or arising out of the contract, the parties shall make every effort to resolve amicably such dispute or difference by mutual consultation.
- 27.2 If, after thirty (30) days, the parties have failed to resolve their dispute or difference by such mutual consultation, then either the purchaser or the supplier may give notice to the other party of his intention to commence with mediation. No mediation in respect of this matter may be commenced unless such notice is given to the other party.
- 27.3 Should it not be possible to settle a dispute by means of mediation, it may be settled in a South African court of law.
- 27.4 Mediation proceedings shall be conducted in accordance with the rules of procedure specified in the SCC.
- 27.5 Notwithstanding any reference to mediation and/or court proceedings herein,
  - (a) the parties shall continue to perform their respective obligations under the contract unless they otherwise agree; and
  - (b) the purchaser shall pay the supplier any monies due the supplier.

# 28. Limitation of liability

- 28.1 Except in cases of criminal negligence or willful misconduct, and in the case of infringement pursuant to Clause 6;
  - (a) the supplier shall not be liable to the purchaser, whether in contract, tort, or otherwise, for any indirect or consequential loss or damage, loss of use, loss of production, or loss of profits or interest costs, provided that this exclusion shall not apply to any obligation of the supplier to pay penalties and/or damages to the purchaser; and

(b) the aggregate liability of the supplier to the purchaser, whether under the contract, in tort or otherwise, shall not exceed the total contract price, provided that this limitation shall not apply to the cost of repairing or replacing defective equipment.

#### 29. Governing language

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

# 30. Applicable law

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

#### 31. Notices

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

# 32. Taxes and duties

- 32.1 A foreign supplier shall be entirely responsible for all taxes, stamp duties, license fees, and other such levies imposed outside the purchaser's country.
- 32.2 A local supplier shall be entirely responsible for all taxes, duties, license fees, etc., incurred until delivery of the contracted goods to the purchaser.
- 32.3 No contract shall be concluded with any bidder whose tax matters are not in order. Prior to the award of a bid the Department must be in possession of a tax clearance certificate, submitted by the bidder. This certificate must be an original issued by the South African Revenue Services.

# 33. National Industrial Participation (NIP) Programme

33.1 The NIP Programme administered by the Department of Trade and Industry shall be applicable to all contracts that are subject to the NIP obligation.

# 34 Prohibition of Restrictive practices

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

### 12. SERVICES SETA SUPPLIER DECLARATION FORM

The Supply Chain Management Manager

SSETA Vendor Management has received a request to load your company on to the SSETA vendor database. Please furnish us with the following to enable us to process this request:

- 1. Complete the "Supplier Declaration Form" (SDF) on page 2 of this letter
- 2. **Original** cancelled cheque **OR** letter from the bank verifying banking details (**with bank** stamp)
- 3. **Certified** copy of Identity document of Shareholders/Directors/Members (where applicable)
- 4. **Certified** copy of certificate of incorporation, CM29 / CM9 (name change)
- 5. **Certified** copy of share Certificates of Shareholders, CK1 / CK2 (if CC)
- 6. A letter with the company's letterhead confirming physical and postal addresses
- 7. **Original** or **certified** copy of SARS Tax Clearance certificate and Vat registration certificate
- 8. Proof of company registered with National Treasury Central Supplier Database (CSD)
- 9. Tax compliant on National Treasury Central Supplier Database (CSD) prior to award (Refer above 8)
- 10. Proof of B-BBEE status level of contributor" means:

- B-BBEE Status level certificate issued by an authorized body or person;
- A sworn affidavit as prescribed by the B-BBEE Codes of Good Practice;
- Any other requirement prescribed in terms of the B-BBEE Act;

#### NB: • Failure to submit the above documentation will delay the vendor creation process.

• Where applicable, the respective Services SETA business unit processing your application may request further information from you. E.g. proof of an existence of a Service/Business contract between your business and the SSETA.

# **IMPORTANT NOTES:**

- a) <u>If your annual turnover is less than R10million</u>, then in terms of the DTI codes, you are classified as an Exempted Micro Enterprise (EME). If the company is classified as an EME, the company is only required to obtain a sworn affidavit on an annual basis, confirming the following: (a) Annual Total Revenue of R10milion or less and (b) Level of Black Ownership.
- b) <u>If your annual turnover is between R10million and R50million</u>, then in terms of the DTI codes, you are classified as a Qualifying Small Enterprise (QSE). A QSE must comply with all of the elements of B-BBEE for the purposes of measurement.

# Enhanced B-BBEE recognition level for QSE:

- A QSE which is 100% Black Owned qualifies for a Level One B-BBEE recognition.
- A QSE which is at least 51% Black Owned qualifies for a Level Two B-BBEE recognition level
- In the above cases the QSEs mentioned above are only required to obtain an sworn affidavit on an annual basis confirming the following:
  - a) Annual Total Revenue of R50million or less;
  - b) Level of Ownership
- c) <u>If your annual turnover is in excess of R50million</u>, then in terms of the DTI codes, you are classified as a Large Enterprise and you claim a specific BEE level based on all 5 elements of the BBBEE Generic score-card. Please include your BEE certificate in your submission as confirmation of your status.

NB: BBBEE certificate and detailed scorecard should be obtained from an accredited rating agency (permanent SANAS Member).

- d) To avoid PAYE tax being automatically deducted from any invoices received from you, you must also contact the SSETA person who lodged this request on your behalf, so as to be correctly classified in terms of Tax legislation.
- e) Unfortunately, <u>No payments can be made to a vendor</u> until the vendor has been registered, and no vendor can be registered until the vendor application form, together with its supporting documentation, has been received and processed.

f) Please return the completed Supplier Declaration Form (SDF) together with the required supporting documents mentioned above to the SSETA Official who is intending to procure your company's services/products in order that he/she should complete and Internal SSETA Departmental Questionnaire before referring the matter to the appropriate SSETA Vendor Office.

Regards,

# SUPPLIER DECLARATION FORM

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4.2.9	If Yes to points	4.2.7 & 4.2.	8, list detai	ils of employee	es/ex-employ	rees	
SURNAME	IDENTITY	NAM		TITLE IN	%	TYPE OF	
& INITIALS	NUMBER	ADDRE: OTHER	SS OF	OTHER FIRM	OWNED	BUSINESS OF OTHER FIRM	
DECLARATION							
I, the undersigned he	ereby declare, in m	y capacity a	s				
and duly authorised to Service SETA any load of the said information	ss and/or damages						

# DULY AUTHORISED TO SIGN FOR AND ON BEHALF OF ENTERPRISE/ORGANISATION: Name: Signature: Date: Telephone Address: 13. BID DOCUMENT CHECKLIST This table acts as is a guide of documents to be signed and provided with the technical proposal and can in no way be constructed as the total requirement to be submitted. The onus and responsibility for completeness of a bid proposal resides with the bidder. The Services SETA will not be held accountable or responsible for a reminder not included in the checklist but that was a requirement No REQUIREMENT **DECLARATION**

1.	Has your company/institution information been completed and signed by the relevant authority?	Yes 🗌	No 🗌
2.	Has the declaration of interest been completed and signed by the relevant authority?	Yes 🗌	No 🗌
3.	Has the declaration of bidder's past SCM practices been completed and signed by the relevant authority?	Yes 🗌	No 🗌
4.	Has the certificate of Independent bid determination been completed and signed by the relevant authority?	Yes 🗌	No 🗌
5.	Has all the pre-requisite documentation and information been provided? Omission will lead to disqualification!	Yes 🗌	No 🗌

6.	Is preference points claimed? Incomplete information will not lead to	Yes 🗌	No 🗌
	disqualification; however no point can be claimed.		
7.	Does your technical proposal address ALL the elements listed in the Terms of Reference/ Scope of Work?	Yes 🗌	No 🗌
8.	Has CV's been provided where required?	Yes 🗌	No 🗌
9.	Has the pricing schedule been completed and signed?	Yes 🗌	No 🗌
10	Is your bid proposal aligned to the evaluation criteria and have you noted the elements required for evaluation?	Yes 🗌	No 🗌
11	Has the undertaking by the bidder been noted and signed by the relevant authority?	Yes 🗌	No 🗌
12	Have the General Conditions of Contract (GCC) been noted?	Yes 🗌	No 🗌