

SOUTH AFRICAN



***CIVIL AVIATION
AUTHORITY***

INVITATION TO BID

DATE OF ISSUE: 11 NOVEMBER 2024

**YOU ARE HEREBY INVITED TO BID FOR THE REQUIREMENTS OF SOUTH AFRICAN
CIVIL AVIATION AUTHORITY**

BID NUMBER : SACAA/HF/00008/2024 - 2025

TITLE : PROVISION OF APPOINTMENT OF A SERVICE PROVIDER TO MANUFACTURE LOCALLY, SUPPLY, DELIVERY, AND INSTALLATION OF HARD OFFICE FURNITURE TO THE SOUTH AFRICAN CIVIL AVIATION AUTHORITY (SACAA) HEAD OFFICE.

BID SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS: THREE (3) ENVELOPES
SUBMISSIONS MUST BE SUBMITTED IN ONE ORIGINAL AND ONE COPY (SEE SPECIFICATIONS)

BID DOCUMENTS MUST BE DEPOSITED IN THE BID BOX SITUATED AT:

**ATTENTION: THE CHAIRPERSON
SACAA BID COMMITTEE
SOUTH AFRICAN CIVIL AVIATION AUTHORITY
BUILDING 16, TREUR CLOSE
WATERFALL PARK, BEKKER STREET, MIDRAND**

CLOSING DATE: 05 DECEMBER 2024

CLOSING TIME: 11H00

BID VALIDITY PERIOD: 180 DAYS

NON - COMPULSORY BRIEFING SESSION: 20 NOVEMBER 2024

CONDITIONS OF BIDDING

1. Proprietary Information

- 1.1. South African Civil Aviation Authority (SACAA) considers this tender and all related information, either written or verbal, which is provided to the respondent, to be proprietary to SACAA. It shall be kept confidential by the respondent and its officers, employees, agents and representatives. The respondent shall not disclose, publish, or advertise this specification or related information to any third party without the prior written consent of SACAA.

2. Enquiries

- 2.1. All communication and attempts to solicit information of any kind relative to this tender should be in writing and channeled to: Email address: mbandes@caa.co.za
- 2.2. *Bidders may not contact any other SACAA employee besides contact person mentioned on Paragraph 2.1 above on any matter pertaining to the bid from the time when bid is advertised to the time the bid is awarded. Any effort by a bidder to influence bid evaluation, bid comparisons or bid award decisions in any manner, may result in rejection of the bid concerned.*
- 2.3. All the documentation submitted in response to this tender must be in English.
- 2.4. The Bidder should check the numbers of the pages to satisfy themselves that none are missing or duplicated. No liability will be accepted by SACAA in regard to anything arising from the fact that pages are missing or duplicated.

3. Validity Period

- 1.1. Responses to this tender received from suppliers will be valid for a period of **180 DAYS** counted from the closing date of the tender.

4. Submission of Tenders

- 4.1. Tenders should be submitted in duplicate all bound in a sealed envelope endorsed, **SACAA/HF/00008/2024 - 2025**. The sealed envelope must be placed in the tender box at Building 16, Treur Close, Waterfall Park, Midrand by no later than **11h00 on 05 DECEMBER 2024**.
- 4.2. The closing date, company name and the return address must also be endorsed on the envelope. If a courier service company is being used for delivery of the bid document, the bid description must be endorsed on the delivery note/courier packaging to ensure that documents are delivered into the BID BOX.

- 4.3. No bid received by telegram, telex, email, facsimile or similar medium will be considered. Where a tender document is not in the tender box at the time of the bid closing, such a bid document will be regarded as a late bid. Late bids will not be considered.
- 4.4. Amended bids may be sent, together with the original bid, in an envelope marked "Amendment to bid" and should be placed in the bid box before the closing date and time. An amendment to bid without original bid document will not be considered.
- 4.5. The bidder is responsible for all the cost that they shall incur related to the preparation and submission of the bid document.
- 4.6. Kindly note that SACAA is entitled to amend any bid conditions, validity period, specifications, or extend the closing date of bids before the closing date. All bidders, to whom the bid documents have been issued, will be advised in writing of such amendments in good time.
- 4.7. SACAA reserves that right not to accept the lowest bid of any tender in part or in whole. It normally awards the contract to the bidder who proves to be fully capable of handling the contract and also financially advantageous to SACAA.
- 4.8. SACAA also reserves the right to award this bid to a purely empowerment company or may award this bid on conditions that a joint venture with an empowerment company is formed. This may be added to the criteria when evaluating the bids.
- 4.9. SACAA also reserves the right to award this bid as a whole or in part without furnishing reasons.
- 4.10. SACAA also reserves the right to withdraw the bid without furnishing reasons.
- 4.11. SACAA reserves the right to, amongst other things, conduct unscheduled or scheduled site visit/s to satisfy itself, as to the validity of the information provided on this bid documents.
- 4.12. An incomplete price list shall render the bid non-responsive.

5. DISPUTE RESOLUTION

- 5.1. All disputes arising out of this (Request for Tender) RFT, or relating to the legal validity of this RFT, or any part thereof, shall be resolved under this paragraph. The parties must refer any dispute to be resolved by:
- Negotiation, in terms of paragraph 5.3, failing which;
 - Mediation, in terms of paragraph 5.4, failing which;
 - Arbitration, in terms of paragraph 5.6.
- 5.2. Paragraph 5.1 shall not preclude any party from access to an appropriate court of law for interim relief in respect of urgent matters by way of an interdict, or mandamus pending finalisation of the dispute resolution process contemplated in paragraph 5.1, for which

purpose the parties irrevocably submit to the jurisdiction of a division of the High Court of the RSA.

- 5.3. Within ten (10) days of notification, the parties must seek an amicable resolution to the dispute by referring the dispute to designated and authorised representatives of each of the parties to negotiate and resolve the dispute. If an amicable resolution to the dispute is found, the authorised representatives of the parties must sign, within the ten (10) day period, an agreement confirming that the dispute has been resolved.
- 5.4. If negotiation in terms of paragraph 5.3 fails, the parties must, within fifteen (15) days of the negotiations failing, refer the dispute for resolution by mediation under the rules of the Arbitration Foundation of Southern Africa (or its successor or body nominated in writing by it in its stead).
- 5.5. The periods for negotiation (specified in paragraph 5.3) or for referral of the dispute for mediation (specified in paragraph 5.4), may be reduced or extended by written agreement between the parties.
- 5.6. In the event of the mediation contemplated in paragraph 5.4 failing, the parties shall refer the dispute, within fifteen (15) days of the mediation failing, for resolution by expedited arbitration under the current rules of the Arbitration Foundation of Southern Africa (or its successor or body nominated in writing by it in its stead).
- 5.7. A single arbitrator shall be appointed by agreement between the parties within ten (10) days of the dispute being referred for arbitration, failing which the arbitrator shall be appointed by the Secretariat of the Arbitration Foundation of Southern Africa (or its successor or body nominated in writing by it in its stead).
- 5.8. At all times, every reasonable effort shall be made to ensure that such arbitrator has the necessary technical skills to enable him to adjudicate the dispute in a satisfactory manner.
- 5.9. The arbitration shall be held at Midrand, South Africa, in English.
- 5.10. The South African law shall apply.
- 5.11. The parties shall be entitled to legal representation.
- 5.12. The award of the arbitrator shall be final and binding on the parties, who hereby agree to give effect to the award. Either party shall be entitled to have the arbitrator's award made an order of court at the cost of the party requesting same.
- 5.13. This paragraph shall constitute the irrevocable consent of the parties to the dispute resolution proceeding in terms hereof and neither of the parties shall be entitled to withdraw therefrom or to claim at any arbitration proceedings that they are not bound by the arbitration provisions of this RFT.

5.14. Both parties shall comply with all the provisions of the RFT and with all due diligence during the determination of such dispute, should the latter arise during the course of the RFB.

6. INTERPRETATION

- 6.1 The bidder/s shall accept the SACAA's interpretation of any specific requirement in the bid documents or specifications, should there be a difference of interpretation between the bidder/s and the SACAA.
- 6.2 Should there be any discrepancies between the bid conditions and any other documentation that forms part of this RFT, the bid conditions shall take preference.

THE BIDDER HEREBY ACCEPT THE CONDITIONS OF BID.

SIGNATURE OF BIDDER:

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

DATE:

PART A INVITATION TO BID

YOU ARE HEREBY INVITED TO BID FOR REQUIREMENTS OF THE (NAME OF DEPARTMENT/ PUBLIC ENTITY)					
BID NUMBER:	SACAA/HF/00008/2024 -2025	CLOSING DATE:	05 DEC 2024	CLOSING TIME:	11H00
DESCRIPTION	PROVISION OF APPOINTMENT OF A SERVICE PROVIDER TO MANUFACTURE LOCALLY, SUPPLY, DELIVERY, AND INSTALLATION OF HARD OFFICE FURNITURE TO THE SOUTH AFRICAN CIVIL AVIATION AUTHORITY (SACAA) HEAD OFFICE				
BID RESPONSE DOCUMENTS MAY BE DEPOSITED IN THE BID BOX SITUATED AT (STREET ADDRESS)					
SOUTH AFRICAN CIVIL AVIATION AUTHORITY					
16 TREUR CLOSE					
WATERFALL PARK					
BEKKER STREET, MIDRAND					
BIDDING PROCEDURE ENQUIRIES MAY BE DIRECTED TO			TECHNICAL ENQUIRIES MAY BE DIRECTED TO:		
CONTACT PERSON	SAMBESO MBANDE		CONTACT PERSON	SAMBESO MBANDE	
TELEPHONE NUMBER	011 545 1020		TELEPHONE NUMBER	011 545 1020	
FACSIMILE NUMBER	011 545 1455		FACSIMILE NUMBER	011 545 1455	
E-MAIL ADDRESS	mbandes@caa.co.za				
SUPPLIER INFORMATION					
NAME OF BIDDER					
POSTAL ADDRESS					
STREET ADDRESS					
TELEPHONE NUMBER	CODE		NUMBER		
CELLPHONE NUMBER					
FACSIMILE NUMBER	CODE		NUMBER		
E-MAIL ADDRESS					
VAT REGISTRATION NUMBER					
SUPPLIER COMPLIANCE STATUS	TAX COMPLIANCE SYSTEM PIN:		OR	CENTRAL SUPPLIER DATABASE No:	MAAA
B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL VERIFICATION CERTIFICATE	TICK APPLICABLE BOX] ☐ Yes ☐ No		B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL SWORN AFFIDAVIT		[TICK APPLICABLE BOX] ☐ Yes ☐ No
[A B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL VERIFICATION CERTIFICATE/ SWORN AFFIDAVIT (FOR EMES & QSEs) MUST BE SUBMITTED IN ORDER TO QUALIFY FOR PREFERENCE POINTS FOR B-BBEE]					
ARE YOU THE ACCREDITED REPRESENTATIVE IN SOUTH	☐ Yes ☐ No [IF YES ENCLOSE PROOF]		ARE YOU A FOREIGN BASED SUPPLIER FOR		☐ Yes ☐ No [IF YES, ANSWER THE

AFRICA FOR THE GOODS /SERVICES /WORKS OFFERED?		THE GOODS/ SERVICES/ WORKS OFFERED?	QUESTIONNAIRE BELOW]
QUESTIONNAIRE TO BIDDING FOREIGN SUPPLIERS			
IS THE ENTITY A RESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA (RSA)?		☐ YES ☐ NO	
DOES THE ENTITY HAVE A BRANCH IN THE RSA?		☐ YES ☐ NO	
DOES THE ENTITY HAVE A PERMANENT ESTABLISHMENT IN THE RSA?		☐ YES ☐ NO	
DOES THE ENTITY HAVE ANY SOURCE OF INCOME IN THE RSA?		☐ YES ☐ NO	
IS THE ENTITY LIABLE IN THE RSA FOR ANY FORM OF TAXATION?		☐ YES ☐ NO	
IF THE ANSWER IS “NO” TO ALL OF THE ABOVE, THEN IT IS NOT A REQUIREMENT TO REGISTER FOR A TAX COMPLIANCE STATUS SYSTEM PIN CODE FROM THE SOUTH AFRICAN REVENUE SERVICE (SARS) AND IF NOT REGISTER AS PER 2.3 BELOW.			

PART B TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR BIDDING

1. BID SUBMISSION:	
1.1.	BIDS MUST BE DELIVERED BY THE STIPULATED TIME TO THE CORRECT ADDRESS. LATE BIDS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED FOR CONSIDERATION.
1.2.	ALL BIDS MUST BE SUBMITTED ON THE OFFICIAL FORMS PROVIDED–(NOT TO BE RE-TYPED) OR IN THE MANNER PRESCRIBED IN THE BID DOCUMENT.
1.3.	THIS BID IS SUBJECT TO THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT POLICY FRAMEWORK ACT, 2000 AND THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS, 2022, THE GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT (GCC) AND, IF APPLICABLE, ANY OTHER SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT.
1.4.	THE SUCCESSFUL BIDDER WILL BE REQUIRED TO FILL IN AND SIGN A WRITTEN CONTRACT FORM (SBD7).
2. TAX COMPLIANCE REQUIREMENTS	
2.1.	BIDDERS MUST ENSURE COMPLIANCE WITH THEIR TAX OBLIGATIONS.
2.2.	BIDDERS ARE REQUIRED TO SUBMIT THEIR UNIQUE PERSONAL IDENTIFICATION NUMBER (PIN) ISSUED BY SARS TO ENABLE THE ORGAN OF STATE TO VERIFY THE TAXPAYER'S PROFILE AND TAX STATUS.
2.3.	APPLICATION FOR TAX COMPLIANCE STATUS (TCS) PIN MAY BE MADE VIA E-FILING THROUGH THE SARS WEBSITE WWW.SARS.GOV.ZA.
2.4.	BIDDERS MAY ALSO SUBMIT A PRINTED TCS CERTIFICATE TOGETHER WITH THE BID.
2.5.	IN BIDS WHERE CONSORTIA / JOINT VENTURES / SUB-CONTRACTORS ARE INVOLVED, EACH PARTY MUST SUBMIT A SEPARATE TCS CERTIFICATE / PIN / CSD NUMBER.
2.6.	WHERE NO TCS PIN IS AVAILABLE BUT THE BIDDER IS REGISTERED ON THE CENTRAL SUPPLIER DATABASE (CSD), A CSD NUMBER MUST BE PROVIDED.
2.7.	NO BIDS WILL BE CONSIDERED FROM PERSONS IN THE SERVICE OF THE STATE, COMPANIES WITH DIRECTORS WHO ARE PERSONS IN THE SERVICE OF THE STATE, OR CLOSE CORPORATIONS WITH MEMBERS PERSONS IN THE SERVICE OF THE STATE.”

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

SIGNATURE OF BIDDER:

CAPACITY UNDER WHICH THIS BID IS SIGNED:

(Proof of authority must be submitted e.g. company resolution)

DATE:

TERMS OF REFERENCE:
**APPOINTMENT OF A SERVICE PROVIDER TO MANUFACTURE LOCALLY,
SUPPLY, DELIVERY, AND INSTALLATION OF HARD OFFICE FURNITURE TO THE
SOUTH AFRICAN CIVIL AVIATION AUTHORITY (SACAA) HEAD OFFICE**

1. Introduction

The South African Civil Aviation Authority (SACAA) is an agency of the Department of Transport (DoT), established in terms of the Civil Aviation Act, 2009 (Act No.13 of 2009), which came into effect on 31 March 2010. The Civil Aviation Act provides for the establishment of a stand-alone authority, mandated with controlling, promoting, regulating, supporting, developing, enforcing, and continuously improving levels of safety and security throughout the civil aviation industry.

The SACAA's mandate is to administer civil aviation safety and security oversight in the republic of South Africa, in line with Civil Aviation Authority Act (the Act), and in accordance with the standards and recommended practices (SARP's) prescribed by the ICAO.

The above is achieved by complying with the Standards and Recommended Practices (SARPs) of the International Civil Aviation Organisation (ICAO), whilst considering the local context.

The SACAA, as prescribed by the Civil Aviation Act as well as the Public Finance Management Act (PFMA), 1999 (Act No.1 of 1999) is a Schedule 3A public entity.

2. Background

The SACAA head office is located inside Waterfall Park, Bekker Street, Midrand, where it occupies two buildings adjacent to each other.

To date, SACAA is in a process of completing construction of their new Head Office, situated in Byls Bridge Office Park, SACAA building, 11 Byls Bridge Boulevard, Highveld Centurion. The beneficial occupation date at the new head office is 01 December 2024.

3. Purpose

SACAA seeks to appoint a suitably qualified service provider to manufacture locally, supply, deliver and install furniture for SACAA's new office building situated in Byls Bridge Office Park, SACAA Building, Highveld Centurion.

The building that SACAA is moving to is a 10 000m² in total, which 9126m² is office space, and during the move, SACAA will not be moving with their old furniture. The purpose is to have all new modern

furniture manufactured for the new head office building as mentioned above, hence the purpose for this tender.

For this tender, SACAA is seeking the services of only manufactures of office furniture and resellers of office furniture will therefore not be accepted.

4. Duration of Contract

The contract would be effective from the date the tender is awarded until full installation, and payment will be made once the installation is completed. The project should be completed on or before the 15th March 2025.

5. Scope of Service

The service provider will be required to manufacture locally, supply, deliver and install furniture at the SACAA head office. The office chairs can be procured directly from the manufacturers locally or abroad in compliance with the specifications. The required items include, but are not limited to the following:

- Desks and tables
- Office chairs
- Pedestals and credenzas
- Office shelving/storage and server units

The service provider will be required to manufacture high quality office furniture by using durable raw material and products which comply with the South African National Standards where applicable.

5.1. Fabrication

- The manufacturer should be experienced in producing architectural woodwork as indicated in this project and with a record of successful in-service performance, as well as sufficient production capacity to produce the required units.
- Before fabricating and installing interior work, mock-ups may be built on special request for each form of construction and finish required to verify selections made under sample submitted and to demonstrate aesthetic effects and qualities of materials and execution.
- Fabric and colour samples to be used should be supplied for approval by SACAA prior to manufacturing.
- All exposed veneers work in solid timber and veneers shall be within approvable range or samples approved.
- Special care shall be taken to ensure that the width of veneers in all related fabrications shall be identical and shall have an even number of veneers of equal.

- All completed works shall be delivered fully finished in neat and clean condition without any stains, marks, defects, etc. and shall meet with the approval of the SACAA. Unless otherwise stipulated all work shall include priming and protective treatments and finishing as required
- The service provider shall be responsible for protecting all the mirrors & glasses until handed over and installed at SACAA.
- The service provider shall replace at his own expense any broken or damaged mirrors glasses caused through lack of adequate protection or care during installation or handling.
- All installed materials shall be left in perfect condition to the satisfaction of SACAA.
- Woodwork shall be protected from defacement until installed and handed over to the SACAA.

5.2. Guarantee

- Furniture must be in line with the requirements of South African Bureau Standards (SABS).
- The furniture provided must be of contract-grade quality and suitable for commercial use.
- The service provider must provide a minimum of five (5) years guarantee periods for all products.
- Provide guarantees to replace all parts or furniture pieces within the defined defect correction period should they prove deficient within this period at the tenderer/ the service provider's cost.
- All materials and work (including furniture and/or furniture pieces) shall be protected from damage until final acceptance of work.
- The service provider shall, once SACAA has chosen its preferred material, use, maintain uniform quality and provide consistency in workmanship throughout.

5.3. Assembling

- The service provider will be expected to assemble furniture in its correct place, without extra charges. Assembling should be included in the total bid price.
- Damaged or defective items are subject to rejection and replacement with new items by the service provider at no cost to SACAA.
- All materials must be carefully stored and fully protected from external conditions or contamination.
- Cover, ventilate and protect from damage caused by weather, moisture, heat, staining, dirt, abrasions, and other causes which may adversely affect appearance or use, or which may cause deterioration of finish warpage, distortion, twisting, opening of joints and seams, delamination, loosening etc. of woodwork.
- Large items of furniture to be manufactured in sections for ease of installation and in order to allow for full installation on site.
- The desk configuration, whether left or right hand, is to be confirmed.
- All furniture supplied should have correct dimensions to achieve the correct ergonomic use.

- The service provider must submit asset register showing description of each asset, asset location and serial number of each asset which must be signed off by SACAA.

5.4. Service Provider to conduct clearing of the Site

- The service provider shall be held responsible for the conduct of its employees for the full duration of the contract.
- The service provider shall provide operating, cleaning and maintenance manuals where applicable.
- Prior to final inspection, the service provider must check to ensure proper operations, finishes, and surroundings.
- Upon completion of work, the service provider shall remove all adhesive from floors, glass, and other surfaces.
- The service provider shall remove and discard all packaging and accumulated materials during delivery and installation and leave the site clean, orderly, and in an acceptable condition.

5.5. Specification of Furniture

The specification below unpacks the area, quantities required aligned to the space plan and layout of the offices under construction, the specification of the furniture as well as the illustrative guide.

NOTE: Refer to Annexure A (Hardwood Office Furniture Cut Sheet) and Annexure A1 of the RFT (Hard Furniture Codes, Quantities and Pricing)

6. Evaluation Criteria

6.1. Phase 1: Supply Chain Management (SCM) Mandatory Compliance Requirements

The SACAA reserves the right to accept or reject a bid based on the completeness and correctness of the documentation and information provided. The set of bid documents must be completed and submitted. **SACAA reserve the right to request information/additional documents if there are any missing from the bidder(s) submission.**

Bidders are to ensure that they submit and are in compliance with the following in their bid.

Documents	Comments	Compulsory Requirement
Proof of registration on the Central Supplier Database (CSD) of National Treasury	Prospective bidders must be registered on the CSD prior to submitting their bid. Submit CSD Report or CSD Supplier Number	Yes
SBD 3 (Pricing)	Fully Completed	Yes
SBD 4 (Bidders Disclosure)	Fully Completed and signed	Yes
SBD 6.1 (Preferential Procurement Points)	Fully Completed and signed	Yes

6.2. Phase 2: Functionality/Technical Evaluation

No	Description	Proof of Evidence	Min Score	Max Score
1.	Bidders Experience Bidder's number of years in manufacturing office furniture	Provide company profile clearly stating the number of years in manufacturing of office furniture. • More than 10 years in manufacturing office furniture = 10 points • 8 to 10 years in manufacturing office furniture = 05 points • Less than 8 years in manufacturing office furniture = 0 points	05	10
2.	Portfolio of Evidence	The service provider must submit proof of Portfolio of Evidence for hard furniture manufactured of not less than 200 units / pieces of furniture (desk, tables & cabinets) for corporate clients which includes ✓ The type of clients; ✓ Size of the project; ✓ Type of furniture provided; and ✓ Brochures and/or pictures of previous work done. NOTE: If any of the above information is not provided, the bidder will score zero points. • More than 5 PoE submitted = 30 points • 4-5 PoE submitted = 25 points • 3- PoE submitted = 20 points • Less than 3 PoE submitted = 0 points	20	30

3.	Reference of similar work done The purpose of references is to obtain feedback on the bidder's ability to manufacture, supply, deliver and install furniture, meeting quality standard as per client's specification.	Reference letters from a minimum of five (5) companies where the bidder has manufactured, supplied and installed office furniture not less than 200 pieces of furniture (desk, tables & cabinets) for corporate clients. Each reference letter should include the following: 1. Be on a company letterhead, 2. Mention assignment of similar nature, 3. Value of the tender awarded; and 4. Be signed by a contactable referee by providing the company's contactable details. Points will be allocated as follows: • 5 letters or above = 10 points • 4 reference letters = 7.5 points • 3 reference letters = 5 points • Less than 3 letters = 0 points	7.5	10
4.	Experience of Project Lead Project lead, must be experienced in managing office furniture design, manufacturing and Installation	Attach Resume of the project lead including list of similar projects completed. • 10 years' experience = 10 points • 8 - 9 years' experience = 7.5 points • 6 - 7 years' experience = 5 points • 3 - 5 years' experience = 3 points • Less than 3 years' experience = 0 points	7.5	10

5.	Understanding scope of work	Provide a detailed methodology around the manufacturing, supply, and installation of office furniture; ensure that you have captured the requirements as per below. 1. A detailed task list which shows full scope of work (From start of manufacturing to installation) = 10 points 2. Duration for each task = 10 points 3. Installation plan, procedure, and timeframe = 15 points 4. Quality control management system (practice and procedures) = 05 points	30	40
TOTAL POINTS			70	100

Bidders who score **70** points or more out of **100** on functionality will be considered for the next phase of evaluations. Any bidder scoring less than minimum **70** points will not be considered further.

6.3. Phase 3: Site Inspection

As part of due diligence, SACAA will conduct a site visit for all bidder(s) that scored **70** points and above on functionality/technical evaluation,

Bidders must note that this process is a verification process for what the bidder(s) have submitted as part of their proposals and thus the criteria will be as follows.

Description	Proof /Response	Max Score
Capacity to Deliver	• Team Leader Knowledge and understanding of the business and understanding of the scope. • Capacity to manufacture required furniture, meet deadline for delivery and installation. • Flexibility, e.g. Is the bidder willing to work overtime; night shift and weekend to meet deadlines. • Demonstrate assets register to be handed to SACAA after furniture installation	10

After Sales Service	• Factory Guarantee/ Warranty on material minimum five years • Guarantee/ Warranty on products after delivery minimum five years.	5
TOTAL POINTS		15

Any bidder who scores less than **15** points during the presentation/site visit will not be considered further, for price and specific goal.

6.4. Phase 4: Cost Proposal and Specific Goal Evaluation

6.4.1. Submission of Cost Proposal

All prices must be quoted for in South African Rand (ZAR), and must cover all costs associated with manufacturing, supplying, delivery and installation of furniture required by SACAA as per detailed scope of services as well as the office chairs that will be procured directly from the manufacturers locally or abroad in compliance with the specifications

Service provider to state if the price quoted as per above is firm for the duration of the contract or provide details of basis on which price adjustment shall be applied. All additional cost associated with the bidder's offer must be clearly specified and included in the total bid price.

6.4.2. Price

Bidders who comply with the requirements of this bid will be evaluated according to the preference point scoring system as determined in the Preferential Procurement Regulations, 2022 pertaining to the Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act, 2000 (Act No 5 of 2000).

Only bidders that have achieved the minimum qualifying points on functionality will be evaluated further in accordance with the 80/20 preference point system as follows:

Points for this bid shall be awarded for:

- (a) Price; and
- (b) Specific Goal

The following PPPFA formula is used to evaluate price:

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

P_s = Points scored for price of the bid under consideration.

P_t = Rand value of bid under consideration.

Pmin = Rand value of lowest acceptable bid.

The pricing schedule must be submitted on a separate envelope from the technical proposal for ease of evaluation, as these will be evaluated separately (1 original and 1 copy). Bidders are required to provide a detailed price schedule breakdown. **Refer to Annexure A1**

6.4.3. Points Awarded for Specific Goal

In terms of Preferential Procurement Regulations 2022, preference points will be awarded to a bidder for attaining the specific goals requirements in accordance with the table below. SACAA will award points against the bidder submitted valid BBEE certificate or an affidavit.

Specific Goal	Number of Points
100% black owned company	20
80% black owned company	18
60% black owned company	16
40% black owned company	14
20% black owned company	12
Not black owned	0

The maximum points for this bid will be allocated as follows:

	POINTS
Price	80
Specific Goal	20
Total Points for Price and Specific Goal	100

7. Non-Compulsory Briefing Session

There will be non-compulsory briefing session to be held online via MS Teams on https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_YThjZjE5MTctMWVhOC00NmEzLTlhOTAtNjY2NDliMzQ2MDlk%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%22fcb5f168-07c2-4bb9-82d9-3f15c0bd0d20%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%224ee35bf8-45e5-4ac7-8092-9824be4e8288%22%7d

20 November 2024 at 11:00 am and any prospective service provider that may seek further clarity can send their queries via email to Mr. Sambeso Mbande at mbandes@caa.co.za.

8. Submission of Proposal

The bid submission requires a three (3) envelope system as per Section 6 of the evaluation criteria.

Envelope 1: All mandatory documents on Phase 1.

Envelope 2: Technical proposal (1 original and copy)

Envelope 3: The pricing schedule must be submitted on a separate envelope from the technical proposal for ease of evaluation, as these will be evaluated separately (1 original and 1 copy). Bidders are required to provide a detailed price schedule breakdown. **Refer to Annexure A1**

Bidders are required to submit neatly bound, clearly labelled returnable documents, as SACAA will not be held responsible for any loss of documents whatsoever.

Bid documents must be submitted in a sealed envelope and/or package clearly marked with the bid reference number and the company name as per the bid advertisement. The bid is to be deposited in the tender box situated at the foyer of the SACAA head office on or before the closing date of: **05 December 2024 on or before 11.00am.**

Attention: BEC Chairperson

APPOINTMENT OF A SERVICE PROVIDER TO MANUFACTURE LOCALLY, SUPPLY, DELIVERY, AND INSTALLATION OF HARD OFFICE FURNITURE TO THE SOUTH AFRICAN CIVIL AVIATION AUTHORITY (SACAA) HEAD OFFICE

South African Civil Aviation Authority,
Building 16, Treur Close
Waterfall Park, Bekker Street, Midrand

PRICING SCHEDULE**(Professional Services)****NOTE: ONLY FIRM PRICES IN SOUTH AFRICAN RANDS ('R') WILL BE ACCEPTED**

NAME OF BIDDER :

BID NO. : SACAA/HF/00008/2024 - 2025

CLOSING TIME : 11:00 ON : 05 DEC 2024

OFFER TO BE VALID FOR 60 DAYS FROM THE CLOSING DATE OF BID.

1. The accompanying information must be used for the formulation of proposals.
2. Bidders are required to indicate a ceiling price based on the total estimated time for completion of all phases and including all expenses inclusive of VAT for the project. R.....
3. PERSONS WHO WILL BE INVOLVED IN THE PROJECT AND RATES APPLICABLE (CERTIFIED INVOICES MUST BE RENDERED IN TERMS HEREOF)

4. PERSON AND POSITION	HOURLY RATE	DAILY RATE
-----	R-----	R-----
-----	R-----	R-----
-----	R-----	R-----

5. PHASES ACCORDING TO WHICH THE PROJECT WILL BE COMPLETED, COST PER PHASE AND MAN-DAYS TO BE SPENT

-----	R-----	----- days
-----	R-----	----- days
-----	R-----	----- days
-----	R-----	----- days
-----	R-----	----- days

- 5.1. Travel expenses (specify, for example rate/km and total km, class of air travel, etc). Only actual costs are recoverable. Proof of the expenses incurred must accompany certified invoices.

Full time construction monitoring staff shall be reimbursed for travelling expenses, for either the return office to site or return home to site journeys, whichever is the lesser. Part time construction monitoring staff shall be reimbursed for either the return office to site or return alternate site to site journeys, whichever is the lesser. Construction monitoring staff engaged in work outside of normal working hours shall be reimbursed for the return home to site journey. Staff other than construction monitoring staff shall only be reimbursed for travelling expenses in respect of trips exceeding 40km per journey (round trip). Payment shall only be made for that portion of the distance that exceeds 40 km.

DESCRIPTION OF EXPENSE TO BE INCURRED	RATE	QUANTITY	AMOUNT
-----			R.....
-----			R.....
-----			R.....
-----			R.....
TOTAL: R.....			

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

DESCRIPTION OF EXPENSE TO BE INCURRED	RATE	QUANTITY	AMOUNT
-----			R.....
-----			R.....
-----			R.....
-----			R.....
TOTAL: R.....			

- 5.2. Period required for commencement with project after acceptance of bid.....
- 5.3. Estimated man-days for completion of project
- 5.4. Are the rates quoted firm for the full period of contract?

If not firm for the full period, provide details of the basis on which adjustments will be applied for, for example consumer price index.....

BIDDER'S DISCLOSURE

1. PURPOSE OF THE FORM

Any person (natural or juristic) may make an offer or offers in terms of this invitation to bid. In line with the principles of transparency, accountability, impartiality, and ethics as enshrined in the Constitution of the Republic of South Africa and further expressed in various pieces of legislation, it is required for the bidder to make this declaration in respect of the details required hereunder.

Where a person/s are listed in the Register for Tender Defaulters and / or the List of Restricted Suppliers, that person will automatically be disqualified from the bid process.

2. Bidder's declaration

2.1 Is the bidder, or any of its directors / trustees / shareholders / members / partners or any person having a controlling interest¹ in the enterprise, employed by the state? **YES/NO**

2.1.1 If so, furnish particulars of the names, individual identity numbers, and, if applicable, state employee numbers of sole proprietor/ directors / trustees / shareholders / members/ partners or any person having a controlling interest in the enterprise, in table below.

Full Name	Identity Number	Name of State institution

2.2 Do you, or any person connected with the bidder, have a relationship with any person who is employed by the procuring institution? **YES/NO**

¹ the power, by one person or a group of persons holding the majority of the equity of an enterprise, alternatively, the person/s having the deciding vote or power to influence or to direct the course and decisions of the enterprise.

2.2.1 If so, furnish particulars:

.....
.....

2.3 Does the bidder or any of its directors / trustees / shareholders / members / partners or any person having a controlling interest in the enterprise have any interest in any other related enterprise whether or not they are bidding for this contract? **YES/NO**

2.3.1 If so, furnish particulars:

.....
.....

3 DECLARATION

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

3.1 I have read and I understand the contents of this disclosure;

3.2 I understand that the accompanying bid will be disqualified if this disclosure is found not to be true and complete in every respect;

3.3 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 consortium² will not be construed as collusive bidding.

3.4 In addition, there have been no consultations, communications, agreements or arrangements with any competitor regarding the quality, quantity, specifications, prices, including methods, factors or formulas used to calculate prices, market allocation, the intention or decision to submit or not to submit the bid, bidding with the intention not to win the bid and conditions or delivery particulars of the products or services to which this bid invitation relates.

3.4 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.

3.5 There have been no consultations, communications, agreements or arrangements made by the bidder with any official of the procuring institution in relation to this procurement process prior to and during the bidding process except to provide clarification on the bid submitted where so required by the institution; and the bidder was not involved in the drafting of the specifications or terms of reference for this bid.

² 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.

- 3.6 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.

I CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION FURNISHED IN PARAGRAPHS 1, 2 and 3 ABOVE IS CORRECT.

I ACCEPT THAT THE STATE MAY REJECT THE BID OR ACT AGAINST ME IN TERMS OF PARAGRAPH 6 OF PFMA SCM INSTRUCTION 03 OF 2021/22 ON PREVENTING AND COMBATING ABUSE IN THE SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT SYSTEM SHOULD THIS DECLARATION PROVE TO BE FALSE.

.....	
Signature	Date
.....	
Position	Name of bidder

PREFERENCE POINTS CLAIM FORM IN TERMS OF THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS 2022

This preference form must form part of all bids invited. It contains general information and serves as a claim form for preference points 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, 2022.

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 up to R50 000 000 (all applicable taxes included).**
 - a. The value of this bid is estimated not to exceed R50,000,000 (all applicable taxes included) and therefore the 80/20 preference point system shall be applicable; or

1.2. Points for this bid shall be awarded for:

- a. Price; and
- b. Specific Goal.

1.3. The maximum points for this bid are allocated as follows:

	POINTS
PRICE	80
SPECIFIC GOAL	20
Total points for Price and SPECIFIC GOAL must not exceed	100

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

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:
 - (i) B-BBEE Status level certificate issued by an authorized body or person;
 - (ii) A sworn affidavit as prescribed by the B-BBEE Codes of Good Practice;
 - (iii) 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 PREFERENCE POINT SYSTEMS

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

80/20

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

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 the Preferential Procurement Regulations 2022, preference points must be awarded to a bidder for attaining the SPECIFIC GOALS in accordance with the table below:

SPECIFIC GOAL	Number of points (80/20 system)
100% black owned company	20
80% black owned company	18
60% black owned company	16
40% black owned company	14
20% black owned company	12
Not black owned	0

5. BID DECLARATION

- 5.1 Bidders who claim points in respect of SPECIFIC GOAL 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		NO	
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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		NO	
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- v) Specify, by ticking the appropriate box, if subcontracting with an enterprise in terms of Preferential Procurement Regulations, 2022:

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

1.
2.

.....
SIGNATURE(S) OF BIDDERS(S)

DATE:

ADDRESS

.....

.....

UNDERTAKINGS BY BIDDER IN RESPECT OF THIS BID

1. Interpretation

- 1.1. In his agreement clause headings are for convenience and shall not be used in its interpretation and, unless the context clearly indicate a contrary intention: -
- 1.2. An expression which denotes
 - any gender includes the other gender;
 - a natural person included an artificial or juristic person and vice versa;
 - the singular includes the plural and vice versa;
- 1.3. Any reference to any statute, regulation or other legislation or official policy shall be a reference to that statute, regulation or other legislation or national policy as at the signature date, and as amended or re-enacted from time to time;
- 1.4. When any number of days is prescribed, such shall be reckoned inclusively of the first and inclusively of the last day, unless the last day falls on a day which is not a business day, in which case the last day shall be the next succeeding day which is a business day;
- 1.5. Where any term is defined within a particular clause, other than the interpretation clause, that term shall bear the meaning ascribed to it in that clause wherever it is used in this agreement.

2. I/we hereby bid:

- 1.1 to supply all or any of the supplies and/or to render all or any of the goods described in the attached documents to SACAA;
- 1.2 on the terms and conditions and in accordance with the specifications stipulated in the bid documents (and which shall be taken as part of incorporated into, this bid);
- 1.3 at the prices and on the terms regarding time for delivery and/or execution inserted therein.

3. I/we agree further that:

- 3.1. the offer herein shall remain binding upon me/us and open for acceptance by SACAA during the validity indicated and calculated from the closing time of the bid;
- 3.2. this bid and its acceptance shall be subject to the terms and additions contained in the Schedules hereto with which I am/we are fully acquainted;

4. notwithstanding anything to the contrary:

- 4.1. if/we withdraw my/our bid within the period for which I/we have agreed that the bid shall remain open for acceptance, or fail to fulfil the contract when called upon to do so, SACAA may, without prejudice to its other rights, agree to the withdrawal of my/our bid or cancel the contract that may have been entered into between me/us and SACAA.
- 4.2. in such event, I/we shall then pay to SACAA any additional expense incurred by SACAA for having either to accept any less favourable bid or, if fresh bids have to be invited, the additional expenditure incurred by the invitation of fresh bids and by the subsequent acceptance of any less favourable bid;
- 4.3. SACAA shall also have the right in these circumstances, to recover such additional expenditure by set-off against monies which may be due or become due to me/us under this or any other bid or contract or against any guarantee or deposit that may have furnished by me/us or on my/our behalf for the due fulfillment of this or any other bid or contract;

5. Pending the ascertainment of the amount of such additional expenditure SACAA may retain such monies, guarantee or deposit as security for any loss SACAA may sustain, as determined hereunder, by reason of my/our default;
- 5.1. if my/our bid is accepted that acceptance may be communicated to me/us by letter or facsimile ad that proof of delivery of such acceptance to SA Post Office Ltd shall be treated as delivery to me/us;
- 5.2. the law of the Republic of South Africa shall govern the contract created by the acceptance of this bid;
6. I/we have satisfied myself/ourselves as to the correctness and validity of this bid, that the price(s) and rate(s) quoted cover all the work/item(s) specified in the bid documents and that the price(s) and rate(s) over all my/our obligations under a resulting contract and that I/we accept that any mistakes regarding price(s) and calculations shall be at my/our risk;
7. I/we accept full responsibility for the proper execution and fulfillment of all obligation and conditions defaulting on me/us under this agreement as the principal(s) liable for the due fulfilment of this contract.
8. Notwithstanding full responsibility for the proper execution and fulfillment of all obligations and conditions defaulting on me/us under this agreement as the principal(s) liable for the due fulfillment of this contract.
9. Notwithstanding the amount of cause of action involved I hereby consent to the jurisdiction of the Magistrate Court for the district of Johannesburg in respect of any action whatever arising from this contract.
10. I/we declare that I/we participation/no participation in the submission of any other offer for the supplies/services described in the attached documents. If your answer here is

Bidder's Information

Name of firm (company)

Postal Address

Physical Address

Contact Person

Telephone

Fax Number

Types of business

Principal business

Activities

11. The bidder hereby offers to render all or any of the services described in the attached documents to SACAA on the terms and conditions and in accordance with the specifications stipulated in these tender documents (and which shall be taken as part of, and incorporated into, this proposal at the prices inserted therein).
12. Bids submitted by companies must be signed by a person or persons duly authorised thereto by a resolution of a Board of Directors, a copy of which Resolution, duly certified be submitted with the bid.
13. The bidder hereby agrees that the offer herein shall remain binding upon him/her and receptive for acceptance by SACAA during the validity period indicated and calculated from the closing hour and date of the tender; this proposal and its acceptance shall be subject to the terms and conditions contained in this tender document.
14. The bidder furthermore confirm that he/she has satisfied himself/herself as to the correctness and validity of his/her tender response that the price(s) and rate(s) quoted cover all the work/item(s) specified in the tender response documents and that the price(s) and rate(s) cover all his/her obligations under a resulting contract and that he/she accept that any mistakes regarding price(s) and calculations will be at his/her risk.
15. The bidder hereby accepts full responsibility for the proper execution and fulfillment of all obligations and conditions devolving on him/her under this agreement as the principal(s) liable for the due fulfilment of this contract.

THE BIDDER HEREBY ACCEPT THE UNDERTAKINGS BY BIDDER.

SIGNATURE OF BIDDER:

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

DATE:

E2: GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT

NOTES

The purpose of this document is to:

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

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

The General Conditions of Contract will form part of all bid and contract documents.

- iii. Special Condition of Contract pertaining to contracts of this nature will be negotiated with the successful bidder.

GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT

1. Definitions

The following terms shall be interpreted as indicated:

- 1.1. "Closing time" means the date and hour specified in the bidding documents for the receipt of bids.
- 1.2. "Contract" means the written agreement entered into between the client and the service provider, as recorded in the contract form signed by the parties, including all attachments and appendices thereto and all documents incorporated by reference herein.
- 1.3. "Contract price" means the price payable to the service provider 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. "Day" means calendar day.
- 1.7. "Delivery" means delivery in compliance of the conditions of the contract or order.
- 1.8. "Force majeure" means an event beyond the control of the service provider and not involving the service provider's fault or negligence and not foreseeable.
Such events may include, but is not restricted to, acts of the client in its sovereign capacity, wars or revolutions, fires, floods, epidemics, quarantine restrictions and freight embargoes.
- 1.9. "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.
- 1.10. "GCC" means the General Conditions of Contract.

- 1.11. "Goods" means all of the equipment, machinery, service and/or other materials that the service provider is required to supply to the client under the contract.
- 1.12. "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 service provider 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.
- 1.13. "Local content" means that portion of the bidding price which is not included in the imported content provided that local manufacture does take place.
- 1.14. "Order" means an official written order issued for the rendering of a service.
- 1.15. "Project site," where applicable, means the place indicated in bidding documents.
- 1.16. "The client" means the organization purchasing the service.
- 1.17. "Republic" means the Republic of South Africa.
- 1.18. "SCC" means the Special Conditions of Contract.
- 1.19. "Services" means that functional services ancillary to the rendering of the service, 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 service provider covered under the contract.
- 1.20. "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 client shall not be liable for any expense incurred in the preparation and submission of a bid. Where applicable a non-refundable fee for documents may be charged.
- 3.2. With certain exceptions, invitations to bid are only published in the Government Tender Bulletin. The Government Tender Bulletin may be obtained directly from the Government Printer, Private Bag X85, Pretoria 0001, or accessed electronically from www.treasury.gov.za

4. Standards

- 4.1. The service rendered shall conform to the standards mentioned in the bidding documents and specifications.

5. Use of contract documents and information; inspection

- 5.1. The service provider shall not, without the client's prior written consent, contract disclose the contract, or any provision thereof, or any specification, documents plan, drawing, pattern, sample, or information furnished by or on and behalf of the client in connection therewith, to any person other than a person employed by the service provider 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 service provider shall not, without the client's prior written consent, make use of any document or information mentioned in GCC clause except for purposes of performing the contract.
- 5.3. Any document, other than the contract itself mentioned in GCC Clause shall remain the property of the client and shall be returned (all copies) to the client on completion of the service provider's performance under the contract if so required by the client.
- 5.4. The service provider shall permit the client to inspect the service provider's records relating to the performance of the service provider and to have them audited by auditors appointed by the client, if so required by the client.

6. Patent rights

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

7. Performance Security

- 7.1. Within thirty (30) days of receipt of the notification of contract award, security the successful bidder shall furnish to the client the performance security of the amount specified in SCC.
- 7.2. The proceeds of the performance security shall be payable to the client as compensation for any loss resulting from the service provider'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 client 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 client's country or abroad, acceptable to the client, in the form provided in the bidding documents or another form acceptable to the client; or
 - (b) a cashier's or certified cheque
- 7.4. The performance security will be discharged by the client and returned to the service provider not later than thirty (30) days following the date of completion of the service

provider's performance obligations under the contract, including any warranty obligations, unless otherwise specified in SCC.

8. Delivery and Documents

- 8.1. Rendering of service shall be made by the service provider in accordance with the document and terms as specified in the contract. The details of shipping and/or other documents to be furnished by the service provider are specified in SCC.
- 8.2. Documents to be submitted by the service provider are specified in SCC.

9. Insurance

- 9.1. The service rendered 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.

10. Transportation

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

11. Incidental Service

- 11.1. The service provider 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 rendered service;
 - (b) furnishing of tools required for assembly and/or maintenance of the rendered service;
 - (c) furnishing of a detailed operations and maintenance manual for each appropriate unit of the rendered service;
 - (d) performance or supervision or maintenance and/or repair of the rendered service, for a period of time agreed by the parties, provided that this service shall not relieve the service provider of any warranty obligations under this contract; and
 - (e) training of the client's personnel, at the service provider's plant and/or on-site, in assembly, start-up, operation, maintenance, and/or repair of the rendered service.
- 11.2. Prices charged by the service provider for incidental services, if not included in the contract price for the service, shall be agreed upon in advance by the parties and shall not exceed the prevailing rates charged to other parties by the service provider for similar services.

12. Warranty

- 12.1. The service provider warrants that the service rendered 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 service provider further warrants that all service rendered under this contract shall have no defect, arising from design, materials, or workmanship (except when the design and/or material is required by the client's specifications) or from any act or omission of the service provider, that may develop under normal use of the rendered service in the conditions prevailing in the country of final destination.
- 12.2. This warranty shall remain valid for twelve (12) months after the service, 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.
- 12.3. The client shall promptly notify the service provider in writing of any claims arising under this warranty.
- 12.4. If the service provider, having been notified, fails to remedy the defect(s) within the period specified in SCC, the client may proceed to take such remedial action as may be necessary, at the service provider's risk and expense and without prejudice to any other rights which the client may have against the service provider under the contract.

13. Payment

- 13.1. The method and conditions of payment to be made to the service provider under this contract shall be specified in SCC.
- 13.2. The service provider shall furnish the client with an invoice accompanied by a copy of the delivery note and upon fulfilment of other obligations stipulated in the contract.
- 13.3. Payments shall be made promptly by the client, but in no case later than thirty (30) days after submission of an invoice or claim by the service provider.
- 13.4. Payment will be made in South African Rand unless otherwise stipulated in SCC.

14. Prices

- 14.1. Prices charged by the service provider for services performed under the contract shall not vary from the prices quoted by the service provider in his bid, with the exception of any price adjustments authorized in SCC or in the client's request for bid validity extension, as the case may be.

15. Contract amendments

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

16. Assignment

16.1. The service provider shall not assign, in whole or in part, its obligations to perform under the contract, except with the client's prior written consent.

17. Subcontracts

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

18. Delays in the service provider's performance

18.1. Performance of services shall be made by the service provider in accordance with the time schedule prescribed by the client in the contract.

18.2. If at any time during performance of the contract, the service provider or its subcontractor(s) should encounter conditions impeding timely performance of services, the service provider shall promptly notify the client in writing of the fact of the delay, its likely duration and its cause(s). As soon as practicable after receipt of the service provider's notice, the client shall evaluate the situation and may at his discretion extend the service provider'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.

18.3. 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.

18.4. The right is reserved to procure outside of the contract small quantities or to have minor essential services executed if an emergency arises, the service provider's point of supply is not situated at or near the place where the supplies are required, or the service provider's services are not readily available.

18.5. Except as provided under GCC Clause 25, a delay by the service provider in the performance of its delivery obligations shall render the service provider 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.

18.6. Upon any delay beyond the delivery period in the case of a supplies contract, the client shall, without cancelling the contract, be entitled to purchase service of a similar quality and up to the same quantity in substitution of the service not rendered in conformity with the contract and to return any service rendered later at the service provider's expense and risk, or to cancel the contract and buy such service as may be required to complete the contract and without prejudice to his other rights, be entitled to claim damages from the service provider.

19. Penalties

19.1. Subject to GCC Clause 25, if the service provider fail to perform services within the period(s) specified in the contract, the client 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 unperformed services using the current prime interest rate calculated for each day of the delay until actual delivery or performance. The client may also consider termination of the contract pursuant to GCC Clause 23.

20. Termination for default

20.1. The client, without prejudice to any other remedy for breach of for default contract, by written notice of default sent to the service provider, may terminate this contract in whole or in part:

- a) if the service provider fails to deliver service within the period(s) specified in the contract, or within any extension thereof granted by the client pursuant to GCC Clause 21.2;
- b) if the service provider fails to perform any other obligation(s) under the contract; or
- c) if the service provider, in the judgment of the client, has engaged in corrupt or fraudulent practices in competing for or in executing the contract.

20.2. In the event the client terminates the contract in whole or in part, the client may procure, upon such terms and in such manner as it deems appropriate, services similar to those undelivered, and the service provider shall be liable to the client for any excess costs for such similar services. However, the service provider shall continue performance of the contract to the extent not terminated.

20.3. Where the client terminates the contract in whole or in part, the client may decide to impose a restriction penalty on the service provider by prohibiting the service provider from doing business with the public sector for a period not exceeding 10 years.

20.4. If the client intends imposing a restriction on the service provider or any person associated with the service provider, the service provider 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 service provider fail to respond within the stipulated fourteen (14) days the client may regard the intended penalty as not objected against and may impose it on the service provider.

20.5. 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.

20.6. If a restriction is imposed, the client must, within five (5) working days of such imposition, furnish the National Treasury, with the following information:

- (i) the name and address of the service provider and / or person restricted by the client;
- (ii) the date of commencement of the restriction; and
- (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 the service providers or persons prohibited from doing business with the public sector.

20.7. 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.

21. Force Majeure

21.1. Notwithstanding the provisions of GCC Clauses 22 and 23, the Majeure the service provider 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.

21.2. If a force majeure situation arises, the service provider shall promptly notify the client in writing of such condition and the cause thereof. Unless otherwise directed by the client in writing, the service provider 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.

22. Termination for insolvency

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

23. Settlement of Disputes

23.1. If any dispute or difference of any kind whatsoever arises between the client and the service provider 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.

23.2. If, after thirty (30) days, the parties have failed to resolve their dispute or difference by such mutual consultation, then either the client or the service provider 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.

23.3. Should it not be possible to settle a dispute by means of mediation, it may be settled in a South African court of law.

23.4. Mediation proceedings shall be conducted in accordance with the rules of procedure specified in the SCC.

23.5. 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 client shall pay the service provider any monies due the service provider.

24. Limitation of liability

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

(a) the service provider shall not be liable to the client, 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 service provider to pay penalties and/or damages to the client; and

(b) the aggregate liability of the service provider to the client, 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

25. Governing language

25.1. 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

26. Applicable law

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

27. Notices

27.1. Every written acceptance of a bid shall be posted to the service provider 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 services of such notice.

27.2. 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.

28. Taxes and duties

28.1. A foreign the service provider shall be entirely responsible for all taxes, stamp duties, license fees, and other such levies imposed outside the client's country.

28.2. A local the service provider shall be entirely responsible for all taxes, duties, license fees, etc., incurred until delivery of the contracted service to the client.

28.3. 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.

29. National Industrial Participation (NIP) Programme

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

30. POPIA Clause

30.1. In submitting any information or documentation requested above or any other information that may be requested pursuant to this RFP, you are consenting to the processing by SACAA or its stakeholders of your personal information and all other personal information contained therein, as contemplated in the Protection of Personal Information Act, No.4 of 2013 and Regulations promulgated thereunder ("POPI Act"). Further, you declare that you have obtained all consents required by the POPI Act or any other law applicable. Thus, you hereby indemnify SACAA against any civil or criminal action, administrative fine or other penalty or loss that may arise as a result of the processing of any personal information that you submit.

THE BIDDER HEREBY ACCEPT THE GENERAL CONDITIONS OF THE CONTRACT.

SIGNATURE OF BIDDER:

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

DATE:

NAME OF YOUR COMPANY (IN BLOCK LETTERS)_____

SIGNATURE(S) OF THE BIDDER OR ASSIGNEE(S)

DATE

NAME OF PERSON SIGNING (IN BLOCK LETTERS)_____

CAPACITY _____

ARE YOU DULY AUTHORISED TO SIGN THIS BID? _____

COMPANY REGISTRATION NUMBER_____

VAT REGISTRATION NUMBER _____

POSTAL ADDRESS (IN BLOCK LETTERS)

PHYSICAL ADDRESS (IN BLCOK LETTERS)

CONTACT PERSON _____

TELEPHONE NUMBER _____ **FAX NUMBER** _____

CELLPHONE NUMBER _____

E-MAIL _____

TYPES OF BUSINESS _____

PRINCIPAL BUSINESS ACTIVITIES _____