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RFQ NUMBER:	100235/20/11/2024
RFQ ISSUE DATE:	20 November 2024
CLOSING DATE AND TIME:	22 November 2024 @ 12:00
SITE MEETING DATE & ADDRESS COMPULSORY BRIEFING	SITE MEETING DATE: N/A TIME: VENUE: ADDRESS:
DESCRIPTION OF SERVICES	REQUEST FOR QUOTATION (RFQ): INTERNAL AUDIT OF DENEL INTERGRATED SOLUTION SYSTEMS INTERGRATED BUSINESS MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS (IBMS)
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BIDDER NAME:

COMPANY REGISTRATION NUMBER:

CSD NUMBER:

ADDRESS:

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CONTACT PERSON:

TEL:

FAX:

E-Mail:

Mobile:



1. RFQ - INTERNAL AUDIT OF DENEL INTERGRATED SOLUTION SYSTEMS INTERGRATED BUSINESS MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS (IBMS)

Denel SOC Ltd is a state-owned listed as a Schedule 2 public entity that operates and accounts for its activities in accordance with the Public Finance Management Act (PFMA) Act No 1 of 1999 as amended. Denel SOC Ltd is commercially-driven company and strategic partner for innovative defence, security and related technology solutions. It groups together several defence and aerospace divisions and associated companies.

Denel provides turn-key solutions of defence equipment to its clients by designing, developing, integrating and supporting artillery, munitions, missiles, aero structures, aircraft maintenance, unmanned aerial vehicle systems and optical payloads based on high-end technology. Its defence capabilities date back more than 70 years when some of Denel's first manufacturing plants were established.

2. REQUIREMENTS BACKGROUND

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This internal audit will assess ISS' compliance with ISO 9001:2015 standards and verify the effectiveness of the IBMS in achieving its intended outcomes, aligning with quality standards, and meeting readiness requirements for ISO 9001:2015 certification.

The audit's goal is to verify whether ISS is prepared for ISO 9001:2015 certification. The internal audit will include a thorough review of the Document Data Index (DDI) and assess whether the policies, processes, and procedures in the ISS IBMS manual are documented, controlled, communicated, and maintained according to standard requirements. This audit will follow ISO 9001:2015's verification methodology, applying the Standard's requirements to ISS-specific processes and systems.



3. REQUIREMENTS:

	REQUIREMENT	COMPLIANT	NON-COMPLIANT
1	Bidder is a South African- owned and registered Supplier / Service Provider operating primarily within the regions where Denel’s business divisions are located (bidder must provide proof thereof)		
2	The Tenderer must have the necessary infrastructure and capacity to meet Denel requirements. (confirmation of documents service facilities – Director’s-mail address, telephone and facsimile number and computer system being used by the Tenderer		
3	Valid Tax Clearance Certificate or an access pin to SARS e-Filing.		
4	Valid BBBEE Certificate		
5	Central Supplier database proof of registration (7days)		
6	Certified copy of Company Directors		
7	Registration with CIPC		
8	Letter of good standing (COIDA) from the department of Labour		
9	Original Bank Letter		
10.	The Bidder’s nominated Auditor must be registered with South African professional bodies such as SAICA and/ or IRBA or Institute of Internal Auditors.		
	Note: Failure to meet the above requirements might result in automatic disqualification		

SCOPE OF WORK

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2. Needs Analysis

The IBMS audit is essential for:

Ensuring Compliance: Confirming that ISS's IBMS adheres to ISO 9001:2015 requirements.

Evaluating Effectiveness: Reviewing the implementation and efficiency of policies and procedures within the IBMS.

Identifying Areas for Improvement: Highlighting compliance gaps, non-conformities, and areas for potential enhancement.

Supporting Continuous Improvement: Promoting ongoing process improvements by providing actionable recommendations based on audit findings.

3. Objectives

Conduct an independent internal audit of the ISS IBMS.

Verify compliance with ISO 9001:2015 standards.

Determine the readiness of ISS for the ISO 9001:2015 certification audit.

Provide a comprehensive audit report detailing findings, conclusions, and recommendations for corrective actions.



PRICING SCHEDULE

Item	Description	Estimated HOURS	Total
1	Internal Auditor	10hrs	
2	Disbursement		
	Total vat exclusive		
	Vat		
	Total Vat inclusive		

6. INFORMATION SESSION

COMPULSORY SITE MEETING DATE: N/A

7. PERIOD / DURATION OF PROJECT / ASSIGNMENT

Once Off Project

8. PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT POINTS ALLOCATION

The Preferential Procurement Regulations points to be allocated to this RFQ is: **80/20**

9. TO BE PROVIDED BY THE SERVICE PROVIDER

- The Bidder shall submit with his/her tender a detailed method statement and sequenced program based on the specifications of how he/she proposes to execute the work. This shall Indicate detail of number and Levels of experience and qualifications of the Auditors.



10. SAFETY

- The Service Provider shall comply with all applicable legislation and Denel SOC Ltd safety requirements adopted from time to time and instructed by the Project Manager. Such compliance shall be entirely at the Service Provider's cost.
- The Contractor shall report all incidents in writing to the Project Manager. Any incident resulting in the death of or injury to any person on the works shall be reported within 1 hour of its occurrence and any other incident shall be reported within 24 hours of its occurrence.
- All personnel employed by the Contractor shall have undergone a Health and Safety Induction.
- The Service Provider shall ensure that all COVID - 19 protocols are adhered to.
- The service provider shall be responsible for the safety of personnel on site.
- The following shall also form part of the safety plan:
 - Transportation of personnel.

11. SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS/ PRE-QUALIFICATION

- **BID IS OPEN TO SOUTH AFRICAN REGISTERED COMPANIES ONLY**
- **DENEL IS A NATIONAL KEY POINT ORGANIZATION, THUS FOREIGN/ PERSONNEL WITH DUAL CITIZENSHIP WILL NOT BE ALLOWED ON CAMPUS/ PROJECT**



12. Delivery Schedule

Item	Description	Total Qty	Project Complete Date
0010	Internal Audit Services of Denel Integrated Solution Systems Integrated Business Management System (IBMS)	1	28 November-2024

NB: Suppliers must confirm in their quotations that they can comply with the above delivery/ start schedule, or if unable to, provide an alternative delivery schedule as indicated.

SBD 6.1

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

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

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

1. GENERAL CONDITIONS

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

1.2

- a) The value of this bid is estimated to **exceed/not exceed** R50 000 000 (all applicable taxes included) and therefore the Preference point system shall be applicable; or
- b) Either the 80/20 or 90/10 preference point system will be applicable to this tender (*delete whichever is not applicable for this*



tender).

1.3 Points for this bid shall be awarded for:

- (a) Price; and
- (b) B-BBEE Status Level of Contributor.

1.4 The maximum points for this bid are allocated as follows:

	POINTS
PRICE	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;
- (i) **“QSE”** means a qualifying small business enterprise in terms of a code of good practice on black economic empowerment issued in terms of section 9 (1) of the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act;
- (j) **“rand value”** means the total estimated value of a contract in Rand, calculated at the time of bid invitation, and includes all applicable taxes;

3. POINTS AWARDED FOR PRICE

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

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

80/20 **or** **90/10**

$$P_s = 80 \left(1 - \frac{P_t - P_{\min}}{P_{\min}} \right) \quad \text{or} \quad P_s = 90 \left(1 - \frac{P_t - P_{\min}}{P_{\min}} \right)$$

Where

P_s = Points scored for price of bid under consideration

P_t = Price of bid under consideration

P_{\min} = Price of lowest acceptable bid

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

- 4.1 In terms of Regulation 6 (2) and 7 (2) of the Preferential Procurement Regulations, preference points must be awarded to a bidder for



attaining the B-BBEE status level of contribution in accordance with the table below:

B-BBEE Level Contributor	Status of	Number of points (90/10 system)	Number of points (80/20 system)
1		10	20
2		9	18
3		6	14
4		5	12
5		4	8
6		3	6
7		2	4
8		1	2
Non-compliant contributor		0	0

5. BID DECLARATION

5.1 Bidders who claim points in respect of B-BBEE Status Level of Contribution must complete the following:

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

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

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

7. SUB-CONTRACTING

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

(Tick applicable box)

YES	<input type="checkbox"/>	NO	<input type="checkbox"/>
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7.1.1 If yes, indicate:

i) What percentage of the contract will be subcontracted.....%

ii) The name of the sub-contractor.....



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

iv) Whether the sub-contractor is an EME or QSE

(Tick applicable box)

YES	<input type="checkbox"/>	NO	<input type="checkbox"/>
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v) Specify, by ticking the appropriate box, if subcontracting with an enterprise in terms of Preferential Procurement Regulations,2017:

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

8. DECLARATION WITH REGARD TO COMPANY/FIRM

8.1 Name of company/firm:.....

8.2 VAT registration number:.....

8.3 Company registration number:.....

8.4 TYPE OF COMPANY/ FIRM

- Partnership/Joint Venture / Consortium
- One person business/sole propriety
- Close corporation
- Company
- (Pty) Limited

[TICK APPLICABLE BOX]

8.5 DESCRIBE PRINCIPAL BUSINESS ACTIVITIES

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8.6 COMPANY CLASSIFICATION

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

8.7 Total number of years the company/firm has been in business:.....

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

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



- (hear the other side) rule has been applied; and
(e) forward the matter for criminal prosecution.

WITNESSES
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2.

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SIGNATURE(S) OF BIDDERS(S)
DATE:

DECLARATION OF INTEREST

1. Any legal person, including persons employed by the state¹, or persons having a kinship with persons employed by the state, including a blood relationship, may make an offer or offers in terms of this invitation to bid (includes a price quotation, advertised competitive bid, limited bid or proposal). In view of possible allegations of favouritism, should the resulting bid, or part thereof, be awarded to persons employed by the state, or to persons connected with or related to them, it is required that the bidder or his/her authorised representative declare his/her position in relation to the evaluating/adjudicating authority where-

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

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

2.1 Full Name of bidder or his or her representative:



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2.2 Identity Number:

2.3 Position occupied in the Company (director, trustee, shareholder²):
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2.4 Company Registration Number:

2.5 Tax Reference Number:

2.6 VAT Registration Number:

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

¹"State" means –

- (a) any national or provincial department, national or provincial public entity or constitutional institution within the meaning of the Public Finance Management Act, 1999 (Act No. 1 of 1999);
- (b) any municipality or municipal entity;
- (c) provincial legislature;
- (d) national Assembly or the national Council of provinces;
- or
- (e) Parliament.

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

2.7 Are you or any person connected with the bidder
YES / NO
presently employed by the state?

2.7.1 If so, furnish the following particulars:

Name of person / director / trustee / shareholder/ member:

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Name of state institution at which you or the person connected to the bidder is employed :

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Position occupied in the state institution:

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Any other particulars:

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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 attached 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:

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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:

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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.

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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.

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2.11 Do you or any of the directors / trustees / shareholders / members
YES/NO

of the company have any interest in any other related companies
 whether or not they are bidding for this contract?

2.11.1 If so, furnish particulars:

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

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

4 DECLARATION

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



CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION FURNISHED IN PARAGRAPHS 2 and 3 ABOVE IS CORRECT.

I ACCEPT THAT THE STATE MAY REJECT THE BID OR ACT AGAINST ME IN TERMS OF PARAGRAPH 23 OF THE GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT SHOULD THIS DECLARATION PROVE TO BE FALSE.

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Signature	Date
.....
Position	Name of bidder

SBD 8

DECLARATION OF BIDDER’S PAST SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT PRACTICES

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

Item	Question	Yes	No
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4.1	<p>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?</p> <p>(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).</p> <p>The Database of Restricted Suppliers now resides on the National Treasury's website(www.treasury.gov.za) and can be accessed by clicking on its link at the bottom of the home page.</p>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
4.1.1	If so, furnish particulars:		
4.2	<p>Is the bidder or any of its directors listed on the Register for Tender Defaulters in terms of section 29 of the Prevention and Combating of Corrupt Activities Act (No 12 of 2004)?</p> <p>The Register for Tender Defaulters can be accessed on the National Treasury's website (www.treasury.gov.za) by clicking on its link at the bottom of the home page.</p>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
4.2.1	If so, furnish particulars:		
4.3	<p>Was the bidder or any of its directors convicted by a court of law (including a court outside of the Republic of South Africa) for fraud or corruption during the past five years?</p>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
4.3.1	If so, furnish particulars:		
4.4	<p>Was any contract between the bidder and any organ of state terminated during the past five years on account of failure to perform on or comply with the contract?</p>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>



4.4.1	If so, furnish particulars:
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SBD 8

CERTIFICATION

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

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

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Signature

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Date

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Position

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Name of Bidder

SBD 9

CERTIFICATE OF INDEPENDENT BID DETERMINATION

- 1 This Standard Bidding Document (SBD) must form part of all bids¹ invited.
- 2 Section 4 (1) (b) (iii) of the Competition Act No. 89 of 1998, as amended, prohibits an agreement between, or concerted practice by, firms, or a decision by an association of firms, if it is between parties in a horizontal relationship and if it involves collusive bidding (or bid rigging).² Collusive bidding is a *pe se* prohibition meaning that it cannot be justified under any grounds.
- 3 Treasury Regulation 16A9 prescribes that accounting officers and accounting authorities must take all reasonable steps to prevent



abuse of the supply chain management system and authorizes accounting officers and accounting authorities to:

- a. disregard the bid of any bidder if that bidder, or any of its directors have abused the institution's supply chain management system and or committed fraud or any other improper conduct in relation to such system.
 - b. cancel a contract awarded to a supplier of goods and services if the supplier committed any corrupt or fraudulent act during the bidding process or the execution of that contract.
- 4 This SBD serves as a certificate of declaration that would be used by institutions to ensure that, when bids are considered, reasonable steps are taken to prevent any form of bid-rigging.
- 5 In order to give effect to the above, the attached Certificate of Bid Determination (SBD 9) must be completed and submitted with the bid:

¹ Includes price quotations, advertised competitive bids, limited bids and proposals.

² Bid rigging (or collusive bidding) occurs when businesses, that would otherwise be expected to compete, secretly conspire to raise prices or lower the quality of goods and / or services for purchasers who wish to acquire goods and / or services through a bidding process. Bid rigging is, therefore, an agreement between competitors not to compete.

SBD 9

CERTIFICATE OF INDEPENDENT BID DETERMINATION

I, the undersigned, in submitting the accompanying bid:

(Bid Number and Description)



in response to the invitation for the bid made by:

(Name of Institution)

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

I _____ certify, _____ on _____ behalf _____ of: _____ that:

(Name of Bidder)

1. I have read and I understand the contents of this Certificate;
2. I understand that the accompanying bid will be disqualified if this Certificate is found not to be true and complete in every respect;
3. I am authorized by the bidder to sign this Certificate, and to submit the accompanying bid, on behalf of the bidder;
4. Each person whose signature appears on the accompanying bid has been authorized by the bidder to determine the terms of, and to sign the bid, on behalf of the bidder;
5. For the purposes of this Certificate and the accompanying bid, I understand that the word "competitor" shall include any individual or organization, other than the bidder, whether or not affiliated with the bidder, who:

(a) has been requested to submit a bid in response to this bid invitation;

(b) could potentially submit a bid in response to this bid invitation, based on their qualifications, abilities or experience; and

(c) provides the same goods and services as the bidder and/or is in the same line of business as the bidder



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

³ Joint venture or Consortium means an association of persons for the purpose of combining their expertise, property, capital, efforts, skill and knowledge in an activity for the execution of a contract.



10. I am aware that, in addition and without prejudice to any other remedy provided to combat any restrictive practices related to bids and contracts, bids that are suspicious will be reported to the Competition Commission for investigation and possible imposition of administrative penalties in terms of section 59 of the Competition Act No 89 of 1998 and or may be reported to the National Prosecuting Authority (NPA) for criminal investigation and or may be restricted from conducting business with the public sector for a period not exceeding ten (10) years in terms of the Prevention and Combating of Corrupt Activities Act No 12 of 2004 or any other applicable legislation.

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Signature	Date
.....
Position	Name of Bidder

4. STANDARD CONDITIONS OF THE BID

- i. Bidders must complete **SBD 4, SBD 6.1, SBD 8 and SBD 9** forms;
- ii. Bidders must also submit a **valid Tax Clearance Certificate**; and a **valid B-BBEE Certificate** (original or certified copy) to the DCO offices PRIOR to the closing date.
- iii. It is the responsibility of prospective bidders to ensure that their **CSD Registration** is active and updated as this serves as a prerequisite for submission of their proposals.
- iv. It is the responsibility of prospective bidders to ensure that all bid documents are submitted before the closing time and date of the Bid;



- v. Bid submissions received after closing time and date will be classified as **LATE** and will **NOT** be considered;
- vi. Although adequate thought has been given in the drafting of this document, errors may occur which the DCO will not be responsible for;
- vii. Any change of information provided in the bid document that may affect delivery of the service should be brought to the attention of DCO as soon as possible. Failure to comply with this may result in the contract or order being terminated;
- viii. Service providers presenting information intentionally incorrectly or fraudulently will be disqualified;
- ix. Service providers who have been declared insolvent and wish to do business with the DCO must have been rehabilitated and provide the necessary proof thereof;
- x. The DCO reserves the right to award, cancel or partially award a contract or order.
- xi. Bidders must complete and attach all relevant standard bid document;
- xii. All prices quoted must be VAT inclusive;

5. CLOSING DATE AND TIME

The closing date for the RFQ is **22 November 2024 at 12h00**.

Quotations should be sent to:

TENDER BOX ADDRESS:

TenderResponse@denel.co.za

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