

YOU ARE HEREBY INVITED TO BID (PROVIDE A QUOTATION) IN RESPECT OF PROFESSIONAL SERVICES REQUIRED BY THE SOUTH AFRICAN COUNCIL FOR THE				
PROJECT AND CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT PROFESSIONS (SACPCMP).				
BID DESCRIPTION	For the procurement of a Communications System (PABX) fit for			
	purpose for a regulator.			
BID NUMBER	SRC/005/2			
NAME OF INSTITUTION	The South African Council for the Project and Construction			
	Management Professions (SACPCMP)			
THE PLACE WHERE	SACPCMF	SACPCMP Offices		
GOODS ARE TO BE	446 Rigel Avenue South			
DELIVERED/ WORKS	Rigel Office Park			
OR SERVICES ARE	Erasmusrand Pretoria			
REQUIRED				
COMPULSORY	- Please note that failure to submit compulsory documents may			
REQUIREMENTS	lead to disqualification.Only emailed submissions will be accepted.			ted
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RFQ DISTRIBUTION	01 March 2023		09h00	
QUERIES CLOSING	10 Marah 2022 16600			
DATE		10 March 2023 16h00		
RFQ CLOSING DATE	17 March	2023	16h00	
CONTACT DETAILS	Electronic	Electronic bids shoul		
	bids	Nokuthula Madlala tenders@sacpcmp.org.za		
	Physical SACPCMP Offices address 446 Rigel Avenue South			
	auuress	446 Rigel Avenue South Rigel Office Park		
		Erasmusrand		
		Pretoria		
	Fax	No facsimile bids wil	be cons	idered
	Email	tenders@sacpcmp.org.za		
	Queries	Natasha van der Berg		
	(only)	communicationsmedia@sacpcmp.org.za/ Elaine.Miller@sacpcmp.org.za		
	Contact Admin Enquiries: Nokuthula Madlala			
•		Nokuthula.Madlala@		
CATEGORY	To provide a Communication system for the SACPCMP.			
SECTOR	Regulatory Council			
REGION	Gauteng Province			
COMPULSORY	Date	N/A		
BRIEFING SESSION/SITE VISIT	Time	N/A		
	Venue	ue N/A		

1. BACKGROUND

The South African Council for the Project and Construction Management Professions (SACPCMP) is a juristic person established by section 2 of the Project and Construction Management Professions Act (Act No.48 of 2000) which provides for statutory professional certification, registration and regulation of Project and Construction Management Professions to protect public interest.

In line with the construction industry development initiatives, the Council continues to advance and promote the science and management practice of project and construction management thereby contributing towards promotion of the construction and built environment industries.

It further regulates the Project and Construction Management Professions to protect the public by identifying the type and scope of work, registering professionals, and maintaining a national register of professionals who adhere to a Code of Conduct.

It also accredits Project and Construction Management programmes at tertiary educational institutions to ensure that graduates are employable within the industry upon completion of their studies and recognises Voluntary Associations who assist in the promotion of the professions under the SACPCMP (South African Council for the Project and Construction Management Professions) umbrella.

OPERATIONS

The SACPCMP operates in the Built Environment alongside five other Councils being

- The South African Council for the Architectural profession (SACAP),
- The Engineering Council of South Africa (ECSA),
- The South African Council for the Landscape Architectural Profession (SACLAP)
- The Council for the Quantity Surveying Profession (SACQSP)
- and the South African Council for the Property Valuers Profession (SACPVP).

The National Minister of Public Works is the Executive Authority of the Council and communicates with the Council through the CBE, which is the overarching body that coordinate the activities of all the six Built Environment Councils.

2. SCOPE OF SERVICES

The SACPCMP requires a new a communication system fit for purpose for a professional regulator. It is envisioned that the new system will be technology proof, and sufficient to meet the needs of the SACPCMP for the next 36 months. Service providers need to propose a system that can accommodate the following requirements.

- 1. The number of extensions specified (between 35-70), and call groups please see diagramme below on the SACPCMP envisioned flow of calls.
- 2. Reporting on answered, not answered calls and statistics for the system, for management to be able to address poor performance.
- 3. Ability to connect to laptop to take calls remotely, and for the system to be operational if there is a power outage at the office, to ensure the system is still functional in this instance.
- 4. To include support service for the system proposed on a monthly basis.
- 5. To include the relevant software that drives the system and an explanation on IT

requirements for functionality.

- 6. The proposed communication system needs to have a functional aspect whereby calls are logged and tracked and queried closed as well as be able to record calls.
- 7. Please specify what software is required.
- 8. Please specify what hardware is required.
- 9. Please specify the cost for support services related to the proposed system and if there is any escalation on price annually.
- 10. Please specify if there is an initial installation fee.



3. MANDATORY REQUIREMENTS

- 3.1. Quotations will be disqualified or excluded under the following conditions:
 - 3.1.1. Submission after the deadline.
 - 3.1.2. Quotations submitted at incorrect location.
 - 3.1.3. Service Providers whose tax matters are not in order at the time when SACPCMP makes an appointment.
 - 3.1.4. Not including a valid original tax clearance certificate as well as BBBEE Original Certificate/ Sworn Affidavits and CSD certificate

4. MINIMUM FUNCTIONAL REQUIREMENTS

The service provider should meet the following minimum requirements:

- 4.1. Registration and CSD good standing status of form
- 4.2. At least five recent (not older than 3 years) written and contactable references from clients that you provided for similar call centre/ communication system.

4.3. A brief Profile of the Service Provider.

5. SPECIAL CONDITIONS

- 5.1. All enquiries must be made in writing to <u>tenders@sacpcmp.org.za</u>, during office hours between 09h00 and 16h30.
- 5.2. SACPCMP reserves the right not to consider any Quotation not fully completed.
- 5.3. By accepting to take part in the Quotation process, you agree to keep in confidence all information imparted to you in relation with the Quotation process, not to disclose it to third parties and not to use it for other purpose than the Quotation.
- 5.4. The Respondent is responsible for all costs incurred in the preparation and submission of the Quotation.
- 5.5.A copy/s of any affiliations, memberships and/or accreditations that support your submission must be included in the Quotation.
- 5.6. Kindly note that SACPCMP is entitled to:
- 5.6.1. Amend any RFQ conditions, validity period, specifications, or extend the closing date and/or time of RFQ's before the closing date. All Respondents, to whom the RFQ documents have been issued, will be advised in writing of such amendments in good time.
- 5.6.2. Verify any information contained in a Quotation.
- 5.6.3. Not appoint any bidder.
- 5.6.4. Vary, alter, and/or amend the terms of this RFQ, at any time prior to the finalisation of its adjudication hereof.
- 5.6.5. Disqualify Quotations that contain an omission of disclosure of material information, that is factually inaccurate, and/or contains a misrepresentation.
- 5.6.6. Not accept the lowest Quotation or any Quotation in part or in whole. The SACPCMP normally awards the contract to the bidder who proves to be fully capable of handling the contract and whose Quotation is technically acceptable and/or financially advantageous to the SACPCMP.
- 5.6.7. Appointment as a successful contractor shall be subject to the parties agreeing to mutually acceptable contractual terms and conditions. In the event of the parties failing to reach such agreement within 30 (thirty) days from the appointment date, the SACPCMP shall be entitled to appoint the contractor who was rated 2nd (second), and so on.
- 5.6.8. Cancel or withdraw from this RFQ as a whole or in part without furnishing reasons and without attracting any liability.
- 5.6.9. This Quotation and its acceptance shall be subject to the terms and conditions contained in this RFQ document.

6. QUOTATION

6.1.Email Quotations should be submitted by **16h00 on 17 March 2023** to the following email addresses: tenders@sacpcmp.org.za

7. BID EVALUATION:

7.1. Evaluation

Evaluation phase will be evaluated as follows:

Evaluation criteria	Points
Price	80%
BBBEE	20%
Maximum Points	100%

8. QUOTATION PRICE

These requirements are only minimum requirements. It is required that Service provider familiarise himself/herself with the details of the services/ supplies to be able for him/her to quote accordingly. The quoted price must be in South African Rands and be inclusive of 15% VAT, if VAT registered vendor.

8.1. PRICING SCHEDULE

Description of services (for a period of 36 months)	Amount
Software requirements	
Hardware requirements	
System management / support costs	
Sub Total	
VAT	
Total	

NB: The quotation provided needs to be valid for 6 months from the date of submission and needs to cover the period for services from 1 April 2023 - 31 March 2026.

9. Period of Contract

This contract will be for the period indicated from 1 April 2023 - 31 March 2026 (36 months) and a service provider will only be appointed once the SCM process had been completed. Work will only commence upon the signing of the Service Level Agreement and relevant purchase orders being issued.

10. General Conditions of Contract

General Conditions of Contract (GCC) as per National Treasury will apply. Service providers must familiarise themselves with these conditions as they will be applicable throughout the duration of the contract period.

11. Evaluation Criteria

Quotations received will be evaluated according to the prescriptions of the Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act no 5 of 2000, the Procurement Regulations of 2017 pertaining to the Act and SACPCMP Procurement Policy determined within the framework of the Act. The 80/20 preference point system will apply. For you to go the next phase of evaluation points of 80% must have been achieved.

12. Contract Management

The Service Provider will be required to sign a Standard Contract based for the duration and value of services.

Authorised Bidder's Signature

Date

PLEASE NOTE

- 1. Any quotation submitted after the closing date and time shall **NOT** be considered.
- 2. Ensure that your Quotation/ quotation clearly covers ALL the above aspects of the RFQ.
- 3. **DO NOT** include insurance to your quote as SACPCMP provides its own insurance.
- 4. ALL QUOTATIONS and ENQUIRIES are to be addressed to the respective person stipulated on the Request for Quotation in Supply Chain Management Department.
- 5. The SACPCMP reserves the right to cancel the procurement process at any time without notice, and not issue the order.
- 6. Conditional quotations will be subject to SACPCMP acceptance and approval processes.
- 7. It is no longer compulsory for bidders to submit SBD 4, 8 & 9 together with this RFQ on the stipulated closing date.
- 8. The SACPCMP shall request the preferred bidder / service provider to complete and submit SBD 4, 8 & 9 before any awards are finalised. The SBD form shall be valid for a period of twelve (12) months from the date submitted. The onus will rest with the service provider who has been awarded the services to inform SACPCMP of any changes to the information provided on such SBD forms. Failure to do so will result in misrepresentation of facts/ information and may results in SACPCMP terminating the service or contract.
- 9. Payment terms: compliant invoices will be processed within 30 days after receipt.

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COMPANY STAMP

SBD 6.1

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

This preference form must form part of all bids/ Quotations submitted. 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/ POTENTIAL SERVICE PROVIDERS 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/ Quotations:
 - the 80/20 system for requirements with a Rand value of above R30,000 and up to R50 000 000 (all applicable taxes included); and
 - the 90/10 system for requirements with a Rand value above R50 000 000 (all applicable taxes included).
- 1.2 The value of this bid cannot exceed an estimated amount of R50 000 000 (including all applicable taxes) and therefore the 80/20 preferential procurement point system shall be applicable.
- 1.3 Preference points for this bid shall be awarded for:
 - (a) Price; and
 - (b) B-BBEE Status Level of Contribution.

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

DESCRIPTION	POINTS
PRICE	80
B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL OF CONTRIBUTION	20
TOTAL POINTS FOR PRICE AND B-BBEE MUST NOT EXCEED	100

- 1.6 Failure on the part of a bidder/ service provider to submit proof of B-BBEE Status level of contribution together with the bid, will be interpreted 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 deemed fit 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 Quotations.
- (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:



Where-

Ps	=	Points scored for price of bid under
Pt	=	Price of bid under consideration
Pmin	=	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 Status Level of Contributor	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*)
 - 7.1.1. If yes, please 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*)

YE NO

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:	EM E √	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 name firm.....8.2 VAT registration number.....
- 8.3 Company registration number.....
- 8.4 TYPE OF COMPANY/ FIRM [TICK APPLICABLE BOX]

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

8.5 DESCRIBE PRINCIPAL BUSINESS ACTIVITIES

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8.6 COMPANY CLASSIFICATION [TICK APPLICABLE BOX]

Manufacturer Supplier Professional service provider Other service providers, e.g., transporter, etc.

- 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	SIGNATURE(S) OF BIDDERS(S)		
1	DATE:		
2	ADDRESS:		

Addendum A;

B-BBEE Level of Contribution certificate – original or certified copy.

Addendum B; Valid Tax Clearance Certificate.