

## **TENDER**

### **FOR**

### PROVISION OF CASE 360 MAINTENANCE AND SUPPORT

**TENDER NO: ST/ICT/EDMS/08/19** 

**INVITATION DATE: 5<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY, 2019** 

CLOSING DATE: 20<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY, 2019 AT: 12.00 NOON

# ALL TENDERERS ARE ADVISED TO READ CAREFULLY THIS TENDER DOCUMENT IN ITS ENTIRETY BEFORE MAKING ANY BID

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### SECTION I – INVITATION TO TENDER

Date: 5<sup>th</sup> February, 2019 Tender No. ST/EDMS/08/19

**Tender name: PROVISION OF CASE 360 MAINTENANCE AND SUPPORT** 

- 1.1 The Stima Sacco society invites sealed tenders from eligible candidates for the provision of case 360 annual maintenance, integration and support for Stima Sacco ltd and Kodak pro licenses.
- 1.2 Interested eligible candidates may obtain further information from and inspect the tender documents from Procurement Office, Stima Sacco, Stima Sacco plaza, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor Mushembi road, **free of charge** during normal working hours from Monday to Friday (excluding any public or gazetted holiday) between **9.00 a.m. & 12.30 p.m.** and **2.00 p.m. & 4.30 p.m**.
- 1.3 Prices quoted should be net inclusive of all taxes and delivery costs, must be Expressed in Kenya shillings and shall remain valid for a period of **90 days** from the closing date of the tender.
- 1.4 Completed tender documents are to be enclosed in plain sealed envelopes, marked- Tender for Provision of Case 360 Maintenance and support as more particularly described in the tender document and be deposited in the tender box provided at Ground Floor, Stima Sacco Plaza, Nairobi and be addressed to:

Chief executive officer Stima Sacco society ltd P.O. BOX 75629-00200 Nairobi.

to be received on or before 20th February, 2019 at 12.00 noon.

1.5 Tenders will be opened immediately thereafter in the presence of the tenderers representatives who choose to attend the opening at Stima Sacco board Room, Stima Sacco plaza, second floor.

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## SECTION II INSTRUCTIONS TO TENDERERS

## 2.1 Eligible tenderers

- 2.1.1. This Invitation to tender is open to all tenderers eligible as described in the instructions to tenderers. Successful tenderers shall provide the services for the stipulated duration from the date of commencement (hereinafter referred to as the term) specified in the tender documents.
- 2.1.2. Stima Sacco employees, committee members, board members and their relative (spouse and children) are not eligible to participate in the tender unless where specially allowed under section 131 of the Act.
- 2.1.3. Tenderers shall provide the qualification information statement that the tenderer (including all members, of a joint venture and subcontractors) is not associated, or have been associated in the past, directly or indirectly, with a firm or any of its affiliates which have been engaged by Stima Sacco to provide consulting services for the preparation of the design, specifications, and other documents to be used for the procurement of the services under this Invitation for tenders.
- **2.1.4.** Tenderers involved in corrupt or fraudulent practices or debarred from participating in public procurement shall not be eligible.

## 2.2 Cost of tendering

- **2.2.1** The Tenderer shall bear all costs associated with the preparation and submission of its tender, and Stima Sacco, will in no case be responsible or liable for those costs, regardless of the conduct or outcome of the tendering process.
- **2.2.2** The price to be charged for the tender document shall not exceed Kshs.5,000/=
- **2.2.3** Stima Sacco shall allow the tenderer to review the tender document free of charge before purchase.

#### 2.3 Contents of tender documents

- 2.3.1. The tender document comprises of the documents listed below and addenda issued in accordance with clause 6 of these instructions to tenders
  - i) Instructions to tenderers
  - ii) General Conditions of Contract
  - iii) Special Conditions of Contract
  - iv) Schedule of Requirements
  - v) Details of service
  - vi) Form of tender
  - vii) Price schedules
  - viii) Contract form
  - ix) Confidential business questionnaire form
  - x) Tender security form
  - xi) Performance security form
  - xii) Principal's or manufacturers authorization form
  - xiii) Declaration form
- 2.3.2. The Tenderer is expected to examine all instructions, forms, terms, and specifications in the tender documents. Failure to furnish all information required by the tender documents or to submit a tender not substantially responsive to the tender documents in every respect will be at the tenderers risk and may result in the rejection of its tender.

### 2.4 Clarification of Documents

- 2.4.1. A prospective candidate making inquiries of the tender document may notify Stima Sacco in writing or by post, fax or email at the Stima Sacco's address indicated in the Invitation for tenders. Stima Sacco will respond in writing to any request for clarification of the tender documents, which it receives no later than seven (7) days prior to the deadline for the submission of tenders, prescribed by Stima Sacco. Written copies of Stima Sacco response (including an explanation of the query but without identifying the source of inquiry) will be sent to all prospective tenderers who have received the tender documents"
- 2.4.2. Stima Sacco shall reply to any clarifications sought by the tenderer within 3 days of receiving the request to enable the tenderer to make timely submission of its tender

### 2.5 Amendment of documents

- 2.5.1. At any time prior to the deadline for submission of tenders, Stima Sacco for any reason, whether at its own initiative or in response to a clarification requested by a prospective tenderer, may modify the tender documents by issuing an addendum.
- 2.5.2. All prospective tenderers who have obtained the tender documents will be notified of the amendment by post, fax or email and such amendment will be binding on them.
- 2.5.3. In order to allow prospective tenderers reasonable time in which to take the amendment into account in preparing their tenders, Stima Sacco at its discretion, may extend the deadline for the submission of tenders.

### 2.6 Language of tender

2.6.1. The tender prepared by the tenderer, as well as all correspondence and documents relating to the tender exchanged by the tenderer and Stima Sacco, shall be written in English language. Any printed literature furnished by the tenderer may be written in another language provided they are accompanied by an accurate English translation of the relevant passages in which case, for purposes of interpretation of the tender, the English translation shall govern.

## 2.7 **Documents Comprising the Tender**

The tender prepared by the tenderer shall comprise the following components:

- (a) A Tender Form and a Price Schedule completed in accordance with paragraph 9, 10 and 11 below.
- (b) Documentary evidence established in accordance with Clause 2.11 that the tenderer is eligible to tender and is qualified to perform the contract if its tender is accepted;
  - (c) Tender security furnished is in accordance with Clause 2.12
  - (d)Confidential business questionnaire

#### 2.8 Form of Tender

2.8.1 The tenderers shall complete the Form of Tender and the appropriate Price

Schedule furnished in the tender documents, indicating the services to be performed.

#### 2.9 Tender Prices

- 2.9.1 The tenderer shall indicate on the Price schedule the unit prices where applicable and total tender prices of the services it proposes to provide under the contract.
- 2.9.2 Prices indicated on the Price Schedule shall be the cost of the services quoted including all customs duties and VAT and other taxes payable:
- 2.9.3 Prices quoted by the tenderer shall remain fixed during the term of the contract unless otherwise agreed by the parties. A tender submitted with an adjustable price quotation will be treated as non-responsive and will be rejected, pursuant to paragraph 2.22.
- 2.9.4 Contract price variations shall not be allowed for contracts not exceeding one year (12 months)
- 2.9.5 Where contract price variation is allowed, the variation shall not exceed 10% of the original contract price.
- 2.9.6 Price variation requests shall be processed by Stima Sacco within 30 days of receiving the request.

#### 2.10 Tender Currencies

2.10.1 Prices shall be quoted in Kenya Shillings unless otherwise specified in the appendix to in Instructions to Tenderers

## 2.11 Tenderers Eligibility and Qualifications.

- **2.11.1** Pursuant to Clause 2.1 the tenderer shall furnish, as part of its tender, documents establishing the tenderers eligibility to tender and its qualifications to perform the contract if its tender is accepted.
- 2.11.2The documentary evidence of the tenderers qualifications to perform the contract if its tender is accepted shall establish to Stima Sacco's satisfaction that the tenderer has the financial and technical capability necessary to perform the contract.

## 2.12 Tender Security

- 2.12.1 The tenderer shall furnish, as part of its tender, a tender security for the amount and form specified in the Invitation to tender.
- 2.12.2 The tender security shall be in the amount not exceeding 2 per cent of the tender price.
- 2.12.2The tender security is required to protect Stima Sacco against the risk of Tenderer's conduct which would warrant the security's forfeiture, pursuant to paragraph 2.12.7
- 2.12.3The tender security shall be denominated in a Kenya Shillings or in another freely convertible currency and shall be in the form of a **bank guarantee**.
- 2.12.4Any tender not secured in accordance with paragraph 2.12.1 and 2.12.3 will be rejected by Stima Sacco as non-responsive, pursuant to paragraph 2.20
- 2.12.5Unsuccessful tenderer's security will be discharged or returned as promptly as possible but not later than thirty (30) days after the expiration of the period of tender validity prescribed by Stima Sacco.
- 2.12.6The successful tenderer's tender security will be discharged upon the tenderer signing the contract, pursuant to paragraph 2.29, and furnishing the performance security, pursuant to paragraph 2.30.
- 2.12.7The tender security may be forfeited:
  - (a) If a tenderer withdraws its tender during the period of tender validity specified by Stima Sacco on the

Tender Form; or

- (b) In the case of a successful tenderer, if the tenderer fails:
- (i) to sign the contract in accordance with paragraph 30

or

- (ii) to furnish performance security in accordance with paragraph 31.
- (c) If the tenderer rejects, correction of an error in the tender.

## Validity of Tenders

- 2.13.1 Tenders shall remain valid for 90 (Ninety) days or as specified in the invitation to tender after date of tender opening prescribed by Stima Sacco, pursuant to paragraph 2.18. A tender valid for a shorter period shall be rejected by Stima Sacco as nonresponsive.
- 2.13.2In exceptional circumstances, Stima Sacco may solicit the Tenderer's consent to an extension of the period of validity. The request and the responses thereto shall be made in writing. The tender security provided under paragraph 2.12 shall also be suitably extended. A tenderer may refuse the request without forfeiting its tender security. A tenderer granting the request will not be required nor permitted to modify its tender.

## 2.14 Format and Signing of Tender

- 2.14.1 The tenderer shall prepare two copies of the tender, clearly / marking each "ORIGINAL TENDER" and "COPY OF TENDER," as appropriate. In the event of any discrepancy between them, the original shall govern.
- 2.14.2The original and all copies of the tender shall be typed or written in indelible ink and shall be signed by the tenderer or a person or persons duly authorized to bind the tenderer to the contract. All pages of the tender, except for unamended printed literature, shall be initialed by the person or persons signing the tender.
- 2.14.3 The tender shall have no interlineations, erasures, or overwriting except as necessary to correct errors made by the tenderer, in which case such corrections shall be initialed by the person or persons signing the tender.

## 2.15 Sealing and Marking of Tenders

2.15.1 The tenderer shall seal the original and each copy of the tender in separate envelopes, duly marking the envelopes as "ORIGINAL" and "COPY." The

envelopes shall then be sealed in an outer envelope. The inner and outer envelopes shall:

(a) be addressed to Stima Sacco at the address given in the invitation to tender

- (b) bear, tender number and name in the invitation to tender and the words: "DO NOT OPEN BEFORE (20th February 2019 at 12.00 noon),"
- 2.15.3The inner envelopes shall also indicate the name and address of the tenderer to enable the tender to be returned unopened in case it is declared "late". —
- 2.15.4If the outer envelope is not sealed and marked as required by paragraph 2.15.2, Stima Sacco will assume no responsibility for the tender's misplacement or premature opening.

### 2.16 Deadline for Submission of Tenders

- 2.16.1 Tenders must be received by Stima Sacco at the address specified under paragraph 2.15.2 no later than (20<sup>th</sup> February 2019 at 12.00 noon)
- 2.16.2Stima Sacco may, at its discretion, extend this deadline for the submission of tenders by amending the tender documents in accordance with paragraph 6, in which case all rights and obligations of Stima Sacco and candidates previously subject to the deadline will thereafter be subject to the deadline as extended.
- 2.16.3Bulky tenders which will not fit in the tender box shall be received by Stima Sacco as provided for in the appendix.

#### 2.17 Modification and withdrawal of tenders

- 2.17.1 The tenderer may modify or withdraw its tender after the tender's submission, provided that written notice of the modification, including substitution or withdrawal of the tender's is received by Stima Sacco prior to the deadline prescribed for the submission of tenders.
- 2.17.2The Tenderer's modification or withdrawal notice shall be prepared, sealed, marked, and dispatched in accordance with the provisions of paragraph 2.15. A withdrawal notice may also be sent by cable, but followed by a signed confirmation copy, postmarked not later than the deadline for submission of tenders.
- 2.17.3 No tender may be modified after the deadline for submission of tenders.

- 2.17.4No tender may be withdrawn in the interval between the deadline for submission of tenders and the expiration of the period of tender validity specified by the tenderer on the Tender Form. Withdrawal of a tender during this interval may result in the Tenderer's forfeiture of its tender security, pursuant to paragraph 2.12.7.
- 2.17.5 Stima Sacco may at any time terminate procurement proceedings before contract award and shall not be liable to any person for the termination.
- 2.17.6 Stima Sacco shall give prompt notice of the termination to the tenderers and on request give its reasons for termination within 14 days of receiving the request from any tenderer.

## 2.18 Opening of Tenders

- 2.18.1 Stima Sacco will open all tenders in the presence of tenderers' representatives who choose to attend on 20<sup>th</sup> February, 2019 at 12.00 noon) and in the location specified in the invitation to tender. The tenderers' representatives who are present shall sign a register evidencing their attendance.
- 2.18.3 The tenderers' names, tender modifications or withdrawals, tender prices, discounts, and the presence or absence of requisite tender security and such other details as Stima Sacco, at its discretion, may consider appropriate, will be announced at the opening.
- 2.18.4Stima Sacco will prepare minutes of the tender opening which will be submitted to the tenderers that signed the tender opening register and will have made the request.

#### 2.19 Clarification of tenders

- 2.19.1 To assist in the examination, evaluation and comparison of tenders Stima Sacco may at its discretion, ask the tenderer for a clarification of its tender. The request for clarification and the response shall be in writing, and no change in the prices or substance shall be sought, offered, or permitted.
- 2.19.2 Any effort by the tenderer to influence Stima Sacco in Stima Sacco's tender evaluation, tender comparison or contract award decisions may result in the rejection of the tenderers tender.
  - Comparison or contract award decisions may result in the rejection of the tenderers' tender.

### 2.20 Preliminary Examination and Responsiveness

- 2.20.1 Stima Sacco will examine the tenders to determine whether they are complete, whether any computational errors have been made, whether required securities have been furnished whether the documents have been properly signed, and whether the tenders are generally in order.
- 2.20.2 Arithmetical errors will be rectified on the following basis. If there is a discrepancy between the unit price and the total price that is obtained by multiplying the unit price and quantity, the unit price shall prevail, and the total price shall be corrected. if the candidate does not accept the correction of the errors, its tender will be rejected, and its tender security may be forfeited. If there is a discrepancy between words and figures, the amount in words will prevail.
- 2.20.3 Stima Sacco may waive any minor informality or nonconformity or irregularity in a tender which does not constitute a material deviation, provided such waiver does not prejudice or affect the relative ranking of any tenderer.
- 2.20.4Prior to the detailed evaluation, pursuant to paragraph 23, Stima Sacco will determine the substantial responsiveness of each tender to the tender documents. For purposes of these paragraphs, a substantially responsive tender is one which conforms to all the terms and conditions of the tender documents without material deviations. Stima Sacco's determination of a tender's responsiveness is to be based on the contents of the tender itself without recourse to extrinsic evidence.
- 2.20.5If a tender is not substantially responsive, it will be rejected by Stima Sacco and may not subsequently be made responsive by the tenderer by correction of the nonconformity.

## 2.21 Conversion to a single currency

2.21.1 Where other currencies are used, Stima Sacco will convert those currencies to Kenya shillings using the selling exchange rate on the date of tender closing provided by the central bank of Kenya.

## 2.22 Evaluation and comparison of tenders.

2.22.1 Stima Sacco will evaluate and compare the tenders which have been determined to be substantially responsive, pursuant to paragraph 2.20

- 2.22.2The comparison shall be of the price including all costs as well as duties and taxes payable on all the materials to be used in the provision of the services.
- 2.22.3 Stima Sacco's evaluation of a tender will take into account, in addition to the tender price, the following factors, in the manner and to the extent indicated in paragraph 2.22.4 and in the technical specifications:
  - (a) operational plan proposed in the tender;
  - (b) deviations in payment schedule from that specified in the Special Conditions of Contract:
- 2.22.4 Pursuant to paragraph 22.3 the following evaluation methods will be applied:

### (a) Operational Plan.

Stima Sacco requires that the services under the Invitation for Tenders shall be performed at the time specified in the Schedule of Requirements. Tenders offering to perform longer than Stima Sacco's required delivery time will be treated as non-responsive and rejected.

### (b) Deviation in payment schedule.

Tenderers shall state their tender price for the payment on a schedule outlined in the special conditions of contract. Tenders will be evaluated on the basis of this base price. Tenderers are, however, permitted to state an alternative payment schedule and indicate the reduction in tender price they wish to offer for such alternative payment schedule. Stima Sacco may consider the alternative payment schedule offered by the selected tenderer.

- 2.22.5The tender evaluation committee shall evaluate the tender within 30 days from the date of opening the tender.
- 2.22.6To qualify for contract awards, the tenderer shall have the following: -
  - (a) Necessary qualifications, capability experience, services, equipment and facilities to provide what is being procured.
  - (b) Legal capacity to enter into a contract for procurement

- (c) Shall not be insolvent, in receivership, bankrupt or in the process of being wound up and is not the subject of legal proceedings relating to the foregoing
- (d) Shall not be debarred from participating in public procurement.

### 2.23. Contacting Stima Sacco

- 2.23.1 Subject to paragraph 2.19, no tenderer shall contact Stima Sacco on any matter relating to its tender, from the time of the tender opening to the time the contract is awarded.
- 2.23.2 Any effort by a tenderer to influence Stima Sacco in its decisions on tender evaluation tender comparison or contract award may result in the rejection of the tenderers tender.

#### 2.24 Award of Contract

## a) Post qualification

- 2.24.1In the absence of pre-qualification, Stima Sacco will determine to its satisfaction whether the tenderer that is selected as having submitted the lowest evaluated responsive tender is qualified to perform the contract satisfactorily.
- 2.24.2The determination will take into account the tenderer's financial and technical capabilities. It will be based upon an examination of the
  - documentary evidence of the tenderers qualifications submitted by the tenderer, pursuant to paragraph 2.1.2, as well as such other information as Stima Sacco deems necessary and appropriate.
- 2.24.3 An affirmative determination will be a prerequisite for award of the contract to the tenderer. A negative determination will result in rejection of the Tenderer's tender, in which event Stima Sacco will proceed to the next lowest evaluated tender to make a similar determination of that Tenderer's capabilities to perform satisfactorily.

## b) Award Criteria

2.24.3 Subject to paragraph 2.29 Stima Sacco will award the contract to the successful tenderer whose tender has been determined to be substantially responsive and has been determined to be the **lowest evaluated tender**, provided further that the tenderer is determined to be qualified to perform the contract satisfactorily.

- 2.24.4 Stima Sacco reserves the right to accept or reject any tender and to annul the tendering process and reject all tenders at any time prior to contract award, without thereby incurring any liability to the affected tenderer or tenderers or any obligation to inform the affected tenderer or tenderers of the grounds for the Stima Sacco's action. If Stima Sacco determines that none of the tenderers is responsive; Stima Sacco shall notify each tenderer who submitted a tender.
- 2.24.5 A tenderer who gives false information in the tender document about its qualification or who refuses to enter into a contract after notification of contract award shall be considered for debarment from participating in future public procurement.

#### 2.25 Notification of award

- 2.25.1 Prior to the expiration of the period of tender validity, Stima Sacco will notify the successful tenderer in writing that its tender has been accepted.
- 2.25.2The notification of award will signify the formation of the Contract subject to the signing of the contract between the tenderer and Stima Sacco pursuant to clause 2.29. Simultaneously the other tenderers shall be notified that their tenders have not been successful.
- 2.25.3Upon the successful Tenderer's furnishing of the performance security pursuant to paragraph 31, Stima Sacco will promptly notify each unsuccessful Tenderer and will discharge its tender security, pursuant to paragraph 2.12

## 2.26 Signing of Contract

- 2.26.1 At the same time as Stima Sacco notifies the successful tenderer that its tender has been accepted, Stima Sacco will simultaneously inform the other tenderers that their tenders have not been successful.
- 2.26.2 Within fourteen (14) days of receipt of the Contract Form, the successful tenderer shall sign and date the contract and return it to Stima Sacco.
- 2.26.3The parties to the contract shall have it signed within 30 days from the date of notification of contract award unless there is an administrative review request.

## 2.27 Performance Security

- 2.27.1 Within twenty-eight (28) days of the receipt of notification of award from Stima Sacco, the successful tenderer shall furnish the performance security in accordance with the Conditions of Contract, in the Performance Security Form provided in the tender documents, or in another form acceptable to Stima Sacco.
- 2.27.2Failure of the successful tenderer to comply with the requirement of paragraph 2.29 or paragraph 2.30.1 shall constitute sufficient grounds for the annulment of the award and forfeiture of the tender security, in which event Stima Sacco may make the award to the next lowest evaluated or call for new tenders.

## 2.28 Corrupt or Fraudulent Practices

- 2.28.1 Stima Sacco requires that tenderers observe the highest standard of ethics during the procurement process and execution of contracts. A tenderer shall sign a declaration that he has not and will not be involved in corrupt or fraudulent practices.
- 2.28.2 Stima Sacco will reject a proposal for award if it determines that the tenderer recommended for award has engaged in corrupt or fraudulent practices in competing for the contract in question;

Further, a tenderer who is found to have indulged in corrupt or fraudulent practices risks being debarred from participating in public procurement in Kenya.

## Appendix to instructions to tenderers

The following information for procurement of services shall complement or amend the provisions of the instructions to tenderers. Wherever there is a conflict between the provisions of the instructions to tenderers and the provisions of the appendix, the provisions of the appendix herein shall prevail over those of the instructions to tenderers

| Instructions to tenderers                     | Particulars of appendix to instructions to tenderers   |
|---|--|
| 2.1 Eligibility                               | Interested entities/ individuals registered in Kenya   |
| 2.10 currency                                 | Kenya Shillings or any other easily convertible currency   |
| 2.11 Tenderers eligibility and qualifications | Tenderer has the financial and technical capability necessary to perform the contract.   |
| 2.12 Tender security                          | Kshs 100,000.00  |
| 2.24 award of contract                        | Stima Sacco will determine to its satisfaction whether the tenderer that is selected as having submitted the lowest evaluated responsive tender is qualified to perform the contract satisfactorily. |
| 2.30 performance security                     | 10% of the contract price  |
| 2.16 Deadline for submission                  | 20 <sup>th</sup> February, 2019 at 12.00 noon  |

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#### SECTION III GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT

#### 3.1 **Definitions**

In this contract the following terms shall be interpreted as indicated:

- a) "The contract" means the agreement entered into between Stima Sacco and the tenderer as recorded in the Contract Form signed by the parties, including all attachments and appendices thereto and all documents incorporated by reference therein.
- b) "The Contract Price" means the price payable to the tenderer under the Contract for the full and proper performance of its contractual obligations.
- c) "The services" means services to be provided by the contractor including materials and incidentals which the tenderer is required to provide to Stima Sacco under the Contract.
- d) "Stima Sacco" means the organization sourcing for the services under this Contract.
- e) "The contractor means the individual or firm providing the services under this Contract.
- f) "GCC" means general conditions of contract contained in this section
- g) "SCC" means the special conditions of contract
- h) "Day" means calendar day

## 3.2 **Application**

These General Conditions shall apply to the extent that they are not superseded by provisions of other part of contract.

### 3.3 Standards

3.3.1 The services provided under this Contract shall conform to the 7 standards mentioned in the Schedule of requirements

## 3.5 Patent Right's

The tenderer shall indemnify Stima Sacco against all third-party claims of infringement of patent, trademark, or industrial design tights arising from use of the services under the contract or any part thereof.

## 3.6 **Performance Security**

Within thirty (30) days of receipt of the notification of Contract award, the successful tenderer shall furnish to Stima Sacco the performance security where applicable in the amount specified in Special Conditions of Contract.

- 3.6.2 The proceeds of the performance security shall be payable to Stima Sacco as compensation for any loss resulting from the Tenderer's failure to complete its obligations under the Contract.
- **3.6.3** The performance security shall be denominated in the currency of the Contract, or in a freely convertible currency acceptable to Stima Sacco and shall be in the form of a **bank guarantee.**
- 3.6.4 The performance security will be discharged by Stima Sacco and returned to the candidate not later than thirty (30) days following the date of completion of the tenderer's performance of obligations under the contract, including any warranty obligations under the contract.

## 3.7 Inspections and Tests

- 3.7.1 Stima Sacco or its representative shall have the right to inspect and/or to test the services to confirm their conformity to the Contract specifications. Stima Sacco shall notify the tenderer in writing, in a timely manner, of the of any representatives retained for these purposes.
- 3.7.2 The inspections and tests may be conducted on the premises of the tenderer or its subcontractor(s). If conducted on the premises of the tenderer or its subcontractor(s), all reasonable facilities and assistance, including access to
  - drawings and production data, shall be furnished to the inspectors at no charge to Stima Sacco.
- 3.7.3 Should any inspected or tested services fail to conform to the Specifications, Stima Sacco may reject the services, and the tenderer shall either replace the rejected services or make alterations necessary to meet specification requirements free of cost to Stima Sacco.
- 3.7.4 Nothing in paragraph 3.7 shall in any way release the tenderer from any warranty or other obligations under this Contract.

## 3.8 Payment

3.8.1 The method and conditions of payment to be made to the tenderer under this Contract shall be specified in SCC

#### 3.9 Prices

Prices charged by the contractor for services performed under the Contract shall not, with the exception of any Price adjustments authorized in SCC, vary from the prices by the tenderer in its tender or in Stima Sacco's request for tender validity extension as the case may be. No variation in or modification to the terms of the contract shall be made except by written amendment signed by the parties.

### 3.10 Assignment

The tenderer shall not assign, in whole or in part, its obligations to perform under this contract, except with Stima Sacco's prior written consent.

### 3.10 Termination for Default

Stima Sacco may, without prejudice to any other remedy for breach of Contract, by written notice of default sent to the tenderer, terminate this Contract in whole or in part:

- a) if the tenderer fails to provide any or all of the services within the period(s) specified in the Contract, or within any extension thereof granted by Stima Sacco.
- b) if the tenderer fails to perform any other obligation(s) under the Contract.
- c) if the tenderer, in the judgment of Stima Sacco has engaged in corrupt or fraudulent practices in competing for or in executing the Contract.

In the event Stima Sacco terminates the Contract in whole or in part, it may procure, upon such terms and in such manner as it deems appropriate, services similar to those undelivered, and the tenderer shall be liable to Stima Sacco for any excess costs for such similar services.

## 3.12 Termination of insolvency

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

#### 3.13 Termination for convenience

- 3.13.1 Stima Sacco by written notice sent to the contractor may terminate the contract in whole or in part, at any time for its convenience. The notice of termination shall specify that the termination is for Stima Sacco convenience, the extent to which performance of the contractor of the contract is terminated and the date on which such termination becomes effective.
- 3.13.2For the remaining part of the contract after termination Stima Sacco may elect to cancel the services and pay to the contractor on agreed amount for partially completed services.

## 3.14 Resolution of disputes

Stima Sacco's and the contractor shall make every effort to resolve amicably by direct informal negotiations any disagreement or dispute arising between them under or in connection with the contract.

If after thirty (30) days from the commencement of such informal negotiations both parties have been unable to resolve amicably a contract dispute either party may require that the dispute be referred for resolution to the formal mechanisms specified in the SCC.

### 3.15 Governing Language

The contract shall be written in the English language. All correspondence and other documents pertaining to the contract, which are exchanged by the parties, shall be written in the same language.

## 3.16 Force Majeure

The contractor shall not be liable *for* forfeiture of its performance security, or termination for default if and to the extent that its delay in performance or other failure to perform its obligations under the Contract is the result of an event of Force Majeure.

## 3.17 Applicable Law.

The contract shall be interpreted in accordance with the laws of Kenya unless otherwise specified in the SCC

#### 3.18 Notices

Any notices given by one party to the other pursuant to this contract shall be sent to the other party by post or by fax or E-mail and confirmed in writing to the other party's address specified in the SCC

| A notice shall be effective when delivered or on the notices effective date, whichever is later. |
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## SECTION IV SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT

- 4.1 Special conditions of contract shall supplement the general conditions of contract, wherever there is a conflict between the GCC and the SCC, the provisions of the SCC herein shall prevail over those in the GCC.
- 4.2 Special conditions of contract with reference to the general conditions of contract.

| General conditions of contract reference | Special conditions of contract  |
|--|---|
| 3.6 performance security                 | 10% of contract price   |
| 3.8 Payment                              | Payment will be upon determination to Stima Sacco's satisfaction that Performance under this tender has been achieved |
|  | No variation in or modification to the terms of the contract shall be made except by written amendment signed by      |
| 3.9 Prices Adjustment Clause             | the parties.  |
| 3.14 Resolution of disputes              | As per 3.14 of GCC  |
| 3.17 Applicable law                      | contract shall be interpreted in accordance with the laws of Kenya  |
|  | Notices be sent to the other party by post or by fax or E-mail and confirmed in                                       |
|  | writing to the other party's address specified in the SCC   |
| 3.18 Notices                             |   |

# ${\bf SECTION}\ {\bf V} - {\bf SCHEDULE}\ {\bf OF}\ {\bf REQUIREMENTS}$

| ITEM | DESCRIPTION   | QTY |
|------|---|-----|
| 1.   | Provision of Case 360 maintenance and support for a period of one year. | 1   |

#### SECTION VI – TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION

## **Objectives**

The support being sought by Stima Sacco is expected to:

- a. Improve operational efficiency and effectiveness
- b. Reduce downtime and maintain an uptime SLAs to 99% on all affected systems
- c. Offer various levels of support;
  - i. Critical: 2-hour response maximum
  - ii. Medium: 4-hour response maximum
  - iii. Low: Next business day
- d. Offer pro-active check-ups/maintenance at least twice each quarter.
- e. Support desk system that the bidder uses and a brief description on how it works and how it will benefit the societies' support cases.
- f. Bidder will handle escalated cases and will briefly describe and show experience and competence for each of the following: Case 360, CRM and Navision 2016.
- g. Training: Vendor MUST offer training post go live training and any other required training for the societies staff to continuously improve internal capacity to manage, optimize and increase uptime.
- h. References for current sites and details of contact people. Note that only References that are currently under support will be considered.

## The following technical requirements will be expected from the successful bidder:

- Integration of case 360 with Navision 2016 and CRM system.
- Case 360 License application, migration and management.
- Faults troubleshooting and fixing.
- Related hardware and software installation and configuration.
- Case 360 installation and patches application.
- Creating scanning jobs as per Stima Sacco requirements.
- Reconfiguration and performance optimization of the case 360 system as per user requirements.
- Implement signature and picture capturing solution.
- Train staff and ICT staff on the EDMS solution.
- Develop technical and user manuals for EDMS.
- Post go live support, handholding and annual support of the EDMS system

## **SECTION VII – EVALUATION CRITERIA**

## 1. Mandatory requirements

| ITEM | DESCRIPTION  | REMARK $(X/)$ |
|------|--|---------------|
|      | Original and copy of Tender document MUST be paginated/                                  |               |
|      | serialized/Numbered sequentially on all pages including attachments                      |               |
| 1    | from the beginning of the document to the end. This includes <b>ALL</b> the              |               |
|      | attachments submitted by the bidder and ALL the pages already                            |               |
|      | paginated by Stima DT Sacco society.   |               |
| 2    | A valid Business permit (proof of payment of the same will not be                        |               |
| 2    | considered as a valid business permit).  |               |
| 3    | Submission of Company profile  |               |
| 4    | Submission of Valid tender security  |               |
| 5    | Valid PIN certificate  |               |
|      | Valid Tax compliance certificate (Expired tax compliance certificates                    |               |
| 6    | will not be accepted)  |               |
| 7    | Copy of Certificate of Incorporation   |               |
| 8    | Confirmation of directors(CR. 12) - This should be the one issued                        |               |
|      | within three months to the date of this tender.  |               |
| 9    | Manufacturers authorization and warranty   |               |
| 10   | Dully filled, signed and stamped confidential Business Questionnaire.                    |               |
| 11   | Dully filled, signed and stamped declaration form  |               |
| 12   | Dully filled, signed and stamped Form of tender.   |               |
| 13   | List of at least 5 previous clients where such services have been carried out            |               |
| 14   | Recommendation letters from at least 3 active sites that run case 360, CRM and case 360. |               |
| 15   | Certified copies of 2 years audited accounts (2016 and 2017)                             |               |
|      |  |               |
| 16   | Provide proof of an existing Annual maintenance contract( extract of                     |               |
|      | an existing contract)  |               |

NB: Bidders must meet all the mandatory requirements to qualify for technical evaluation.

#### **Technical Evaluation**

The evaluation committee appointed by the Society shall evaluate the proposals on the basis of their responsiveness to the Terms of Reference, applying the evaluation criteria as follows;

| NO. | REQUIREMENTS   | MAXIMUM |
|-----|--|---------|
|     |  | POINTS  |
| 1.  | Brief description of the organization profile, outline of recent similar | 10      |
|     | assignments. Include references, recommendations and contact details     |         |
|     | of personnel to be contacted.  |         |
| 2.  | Detailed description of the support proposed including supporting        | 30      |
|     | documents, and details of support infrastructure with details of         |         |
|     | technical staff and help desk system.                                    |         |
| 3.  | Support References and service desk example cases                        | 15      |
| 4.  | Certificates from Manufacturer (MAF).                                    | 10      |
| 5.  | Outline support from the manufacturer and vendor                         | 15      |
| 6.  | Support strategy and work plan (insert draft contract)                   | 10      |
| 7.  | Technical workforce skills and experience of the proposed                | 10      |
|     | implementation team  |         |

NB: Cut off points for technical evaluation shall be 70 marks and bidders who shall not have attained this mark shall not proceed to the next stage of the evaluation process.

#### 3. Financial Evaluation

The bidder who shall be determined as the lowest evaluated bidder after surpassing the minimum technical score and further that the bidder is determined to be qualified to perform the contract satisfactorily shall be considered and recommended for award.

## PRICE SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

| Name of Tenderer Tender Number Page of | Page of |
|--|---------|
|--|---------|

| 1                           | 2  | 3                  | 4        | 5             | 6  | 7   | 8            |
|-----------------------------|--|--------------------|----------|---------------|--|---|--------------|
| Item                        | Description  | Quantity & quality | Duration | Unit<br>Price | for one(1) year EXW per item (cols. 4x5) | Unit Price<br>of other<br>incidental<br>services<br>payable | GRAND TOTALS |
| 1                           | Provision of<br>customer<br>relationship<br>management<br>system support | 1                  | 1 year   |               |  |   |              |
|                             | ADD 16% VAT  |                    |          |               |  |   |              |
| GRAND TOTAL (VAT Inclusive) |  |                    |          |               |  |   |              |

| Signature of tenderer    |                             |                |                 |  |
|--------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------|-----------------|--|
| Note: In case of discrep | anari hatriiaan iinit miiaa | and total than | mit mmiaa ahall |  |

*Note:* In case of discrepancy between unit price and total, the unit price shall prevail.

## FORM OF TENDER

|     | Date  |
|-----|---|
|     | Tender No   |
| То  | ······································  |
|     |   |
| [N  | ame and address of procuring entity]  |
| Ge  | entlemen and/or Ladies:   |
| 1.  | Having examined the tender documents including Addenda Nos [insert numbers, the of which is hereby duly acknowledged, wed, the undersigned, offer to provide. [description of services] in conformity with the said tender documents for the sum of . [total tender amount in words and figures] or such other sums as may be ascertained in accordance with the Schedule of Prices attached herewith and made part of this Tender. |
| 2.  | We undertake, if our Tender is accepted, to provide the services in accordance with the services schedule specified in the Schedule of Requirements.  |
| 3.  | If our Tender is accepted, we will obtain the tender guarantee in a sum equivalent to percent of the Contract Price for the due performance of the Contract, in the form prescribed by (Procuring entity).  |
| 4.  | We agree to abide by this Tender for a period of <i>[number]</i> days from the date fixed for tender opening of the Instructions to tenderers, and it shall remain binding upon us and may be accepted at any time before the expiration of that period.  |
| 5.  | Until a formal Contract is prepared and executed, this Tender, together with your written acceptance thereof and your notification of award, shall constitute a binding Contract between us.  |
| [si | ted this day of 20 gnature] [In the capacity of] authorized to sign tender for and on behalf of   |

## **DECLARATION FORM**

| Date <b>To:</b>  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|------------------|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
|                  | A SACCO,   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| MUSH             | MUSHEMBI ROAD, PARKLANDS,  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| P.O. B           | P.O. BOX 75629-00200,  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| NAIRO            | NAIROBI,   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| KENY             | <u>A.</u>  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Ladies and Gen   | tlemen,  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| The Tenderer i.  | e. (full name and complete physical and postal address)  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Declare the foll | owing: -   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| a)               | That I/ We have not been debarred from participating in public procurement by anybody institution or person.   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| b)               | That I/ We have not been involved in and will not be involved in corrupt and fraudulent practices regarding public procurement anywhere.                           |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| c)               | That I/We or any director of the firm or company is not a person within the meaning of paragraph 3.2 of ITT (Eligible Tenderers) of the Instruction to Tenderers.  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| d)               | That I/ We are not insolvent, in receivership, bankrupt or in the process of being wound up and is not the subject of legal proceedings relating to the foregoing. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| e)               | That I/ We are <b>not</b> associated with any other tenderer participating in this Tender.   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| f)               | That I/We do hereby confirm that all the information given in this tender is accurate factual and true to the best of our knowledge.                               |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Yours s          | sincerely,   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Name of Tende    | rer  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Signature of du  | ly authorised person signing the Tender  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Name and Capa    | acity of duly authorised person signing the Tender   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Stamp or Seal of | of Tenderer  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

## **CONTRACT FORM**

| THIS AGREEMENT made theday of20between[Stima Sacco] of[Kenya](h ereinafter called "Stima Sacco") of the one part and[name of tende rer] of[city and country of tenderer](hereinafter called "the tenderer") of the other part.  |
|---|
| WHEREAS Stima Sacco invited tenders for certain materials and spares.  Viz[brief description of materials and spares] and has accepted a tender by the tenderer for the supply of those materials and spares in the spares in the sum of  |
| NOW THIS AGREEMENT WITNESSETH AS FOLLOWS:   |
| 1. In this Agreement words and expressions shall have the same meanings as are respectively assigned to them in the Conditions of Contract referred to.   |
| 2. The following documents shall be deemed to form and be read and construed as part of this Agreement, viz.:   |
| <ul> <li>(a) the Tender Form and the Price Schedule submitted by the tenderer;</li> <li>(b) the Schedule of Requirements;</li> <li>(c) the Technical Specifications;</li> <li>(d) the General Conditions of Contract;</li> <li>(e) the Special Conditions of Contract; and</li> <li>(f) Stima Sacco's Notification of Award.</li> </ul> |
| 3. In consideration of the payments to be made by Stima Sacco to the tenderer as hereinafter mentioned, the tenderer hereby covenants with Stima Sacco to provide the materials and spares and to remedy defects therein in conformity in all respects with the provisions of the Contract  |
| 4. Stima Sacco hereby covenants to pay the tenderer in consideration of the provision of the materials and spares and the remedying of defects therein, the Contract Price or such other sum as may become payable under the provisions of the contract at the times and in the manner prescribed by the contract.                      |
| IN WITNESS whereof the parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be executed in accordance with their respective laws the day and year first above written.  |
| Signed, sealed, delivered bythe(for Stima Sacco)  |
| Signed, sealed, delivered bythe(for the tenderer)   |
| in the presence of  |

## CONFIDENTIAL BUSINESS QUESTIONNAIRE

You are requested to give the particulars indicated in Part 1 and either Part 2 (a), 2(b) or 2(c) whichever applied to your type of business.

You are advised that it is a serious offence to give false information on this form.

| Р         | art 1 General  |
|-----------|--|
| N         | lusiness lameocation of Business Premises  |
| <br>P     | lot No,  |
| <br>P<br> | Street/RoadFax Email   |
|           |  |
|           | Part 2 (a) – Sole Proprietor Your name in full   |
|           | Part 2 (b) – Partnership   |
|           | Given details of partners as follows   |
|           | Name Nationality Citizenship details Shares  |
|           | 1  |
|           | Part 2 (c) – Registered Company  |
|           | Private or Public State the nominal and issued capital of company Nominal Kshs. Issued Kshs. Given details of all directors as follows |
|           | Name Nationality Citizenship details Shares  1   |
|           | 2  |
|           | Date Signature of Candidate  |

## TENDER SECURITY FORM

| Whereas  |   | [name of   | the tenderer]   |  |
|--|---|--|---|--|
| (hereinafter called "t<br>submission of tender   | ] for the provision   | of   |   |  |
| (hereinafter called "t   | he enderer")  |  |   |  |
| KNOW ALL PEOPI   | LE by these presents  | s that WE  |   |  |
| Of   |   | having regis   | tered office at   |  |
| [name of procuring e   | entity] (hereinafter c  | alled "the Bank"   | are bound unto  |  |
| [name of procuring e   | entity] (hereinafter c  | alled "the procur  | ing entity") in the s   | um of  |
| for which payment w its successors, and a this   | ssigns by these pres  | sents. Sealed wit  |   |  |
| THE CONDITIONS  1. If the ten by the tenderer or   | of<br>derer withdraws its<br>on   | this<br>Tender during th<br>the  | obligation<br>e period of tender v<br>Tender  | are: validity specified  Form;   |
|  | derer, having been r  |  | -   | ler by the   |
| (a) fails  | or refuses required; or   | to execute   | the Contract  | Form, if   |
| ` '  | or refuses to furnish<br>uctions to tenderers                                 | *  | e security, in accord   | dance with the   |
| we undertake to pay<br>written demand, with<br>its demand the Procu<br>occurrence of one or<br>This guarantee will re<br>validity, and any den | nout the Procuring entity will note both of the two concernain in force up to | ntity having to su<br>that the arnouut<br>ditions, specifying<br>and including thi | bstantiate its demar<br>claimed by it is due<br>g the occurred cond<br>arty (30) days after t | nd, provided that in<br>to it, owing to the<br>ition or conditions.<br>he period of tender |
| [signature o   | f the bank]   |  |   |  |
| (Amend acc   | ordingly if provided  | l by Insurance Co  | ompany)   |  |

## PERFORMANCE SECURITY FORM

| To:  |  |  |  |  |
|--|--|--|--|--|
| [Stima Sacco]  |  |  |  |  |
| WHEREAS[name of tenderer]  |  |  |  |  |
| (hereinafter called "the tenderer") has undertaken, in pursuance of Contract No [reference number of the contract] dated 20  |  |  |  |  |
| to supply  [Description services] (Hereinafter called "the contract")  AND WHEREAS it has been stipulated by you in the said Contract that the tenderer shall furnish you with <i>a</i> bank guarantee by a reputable bank for the sum specified therein as security for compliance with the Tenderer's performance obligations in accordance with the Contract. |  |  |  |  |
| AND WHEREAS we have agreed to give the tenderer a guarantee:   |  |  |  |  |
| THEREFORE WE hereby affirm that we are Guarantors and responsible to you, on behalf of the tenderer, up to a total of  |  |  |  |  |
| This guarantee is valid until the day of 20  |  |  |  |  |
| Signature and seal of the Guarantors   |  |  |  |  |
| [name of bank or financial institution]  |  |  |  |  |
| [address]  |  |  |  |  |
| [date]   |  |  |  |  |
| (Amend accordingly if provided by Insurance Company)   |  |  |  |  |

## BANK GUARANTEE FOR ADVANCE PAYMENT

| To  |  |   |  |   |  |  |
|---|--|---|--|---|--|--|
| [name of  |  |   |  |   |  |  |
| tender]   |  |   |  |   |  |  |
| Gentlemen and/or I  | Ladies:  |   |  |   |  |  |
| In accordance with amends the generaltenderer][hereinafte guarantee to guaran contract  | conditions of the called "the tee its proper in  | of contract to percent to the contract to percent the contract | provide for<br>all deposit<br>performan  | r advance[n t with the nce under ount of                                    | payment,<br>ame and addi<br>Procuring er<br>the said clau  | ress of<br>ntity a bank<br>se of the   |
| [amount words].   |  |   |  |   |  | and  |
| financial institution guarantee as primar its first demand wit the tenderer, in the We further agree that to be performed the the Procuring entity guarantee, and we have | y obligator a<br>hout whatso<br>amount not o<br>at no change<br>creunder or o<br>and the ter | ever right of of exceeding [and or addition to of any of the Onderer, shall in  | ety merely<br>objection of<br>nount of groot or other no<br>Contract do<br>n any way | the payr<br>on our par<br>uarantee a<br>nodificati<br>ocuments<br>release u | nent to the Part and without in figures and on of the terms which may as from any less from any less than the Part and the | rocuring entity on<br>the its first claim to<br>d words].<br>The contraction is of the Contraction<br>to made between<br>tability under this |
| This guarantee shal received by the tend  | l remain val   | id and in full o  | effect from  | the date  |  |  |
| Yours truly   | /,   |   |  |   |  |  |
| Signature   |  | and<br>Guarantors   | seal   | (   | of   | the  |
| [name of b  | ank or finan   | ecial institution   | n]   |   |  |  |
| [address]   |  |   |  |   |  |  |
| [date]  |  |   |  |   |  |  |

## LETTER OF NOTIFICATION OF AWARD

|                                  | Address of Procuring Entity   |
|----------------------------------|---|
| То:                              |   |
|                                  |   |
| RE: T                            | Sender No   |
| 7                                | Tender Name   |
| This is to notif<br>been awarded | y that the contract/s stated below under the above mentioned tender have to you.  |
| 1.                               | Please acknowledge receipt of this letter of notification signifying your acceptance.   |
| 2.                               | The contract/contracts shall be signed by the parties within 30 days of the date of this letter but not earlier than 14 days from the date of the letter. |
| 3.                               | You may contact the officer(s) whose particulars appear below on the subject matter of this letter of notification of award.                              |
|                                  | (FULL PARTICULARS)  |

SIGNED FOR ACCOUNTING OFFICER

### FORM RB 1

## REPUBLIC OF KENYA

## PUBLIC PROCUREMENT ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW BOARD

| APPLICATION NOOF20  |
|---|
| BETWEEN   |
| APPLICANT   |
| AND   |
|   |
| Request for review of the decision of the   |
| theday of20in the matter of Tender Noof20   |
| REQUEST FOR REVIEW  |
| I/We,the above named Applicant(s), of address: Physical   |
| addressFax NoTel. NoEmail, hereby request the Public Procurement                                      |
| Administrative Review Board to review the whole/part of the above mentioned decision on the following |
| grounds, namely:-   |
| 1.  |
| 2.  |
| etc.  |
| By this memorandum, the Applicant requests the Board for an order/orders that: -                      |
| 1.  |
| 2.  |
| etc   |
| SIGNED(Applicant)   |
| Dated onday of/20   |
|   |
| FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY   |
| Lodged with the Secretary Public Procurement Administrative Review Board on day of                    |
| 20  |
| SIGNED<br>Board Secretary   |