

REQUEST FOR QUOTATION (RFQ) RFQ NO. 061-24/25

BID DESCRIPTION

PROVISION OF A SERVICE PROVIDER TO PERFORM OCCUPATIONAL HYGIENE SURVEY TO ALL AMATOLA WATER SITES.

CLOSING DATE

20 SEPTEMBER 2024 AT 11H00AM

TO BE SUBMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING EMAIL ADDRESS: awrfq@amatolawater.co.za

BIDDER TO COMPLETE		
COMPANY NAME		
TRADING NAME		
CSD NUMBER		

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DOES THE ENTITY HAVE ANY SOURCE OF INCOME IN THE RSA?							
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		PART B	S FOR BIDDING	
	BID SUBMISSION:			
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3.	OTAL BID PRICE:			
ITEM	REQUIRED GOODS & SERVICES	TOTAL AMOUNT INCL VAT (Amount in figures)	TOTAL AMOUNT INCL. VAT (Amount in words) R	
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TENDER CONDITIONS

1. DEFINITIONS

The word "Bidder/Tenderer" in these conditions shall mean and include any firm of Contractors, Suppliers, Service Providers or any company or body incorporated or unincorporated.

1. BID PUBLICATION

RFQ document will be available from **13 SEPTEMBER 2024** at Amatola Water website at <u>www.amatolawater.co.za</u>.

2. BID SUBMISSION

The original completed bid documents must be **SUBMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING EMAIL ADDRESS**: <u>awrfq@amatolawater.co.za</u> not later than the time and date specified on the cover page and SBD 1 of this bid.

3. **RFQ Evaluation Criteria**

This bid will be evaluated in Three (3) phases:

Phase One: Mandatory requirements

Phase Two: Capability Requirements

Phase Three: Bidders passing all stages above will thereafter be evaluated on PPPFA and specific goals

Phase One: Mandatory Requirements

- Bidders' proposals must meet the following minimum requirements and the required supporting documents must be submitted with the completed quotation document, non-erasable ink, no tippex or correctional fluid used in a sealed envelope in the bid box at the closing date and time. Failure to comply will automatically eliminate the bid for further consideration:
- Bids must be submitted in its original format and bids which are late or submitted by facsimile will not be accepted.
- FORM A: AUTHORITY TO SIGN must be fully completed and signed.
- FORM B: SCHEDULE OF PREVIOUS SIMILAR CONTRACTS SATISFACTORILY COMPLETED
- SBD1: INVITATION TO BID must be completed and signed.
- SBD4: BIDDERS DISCLOSURE must be completed and signed.
- SBD4 must be dully completed and signed. Does the bidder or any of its directors/trustees /shareholders /members/partners must 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, such interest must be disclosed on question 2.3.1 of SBD 4.
- Bidders must ensure 2.3 of SBD 4 (Bidders Disclosure) is duly completed, in all aspects.
- SBD 3.1: PRICING SCHEDULE Firm Prices must be completed.
- If the Bid Sum (amount in words) as per the SBD.1 differs from the SBD 3.1, it will automatically invalidate the offer submitted.
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- If the Bid Sum (amount in words) as per the SBD.1 differs from the SBD 3.1, it will automatically invalidate the offer submitted.

Phase Two: CAPABILITY REQUIREMENTS

No.	Evaluation Criteria	Details	Documentary Proof to be attached during submission	Compliant of Non- compliant
1.	Company Experience:	At least 3 years' experience in Occupational Hygiene Surveys	 Company profile reflecting relevant experience. Completed, signed, and stamped B1 and B2. NB: Reference letters will not be accepted 	
2.	Team Technical Expertise	Must have a valid registration with the Department of Labour.	 CV and certified copy of registration provided. 	
3.	Methodology	Methodology & Programme/ Schedule to indicate how the survey will be conducted per area, the activities to be performed and the time of delivery on completion of the surveys.	 Detailed methodology with programme provided 	

Phase Three: EVALUATION ON PPPFA AND SPECIFIC GOALS

THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT POLICY FRAMEWORK ACT WILL BE APPLIEDAND THE 80/20 PREFERENCE POINTS SYSTEM WILL BE APPLICABLEPOINTS FOR PRICE80 POINTSSPECIFIC GOALS20 POINTSTOTAL POINTS100 POINTS

OTHER CONDITIONS OF THE BID (Non- eliminating)

- The bidders must be registered on Central Supplier Database (CSD) prior the award.
- Bidders tax matters must be in order prior award.
- SBD 6.1 must be completed and signed in order to claim points for specific goals. Failure will lead in non-awarding of points for specific goals (attach certified ID document)
- CIPC CK document
- JOINT VENTURE AGREEMENT (If Applicable).
- BBBEE Certificate

The lowest or any bid will not necessarily be accepted, and your bid may be accepted in part or as a whole.

- The bid document must be completed in all respects in non-erasable ink.
- Bids must be submitted on original bid documents.
- No tippex or correctional fluid must be used.
- Bid documents must be submitted to <u>awrfg@amatolawater.co.za</u>

4. PERIOD OF VALIDITY FOR BIDS AND WITHDRAWAL OF BID AFTER CLOSING DATE

All Bids must remain valid for a period of 90 (ninety) days from the closing date as stipulated in the Bid document.

5. AUTHORITY TO SIGN BID DOCUMENTS

In the case of a Bid being submitted on behalf of a company, close corporation or partnership, evidence must be submitted to the Amatola Water at the time of submission of the Bid that the Bid has been signed by persons properly authorised thereto by resolution of the directors or under the articles of the entity.

Form A must be completed. Failure to complete Form A will invalidate your bid.

6. JOINT VENTURE REQUIREMENTS

DEFINITION:- "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.

Should a group of companies/firms and/or interested parties wish to enter into a joint venture / consortium agreement the following minimum requirements must be met: -

- a. A properly signed copy of the joint venture/consortium agreement must be attached.
- b. Each member of the joint venture/consortium's taxes must be in order.
- c. After the award of a contract to a joint venture/consortium, the successful joint venture group or consortium must provide a combined joint venture/consortium Tax Clearance Certificate.
- d. After the award of a contract to a joint venture/consortium, the successful joint venture group or consortium must provide the details of the joint venture / consortium banking details.

THE JOINT VENTURE/CONSORTIUM AGREEMENT MUST CONTAIN THE FOLLOWING: -

- a. Who the managing member will be.
- b. Who the signatory of authority will be.
- c. How the joint venture/consortium share of profit will be split.
- d. The bank account details where payments will be deposited into.
- e. The agreement must be signed by all parties.
- f. The agreement must be certified by a Commissioner of Oaths.
- g. The postal and physical address where all correspondence will be sent to

7. SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF TENDER

- I. Submission of this proposal signifies the applicant's acceptance of the conditions as laid down in this document, unless clearly stated otherwise.
- II. Any expense incurred by the applicant in preparing and submitting this proposal will be for the applicant's account.

- III. Amatola Water reserves the right not to accept any proposal and cancel the bid as and when the need arises.
- IV. Amatola Water reserves the right to negotiate offers/rates to be market related as and when the need arises.
- V. The contractor must provide references on Form B that the company has undertaken projects of a similar nature.
- VI. Alterations or additions to the RQF document are not allowed, except to comply with instructions issued by the employer, or necessary to correct an error/s made by the tenderer. Bidder shall initial or sign in such alterations. (Failure to comply with this requirement will result to submitted proposal being Disqualified)

Additional Bid/RFQ Condition

Bid/ RFQ documents must be submitted intact, and no portion of the document may be detached, loose submissions will be rejected, and the bidder will be disqualified.

BID SPECIFICATION

Amatola Water invites quotations from suitably qualified and experienced service providers for the **PROVISION OF A SERVICE PROVIDER TO PERFORM OCCUPATIONAL HYGIENE SURVEY TO ALL AMATOLA WATER SITES.**

BACKGROUND

Amatola Water is an Eastern Cape based state-owned water services utility (water board), established in 1997, in terms of the Water Services Act. Its prime function is to provide bulk water and sanitation services to water sector institutions, water service authorities and other customers as provided for in the South African water services legislation. Amatola Water's service area includes Buffalo City, the Amathole District and portions of adjoining districts in the central Eastern Cape.

INTRODUCTION

Amatola Water Board seeks to appoint an Approved Inspection Authority (Service Provider) for the evaluation of occupational hygiene stressors relating to occupational hygiene as in terms of internationally accepted standards. In this regard, current South African Occupational Health and Safety legislation referred to the Occupational Health and Safety Act, OHSACT, Act 85 of 1993.

The Occupational Health and Safety Act 85 of 1993 places the onus on employers to ensure that the working environment is safe and without risks to the health of their employees. To accomplish this, employers must, through the services of a competent person, assess the exposure of their employees to hazardous environmental conditions in the workplace. Where this assessment indicates an ongoing risk from exposure, the employer must measure that exposure, compare the results with prescribed standards and implement the steps that are needed to comply with the provisions of the Act. This process, which is known as compliance monitoring, must be performed by an Approved Inspection Authority.

PROJECT SPECIFICATION

The service provider needs to conduct surveys on the occupational hygiene stressors that covers but which is not limited to the following:

- Hazardous Chemical Agent surveys such as dusts, fumes, vapors and gasses. (To include personnel sampling) (all areas where HCA are used, pay special attention to Water Treatment Plants, Laboratories, Maintenance).
- Illumination Survey.
- Hazardous Biological Agents risk assessment.
- Hazardous Chemical Agent risk assessment
- Noise Survey.
- Ventilation and indoor air quality surveys for the labs and Head office building.
- Extraction survey for Fume Cupboard in Laboratory

- Ergonomic survey (improperly designed tools, workstations, and work area layouts).
- Reviewing and update of our Health Risk Assessment
- Resurvey of Amatola Water MHI compliance on the new MHI 2023 regulations
- Reviewing and update of our Asbestos Management Plan.

PREMISES

The following Amatola Water sites shall be included in the survey:

- (a) Nahoon Water Treatment Works (WTW) and Pumpstations and Wastewater treatment works
- (b) Laing WTW and Pumpstations.
- (c) Sandile WTW and Pumpstations.
- (d) Debe WTW and Pumpstations.
- (e) Masincedane WTW and Pumpstations.
- (f) Binfield WTW and Pumpstations.
- (g) Peddie WTW and Pumpstations.
- (h) Albany Coast WTW and Pumpstations.
- (i) Head Office,
- (j) Nahoon Regional Office,
- (k) Pipeline, Property Service, Telemetry Mechanical and Electrical and Civil (Workshops)
- (I) Stores.
- (m) Scientific Services (Micro lab and Chemistry lab)
- (n) Clinic

DOCUMENTATION

The service provider shall ensure compliance in all statutory and regulations applicable to the industry where the service is rendered.

- The Occupational Health and Safety Act, 1993 (Act no 85 of 1993)
- The National Environmental Management Act (Act no 107 of 1998)
- Environmental Regulations for Workplaces
- Noise Induced Hearing Loss Regulations
- SANAS Accredited Inspection Body

- Department of Labour Approved Inspection Authority.
- Hazardous Chemical Agent Regulations.
- Environmental Regulation for Workplaces
- Asbestos Abatement Regulations
- National Building Regulations and Building Standards Act.
- Facilities Regulations.
- Major Hazard Installation Regulations
- General Safety regulations.

The proposal must include at least the following key information:

- Letter of good standing from COIDA
- Relevant experience of company
- Measuring equipment that would be used.
- Valid, up-to-date registration certificates for each employee who would be conducting the assessment.
- Programme/ Schedule to indicate how the survey will be conducted per area, the activities to be performed and the time of delivery on completion of the surveys.
- Schedule of rates
- A copy of your registration with the Department of Labour must be attached to your quotation.

For more information, please contact: O. Fritz e-mail: <u>Ofritz@amatolawater.co.za</u> or 060 487 2924

SECTION B

RETURNABLE DOCUMENTS

THE FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS MUST BE COMPLETED IN FULL AND SUBMITTED WITH THIS BID:

SBD 1: INVITATION TO BID SBD 4: BIDDERS DISCLOSURE SBD 6.1: PREFERENCE POINTS CLAIM FORM IN TERMS OF THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS 2022

THE FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS MUST BE SUBMITTED WITH THIS BID:

FORM A: AUTHORITY TO SIGN

JOINT VENTURE AGREEMENT (IF APPLICABLE)

FORM A: AUTHORITY TO SIGN DOCUMENTS The person listed below are duly authorised/ delegated to sign all documents in connection with the tender offer and any contract resulting from it on our behalf by virtue of the Articles of Association/Resolution of the Board of Directors. All fields to be completed. Details of authorised/ delegated person SIGNATURE NAME DATE WITNESSES: 1. NAME SIGNATURE DATE 2. NAME SIGNATURE DATE

FORM B: SCHEDULE OF PREVIOUS RELATED CONTRACTS SATISFACTORILY CARRIED OUT BY THE TENDERER

Suppliers should very briefly describe their experience in this regard by completing the schedule below by providing details of at least two (2) comparable contracts within the last 5 years relating to the PROVISION OF A SERVICE PROVIDER TO PERFORM OCCUPATIONAL HYGIENE SURVEY TO ALL AMATOLA WATER SITES. Please note that Form B.1 and B.2 must be completed by your previous clients in substantiating the list of references provided below and must be submitted as part of this document, failure to do so will lead to disqualification. Please note that references may be verified.

Comparable supply contracts of the entity within the last 5 years	Short Description	Contract Value (incl. VAT)	Dates (Commencement; Completion)	Client and contactable reference (include phone no.& email addresses)
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SIGNED ON BEHALF OF TENDERER:

FORM B.1: CONFIRMATION C	OF REFERENCES TO AMATOLA WATER
NAME OF BIDDING COMPANY:	
PREVIOUS CLIENT/EMPLOYER NAME:	
TENDER/BID NUMBER OF COMPLETED CONTRACT/PROJECT	
DESCRIPTION OF CONTRACT/ PROJECT COMPLETED	
VALUE OF WORK COMPLETED	
DURATION AND DATE COMPLETED:	
detailed Specification to Confirm that the Bi within the past 5 years. If your company had	in the process of submitting a Bid/RFQ to Amatola Water as per dder had completed Similar or Relevant Contract with your Company d prior exposure with the Bidding Company, as part of the evaluation es your company to confirm goods/services supplied by the above e.
1. Were the goods/ services supplied acc	ording to Select applicable rating.
the required quality as per the description/specification and were del	ivered on Excellent,
time?	□ Good,
	Satisfactory,
	Poor
 Kindly, indicate their overall performative the project. 	Select applicable rating.
	Excellent,
	Good,
	Satisfactory,
	Poor
Full Name of Authorised Signatory	
Contact Number	Email address
Signature	Date
*CLIENT (EMPLOYER) STAMP HERE *Incomplete and/or unsigned form will not accepted and Amatola Water reserves the right to contact any Client Company listed a reference. No handwriting is acceptable o the stamp area. No letters will be accepted this form is considered.	as n

FORM B.2: CONFIRMATION O	F REFERENCES TO AMATOLA WATER
NAME OF BIDDING COMPANY:	
PREVIOUS CLIENT/EMPLOYER NAME:	
TENDER/BID NUMBER OF COMPLETED CONTRACT/PROJECT	
DESCRIPTION OF CONTRACT/ PROJECT COMPLETED	
VALUE OF WORK COMPLETED	
DURATION AND DATE COMPLETED:	
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3. Were the goods/ services supplied accord	rding to Select applicable rating.
the required quality as per the description/specification and were deliv	ered on Excellent,
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	Satisfactory,
	D Poor
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	 Satisfactory,
	Poor
Full Name of Authorised Signatory	
Contact Number	Email address
Signature	Date
*CLIENT (EMPLOYER) STAMP HERE *Incomplete and/or unsigned form will not be accepted and Amatola Water reserves the right to contact any Client Company listed as a reference. No handwriting is acceptable on the stamp area. No letters will be accepted of this form is considered.	5
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SBD 4

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**

2.2.1 If so, furnish particulars:

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.

SBD 4

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: I understand that the accompanying bid will be disgualified if this disclosure is found not to 3.2 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. 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. 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.

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

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

This preference form must form part of all tenders invited. It contains general information and serves as a claim form for preference points for specific goals.

NB: BEFORE COMPLETING THIS FORM, TENDERERS MUST STUDY THE GENERAL CONDITIONS, DEFINITIONS AND DIRECTIVES APPLICABLE IN RESPECT OF THE TENDER AND PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS, 2022

1. GENERAL CONDITIONS

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

1.2 **To be completed by the organ of state**

- a) The applicable preference point system for this tender is the 80/20 preference point system.
- b) The lowest acceptable tender will be used to determine the accurate system once tenders are received.
- 1.3 Points for this tender (even in the case of a tender for income-generating contracts) shall be awarded for:
 - (a) Price; and
 - (b) Specific Goals.

1.4 **To be completed by the organ of state:**

The maximum points for this tender are allocated as follows:

	POINTS
PRICE	80
SPECIFIC GOALS	20
Total points for Price and SPECIFIC GOALS	100

- 1.5 Failure on the part of a tenderer to submit proof or documentation required in terms of this tender to claim points for specific goals with the tender, will be interpreted to mean that preference points for specific goals are not claimed.
- 1.6 The organ of state reserves the right to require of a tenderer, either before a tender is adjudicated or at any time subsequently, to substantiate any claim in regard to

preferences, in any manner required by the organ of state.

2. DEFINITIONS

- (a) "tender" means a written offer in the form determined by an organ of state in response to an invitation to provide goods or services through price quotations, competitive tendering process or any other method envisaged in legislation;
- (b) "price" means an amount of money tendered for goods or services, and includes all applicable taxes less all unconditional discounts;
- (c) "rand value" means the total estimated value of a contract in Rand, calculated at the time of bid invitation, and includes all applicable taxes;
- (d) "tender for income-generating contracts" means a written offer in the form determined by an organ of state in response to an invitation for the origination of income-generating contracts through any method envisaged in legislation that will result in a legal agreement between the organ of state and a third party that produces revenue for the organ of state, and includes, but is not limited to, leasing and disposal of assets and concession contracts, excluding direct sales and disposal of assets through public auctions; and
- (e) "the Act" means the Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act, 2000 (Act No. 5 of 2000).

3. FORMULAE FOR PROCUREMENT OF GOODS AND SERVICES

3.1. POINTS AWARDED FOR PRICE

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

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

80/20 or 90/10

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

Where

Ps

Ps = Points scored for price of tender under consideration

Pt = Price of tender under consideration

Pmin = Price of lowest acceptable tender

3.2. FORMULAE FOR DISPOSAL OR LEASING OF STATE ASSETS AND INCOME GENERATING PROCUREMENT

3.2.1. POINTS AWARDED FOR PRICE

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

$$80/20 or 90/10$$

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

Where

- Ps = Points scored for price of tender under consideration
- Pt = Price of tender under consideration

Pmax = Price of highest acceptable tender

4. POINTS AWARDED FOR SPECIFIC GOALS

- 4. In terms of Regulation 4(2); 5(2); 6(2) and 7(2) of the Preferential Procurement Regulations, preference points must be awarded for specific goals stated in the tender. For the purposes of this tender the tenderer will be allocated points based on the goals stated in table 1 below as may be supported by proof/ documentation stated in the conditions of this tender:
- 4.2. In cases where organs of state intend to use Regulation 3(2) of the Regulations, which states that, if it is unclear whether the 80/20 or 90/10 preference point system applies, an organ of state must, in the tender documents, stipulate in the case of—
 - (o) an invitation for tender for income-generating contracts, that either the 80/20 or 90/10 preference point system will apply and that the highest acceptable tender will be used to determine the applicable preference point system; or
 - (p) any other invitation for tender, that either the 80/20 or 90/10 preference point system will apply and that the lowest acceptable tender will be used to determine the applicable preference point system,

then the organ of state must indicate the points allocated for specific goals for both the 90/10 and 80/20 preference point system.

Table 1: Specific goals for the tender and points claimed are indicated per the table below.(Note to organs of state: Where either the 90/10 or 80/20 preference point system isapplicable, corresponding points must also be indicated as such.

Note to tenderers: The tenderer must indicate how they claim points for each preference point system.)

The specific goals allocated points in terms of this tender	Number of points allocated (80/20 system) (To be completed by the organ of state)	Number of points claimed (80/20 system) (To be completed by the tenderer)
HDI (51% or more black ownership)	8	
Black women (51% or more women ownership)	4	
Black youth (51% or more youth ownership)	4	
People with disability (20% or more disabled people ownership)	4	

DECLARATION WITH REGARD TO COMPANY/FIRM

- 4.3. Name of company/firm.....
- 4.4. Company registration number:
- 4.5. TYPE OF COMPANY/ FIRM
 - Dertnership/Joint Venture / Consortium
 - □ One-person business/sole propriety
 - □ Close corporation
 - Public Company
 - Personal Liability Company
 - □ (Pty) Limited
 - □ Non-Profit Company
 - State Owned Company

[TICK APPLICABLE BOX]

- 4.6. I, the undersigned, who is duly authorised to do so on behalf of the company/firm, certify that the points claimed, based on the specific goals as advised in the tender, qualifies the company/ firm for the preference(s) shown and I 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 4.2, the contractor may be required to furnish documentary proof to the satisfaction of the organ of state that the claims are correct;
 - iv) If the specific goals have been claimed or obtained on a fraudulent basis or any of the conditions of contract have not been fulfilled, the organ of state may, in addition to any other remedy it may have –
 - (a) disqualify the person from the tendering 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 tenderer or contractor, its shareholders and directors, or only the shareholders and directors who acted on a fraudulent basis, be restricted 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, if deemed necessary.'

	SIGNATURE(S) OF TENDERER(S)
SURNAME AND NAME:	
DATE:	
ADDRESS:	

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SECTION C:

PRICING INSTRUCTIONS, PRICING SCHEDULE AND CONTRACT

PRICE INSTRUCTIONS AND ESCALATION

The following pricing schedules must be completed in full:

SBD 3.1: Pricing Schedule: Firm prices SBD 3.2: Pricing Schedule: Non- firm prices (NOT APPLICABLE)

NB: If there are any unconditional discount offers, kindly attach a schedule that will indicate where those discounts are applied from.

Failure to fully complete the pricing instructions will invalidate your bid. All line items should be completed.

No claim in respect of any price escalation will be considered by the Amatola Water unless it is specifically stated in the Pricing Schedule that the Bid is subject to price escalation.

When escalation is claimed for during the contract period, proof of such escalation must be furnished and the calculation itself must be submitted to corroborate such proof. Escalation will only be calculated on the official index figures supplied by the Department of Statistics or the Price Controller, which ever may be applicable.

All orders placed will be based on the current Bid prices. It is the responsibility of the Bidder to inform Amatola Water of any escalation prior to implementation of the escalated price. Failure to do so will negate any such claims.

VALUE ADDED TAX

In calculating the cost of the supply and delivery of services and / or material, the supplier will issue a "Tax Invoice" for all services rendered and / or materials supplied, which will reflect the exclusive cost of such services, goods or materials with the relevant Value Added Tax being added to the total.

VAT must be included in the Bid price but must be shown separately.

Non-VAT vendors must not include VAT in their bid price.

SBD 3.1

PRICING SCHEDULE – FIRM PRICES (PURCHASES)

NOTE: ONLY FIRM PRICES WILL BE ACCEPTED. NON-FIRM PRICES (INCLUDING PRICES SUBJECT TO RATES OF EXCHANGE VARIATIONS) WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.

IN CASES WHERE DIFFERENT DELIVERY POINTS INFLUENCE THE PRICING, A SEPARATE PRICING SCHEDULE MUST BE SUBMITTED FOR EACH DELIVERY POINT

Name of Bidder.....Bid number...RFQ 061-24/25

Closing Time11:00am Closing date: ...20 SEPTEMBER 2024

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

PRICING SCHEDULE

ltem	Description	QTY	Unit measure	Total Excl Vat
4	Nahoon Water Treatment Works (WTW) and			
1.	Pumpstations and WTW	1		
2.	Laing WTW and Pumpstations	1		
3.	Sandile WTW and Pumpstations	1		
4.	Debe WTW and Pumpstations	1		
5.	Masincedane WTW and Pumpstations	1		
6.	Binfield WTW and Pumpstations	1		
7.	Peddie WTW and Pumpstations	1		
8.	Albany Coast WTW and Pumpstations	1		
9.	Head Office, Vincent	1		
10.	Nahoon Regional Office	1		
11.	Pipeline, Property Service, Telemetry Mechanical and Electrical and Civil (Workshops)	1		
12.	Stores	1		
13.	Scientific Services (Micro lab and Chemistry lab)	1		
14.	Clinic	1		
TOT	AL COSTS EXCLUDING VAT			
VAT	@15%			
TOT	AL COSTS INCLUDING VAT			

Total must be transferred to SBD 1, failure to do so will lead to the bid/RFQ being disqualified.

Required by: - At:	Amatola Water
Brand and model	N/A
Country of origin	N/A
- Does the offer comply with the specification(s)?	*YES/NO
 If not to specification, indicate deviation(s) 	
 Period required for delivery 	
- Delivery:	<u>*Firm</u> /not firm

SBD 3.2 PRICE ADJUSTMENTS (NOT APPLICABLE) NOTE: PRICE ADJUSTMENTS WILL BE ALLOWED AT THE PERIODS AND TIMES SPECIFIED IN THE **BIDDING DOCUMENTS.** NON-FIRM PRICES SUBJECT TO ESCALATION Α IN CASES OF PERIOD CONTRACTS, NON FIRM PRICES WILL BE ADJUSTED (LOADED) WITH THE 1. ASSESSED CONTRACT PRICE ADJUSTMENTS IMPLICIT IN NON FIRM PRICES WHEN CALCULATING THE COMPARATIVE PRICES IN THIS CATEGORY PRICE ESCALATIONS WILL ONLY BE CONSIDERED IN TERMS OF THE FOLLOWING FORMULA: $Pa = (1 - V)Pt \left(D1\frac{R1t}{R1o} + D2\frac{R2t}{R2o} + D3\frac{R3t}{R3o} + D4\frac{R4t}{R4o} \right) + VPt$ Where: Pa The new escalated price to be calculated. (1-V) Pt 85% of the original bid price. Note that Pt must always be the original bid price = and not an escalated price. D1, D2.. Each factor of the bid price eg. labour, transport, clothing, footwear, etc. The total of = the various factors D1, D2...etc. must add up to 100%. Index figure obtained from new index (depends on the number of factors used). R1t, R2t..... Index figure at time of bidding. R10, R20 = 15% of the original bid price. This portion of the bid price remains firm i.e. it is not VPt = subject to any price escalations. 3. The following index/indices must be used to calculate your bid price: Index..... Dated..... Index..... Dated..... Index..... Dated..... Index..... Dated..... Index..... Dated..... Index..... Dated..... 2. FURNISH A BREAKDOWN OF YOUR PRICE IN TERMS OF ABOVE-MENTIONED FORMULA. THE TOTAL OF THE VARIOUS FACTORS MUST ADD UP TO 100%. FACTOR

(D1, D2 etc. e.g. Labour, transport etc.)	PERCENTAGE OF BID PRICE

SBD 3.2

B PRICES SUBJECT TO RATE OF EXCHANGE VARIATIONS

1. Please furnish full particulars of your financial institution, state the currencies used in the conversion of the prices of the items to South African currency, which portion of the price is subject to rate of exchange variations and the amounts remitted abroad.

PARTICULARS OF FINANCIAL INSTITUTION	ITEM NO	PRICE	CURRENCY	RATE	PORTION OF PRICE SUBJECT TO ROE	AMOUNT IN FOREIGN CURRENCY REMITTED ABROAD
				ZAR=		
				ZAR=		
				ZAR=		
				ZAR=		
				ZAR=		
				ZAR=		

2. Adjustments for rate of exchange variations during the contract period will be calculated by using the average monthly exchange rates as issued by your commercial bank for the periods indicated hereunder: (Proof from bank required)

AVERAGE MONTHLY EXCHANGE RATES FOR THE PERIOD:	DATE DOCUMENTATION MUST BE SUBMITTED TO THIS OFFICE	DATE FROM WHICH NEW CALCULATED PRICES WILL BECOME EFFECTIVE	DATE UNTIL WHICH NEW CALCULATED PRICE WILL BE EFFECTIVE

SBD 7.2

CONTRACT FORM - RENDERING OF SERVICES

THIS FORM MUST BE FILLED IN DUPLICATE BY BOTH THE SERVICE PROVIDER (PART 1) AND THE PURCHASER (PART 2). BOTH FORMS MUST BE SIGNED IN THE ORIGINAL SO THAT THE SERVICE PROVIDER AND THE PURCHASER WOULD BE IN POSSESSION OF ORIGINALLY SIGNED CONTRACTS FOR THEIR RESPECTIVE RECORDS.

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

1. I hereby undertake to render services described in the attached bidding documents to (AMATOLA WATER) PROVISION OF A SERVICE PROVIDER TO PERFORM OCCUPATIONAL HYGIENE SURVEY TO ALL AMATOLA WATER SITES in accordance with the requirements and task directives / proposals specifications stipulated in RFQ NO. 061-24/25 at the price/s quoted. My offer/s remain binding upon me and open for acceptance by the Purchaser during the validity period indicated and calculated from the closing date of the bid.

- (i) Bidding documents, *viz*
 - Invitation to bid;
 - Proof of tax compliance status;
 - Pricing schedule(s);
 - Filled in task directive/proposal;
 - Preference claim form for Preferential Procurement in terms of the Preferential Procurement Regulations;
 - Bidder's Disclosure form;
 - Special Conditions of Contract;
- (ii) General Conditions of Contract; and
- (iii) Other (specify)
- 3. I confirm that I have satisfied myself as to the correctness and validity of my bid; that the price(s) and rate(s) quoted cover all the services specified in the bidding documents; that the price(s) and rate(s) cover all my obligations and I accept that any mistakes regarding price(s) and rate(s) and calculations will be at my own risk.
- 4. I accept full responsibility for the proper execution and fulfilment of all obligations and conditions devolving on me under this agreement as the principal liable for the due fulfillment of this contract.
- 5. I declare that I have no participation in any collusive practices with any bidder or any other person regarding this or any other bid.
- 6. I confirm that I am duly authorised to sign this contract.

NAME (PRINT)	
CAPACITY	
SIGNATURE	
NAME OF FIRM	
DATE	

WITNESSES
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^{2.} The following documents shall be deemed to form and be read and construed as part of this agreement:

	CONTRA	CT FORM - RENDE	ERING OF SE	RVICES			
	PART 2 (T	O BE FILLED IN BY	Y AMATOLA	WATER)			
•	I	in my capacity a	ıs				
	accept your bid under reference nu	umberdated	l	for the render	ing of services		
	indicated hereunder and/or further	specified in the annexure(s).				
	An official order indicating servic	An official order indicating service delivery instructions is forthcoming.					
	I undertake to make payment for the services rendered in accordance with the terms and conditions of the contribution 30 (thirty) days after receipt of an invoice.						
	DESCRIPTION OF SERVICE	PRICE (ALL APPLICABLE TAXES INCLUDED)	COMPLETION DATE	TOTAL PREFERENCE POINTS CLAIMED	POINTS CLAIMED FOR EACH SPECIFIC GOAL		
	PROVISION OF A SERVICE PROVIDER TO PERFORM OCCUPATIONAL HYGIENE SURVEY TO ALL AMATOLA WATER SITES.						
IGN	I confirm that I am duly authorised	-					
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GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT

The form of Contract to be utilized is the General Conditions of Contract issued by National Treasury.