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TENDER FOR KenGen STIMA PLAZA LOCAL AREA NETWORK UPGRADE

(Citizen Contractors)

Kenya Electricity Generating Company PLC Stima Plaza Phase III, Kolobot Road, Parklands P.O. BOX 47936-00100 NAIROBI. Website: www.kengen.co.ke

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INVITATION TO TENDER

PROCURING ENTITY: KENYA ELECTRICITY GENERATING COMPANY PLC

CONTRACT NAME AND DESCRIPTION: Tender for KenGen Stima Plaza Local Area Network Upgrade

KenGen PLC invites sealed tenders from eligible candidates for the **Tender for KenGen Stima Plaza Local Area Network Upgrade** ", whose specifications are detailed in the Tender Document.

Tendering will be conducted **under open competitive method** to [**Citizen Contractors**] using a standardized tender document. Tendering is open to all qualified and interested Tenderers.

The tender is specific to Citizen Contractors

Qualified and interested tenderers may obtain further information and inspect the Tender Documents during office hours between 8am and 5pm starting at the date of advert at the office of:

General Manager, Supply Chain Tel: (254) (020) 3666000 Email: <u>tenders@kengen.co.ke</u>; cc <u>vomunzi@kengen.co.ke</u>; jrop@kengen.co.ke

The document can be viewed and downloaded for free from the website <u>www.kengen.co.ke</u> and/or on E-procurement <u>https://eprocurement.kengen.co.ke:50001/irj/portal</u>. Tenderers who download the tender document must forward their particulars immediately to (<u>tenders@kengen.co.ke</u>, 0711036000 and P.O.BOX 47936-00100 postal address) to facilitate any further clarification or addendum

Bidders who are unable to download the tender documents from the website may collect them from any KenGen Supply Chain Office upon payment of a non-refundable fee of **KES.1, 000.00** paid via Mpesa, pay bill no. **400200 and account no. 01120069076000**, then share the M-Pesa message to KenGen Finance office staff for receipt and issuance of official receipt or through a banker's cheque and payable to the address given below.

There shall be a **Mandatory site visit** at KenGen Stima Plaza, Nairobi on **18th March 2025** and at Gitaru Power Station on:**20th March 2025**.

All Tenders must be accompanied by a "Tender security as part of the bid document. All tender securities submitted shall be subject to authentication by KenGen.

The **Original Tender Security** of *KES 800,000.00 or* equivalent in a freely convertible currency valid for 30 days beyond the tender validity period, in form of:

- > Tender Security from a reputable bank registered by the Central Bank of Kenya
- Guarantee issued by a financial institution approved and licensed by the Central Bank of Kenya.
- A guarantee by an insurance company registered and licensed by the Insurance Regulatory Authority listed by the Public Procurement Regulatory Authority.

All tender securities submitted shall be subject to authentication by KenGen and MUST be submitted in a plain sealed envelope and clearly marked **"KGN-ICT-008-2025- Tender for KenGen Stima Plaza Local Area Network Upgrade"** And addressed to:

General Manager, Supply Chain, Kenya Electricity Generating Company PLC, 9th Floor, KenGen Pension Plaza II, Kolobot Road, Parklands, P.O. Box 47936, 00100 NAIROBI.

The hard copy of the Original Tender Security clearly labeled should be dropped at the tender box located on Ground Floor at KenGen, KenGen, RBS building on or before the tender closing date and time.

E- Tender securities are acceptable subject to:

- i. Attachment of a scanned copy to the bid document.
 - Submission of the e-security to the address indicated below:
 - Such E-Security can be verified by use of a Quick Response (QR) code
 - Such E-Security can be verified via the issuing institution's online portal

The Tenderer shall chronologically serialize all pages of the tender documents submitted.

Completed tenders must be submitted online on or before 2nd April,2025 at 2.00 p.m.

Electronic Tenders *will be* permitted *through our e-procurement platform found at* <u>www.kengen.co.ke</u> (<u>https://eprocurement.kengen.co.ke:50001/irj/portal</u> Firefox Mozilla is the preferred web browser.

[Hard copies of the tender document shall not be permitted]

Tenders will be opened immediately after the deadline date and time specified above or any dead line date and time specified later. Tenders will be publicly opened in the presence of the Tenderers' designated representatives who choose to attend at the address below.

Late tenders will be rejected.

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1. The addresses referred to above are:

a. Address for obtaining further information and for purchasing tender documents

Physical address for hand Courier Delivery to an office or Tender Box (City, Street Name, Building, Floor Number and Room)

Kenya Electricity Generating Company PLC Stima Plaza Phase III, Kolobot Road, Parklands P.O. BOX 47936-00100 tenders@kengen.co.ke; vomunzi@kengen.co.ke;

b. Address for Opening of Tenders.

General Manager, Supply Chain Kenya Electricity Generating Company PLC Stima Plaza Phase III, Kolobot Road, Parklands P.O. BOX 47936-00100 6th Floor

NOTE: Public Procurement Capacity Building Levy

• Pursuant to the enactment of the Legal Notice No. 206 on Public Procurement and Asset Disposal Act 2015, Section 3 (1), KenGen shall retain the Public Procurement Capacity Building Levy at the rate of zero point zero three per centum (0.03%) of the value of the signed contract effective 1st September 2024. Payment of the submitted invoices shall therefore be made minus this Levy.

KenGen adheres to high standards of integrity in its business operations. Report any unethical behavior immediately to any of the provided anonymous hotline service.

1) Call Toll Free: 0800722626;
 2) Free-Fax: 00800 007788;
 3) Email: <u>kengen@tip-offs.com</u>
 4) Website: <u>www.tip-offs.com</u>

GENERAL MANAGER, SUPPLY CHAIN

PART 1 ~ TENDERING PROCEDURES

SECTION I ~INSTRUCTIONS TO TENDERERS

Α. General

1. Scope of Tender

This tendering document is for the delivery of Non-Consulting Services, as specified in Section V, 1.1 Procuring Entity's Requirements. The name, identification and number of this tender are specified inthe **TDS**.

2 Throughout this tendering document:

- 2.1 The terms:
 - The term "in writing" means communicated in written form (e.g., by mail, e-mail, fax, a) includingif specified in the TDS, distributed or received through the electronic- procurement system used by the Procuring Entity) with proof of receipt;
 - if the contexts or esquires, "singular" means "plural" and vice versa; and b)
 - "Day" means calendar day, unless otherwise specified as "Business Day". A Business Day is c) any day that is an official working day of the Procuring Entity. It excludes the Procuring Entity's official public holidays.
- 2.2 The successful Tenderer will be expected to complete the performance of the Services by the Intended Completion Date provided in the TDS.

3 Fraud and Corruption

- The Procuring Entity requires compliance with the provisions of the Public Procurement and Asset 3.1 Disposal Act, 2015 (the Act), Section 62 "Declaration not to engage in corruption". The tender submitted by a person shall include a declaration that the person shall not engage in any corrupt or fraudulent practice and a declaration that the person or his or her sub-contractors are not debarred from participating in public procurement proceedings.
- The Procuring Entity requires compliance with the provisions of the Competition Act 2010, regarding 3.2 collusive practices in contracting. Any tenderer found to have engaged in collusive conduct shall bedisqualified and criminal and/or civil sanctions may be imposed. To this effect, Tenders shall be required to complete and sign the "Certificate of Independent Tender Determination" annexed to theForm of Tender.
- 3.3 **Unfair Competitive Advantage** - Fairness and transparency in the tender process require that the firms or their Affiliates competing for a specific assignment do not derive a competitive advantage from having provided consulting services related to this tender. To that end, the Procuring Entity shall indicate in the **TDS** and make available to all the firms together with this tender document all Information that would in that respect gives such firm any unfair competitive advantage over competing firms.
- Unfair Competitive Advantage-Fairness and transparency in the tender process require that the Firms 3.4 or their Affiliates competing for a specific assignment do not derive a competitive advantage from having provided consulting services related to this tender. The Procuring Entity shall indicate in the TDS firms (if any) that provided consulting services for the contract being tendered for. The Procuring Entity shall check whether the owners or controllers of the Tenderer are same as those that provided consulting services. The Procuring Entity shall, upon request, make available to any tenderer information that would give such firm unfair competitive advantage over competing firms.

4 **Eligible Tenderers**

A Tenderer may be a firm that is a private entity, a state-owned entity or institution subject to ITT 4.1 4.6, or any combination of such entities in the form of a Joint Venture (JV) under an existing agreement or with the intent to enter into such an agreement supported by a Form of intent. In the

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case of a joint venture, all members shallbe jointly and severally liable for the execution of the entire Contract in accordance with the Contract terms. The JV shall nominate a Representative who shall have the authority to conduct all business for and on behalfof any and all the members of the JV during the Tendering process and, in the event the JV is awarded the Contract, during contract execution. Members of a joint venture may not also make an individual tender, be asub contract or in a separate tender or be part of another joint venture for the purposes of the same Tender. The maximum number of JV members shall be specified in the **TDS**.

- 4.2 Public Officers, of the Procuring Entity, their Spouses, Child, Parent, Brothers or Sister. Child, Parent, Brotheror Sister of a Spouse in which they have a substantial or controlling interest shall not be eligible to tender or be awarded contract. Public Officers are also not allowed to participate in any procurement proceedings.
- 4.3 A Tenderer shall not have a conflict of interest. Any Tenderer found to have a conflict of interest shall be disqualified. A Tenderer may be considered to have a conflict of interest for the purpose of this Tendering process, if the Tenderer:

a Directly or indirectly controls, is controlled by or is under common control with another Tenderer; or b Receives or has received any direct or indirect subsidy from another Tenderer; or

- c has the same legal representative as another Tenderer; or
- d has a relationship with another Tenderer, directly or through common third parties, that puts it in a position to influence the Tender of another Tenderer, or influence the decisions of the Procuring Entity regarding this Tendering process; or
- e oranyofitsaffiliatesparticipatedasaconsultantinthepreparationoftheProcuringEntity'sRequireme nts (including Activities Schedules, Performance Specifications and Drawings) for the Non-ConsultingServices that are the subject of the Tender; or
- f or any of its affiliates has been hired (or is proposed to be hired) by the Procuring Entity or ProcuringEntity for the Contract implementation; or
- g would be providing goods, works, or non-consulting services resulting from or directly related to consulting services for the preparation or implementation of the project specified in the TDS ITT 2. 1 that it provided or were provided by any affiliate that directly or indirectly controls, is controlled by, or is undercommon control with that firm; or
- h has a close business or family relationship with a professional staff of the Procuring Entity or of the projectimplementing agency, who:
 - i. are directly or in directly involved in the preparation of the tendering document or specifications of the contract, and/or the Tender evaluation process of such contract; or
 - ii. Would be involved in the implementation or supervision of such contract unless the conflicts teemingfrom such relationship has been resolved in a manner acceptable to the Procuring Entity throughout the procurement process and execution of the Contract.
- 4.4 A firm that is a Tenderer (either individually or as a JV member) shall not participate in more than one tender, except for permitted alternative Tenders. This includes participation as a subcontractor. Such participation shall result in the disqualification of all Tenders in which the firm is involved. A firm that is not a Tenderer or a JV member may participate as a sub-contractor in more than one Tender.
- 4.5 A Tenderer may have the nationality of any country, subject to the restrictions pursuant to ITT 4 .9.
- 4.6 A Tenderer that has been sanctioned by PPRA or are under a temporary suspension or a debarment imposed by any other entity of the Government of Kenya shall be ineligible to be pre-qualified for, initially selected for, tender for, propose for, or be awarded a contract during such period of sanctioning. The list of debarred firms and individuals is available at the PPRA Website www.ppra.go.ke
- 4.7 Tenderers that are state-owned enterprises or institutions in Kenya may be eligible to compete and be awarded a Contract(s) only if they can establish that they: (i) are legally and financially autonomous; (ii) operate under Commercial law; and (iii) are not under supervision of the **Tender for Provision of Internet Services at Various KenGen Establishments Page 7 of 129**

Procuring Entity.

- 4.8 Firms and individuals may be ineligible if (a) as a matter of law or official regulations, Kenya prohibits commercial relations with that country, or (b) by an act of compliance with a decision of the United Nations Security Council take under Chapter VII of the Charter of the United Nations, Kenya prohibits any import of goods or contracting of works or services from that country, or any payments to any country, person or entity in that country.
- 4.9 A Tenderer shall be deemed to have the nationality of a country if the Tenderer is constituted, incorporated orregistered in and operates in conformity with the provisions of the laws of that country, as evidenced by its articles of incorporation (or equivalent documents of constitution or association) and its registration documents, as the case may be. This criterion also shall apply to the determination of the nationality of proposed subcontractors or sub consultants for any part of the Contract including related Services.
- 4.10 Foreign tenderers are required to source at least forty (40%) percent of their contract inputs (in supplies, subcontracts and labor) from national suppliers and contractors. To this end, a foreign tenderer shall provide in its tender documentary evidence that this requirement is met. Foreign tenderers not meeting this criterion will be automatically disqualified. Information required to enable the Procuring Entity determine if this condition is met shall be provided in for this purpose
- 4.11 Pursuant to the eligibility requirements of ITT 4.10, a tender is considered a foreign tenderer, if the tenderer isnot registered in Kenya or if the tenderer is registered in Kenya and has <u>less than 51</u> <u>percent</u> ownership by Kenyan citizens. JVs are considered as foreign tenderers if the individual member firms are not registered in Kenya or if are registered in Kenya and have less than 51 percent ownership by Kenyan citizens. The JV shallnot sub contract to foreign firms more than 10 percent of the contract price, excluding provisional sums.
- 4.12 The Competition Act of Kenya requires that firms wishing to tender as Joint Venture undertakings which mayprevent, distort or lessen competition in provision of services are prohibited unless they are exempt in accordance with the provisions of Section 25 of the Competition Act, 2010. JVs will be required to seek for exemption from the Competition Authority. Exemption shall not be a condition for tender, but it shall be a condition of contract award and signature. A JV tenderer shall be given opportunity to seek such exemption as a condition of award and signature of contract. Application for exemption from the Competition Authority Kenya may be accessed from the website <u>www.cak.go.ke</u>
- 4.13 A Tenderer may be considered ineligible if he/she offers goods, works and production processes with characteristics that have been declared by the relevant national environmental protection agency or by other competent authority as harmful to human beings and to the environment shall not be eligible for procurement.
- 4.14 A Kenyan tenderer shall be eligible to tender if it provides evidence of having fulfilled his/her tax obligationsby producing a valid tax compliance certificate or tax exemption certificate is sued by the Kenya Revenue Authority.

5 Qualification of the Tenderer

- 5.1 All Tenderers shall provide in Section IV, Tendering Forms, a preliminary description of the proposed work method and schedule, including drawings and charts, as necessary.
- 5.2 In the event that pre-qualification of Tenderers has been undertaken as stated in ITT 18.3, the provisions on qualifications of the Section III, Evaluation and Qualification Criteria shall not apply.

B. Contents of Tendering Document

6 Sections of Tendering Document

6.1 The tendering document consists of Parts 1, 2, and 3, which include all the sections indicated below and shouldbe read in conjunction with any Addenda issued in accordance with ITT 10.

PART 1: Tendering Procedures

- i) Section I ~ Instructions to Tenderers (ITT)
- ii) Section II Tender Data Sheet (TDS)
- iii) Section III Evaluation and Qualification Criteria
- iv) Section IV Tendering Forms

PART 2: Procuring Entity's Requirements

v) Section V-Procuring Entity's Requirements

PART 3: Contract

- vi) Section VI ~ General Conditions of Contract (GCC)
- vii) Section VII ~ Special Conditions of Contract (SCC)
- 6.2 Section VIII Contract Forms
- 6.3 The Invitation to Tender (ITT) notice or the notice to pre-qualify Tenderers, as the case may be, issued by the Procuring Entity is not part of this tendering document.
- 6.4 Unless obtained directly from the Procuring Entity, the Procuring Entity is not responsible for the completeness of the document, responses to requests for clarification, the Minutes of the pre-Tender meeting (if any), or Addenda to the tendering document in accordance with ITT 10. In case of any contradiction, documents obtained directly from the Procuring Entity shall prevail.
- 6.5 The Tenderer is expected to examine all instructions, forms, terms, and specifications in the tendering document and to furnish with its Tender all information or documentation as is required by the tendering document.

7. Site Visit

7.1 The Tenderer, at the Tenderer's own responsibility and risk, is encouraged to visit and examine and inspect theSite of the Required Services and its surroundings and obtain all information that may be necessary for preparing the Tender and entering in to a contract for the Services. The costs of visiting the Site shall beat theTenderer's own expense.

8 Pre-Tender Meeting

- 8.1 The Procuring Entity shall specify in the **TDS** if a pre-tender conference will be held, when and where. The Procuring Entity shall also specify in the **TDS** if a pre-arranged pretender site visit will be held and when. The Tenderer's designated representative is invited to attend a pre-arranged pretender visit of the site of the works. The purpose of the meeting will be to clarify issues and to answer questions on any matter that may be raised at that stage.
- 8.2 The Tenderer is requested to submit any questions in writing, to reach the Procuring Entity not later than the period specified in the **TDS** before the meeting.
- 8.3 Minutes of the pre-Tender meeting and the pre-arranged pre tender visit of the site of the service, if applicable, including the text of the questions asked by Tenderers and the responses given, together with any responses prepared after the meeting, will be transmitted promptly to all Tenderers who have acquired the Tender Documents in accordance with ITT6.3. Minutes shall not identify the source of the questions asked.
- 8.4 The Procuring Entity shall also promptly publish anonymized (*no names*) Minutes of the pre-Tender meeting and the pre-arranged pretender visit of the site of the service at the web page identified in **the TDS**. Any modification to the Tender Documents that may become necessary as a result of the pre-Tender meeting shall be made by the Procuring Entity exclusively through the issue of an Addendum pursuant to ITT10 and not through the minutes of the pre-Tender meeting. Nonattendance at the pre-Tender meeting will not be a cause for disqualification of a Tenderer.

9 Clarification of Tender Documents

9.1 A Tenderer requiring any clarification of the Tender Document shall contact the Procuring Entity in writing at the Procuring Entity's address specified in the TDS or raise its enquiries during the pre-Tender meeting and the pre- arranged pretender visit of the site of the Service if provided for in

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accordance with ITT 8.4. The Procuring Entity will respond in writing to any request for clarification, provided that such request is received no later than the period specified in the **TDS** prior to the deadline for submission of tenders. The Procuring Entity shall forward copies of its response to all tenderers who have acquired the Tender Documents in accordance with ITT 6.3, including a description of the inquiry but without identifying its source. If so specified in the **TDS**, the Procuring Entity shall also promptly publish its response at the webpage identified in the **TDS**. Should the clarification result in changes to the essential elements of the Tender Documents, the Procuring Entity shall amend the Tender Documents appropriately following the procedure under ITT 8.4.

10 Amendment of Tender Documents

- 10.1 At any time prior to the deadline for submission of Tenders, the Procuring Entity may amend the Tendering document by issuing addenda.
- 10.2 Any addendum issued shall be part of the tendering document and shall be communicated in writing to all whohave obtained the tendering document from the Procuring Entity in accordance with ITT 6.3. The Procuring Entity shall also promptly publish the addendum on the Procuring Entity's web page in accordance with ITT 8.4.
- 10.3 To give prospective Tenderers reasonable time in which to take an addendum into account in preparing their Tenders, the Procuring Entity shall extend, as necessary, the deadline for submission of Tenders, in accordance with ITT 24.2 below.

C. Preparation of Tenders

11 Cost of Tendering

11.1 The Tenderer shall bear all costs associated with the preparation and submission of its Tender, and the Procuring Entity shall not be responsible or liable for those costs, regardless of the conduct or outcome of theTendering process.

12 Language of Tender

12.1 The Tender as well as all correspondence and documents relating to the Tender exchanged by the Tenderer and the Procuring Entity shall be written in the English language. Supporting documents and printed literature that are part of the Tender may be in another language provided they are accompanied by an accurate translation of the relevant passages into the English language, in which case, for purposes of interpretation of the Tender, such translation shall govern.

13 Documents Comprising the Tender

- 13.1 The Tender shall comprise the following:
 - a Form of Tender prepared in accordance with ITT 14;
 - Schedules: priced Activity Schedule completed in accordance with ITT 14 and ITT 16;c
 Tender Security or Tender-Securing Declaration in accordance with ITT 21.1;
 - d Alternative Tender: if permissible in accordance with ITT 15;
 - e **Authorization:** written confirmation authorizing the signatory of the Tender to commit the Tenderer, inaccordance with ITT 22.3;
 - f **Qualifications:** documentary evidence in accordance with ITT 19 establishing the Tenderer's qualifications to perform the Contract if its Tender is accepted;
 - g **Tenderer's Eligibility:** documentary evidence in accordance with ITT 19 establishing the Tenderer's eligibility to Tender;
 - h **Conformity**: documentary evidence in accordance with ITT 18, that the Services conform to thetendering document; and
 - i Any other document required in the TDS.

The Tenderer shall chronologically serialize pages of all tender documents submitted.

- 13.2 In addition to the requirements under ITT 13.1, Tenders submitted by a JV shall include a copy of the Joint Venture Agreement entered into by all members. Alternatively, a Form of intent to execute a Joint Venture Agreement in the event of a successful Tender shall be signed by all members and submitted with the Tender,together with a copy of the proposed Agreement.
- 13.3 The Tenderer shall furnish in the Form of Tender information on commissions and gratuities, if any, paid or to be paidto agents or any other party relating to this Tender.

14 Form of Tender and Activity Schedule

- 14.1 The Form of Tender and priced Activity Schedule shall be prepared using the relevant forms furnished in Section IV, Tendering Forms. The forms must be completed without any alterations to the text, and no substitutes shall be accepted except as provided under ITT 22.3. All blank spaces shall be filled in with the information requested.
- 14.2 The Tenderer shall furnish in the Form of Tender information on commissions and gratuities, if any, paid or tobe paid to agents or any other party relating to this Tender.

15 Alternative Tenders

Unless otherwise indicated in the TDS, alternative Tenders shall not be considered. If alternatives are permitted, only the technical alternatives, if any, of the Best Evaluated Tender shall be considered by the Procuring Entity.

- 15.1 When alternative times for completion are explicitly invited, a statement to that effect will be included **in theTDS** and the method of evaluating different time schedules will be described in Section III, Evaluation and Qualification Criteria.
- 15.2 When specified **in the TDS**, Tenderers a reemitted to submit alternative technical solutions for specified parts of the Services, and such parts will be identified **in the TDS**, as will the method for their evaluating, and described in Section VII, Procuring Entity's Requirements.

16. Tender Prices and Discounts

- 16.1 The prices and discounts (including any price reduction) quoted by the Tenderer in the Form of Tender and in the Activity Schedule (s) shall conform to the requirements specified below.
- 16.2 All lots (contracts) and items must be listed and priced separately in the Activity Schedule(s).
- 16.3 The Contract shall be for the Services, as described in Appendix A to the Contract and in the Specifications (or Terms of Reference), based on the priced Activity Schedule, sub mitted by the Tenderer.
- 16.4 The Tenderer shall quote any discounts and indicate the methodology for their application in the Form of Tender in accordance with ITT 16.1.
- 16.5 The Tenderer shall fill in rates and prices for all items of the Services described in the in Specifications (or Terms of Reference), and listed in the Activity Schedule in Section VII, Procuring Entity's Requirements. Items for which no rate or price is entered by the Tenderer will not be paid for by the Procuring Entity when executed and shall be deemed covered by the other rates and prices in the Activity Schedule.
- 16.6 All duties, taxes, and other levies payable by the Service Provider under the Contract, or for any other cause, as of the date 30 days prior to the deadline for submission of Tenders, shall be included in the total Tender price submitted by the Tenderer.
- 16.7 If provided for **in the TDS**, the rates and prices quoted by the Tenderer shall be subject to adjustment during the performance of the Contract in accordance with and the provisions of Clause 6.6 of the General Conditionsof Contract and / or Special Conditions of Contract. The Tenderer shall submit

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with the Tender all the information required under the Special Conditions of Contract and of the General Conditions of Contract.

16.8 For the purpose of determining the remuneration due for additional Services, a breakdown of the lump-sum price shall be provided by the Tenderer in the form of Appendices D and E to the Contract.

17 Currencies of Tender and Payment

17.1 The currency of the Tender and the currency of payments shall be Kenya Shillings or equivalent in a freely convertible currency

18 Documents Establishing Conformity of Services

- 18.1 To establish the conformity of the Non-Consulting Services to the tendering document, the Tenderer shall furnish as part of its Tender the documentary evidence that Services provided conform to the technical specifications and standards specified in Section VII, Procuring Entity's Requirements.
- 18.2 Standards for provision of the Non-Consulting Services are intended to be descriptive only and not restrictive. The Tenderer may offer other standards of quality provided that it demonstrates, to the ProcuringEntity's satisfaction, that the substitutions ensure substantial equivalence or are superior to those specified in the Section VII, Procuring Entity's Requirements.
- 18.3 Tender to provide, as part of the data for qualification, such information, including details of ownership, as shall be required to determine whether, according to the classification established by the Procuring Entity, <u>a Service provider or group of service providers.</u> qualifies for a margin of preference. Further the information will enable the Procuring Entity identify any actual or potential conflict of interest in relation to the procurement and/or contract management processes, or a possibility of collusion between tenderers, and thereby help to prevent any corrupt influence in relation to the procurement processor contract management.
- 18.4 The purpose of the information described in ITT 18.3 above, overrides any claims to confidentiality which a tenderer may have. There can be no circumstances in which it would be justified for a tenderer to keep information relating to its ownership and control confidential where it is tendering to undertake public sector work and receive public sector funds. Thus, confidentiality will not be accepted by the Procuring Entity as a justification for a Tenderer's failure to disclose, or failure to provide required information on its ownership and control.
- 18.4 The Tenderer shall provide further documentary proof, information or authorizations that the Procuring Entitymay request in relation to ownership and control which information on any changes to the information which was provided by the tenderer under ITT18.3. The obligations to require this information shall continue for the duration of the procurement process and contract performance and after completion of the contract, if any change to the information previously provided may reveal a conflict of interest in relation to the award or management of the contract.
- 18.6 All information provided by the tenderer pursuant to these requirements must be complete, current and accurate as at the date of provision to the Procuring Entity. In submitting the information required pursuant to these requirements, the Tenderer shall warrant that the information submitted is complete, current and accurate as at the date of submission to the Procuring Entity.
- 18.7 If a tenderer fails to submit the information required by these requirements, its tenderer will be rejected. Similarly, if the Procuring Entity is unable, after taking reasonable steps, to verify to a reasonable degree the information submitted by a tenderer pursuant to these requirements, then the tender will be rejected.
- 18.8 If information submitted by a tenderer pursuant to these requirements, or obtained by the Procuring Entity (whether through its own enquiries, through notification by the public or otherwise), shows any conflict of interest which could materially and improperly benefit the tenderer in relation to the procurement or contract management process, then:
 - i) If the procurement process is still on going, the tenderer will be disqualified from the procurement process,

- ii) if the contract has been awarded to that tenderer, the contract award will be set aside, pending theoutcome of (iii),
- iii) The tenderer will be referred to the relevant law enforcement authorities for investigation of whether thetenderer or any other persons have committed any criminal offence.
- 18.9 If a tenderer submits information pursuant to these requirements that is in complete, inaccurate or out-of-date, or attempts to obstruct the verification process, then the consequences ITT 18.9 will ensue unless the tenderer can show to the reasonable satisfaction of the Procuring Entity that any such act was not material, or was due to genuine err or which was not attributable to the intentional act, negligence or recklessness of the tenderer.

19 Documents Establishing the Eligibility and Qualifications of the Tenderer

- 19.1 To establish Tenderer's their eligibility in accordance with ITT4, Tenderers shall complete the Form of Tender, included in Section IV, Tendering Forms.
- 19.2 The documentary evidence of the Tenderer's qualification stopper form the Contract if its Tender is accepted shall establish to the Procuring Entity's satisfaction that the Tenderer meets each of the qualification criterion specified in Section III, Evaluation and Qualification Criteria.
- 19.3 All Tenderers shall provide in Section IV, Tendering Forms, a preliminary description of the proposed methodology, work plan and schedule.
- 19.4 In the event that pre-qualification of Tenderers has been undertaken, only Tenders from prequalified Tenderersshall be considered for award of Contract. These qualified Tenderers should submit with their Tenders any information updating their original pre-qualification applications or, alternatively, confirm in their Tenders that the originally submitted pre-qualification information remains essentially correct as of the date of Tender submission.
- 19.5 If pre-qualification has not taken place before Tendering, the qualification criteria for the Tenderers are specified- in Section III, Evaluation and Qualification Criteria.

20 Period of Validity of Tenders

20.1 Tenders shall remain valid for the Tender Validity period specified in the TDS. The Tender Validity period starts from the date fixed for the Tender submission deadline date (as prescribed by the Procuring Entity in accordance with ITT 24.1). A Tender valid for a shorter period shall be rejected by the Procuring Entity as non-responsive. In exceptional circumstances, prior to the expiration of the Tender validity period, the Procuring Entity may request Tenderers to extend the period of validity of their Tenders. The request and the responses shall be madein writing. If a Tender Security is requested in accordance with ITT20, it shall also be extended for a corresponding period. A Tenderer may refuse the request without forfeiting its Tender Security. A Tenderer granting the request shall not be required or permitted to modify its Tender.

21 Tender Security

- 21.1 The Tenderer shall furnish as part of its Tender, either a Tender-Securing Declaration or a Tender security, as specified in the TDS, in original form and, in the case of a Tender Security, in the amount and currency specified in the TDS.
- 21.2 A Tender Securing Declaration shall use the form included in Section IV, Tendering Forms.
- 21.3 If a Tender Security is specified pursuant to ITT 21.1, from a reputable source, and an eligible country and shallbe in any of the following forms at the Tenderer's option:
 - i) cash;
 - ii) a bank guarantee;
 - iii) a guarantee by an insurance company registered and licensed by the Insurance Regulatory Authoritylisted by the Authority; or

- iv) a guarantee issued by a financial institution approved and licensed by the Central Bank of Kenya,
- 21.4 If a Tender Security is specified pursuant to ITT 20.1, any Tender not accompanied by a substantially responsiveTender Security shall be rejected by the Procuring Entity as non-responsive.
- 21.5 If a Tender Security is specified pursuant to ITT 21.1, the Tender Security of unsuccessful Tenderers shall be returned as promptly as possible upon the successful Tenderer's signing the contract and furnishing the Performance Security pursuant to ITT 46. The Procuring Entity shall also promptly return the tender security to the tenderers where the procurement proceedings are terminated, all tenders were determined non-responsiveor a bidder declines to extend tender validity period.
- 21.6 The Tender Security of the successful Tenderer shall be returned as promptly as possible once the successful Tenderer has signed the Contract and furnished the required Performance Security.
- 21.7 The Tender Security may be forfeited or the Tender-Securing Declaration executed:
 - a. If a Tenderer withdraw sits Tender during the period of Tender validity specified by the Tenderer in theForm of Tender, or any extension there to provide by the Tenderer; or
 - b. if the successful Tenderer fails to:
 - c. sign the Contract in accordance with ITT 46; or
 - d. Furnish a performance security in accordance with ITT 47.
- 21.8 Where tender securing declaration is executed, the Procuring Entity shall recommend to the PPRA that PPRAdebars the Tenderer from participating in public procurement as provided in the law.
- 21.9 The Tender Security or Tender-Securing Declaration of a JV must be in the name of the JV that submits the Tender. If the JV has not been legally constituted into a legally enforceable JV at the time of Tendering, the Tender security or Tender-Securing Declaration shall be in the names of all future members as named in the Form of intent referred to in ITT 4.1 and ITT 13.2.
- 21.10A tenderer shall not issue a tender security to guarantee itself.

22 Format and Signing of Tender

- 22.1 The Tenderer shall prepare one original of the documents comprising the Tender as described in ITT 13, bound with the volume containing the Form of Tender, and clearly marked "Original. "In addition, the Tenderer shallsubmit copies of the Tender, in the number specified **in the TDS**, and clearly marked as "Copies. "In the eventof discrepancy between them, the original shall prevail.
- 22.2 Tenderers shall mark as "CONFIDENTIAL "information in their Tenders which is confidential to their business. This may include proprietary information, trade secrets, or commercial or financially sensitive information.
- 22.3 The original and all copies of the Tender shall be typed or written in indelible ink and shall be signed by a person or persons duly authorized to sign on behalf of the Tenderer. This authorization shall consist of a writtenconfirmation as specified **in the TDS** and shall be attached to the Tender. The name and position held by eachperson signing the authorization must be typed or printed below the signature. All pages of the Tender where entries or amendments have been made shall be signed or initialed by the person signing the Tender.
- 22.4 In case the Tenderer is a JV, the Tender shall be signed by an authorized representative of the JV on behalf of the JV, and so as to be legally binding on all the members as evidenced by a power of attorney signed by their legally authorized representatives.
- 22.5 Any inter-lineation, erasures, or overwriting shall be valid only if they are signed or initialed by the person signing the Tender.

D. Submission and Opening of Tenders

23 Sealing and Marking of Tenders

- 23.1 Depending on the sizes or quantities or weight of the tender documents, a tenderer may use an envelope, package or container. The Tenderer shall deliver the Tender in a single sealed envelope, or in a single sealed package, or in a single sealed container bearing the name and Reference number of the Tender, addressed to the Procuring Entity and a warning not to open before the time and datefor Tender opening date. Within the single envelope, package or container, the Tenderer shall place the following separate, sealed envelopes:
 - a. in an envelope or package or container marked "ORIGINAL", all documents comprising the Tender, asdescribed in ITT13; and
 - b. in an envelope or package or container marked "COPIES", all required copies of the Tender; and
 - c. if alternative Tenders are permitted in accordance with ITT15, and if relevant:
 - i. in an envelope or package or container marked "ORIGINAL-ALTERNATIVE TENDER", the alternative Tender; and
 - ii. in the envelope or package or container marked "COPIES- ALTERNATIVE TENDER", all requiredcopies of the alternative Tender.

The inner envelopes or packages or containers shall:

- a) Bear the name and address of the Procuring Entity.
- b) Bear the name and address of the Tenderer; and
- c) Bear the name and Reference number of the Tender.
- 23.2 If an envelope or package or container is not sealed and marked as required, the *Procuring Entity* will assumeno responsibility for the misplacement or premature opening of the Tender. Tenders misplaced or opened prematurely will not be accepted.

24 Deadline for Submission of Tenders

- 24.1 Tenders must be received by the Procuring Entity at the address and no later than the date and time specified **inthe TDS**. When so specified **in the TDS**, Tenderers shall have the option of submitting their Tenders electronically. Tenderers submitting Tenders electronically shall follow the electronic Tender submission procedures specified **in the TDS**.
- 24.2 The Procuring Entity may, at its discretion, extend the deadline for the submission of Tenders by amending thetendering document in accordance with ITT9, in which case all rights and obligations of the Procuring Entity and Tenderers previously subject to the deadline shall thereafter be subject to the deadline as extended.

25 Late Tenders

25.1 The Procuring Entity shall not consider any Tender that arrives after the dead line for submission of Tenders, in accordance with ITT 24. Any Tender received by the Procuring Entity after the deadline for submission of Tenders shall be declared late, rejected, and returned un opened to the Tenderer.

26 Withdrawal, Substitution and Modification of Tenders

- 26.1 A Tenderer may withdraw, substitute, or modify its Tender after it has been submitted by sending a written notice, duly signed by a n authorized representative, and shall include a copy of the authorization (the power of attorney) in accordance with ITT 21.3, (except that withdrawal notices do not require copies). The corresponding substitution or modification of the Tender must accompany the respective written notice. All notices must be:
 - a) Prepared and submitted in accordance with ITT 21 and ITT 22 (except that withdrawal notices do not require copies), and in addition, the respective envelopes shall be clearly marked "WITHDRAWAL," "SUBSTITUTION," or "MODIFICATION;" and
 - b) Received by the Procuring Entity prior to the deadline prescribed for submission of Tenders, in accordance with ITT 23.
- 26.2 Tenders requested to be withdrawn in accordance with ITT 25.1 shall be returned unopened to the Tenderers.
- 26.3 No Tender may be withdrawn, substituted, or modified in the interval between the deadline for

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submission of Tenders and the expiration of the period of Tender validity specified by the Tenderer on the Form of Tender orany extension thereof.

27 Tender Opening

- **27.1** Except as in the cases specified in ITT 23 and ITT 25.2, the Procuring Entity shall, at the Tender opening, publicly open and read out all Tenders received by the deadline at the date, time and place specified **in the TDS** in the presence of Tenderers' designated representatives and anyone who choose to attend. Any specific electronic Tender opening procedures required if electronic tendering is permitted in accordance with ITT 23.1 shall be as specified **in the TDS**.
- 27.2 First, envelopes marked "WITHDRAWAL" shall be opened and read out and the envelope with the corresponding Tender shall not be opened, but returned to the Tenderer. If the withdrawal envelope does not contain a copy of the "power of attorney" confirming the signature as a person duly authorized to sign on behalfof the Tenderer, the corresponding Tender will be opened. No Tender withdrawal shall be permitted unless the corresponding withdrawal notice contains a valid authorization to request the withdrawal and is read out at Tender opening.
- 27.3 Next, envelopes marked "SUBSTITUTION" shall be opened and read out and exchanged with the corresponding Tender being substituted, and the substituted Tender shall not be opened, but returned to the Tenderer. No Tender substitution shall be permitted unless the corresponding substitution notice contains a validauthorization to request the substitution and is read out at Tender opening.
- 27.4 Next, envelopes marked "MODIFICATION" shall be opened and read out with the corresponding Tender. NoTender modification shall be permitted unless the corresponding modification notice contains a valid authorization to request the modification and is read out at Tender opening.
- 27.5 Next, all remaining envelopes shall be opened one at a time, reading out: the name of the Tenderer and whether there is a modification; the total Tender Prices, per lot (contract) if applicable, including any discounts and alternative Tenders; the presence or absence of a Tender Security or Tender-Securing Declaration, if required; and any other details as the Procuring Entity may consider appropriate.
- 27.6 Only Tenders, alternative Tenders and discounts that are opened and read out at Tender opening shall be considered further. The Form of Tender and the priced Activity Schedule are to be initialed by representatives of the Procuring Entity attending Tender opening in the manner specified in the TDS.
- 27.7 The Procuring Entity shall neither discuss the merits of any Tender nor reject any Tender (except for late Tenders, in accordance with ITT25.1).
- 27.8 The Procuring Entity shall prepare are cord of the Tender opening that shall include, as a minimum:
 - a) The name of the Tenderer and whether there is a withdrawal, substitution, or modification;
 - b) The Tender Price, per lot (contract) if applicable, including any discounts; and
 - c) any alternative Tenders;
 - d) The presence or absence of a Tender Security or Tender-Securing Declaration, if one was required.
 - e) Number of pages of each tender document submitted
- 27.9 The Tenderers' representatives who a rep resent shall be requested to sign the record. The omission of a Tenderer's signature on the record shall not invalidate the contents and effect of the record. A copy of the tenderopening register shall be distributed to Tenderer upon request.

E. Evaluation and Comparison of Tenders

28 Confidentiality

28.1 Information relating to the evaluation of Tenders and recommendation of contract award, shall not Tender for Provision of Internet Services at Various KenGen Establishments Page 16 of 129 be disclosed to Tenderers or any other persons not officially concerned with the Tendering process until information on theIntention to Award the Contract is transmitted to all Tenderers in accordance with ITT 42.

- 28.2 Any effort by a Tenderer to influence the Procuring Entity in the evaluation or contract award decisions may result in the rejection of its Tender.
- 28.3 Notwithstanding ITT 28.2, from the time of Tender opening to the time of Contract Award, if any Tenderer wishes to contact the Procuring Entity on any matter related to the Tendering process, it should do so in writing.

29 Clarification of Tenders

- 29.1 To assist in the examination, evaluation, and comparison of Tenders, and qualification of the Tenderers, the Procuring Entity may, at the Procuring Entity's discretion, ask any tenderer for clarification of its Tender including break downs of the prices in the Activity Schedule, and other information that the Procuring Entity may require. Any clarification submitted by a Tenderer in respect to its Tender and that is not in response to a request by the Procuring Entity shall not be considered. The Procuring Entity's request for clarification and the response shall be in writing. No change, including any voluntary increase or decrease, in the prices or substance of the Tender shall be sought, offered, or permitted, except to confirm the correction of arithmetic errors discovered by the Procuring Entity in the evaluation of the Tenders, in accordance with ITT32.
- 29.2 If a Tenderer does not provide clarifications of its Tender by the date and time set in the Procuring Entity's request for clarification, its Tender may be rejected.

30 Deviations, Reservations, and Omissions

30.1 During the evaluation of Tenders, the following definitions apply:

- a) "Deviation" is a departure from the requirements specified in the tendering document;
- b) "Reservation" is the setting of limiting conditions or withholding from complete acceptance of therequirements specified in the tendering document; and
- c) "Omission" is the failure to submit part or all of the information or documentation required in thetendering document.

31 Determination of Responsiveness

- 31.1 The Procuring Entity's determination of a Tender's responsiveness is to be based on the contents of the Tenderitself, as defined in ITT 12.
- 31.2 A substantially responsive Tender is one that meets the requirements of the tendering document without material deviation, reservation, or omission. A material deviation, reservation, or omission is one that:
 - a) If accepted, would:
 - i. affect in any substantial way the scope, quality, or performance of the Non-Consulting Servicesspecified in the Contract; or
 - ii. limit in any substantial way, inconsistent with the tendering document, the Procuring Entity's rightsor the Tenderer's obligations under the Contract; or
 - b) if rectified, would unfairly affect the competitive position of other Tenderers presenting substantially responsive Tenders.
- 31.3 The Procuring Entity shall examine the technical aspects of the Tender submitted in accordance with ITT 18andITT 19, in particular, to confirm that all requirements of Section VII, Procuring Entity's Requirements have been met without any material deviation or reservation, or omission.
- 31.4 If a Tender is not substantially responsive to the requirements of tendering document, it shall be rejected by theProcuring Entity and may not subsequently be made responsive by correction of the

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material deviation, reservation, or omission.

- 31.5 Provided that a Tender is substantially responsive, the Procuring Entity may waive any nonconformity in theTender.
- 31.6 Provided that a Tender is substantially responsive, the Procuring Entity may request that the Tenderer submit the necessary information or documentation, within a reasonable period of time, to rectify nonmaterial non- conformities or omissions in the Tender related to documentation requirements. Requesting information or documentation on such non-conformities shall not be related to any aspect of the price of the Tender. Failure of the Tenderer to comply with the request may result in the rejection of its Tender.
- 31.7 Provided that a Tender is substantially responsive, the Procuring Entity shall rectify quantifiable nonmaterial non-conformities related to the Tender Price. To this effect, the Tender Price shall be adjusted, for comparison purposes only, to reflect the price of a missing or non-conforming item or component in the manner specified **in the TDS**.

32 Arithmetical Errors

- 32.1 The tender sum as submitted and read out during the tender opening shall be absolute and final and shall not be the subject of correction, adjustment or amendment in any way by any person or entity.
- 32.2 Provided that the Tender is substantially responsive, the Procuring Entity shall handle errors on the following basis:
 - a) Any error detected if considered a major deviation that affects the substance of the tender, shall lead todisqualification of the tender as non-responsive.
 - b) Any errors in the submitted tender arising from a miscalculation of unit price, quantity, subtotal and total bid price shall be considered as a major deviation that affects the substance of the tender and shall lead to disqualification of the tender as non-responsive .and
 - c) If there is a discrepancy between words and figures, the amount in words shall prevail
- 32.3 Tenderers shall be notified of any error detected in their bid during the notification of a ward.

33 Conversion to Single Currency

33.1 For evaluation and comparison purposes, the currency(ies) of the Tender shall be converted into a single currency **as specified in the TDS**.

34 Margin of Preference and Reservations

- **34.1** Margin of preference on local service providers may be allowed if it is deemed that the services require participation of foreign tenderers. If so allowed, it will be indicated in the **TDS**.
- 34.2 Where it is intended to reserve the contract to specific groups under Small and Medium Enterprises, or enterprise of women, youth and /or persons living with disability, who are appropriately registered as such by the authority to be specified in the **TDS**, a procuring entity shall ensure that the invitation to tender specifically indicates that only businesses/firms belonging to the specified group are eligible to tender as specified in the **TDS**. Otherwise, if not so stated, the invitation will be open to all tenderers.

35 Evaluation of Tenders

- 35.1 The Procuring Entity shall use the criteria and methodologies listed in this ITT and Section III, Evaluation and Qualification Criteria. No other evaluation criteria or methodologies shall be permitted. By applying the criteria and methodologies, the Procuring Entity shall determine the Best Evaluated Tender. This is the Tender of the Tenderer that meets the qualification criteria and whose Tender has been determined to be:
 - a) Substantially responsive to the tendering document; and
 - b) The lowest evaluated cost. Tender for Provision of Internet Services at Various KenGen Establishments Page 18 of 129

- 35.2 In evaluating the Tenders, the Procuring Entity will determine for each Tender the evaluated Tender cost by adjusting the Tender price as follows:
 - a) Price adjustment due to discounts offered in accordance with ITT 16.4;
 - b) price adjustment due to quantifiable non material non-conformities in accordance with ITT 31.3;
 - c) converting the amount resulting from applying (a) and (b) above, if relevant, to a single currency inaccordance withITT33; and
 - d) any additional evaluation factors specified in the TDS and Section III, Evaluation and QualificationCriteria.
- 35.3 The estimated effect of the price adjustment provisions of the Conditions of Contract, applied over the period of execution of the Contract, shall not be considered in Tender evaluation.
- 35.4 In the case of multiple contracts or lots, Tenderers are allowed to tender for one or more lots and the methodology to determine the lowest evaluated cost of the lot (contract) and for combinations, including any discounts offered in the Form of Tender, is specified in Section III, Evaluation and Qualification Criteria. For one or more lots (contracts). Each lot or contract will be evaluated in accordance with ITT
- 35.5. The methodology to determine the lowest evaluated tenderer or tenderers based one lot (contract) or based on a combination of lots (contracts), will be specified in Section III, Evaluation and Qualification Criteria. In the case of multiple lots or contracts, tenderer will be will be required to prepare the Eligibility and Qualification Criteria Form for each Lot.

36 Comparison of Tenders

36.1 The Procuring Entity shall compare the evaluated costs of all substantially responsive Tenders established in accordance with ITT 35.2 to determine the Tender that has the lowest evaluated cost.

37 Abnormally Low Tenders and Abnormally HighTenders Abnormally Low Tenders

- 37.1 An Abnormally Low Tender is one where the Tender price, in combination with other elements of the Tender, appears so low that it raises material concerns as to the capability of the Tenderer in regards to the Tenderer's ability to perform the Contract for the offered Tender Price.
- 37.2 In the event of identification of a potentially Abnormally Low Tender, the Procuring Entity shall seek written clarifications from the Tenderer, including detailed price analyses of its Tender price in relation to the subject matter of the contract, scope, proposed methodology, schedule, allocation of risks and responsibilities and any other requirements of the Tender document.
- 37.3 After evaluation of the price analyses, in the event that the Procuring Entity determines that the Tenderer has failed to demonstrate its capability to perform the Contract for the offered Tender Price, the Procuring Entity shall reject the Tender.

Abnormally High Tenders

- 37.4 An abnormally high price is one where the tender price, in combination with other constituent elements of the Tender, appears unreasonably too high to the extent that the Procuring Entity is concerned that it (the ProcuringEntity) may not be getting value for money or it may be paying too high a price for the contract compared withmarket prices or that genuine competition between Tenderers is compromised.
- 37.5 In case of an abnormally high price, the Procuring Entity shall make a survey of the market prices, check if theestimated cost of the contract is correct and review the Tender Documents to check if he specifications, scope of work and conditions of contract are contributory to the abnormally high tenders. The Procuring Entity may also seek written clarification from the tenderer on the reason for the high tender price. The Procuring Entity shall proceed as follows:
 - i) If the tender price is abnormally high based on wrong estimated cost of the contract, the Procuring Entity may accept or not accept the tender depending on the Procuring Entity's budget considerations.

- ii) If specifications, scope of work and/or conditions of contract are contributory to the abnormally high tender prices, the Procuring Entity shall reject all tenders and may retender for the contract based on revised estimates, specifications, scope of work and conditions of contract, as the case maybe.
- 37.6 If the Procuring Entity determines that the Tender Price is abnormally too high because <u>genuine</u> <u>competition</u> <u>between tenderers is compromised</u> (*often due to collusion, corruption or other manipulations*), the Procuring Entity shall reject all Tenders and shall institute or cause competent Government Agencies to institute an investigation on the cause of the compromise, before retendering.

38 Unbalanced and/or Front-Loaded Tenders

- 38.1 If in the Procuring Entity's opinion, the Tender that is evaluated as the lowest evaluated price is seriously unbalanced and/or front loaded, the Procuring Entity may require the Tenderer to provide written clarifications. Clarifications may include detailed price analyses to demonstrate the consistency of the tender prices with the scope of works, proposed methodology, schedule and any other requirements of the Tender document.
- 38.2 After the evaluation of the information and detailed price analyses presented by the Tenderer, the ProcuringEntity may as appropriate:
 - a) Accept the Tender; or
 - b) require that the total amount of the Performance Security be increased at the expense of the Tenderer to alevel not exceeding 10% of the Contract Price; or
 - c) agree on a payment mode that eliminates the inherent risk of the Procuring Entity paying too much forundelivered works; or
 - d) Reject the Tender.

39 Qualification of the Tenderer

- 39.1 The Procuring Entity shall determine to its satisfaction whether the Tenderer that is selected as having submitted the lowest evaluated cost and substantially responsive Tender is eligible and meets the qualifying criteria specified in Section III, Evaluation and Qualification Criteria.
- 39.2 The determination shall be based upon an examination of the documentary evidence of the Tenderer's qualifications submitted by the Tenderer, pursuant to ITT 18. The determination shall not take into consideration the qualifications of other firms such as the Tenderer's subsidiaries, parent entities, affiliates, subcontractors or any other firm(s) different from the Tenderer that submitted the Tender.
- 39.3 An affirmative determination shall be a prerequisite for award of the Contract to the Tenderer. A negative determination shall result in disqualification of the Tender, in which event the Procuring Entity shall proceed to the Tenderer who offers a substantially responsive Tender with the next lowest evaluated cost to make a similar determination of that Tenderer's qualifications to perform satisfactorily.

40 Procuring Entity's Right to Accept Any Tender, and to Reject Any or All Tenders

40.1 The Procuring Entity reserves the right to accept or reject any Tender, and to annul the Tendering process and reject all Tenders at any time prior to Contract Award, without there by incurring any liability to Tenderers. Incase of annulment, all Tenders submitted and specifically, Tender securities, shall be promptly returned to the Tenderers.

F. Award of Contract

43 Award Criteria

43.1 The Procuring Entity shall award the Contract to the successful tenderer whose tender has been

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determined tobe the Lowest Evaluated Tender.

42 Notice of Intention to enter in to a Contract

- 42.1 Upon award of the contract and Prior to the expiry of the Tender Validity Period the Procuring Entity shall issuea <u>Notification of Intention to Enter into a Contract</u>/Notification of a ward to all tenderers which shall contain, at a minimum, the following information:
 - a) The name and address of the Tenderer submitting the successful tender;
 - b) The Contract price of the successful tender;
 - c) a statement of the reason(s) the tender of the unsuccessful tenderer to whom the letter is addressed wasunsuccessful, unless the price information in(c) above already reveals the reason;
 - d) the expiry date of the Stand still Period; and
 - e) instructions on how to request a debriefing and/or submit a complaint during the stand still period;

43 Stand still Period

- 43.1 The Contract shall not be signed earlier than the expiry of a Standstill Period of 14 days to allow any dissatisfiedtender to launch a complaint. Where only one Tender is submitted, the Standstill Period shall not apply.
- 43.2 Where a Standstill Period applies, it shall commence when the Procuring Entity has transmitted to each Tenderer the Notification of Intention to Enter in to a Contract with the successful Tenderer.

44 Debriefing by the Procuring Entity

- 44.1 On receipt of the Procuring Entity's <u>Notification of Intention to Enter into a Contract</u> referred to in ITT 42, an unsuccessful tenderer may make a written request to the Procuring Entity for a debriefing on specific issues or concerns regarding their tender. The Procuring Entity shall provide the debriefing with in five days of receipt of the request.
- 44.2 Debriefings of unsuccessful Tenderers may be done in writing or verbally. The Tenderer shall bear its own costs of attending such a debriefing meeting.

45 Letter of Award

Prior to the expiry of the Tender Validity Period and upon expiry of the Standstill Period specified in ITT 43.1, upon addressing a complaint that has been filed within the Standstill Period, the Procuring Entity shall transmit the <u>Letter of Award</u> to the successful Tenderer. The letter of award shall request the successful tenderer to furnish the Performance Security within 21 days of the date of the letter.

46 Signing of Contract

- 46.1 Upon the expiry of the fourteen days of the Notification of Intention to enter into contract and upon the parties meeting their respective statutory requirements, the Procuring Entity shall send the successful Tenderer the Contract Agreement.
- 46.2 Within fourteen (14) days of receipt of the Contract Agreement, the successful Tenderer shall sign, date, and return it to the Procuring Entity.
- 46.3 The written contract shall be entered into within the period specified in the notification of award and before expiry of the tender validity period

47 Performance Security

47.1 Within twenty-one (21) days of the receipt of the Form of Acceptance from the Procuring Entity, the successfulTenderer, if required, shall furnish the Performance Security in accordance with the GCC 3.9, using for that purpose the Performance Security Form included in Section X, Contract Forms, or another Form acceptable to the Procuring Entity. If the Performance Security furnished by the

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successful Tenderer is in the form of a bond, it shall be issued by a bonding or insurance company that has been determined by the successful Tenderer to be acceptable to the Procuring Entity. A foreign institution providing a bond shall have a correspondent financial institution located in Kenya, unless the Procuring Entity has agreed in writing that a correspondent financial institution is not required.

47.2 Failure of the successful Tenderer to submit the above-mentioned Performance Security or sign the Contract shall constitute sufficient grounds for the annulment of the award and forfeiture of the Tender Security. In thatevent the Procuring Entity may award the Contract to the Tenderer offering the next Best Evaluated Tender.

48 Publication of Procurement Contract

- 48.1 Within fourteen days after signing the contract, the Procuring Entity shall publish the awarded contract at its notice boards and websites; and on the Website of the Authority. At the minimum, the notice shall contain thefollowing information:
 - a) Name and address of the Procuring Entity;
 - b) Name and reference number of the contract being awarded, a summary of its scope and the selection method used;
 - c) The name of the successful Tenderer, the final total contract price, the contract duration.
 - d) Dates of signature, commencement and completion of contract;
 - e) Names of all Tenderers that submitted Tenders, and their Tender prices as read out at Tender opening.

49 Adjudicator

49.1 The Procuring Entity proposes the person named in the TDS to be appointed as adjudicator or under the Contract, at an hourly fee specified in the TDS, plus reimbursable expenses. If the Tenderer disagrees with thisTender, the Tenderer should so state in the Tender. If, in the Form of Acceptance, the Procuring Entity has notagreed on the appointment of the Adjudicator, the Adjudicator shall be appointed by the Appointing Authority designated in the Special Conditions of Contract at the request of either party.

50 Procurement Related Complaints and Administrative Review

50.1 The procedures for making a Procurement-related Complaint are as specified in the TDS.

50.2 A request for administrative review shall be made in the form provided under contract forms.

SECTION II ~ TENDER DATA SHEET (TDS)

The following specific data for the Non-Consulting Services to be procured shall complement, supplement, or amendthe provisions in the Instructions to Tenderers (ITT). Whenever there is a conflict, the provisions here in shall prevail over those in ITT.

ITT PARTICULARS OF APPENDIX TO INSTRUCTIONS TO TENDERS Reference A. General **ITT** 1.1 The reference number of the Invitation for Tenders is: [KGN-ICT-008-2025] The Procuring Entity is: Kenya Electricity Generating Company Plc The name of the Contract is: Tender for KenGen Stima Plaza Local Area Network Upgrade ITT 2.1(a) Electronic – Procurement System The tender MUST be submitted through our e-procurement platform found at <u>www.kengen.co.ke</u> (<u>https://eprocurement.kengen.co.ke:50001/irj/portal</u> SUBMISSION OF TENDERS: Electronic – Procurement System The tender MUST be submitted through our e-procurement platform found at www.kengen.co.ke (https://eprocurement.kengen.co.ke:50001/irj/portal On or before 2nd April,2025 at 2.00 p.m. SUBMISSION OF TENDERS: Firefox Mozilla is the preferred web browsers. [Hard copies of the tender document shall not be permitted] For suppliers registering for the first time using the link https://supplierregistration.kengen.co.ke:4302/slc_selfreg(bD1lbiZjPTMwMCZ kPW1pbg==)/bspwdapplication.do#VIEW ANCHOR~ROS TOP ensure the "Public Tender" checkbox is ticked so that the login details are sent to suppliers automatically. $\mathbf{\mathfrak{G}}$ Suppliers-Awards-Home KenGen Supplier Registration Suppliers Portal Suppliers User Manuals It is a mandatory requirement that all documents are uploaded to the SRM System through the link: https://eprocurement.kengen.co.ke:50001/irj/portal, log~in to access the published events under 'RFx and Auctions' tab. After clicking on the Event Number, then click on Register (for Open tenders), then click on 'Create Response', bidders to click on 'Technical RFx Response' tab to access the cfolder page to upload your document. Instructions to Bidders: Caution on Uploading Bid Documents a. Preferred Submission Method: Bidders are advised to use the C-Folder for submitting their tenders. This platform is specifically designed to handle bulky technical bid documents of up to 99MB per file.

Table 1: TENDER DATA SHEET (TDS)

| | b. Exceeding File Size Limit: In the event that the bid response exceeds the | | | | | | | |
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| | d. | d. Assistance and Inquiries: For any questions or further assistance, bidders are encouraged to reach out to the team at least 24 hours before submission deadline through <u>eprocurement@kengen.co.ke</u> ; or <u>tenders@kengen.co.ke</u> ; or visit our offices through the Karibu Centre. | | | | | | |
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| | • Bidders who have submitted their bids should not click on WITHDRAW but click on EDIT to amend their bid response with appropriate changes if they desire to do so. | | | | | | | |
| | • Manuals to guide on the bidding process are accessible via the KenGen Tenders Portal. | | | | | | | |
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| | KenGen KenGen Tenders Portal | | | | | | | |
| | Suppliers Portal Suppliers Portal | | | | | | | |
| | Bidders to note that system challenges/support related to bid submission issues | | | | | | | |
| | | e addressed 48 | | | | | | |
| ITT 2.2 | The contract period shall be three (3) years, but renewable annually upon satisfactory performance and mutual agreement. | | | | | | | |
| | - | The parties will review the contractual engagement after the first year before | | | | | | |
| | committing to the subsequent years Eligibility | | | | | | | |
| ITT 4.0 | U V | - | Citizen Co | ntractors | 2 | | | |
| | This tender is open to Citizen Contractors Tender eligibility and qualifications | | | | | | | |

| | Proof of eligibility, qualification documents of evidence (see evaluation criteria) | | | |
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| ITT 4.1 | Maximum number of members in the Joint Venture (JV) shall be: N/A | | | |
| | B. Contents of Tendering Document | | | |
| ITT 8.1 | (a) A pre-tender conference <u>will not be held</u> | | | |
| | There shall be a Mandatory site visit at KenGen Stima Plaza, Nairobi on 18 th March 2025 and at Gitaru Power Station on:20 th March 2025. | | | |
| ITT 8.2 | The questions in writing, to reach the Procuring Entity not later than 7 days before thetender closing date. | | | |
| ITT 8.4 | Minutes of the pre-Tender meeting and the pre-arranged pretender visit of the site of theworks shall be published on the website N/A | | | |
| ITT 9.1 | For Clarification of Tender purposes only, the Procuring Entity's address is: Attention: <i>General Manager, Supply Chain,</i> <i>Kenya Electricity Generating Company PLC,</i> <i>9th Floor, KenGen Pension Plaza II,</i> <i>Kolobot Road, Parklands,</i> <i>P.O. Box 47936, 00100</i> <i>NAIROBI.</i> <i>tenders@kengen.co.ke; cc</i> vomunzi@kengen.co.ke; jrop@kengen.co.ke Requests for clarification should be received by the Procuring Entity not later than: 7 days before tender closing date. | | | |
| ITT Reference | PARTICULARS OF APPENDIX TO INSTRUCTIONS TO TENDERS | | | |
| | The Procuring Entity shall also promptly publish response at the website: <u>www.kengen.co.ke</u> | | | |
| | C. Preparation of Tenders | | | |
| ITT 13.1 (i) | The Tenderer shall submit the following additional documents in its Tender: As per Evaluation criteria. | | | |
| ITT 15.1 | Alternative Tenders ["shall not be"] considered. | | | |
| ITT 16.1 | Tender Prices Prices indicated in the tender form shall be inclusive of all taxes | | | |
| ITT 16.7 | The prices quoted by the Tenderer shall not be subject to adjustment during the performance of the Contract. | | | |
| ITT 17.1 | Foreign currency requirements allowed in a freely convertible currency | | | |
| ITT 20.1 | The Tender validity period shall be 154 days from date of tender submission | | | |
| | The Number of days beyond the expiry of the initial tender validity period will be 30 days. | | | |

| ITT 21.1 | All Tenders must be accompanied by a "Tender Security" | | | | | |
|----------|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| | The Original Tender Security of KES 800,000.00 or equivalent in a freely convertible currency, in form of: | | | | | |
| | Tender Security from a reputable bank registered by the Central Bank of Kenya | | | | | |
| | Guarantee issued by a financial institution approved and licensed by the Central Bank of Kenya. | | | | | |
| | A guarantee by an insurance company registered and licensed by the Insurance Regulatory Authority listed by the Public Procurement Regulatory Authority. | | | | | |
| | Valid for 30 days beyond the tender validity period. All tender securities submitted shall be subject to authentication by KenGen and MUST be submitted in a plain sealed envelope and clearly marked "KGN-ICT-008-2025- Tender for KenGen Stima Plaza Local Area Network Upgrade " and addressed to: | | | | | |
| | General Manager, Supply Chain, Kenya Electricity Generating Company PLC, Ground Floor, KenGen Pension Plaza I, Kolobot Road, Parklands, P.O. Box 47936, 00100 | | | | | |
| | NAIROBI. | | | | | |
| | <i>The Original Tender Security</i> clearly labeled should be dropped at the tender box located on Ground Floor at KenGen, RBS building on or before tender closing date | | | | | |
| | E- Tender securities are acceptable subject to: i. Attachment of a scanned copy to the bid document. ii. Submission of the e-security to the address indicated above: > Such E-Security can be verified by use of a Quick Response (QR) code > Such E-Security can be verified via the issuing institution's online portal | | | | | |
| ITT 22.3 | The written confirmation of authorization to sign on behalf of the Tenderer shall consist of: <i>Tender Specific Power of Attorney</i> | | | | | |
| ITT 24.1 | Tender submission | | | | | |
| | Electronic –Procurement System | | | | | |
| | 1.For suppliers registering for the first time using the link <u>https://supplierregistration.kengen.co.ke:4302/slc_selfreg(bD1lbiZjPTMwMCZkP</u> <u>W1pbg==)/bspwdapplication.do#VIEW_ANCHOR-ROS_TOP</u> ensure the "Public Tender" checkbox is ticked so that the login details are sent to suppliers automatically <u>KenGen Tenders Portal</u> <u>Begies the Maxia</u> | | | | | |
| | It is a mandatory requirement that all documents are uploaded to the SRM System through the link: <u>https://eprocurement.kengen.co.ke:50001/irj/portal</u> , log-in to access the published events under 'RFx and Auctions' tab. | | | | | |
| | After clicking on the Event Number, then click on Register (for Open tenders), then click on 'Create Response', bidders to click on 'Technical RFx Response' tab to access the cfolder page to upload your document. | | | | | |

| Ins | Instructions to Bidders: Caution on Uploading Bid Documents | | | | | | |
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| | a. Preferred Submission Method : Bidders are advised to use the C-Folder for submitting their tenders. This platform is specifically designed to handle bulky technical bid documents of up to 99MB per file. | | | | | | |
| | b. Exceeding File Size Limit: In the event that the bid response exceeds the 99MB limit: ~ | | | | | | |
| | i. Bidders should try to compress the pdf file first to file size less than 99MB and if compressing doesn't reduce the file size consider option (ii) below. | | | | | | |
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| đ | Assistance and Inquiries: For any questions or further assistance, bidders are encouraged to reach out to the team at least 24 hours before submission deadline through <u>eprocurement@kengen.co.ke</u> ; or <u>tenders@kengen.co.ke</u> ; or visit our offices through the Karibu Centre. | | | | | | |
| in th | es MUST be entered under item tab of the RFx and MUST be similar to the prices he price Schedule. | | | | | | |
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| | ders should confirm on the supplier portal that the status of their RFx response ws "Submitted" and not "Saved" to ensure their RFx response is submitted. | | | | | | |
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| | ders who have submitted their bids should not click on WITHDRAW but click on T to amend their bid response with appropriate changes if they desire to do so. | | | | | | |
| | nuals to guide on the bidding process are accessible via the KenGen Tenders | | | | | | |
| Port | Call. Home Supplement Amardian Mendion Tenders Portal Supplement Amardian KenGen Tenders Portal Supplement Amardian Supplement Manuals | | | | | | |
| The | e deadline for Tender submission is: | | | | | | |
| Date | e: 2 nd April,2025 | | | | | | |
| Time | e: <mark>2.00 p.m.</mark> | | | | | | |

| ITT Reference | PARTICULARS OF APPENDIX TO INSTRUCTIONS TO TENDERS | | | | |
|------------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| ITT 27.1 | The Tender opening shall take place at: Kenya Electricity Generating Company PLC, Ground Floor, KenGen Pension Plaza I, Kolobot Road, Parklands, P.O. Box 47936, 00100NAIROBI. | | | | |
| | 1. Date and time: [2nd April,2025 at 2.30 p.m.] | | | | |
| | •Where bidders or their representatives choose to attend the bid opening, KenGen | | | | |
| | shalllimit the persons to a maximum of 5 people, whom shall be nominated by the | | | | |
| | bidders present for the opening session. | | | | |
| | •The tender opening shall be conducted in a spacious environment and observing a | | | | |
| | social distance of at least 1.5 meters away from each other. | | | | |
| | Screening and registration of all attendees shall take place in all sessions. | | | | |
| | □Failure to attend the bid opening shall not invalidate the process. | | | | |
| | Bidders can request for the tender opening minutes of the tender opening session | | | | |
| | through the following email address <u>tenders@kengen.co.ke</u> | | | | |
| ITT 27.6 | The Form of Tender and priced Activity Schedule shall be initialed by <u>3</u> representatives of the Procuring Entity conducting Tender opening. | | | | |
| | E. Evaluation and Comparison of Tenders | | | | |
| ITT 33.1 | Where other currencies are used, the procuring entity shall convert these Currencies to Kenya Shillings using the selling exchange rate on the date of tender closing provided by the Central Bank of Kenya before comparing all the responsive tenders. | | | | |
| IIT 34.1 | A margin of preference and/or reservation shall not apply | | | | |
| ITT 36.1 | Price evaluation will be rates based. | | | | |
| | Preliminary Examination Tender sum as submitted and read out during tender opening is absolute and shall not be subject to correction, adjustment or amendment on any way Sec.82 of PPADA 2015,Subjectto section 79(2) (b) of the Act, any error in the submitted tender arising from a miscalculation of unit price, quantity, subtotal and total bid price shall be considered as a major deviation that affects substance of the tender. | | | | |
| | F. Award of Contract | | | | |
| ITT 47.1 | Performance security shall be at 10% of the Order Value where the order value is above Five Million Kenya Shillings. Performance security shall be on per order basis. | | | | |
| ITT 50.1 | The procedures for making a Procurement-related Complaint are detailed in the "Notice of Intention to Award the Contract" herein and are also available from the PPRA Website <u>www.ppra.go.ke</u> . | | | | |

SECTION III - EVALUATION AND QUALIFICATION CRITERIA

1. General Provision

- 1.1 Wherever a Tenderer is required to state a monetary amount, Tenderers should indicate the Kenya Shillingequivalent using the rate of exchange determined as follows:
 - a) For construction turnover or financial data required for each year-Exchange rate prevailing on the last day of the respective calendar year (in which the amounts for that year are to be converted) was originally established.
 - b) Value of single contract-Exchange rate prevailing on the date of the contract signature.
 - c) Exchange rates shall be taken from the publicly available source identified in the ITT. Any error indetermining the exchange rates in the Tender may be corrected by the Procuring Entity.
- 1.2 This section contains the criteria that the Employer shall use to evaluate tender and qualify tenderers. No otherfactors, methods or criteria shall be used other than specified in this tender document. The Tenderer shall provide all the information requested in the forms included in Section IV, Tendering Forms. The Procuring Entity should use <u>the Standard Tender Evaluation</u> <u>Report for Goods and Works</u> for evaluating Tenders.

REGISTRATION AND BIDDING PROCESS

1. For suppliers registering for the first time using the link <u>https://supplierregistration.kengen.co.ke:4302/slc_selfreg(bD1lbiZjPTMwMCZkPW1pbg=</u> <u>=)/bspwdapplication.do#VIEW_ANCHOR-ROS_TOP</u> ensure the **"Public Tender" checkbox is ticked** so that the login details are sent to suppliers automatically.



2. It is a mandatory requirement all Documents MUST be uploaded to the SRM System through the link <u>https://eprocurement.kengen.co.ke:50001/irj/</u> portal found on www.kengen.co.ke.



• Prices **MUST** be entered under item tab of the RFx and **MUST** be similar to the prices in the price/BoQ Schedule.



After clicking on the Event Number, then click on Register (for Open tenders), then click on 'Create Response', bidders to click on 'Technical RFx Response' tab to access the cfolder page to upload your document.

Instructions to Bidders: Caution on Uploading Bid Documents

a. Preferred Submission Method: Bidders are advised to use the C~Folder for submitting their tenders. This platform is specifically designed to handle bulky technical bid documents of up to **99MB per file**.

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b. Exceeding File Size Limit: In the event that the bid response exceeds the 99MB limit: ~

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ii. Split the documents into two or more separate files before submission. This ensures the integrity of the tendering process and accurate evaluation of all necessary information.

c. Bids uploaded on "**Notes and Attachments Tab**" may have a transmission failure and the bid may not be successfully received through the system and KenGen will not be held accountable for failure to transmit on eProcurement portal.

d. Assistance and Inquiries: For any questions or further assistance, bidders are encouraged to reach out to the team at least 24 hours before submission deadline through eprocurement@kengen.co.ke; or tenders@kengen.co.ke; or visit our offices through the Karibu Centre.

• Bidders should confirm on the supplier portal that the status of their RFx response shows "Submitted" and not "Saved" to ensure their RFx response is submitted.

| Event Number | Event Description | Event Type | Event Status | Start Date | End Date | Response Number | Response Status |
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| 5000000000 | Test Bid Invite : to Bidders | Open Tendering | Published | | 22.09.^^2 | 60000000.00 | Saved |
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- Bidders who have submitted their bids should not click on **WITHDRAW** but click on **EDIT** to amend their bid response with appropriate changes if they desire to do so.
- Manuals to guide on the bidding process are accessible via the KenGen Tenders Portal.



• Bidders to note that **system challenges/support** related to bid submission issues shall be **addressed to <u>eprocurement@kengen.co.ke</u>** tender closing date and time.

1.3 Evaluation and contract award Criteria

The Procuring Entity shall use the criteria and methodologies listed in this Section to evaluate tenders and arrive at the Lowest Evaluated Tender. The tender that (i) meets the qualification criteria,(ii) has been determined to be substantially responsive to the Tender Documents, and(iii) is determined to have the Lowest Evaluated Tender price shall be selected for award of contract.

2 Preliminary examination for Determination of Responsiveness

The Procuring Entity will start by examining all tenders to ensure they meet in all respects the eligibility criteria and other mandatory requirements in the ITT, and that the tender is complete in all aspects in meeting the requirements provided for in the preliminary evaluation criteria outlined below. The Standard Tender Evaluation Report Document for Goods and Works for evaluating Tenders provides very clear guide on how to deal with review of these requirements. Tenders that do not pass the Preliminary Examination will be considered non- responsive and will not be considered further.

STAGE 1: MANDATORY REQUIREMENTS

Table 2: Mandatory Requirements

| No | Requirements | EVALUATION (YES/NO) | | | |
|-------|---|------------------------|--|--|--|
| MR 1 | Valid copy of Registration Certificate /Certificate of Incorporation. | | | | |
| MR 2 | Valid copy of the business permit. | | | | |
| MR 3 | Valid Tax Compliance Certificate and KRA PIN Certificate. | | | | |
| | Copy of a valid CR 12 issued within 6 months of tender closure (where | | | | |
| MR 4 | applicable)/Not Applicable to sole Proprietors. | | | | |
| MR 5 | Duly filled, signed and stamped Confidential Business Questionnaire. | | | | |
| MR 6 | Duly filled, signed and stamped Form of Tender | | | | |
| MR 7 | Duly filled, signed and stamped price schedule. | | | | |
| MR 8 | Duly filled, signed and stamped Addendum(s)/Clarification(s) issued must be attached (Where Applicable). | | | | |
| | The Tender MUST be submitted in the required format and serialized on each | | | | |
| MR 9 | page of the bid submitted, Sec.74.1.i. of the PPADA, 2015. | | | | |
| | The tender MUST be dully signed by the person lawfully authorized to do so | | | | |
| MR 10 | through the tender-specific Power of Attorney. (format attached in this tender | | | | |
| | document) | | | | |
| | Tender security of (KES. 800,000.00) or equivalent in a freely convertible | | | | |
| MR 11 | currency valid for 30 days beyond the tender validity period and in the form | | | | |
| | (s) indicated in the TDS. | | | | |
| | Tender documents Must be submitted through our e-procurement platform | | | | |
| ND 10 | found at <u>www.kengen.co.ke</u> | | | | |
| MR 12 | (https://eprocurement.kengen.co.ke:50001/irj/portal as indicated in Tender | | | | |
| | Data Sheet (TDS). | | | | |
| MR 13 | Duly filled signed and stamped Self Declaration form that the tenderer is not debarred in the matter of PPADA 2015. | | | | |
| | Duly filled signed and stamped Self Declaration form that the tenderer | | | | |
| MR 14 | will not engage in any corrupt or Fraudulent Practice. | | | | |
| MR 15 | Duly filled, signed and stamped Declaration and Commitment to the Code of Ethics. | | | | |
| MR 16 | Duly filled and signed Certificate of Independent Tender Determination | | | | |
| MR 17 | Proof of attendance of the Mandatory Site Visit (attach Site Visit Certificate) | | | | |
| MR 18 | Duly filled signed and stamped Manufacturer's Authorization Letter (for the items to be provided by the service provider) if not a manufacturer | | | | |
| | The manufacturer's authorization letter to be directly from the manufacturer and not from a third party and should be on official letter head, signed and stamped, and with contacts (email and phone) of the person issuing for verification of validity. | | | | |
| MR 19 | Valid copy of Certificate of accreditation from ICT (Information Communication Technology) Authority in Networking (either ICTA-2 or ICTA-1). | | | | |

| No | Requirements | | EVALUATION | | |
|-------|---|--|------------|--|--|
| NO | Requirements | (YES/NO) | | | |
| MR 20 | Controller or | Valid copy of Certificate of Compliance in Data Protection as either a Data Controller or Data Processor from the Office of Data Protection Commissioner | | | |
| MR 21 | Annual Accou The audited fi 2023 shall be Bidder's finan | | | | |
| MR 22 | | | | | |

STAGE 2: TECHNICAL EVALUATION ON CAPACITY TO DELIVER THE CONTRACT

Technical evaluation shall be carried out only if the tender is determined to be responsive to the preliminary examination.

Bidder must demonstrate conformance to the all the technical specifications and requirements in this tender document.

The Technical Evaluation will be based on compliance with the technical specifications set out in this tender document.

Table 3: Technical Evaluation on Capacity to Deliver the Contract

| No. | ITEM DESCRIPTION | MINIMUM SPECIFICATIONS | Evaluation of Tenderer's Response (YES/NO) |
|-----|---|---|---|
| TRI | Technical data sheet/Documentary evidence | Bidder must conform to the Technical Specifications provided in table 4 of section V in this tender document | |
| TR2 | Firm Experience | Provide evidence of having executed similar assignment with at least two clients within the last five years. (Attach copies of LPOs/Contracts/ or Completion Certificates) | |

STAGE 3. FINANCIAL EVALUATION

- i. Financial evaluation shall involve checking completeness of financial bids.
- ii. Award shall be based on the lowest evaluated compliant bidder.

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- iii. Consideration of the prevailing market price and value for money
- iv. All prices must be inclusive of all the applicable taxes.
- v. Tender sum as submitted and read out during tender opening as per the form of tender is absolute and final and shall not be subject to correction, adjustment, or amendment.

STAGE 4. DUE DILLIGENCE

KenGen prior to award of the tender may determine to its satisfaction whether the selected bids will qualify to perform the contract satisfactorily by carrying out a due diligence visit as required.

SECTION IV ~ TENDERING FORMS

1. FORM OF TENDER

(Amended and issued pursuant to PPRA CIRCULAR No. 02/2022)

INSTRUCTIONS TO TENDERERS

i) All italicized text is to help the Tenderer in preparing this form.

ii) The Tenderer must prepare this Form of Tender on stationery with its letterhead clearly showing the Tenderer's complete name and business address. Tenderers are reminded that this is a mandatory requirement.

iii) Tenderer must complete and sign CERTIFICATE OF INDEPENDENT TENDER DETERMINATION and the SELF DECLARATION FORMS OF THE TENDERER as listed under (s) below.

Tender Name and Identification:.....[insert identification]

alternative]

To: [Insert complete name of Procuring Entity]

- a) **No reservations:** We have examined and have no reservations to the tendering document, including Addenda issued in accordance with ITT9;
- b) **Eligibility**: We meet the eligibility requirements and have no conflict of interest in accordance with ITT4;
- c) **Tender-Securing Declaration:** We have not been suspended nor declared ineligible by the Procuring Entity based on execution of a Tender-Securing Declaration or Proposal-Securing Declaration in Kenya in accordance with ITT21;
- d) **Conformity:** We offer to provide the Non-Consulting Services inconformity with the tendering document of the following:[*insert a brief description of the Non-Consulting Services*];
- *e)* **Tender Price:** The total price of our Tender, excluding any discounts offered in item(f) below is: *[Insert one of the options below as appropriate]*

Option 1, in case of one lot: Total price is:....

[*insert the total price of the Tender in words and figures, indicating the various amounts and the respective currencies*];

Or

Option 2, in case of multiple lots: (a) Total price of each lot[*insert the total price of each lot in words and figures, indicating the various amounts and the respective currencies*]; and (b) Total price of all lots (sum of all lots) [*insert the total price of all lots in words and figures, indicating the various amounts and the respective currencies*];

- f) **Discounts:** The discounts offered and the methodology for their application are:
- i) The discounts offered are: [Specify in detail each discount offered.]
- ii) The exact method of calculations to determine the net price after application of discounts is shown Tender for Provision of Internet Services at Various KenGen Establishments Page 34 of 129

below: [Specify in detail the method that shall be used to apply the discounts];

- g) **Tender Validity Period:** Our Tender shall be valid for the period specified in TDS 19.1 (as amended if applicable) from the date fixed for the Tender submission deadline (specified in TDS 23.1(as amended if applicable), and it shall remain binding upon us and may be accepted at any time before the expiration of that period;
- h) **Performance Security:** If our Tender is accepted, we commit to obtain a Performance Security in accordance with the tendering document;
- i) **One Tender Per Tenderer:** We are not submitting any other Tender(s) as an individual Tenderer, and we are not participating in any other Tender(s) as a Joint Venture member or as a subcontractor, and meet the requirements of ITT4.3, other than alternative Tenders submitted in accordance with ITT14;
- j) **Suspension and Debarment**: We, along with any of our subcontractors, suppliers, consultants, manufacturers, or service providers for any part of the contract, are not subject to, and not controlled by any entity or individual that is subject to, a temporary suspension or a debarment imposed by the PPRA. Further, we are not ineligible under Kenya's official regulations or pursuant to a decision of the United Nations Security Council;
- k) **State-owned enterprise or institution**: [select the appropriate option and delete the other] [We are not a state-owned enterprise or institution] / [We are a state-owned enterprise or institution but meet the requirements of ITT 4.6];
- *l)* **Commissions, gratuities and fees**: We have paid, or will pay the following commissions, gratuities, or fees with respect to the Tendering process or execution of the Contract: *[insert complete name of each Recipient, its full address, r gratuity].*

| Name of Recipient | Address | Reason | Amount |
|-------------------|---------|--------|--------|
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| | | | |
| | | | |

(If none has been paid or is to be paid, indicate "none.")

- *a)* [Delete if not appropriate, or amend to suit]We confirm that we understand the provisions relating to Standstill Period as described in this tendering document and the Procurement Regulations.
- m) **Binding Contract**: We understand that this Tender, together with your written acceptance thereof included in your Form of Acceptance, shall constitute a binding contract between us, until a formal contract is prepared and executed;
- n) Not Bound to Accept: We understand that you are not bound to accept the lowest evaluated cost Tender, the Best Evaluated Tender or any other Tender that you may receive; and
- o) **Fraud and Corruption:** We hereby certify that we have taken steps to ensure that no person acting for us or on our behalf engages in any type of Fraud and Corruption.
- p) **Collusive practices:** We hereby certify and confirm that the tender is genuine, non-collusive and made with the intention of accepting the contract if awarded. To this effect we have signed the "Certificate of Independent tender Determination" attached below.
- q) Code of Ethical Conduct: We undertake to adhere by the Code of Ethics for Persons Participating in Public Procurement and Asset Disposal, copy available from ______ (specify website) during the procurement process and the execution of any resulting contract.
- r) We, the Tenderer, have completed fully and signed the following Forms as part of our Tender:

- i) Tenderer's Eligibility; Confidential Business Questionnaire-to establish we are not in any conflict to interest.
- ii) Certificate of Independent Tender Determination-to declare that we completed the tender without colluding with other tenderers.
- iii) Self-Declaration of the Tenderer-to declare that we will, if awarded a contract, not engage in any form of fraud and corruption.
- iv) Declaration and commitment to the Code of Ethics for Persons Participating in Public Procurement and Asset Disposal.

Further, we confirm that we have read and understood the full content and scope of fraud and corruption as informed in **"Appendix 1- Fraud and Corruption**" attached to the Form of Tender.

Name of the person duly authorized to sign the Tender on behalf of the Tenderer:.....**[insert complete name of person duly authorized to sign the Tender]

Date signed......[insert date of signing] day of[insert month], [insert year]

i) TENDERER'S ELIGIBILITY ~ CONFIDENTIAL BUSINESS QUESTIONNAIRE

Instruction to Tenderer

Tender is instructed to complete the particulars required in this Form, *one form for each entity if Tender is aJV.* Tenderer is further reminded that it is an offence to give false information on this Form.

| り | 1 | enderer's details | |
|---|----------|--|--------------------------------------|
| | | ITEM | DESCRIPTION |
| 1 | - | Name of the Procuring Entity | |
| 2 | | Reference Number of the Tender | |
| 3 | | Date and Time of Tender | |
| | | Opening | |
| 4 | | Name of the Tenderer | |
| 5 | 5 | Full Address and Contact Details | 1. Country |
| | | of the Tenderer. | 2. City |
| | | | 3. Location |
| | | | 4. Building |
| | | | 5. Floor |
| | | | 6. Postal Address |
| | | | 7. Name and email of contact person. |
| 6 | ; | Current Trade License | |
| | | RegistrationNumber and Expiring | |
| - | | date | |
| 7 | , , | Name, country and full address | |
| | | (postal and physical addresses, | |
| | | <i>email, and telephone number</i>) of | |
| 8 | 2 | Registering Body/Agency Description of Nature of Business | |
| 9 | | Maximum value of business | |
| 9 | , | which the Tenderer handles. | |
| - | 1 | State if Tenders Company is listed | |
| |) | instock exchange, give name and | |
| | - | | |
| | | full address (postal and physical | |
| | | addresses, email, and telephone | |
| | | <i>number</i>) of | |
| | | state which stock exchange | |

a) Tenderer's details

General and Specific Details

b) Sole Proprietor, provide the following details.

| Name in full | Age |
|--------------|--------------------|
| | Nationality |
| | Country of Origin_ |
| | Citizenship _ |
| | |

c) Partnership, provide the following details.

| | Names of Partners | Nationality | Citizenship | % Shares owned |
|---|-------------------|-------------|-------------|----------------|
| 1 | | | | |
| | | | | |

| 2 | | |
|---|--|--|
| 3 | | |

- d) Registered Company, provide the following details.
- e) Private or public Company _____
- f) State the nominal and issued capital of the Company-Nominal Kenya Shillings (Equivalent)
 Issued Kenya Shillings (Equivalent)
 - i) Give details of Directors as follows.

| | Names of Director | Nationality | Citizenship | % Shares owned |
|---|-------------------|-------------|-------------|----------------|
| 1 | | | | |
| 2 | | | | |
| 3 | | | | |

g) DISCLOSURE OF INTEREST-Interest of the Firm in the Procuring Entity.

i) Are there any person/persons in.....(*Name of Procuring Entity*) who has/have an interest or relationship in this firm? Yes/No.....

If yes, provide details as follows.

| | Names of Person | Designation in the Procuring Entity | Interest or Relationship with Tenderer |
|---|-----------------|--|---|
| 1 | | | |
| 2 | | | |
| 3 | | | |

ii) Conflict of interest disclosure

| | Type of Conflict | Disclosure YES OR NO | If YES provide details of therelationship with Tenderer |
|---|--|-------------------------|---|
| 1 | Tenderer is directly or indirectly controlled by or is undercommon control with another tenderer. | | |
| 2 | Tenderer receives or has received any direct or indirect subsidy from another tenderer. | | |
| 3 | Tenderer has the same legal representative as another tenderer | | |
| 4 | Tender has a relationship with another tenderer, directly orthrough common third parties that puts it in a position to influence the tender of another tenderer, or influence the decisions of the Procuring Entity regarding this tendering process. | | |
| 5 | Any of the Tenderer's affiliates participated as a consultant in the preparation of the design or technical specifications of the works that are the subject of the tender. | | |

| 6 | Tenderer would be providing goods, works, non- consultingservices or consulting services during implementation of the contract specified in this Tender Document. | | |
|---|--|-------------------------|--|
| 7 | Tenderer has a close business or family relationship with aprofessional staff of the Procuring Entity who are directly or indirectly involved in the preparation of the Tender document or specifications of the Contract, and/or the Tender evaluation process of such contract. | | |
| 8 | Tenderer has a close business or family relationship with aprofessional staff of the Procuring Entity who would be | | |
| | Type of Conflict | Disclosure YES OR NO | If YES provide details of therelationship with |
| | | | Tenderer |
| | involved in the implementation or supervision of the Contract. | | |

h) Certification

On behalf of the Tenderer, I certify that the information given above is complete, current and accurate asat the date of submission.

Full Name

Title or Designation_

(Signature)

(Date)

ii) CERTIFICATE OF INDEPENDENT TENDER DETERMINATION

| I, | the | undersigned, | in | submitting | the | accompanying | g Letter | of | Tender | to | the |
|-------------|-------------------|---|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------|--|--------------------------|-------------------|----------------------------|-------------------|----------------|
| | | | [Name | | and n | umber of tend | | | | | |
| ten tha | ders n t I cer | nade by: tify to be true ar | nd com | | <i>Name o</i> y respe | <i>f Tenderer]</i> do h ct: | ereby mak | the the | following | statem | ients |
| I ce tha | | on behalf of | | | | | | | [Name of | ' Tendo | 'erer] |
| 1. | I ha | ave read and I up | ndersta | and the conte | ents of t | his Certificate; | | | | | |
| 2. | | nderstand that th nplete inevery re | | | squalifi | ed if this Certif | cate is fou | nd no | ot to be tru | e and | |
| 3. | | n the authorized mit theTender c | | | | derer with auth | ority to sig | n this | Certificat | e, and | l to |
| 4. | inc | the purposes of lude anyindivid Tenderer, who: | ual or | | | | | | | | |
| | a) b) | - | ally sul | omit a tender | r in resp | n response to the ponse to this rec | - | | , | their | |
| 5. | The | e Tenderer disclo | oses that | at [check one | e of the | following, a s a | pplicable]: | | | | |
| | a) | | | | | ndependently failent with, any c | | | ıt consulta | ıtion, | |
| | b) | with one or m in the attached | lore co ddocui re of, | mpetitors reg nent(s), com | zarding plete de | ons, communic this request for tails thereof, in the consultation | tenders, a cluding the | ind the | e Tenderen es of the co | r disclo ompet | oses, itors |
| 6. | | particular, with consultation, con | | | | | | | | | |
| | a) | prices; | | | | | | | | | |
| | b) | methods, facto | ors or i | formulas use | d to cal | culate prices; | | | | | |
| | c) | the intention | or deci | sion to subm | iit, or no | ot to submit, a t | ender; or | | | | |
| | d) | | | | | ot meet the spe pursuant to par | | | | or | |
| 7. | cor ser | addition, there h npetitor regardi vices to which ocuring authorit | ng the this r | quality, qua request for t | ntity, sj tenders | pecifications or relates, except | delivery p t as speci | articu fically | alars of the authoriz | e work | ks or |
| 8. | dir or o | e terms of the T ectly or indirect of the awarding ccifically disclose | ly, to a of the | ny competito Contract, wh | or, prio ich ever | r to the date and r comes first, ur | time of th | he offi | icial tende | er oper | ning, |

Name____

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[Name, title and signature of authorized agent of Tenderer and Date]

FORM SD1

SELF DECLARATION THAT THE PERSON/TENDERER IS NOT DEBARRED IN THEMATTER OF THE PUBLIC PROCUREMENT AND ASSET DISPOSAL ACT 2015

| I, | of Post Offic | е Вох | being a residen |
|-----------------------|-----------------|-------|------------------|
| of | , | | |
| | | | |
| | in the Republic | of | do hereby make a |
| statement asfollows:~ | 1 | | Ű |

1. THAT I am the Company Secretary/ Chief Executive/ Managing Director /Principal Officer/Director of

..... *(insert name of the Company)* who is a Bidder in respect of **TenderNo.** *(insert tender title/description)* for

..... *(insert name of the Procuring entity)* and duly authorized and competent to make thisstatement.

- 2. THAT the aforesaid Bidder, its Directors and subcontractors have not been debarred from participating inprocurement proceeding under Part IV of the Act.
- 3. THAT what is deponed to herein above is true to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

| •••• | • | ••••• |
|---------|-------------|--------|
| (Title) | (Signature) | (Date) |

Bidder Official Stamp

FORM SD2

SELF DECLARATION THAT THE PERSON/TENDERER WILL NOT ENGAGE IN ANY CORRUPT OR FRAUDULENT PRACTICE

- 2. THAT the aforesaid Bidder, its servants and/or agents /subcontractors will not engage in any corrupt or fraudulent practice and has not been requested to pay any inducement to any member of the Board, Management, Staff and/or employees and/or agents of...... *(insert name of the Procuring entity)* which is the procuring entity.

procuring entity)

- 4. THAT the aforesaid Bidder will not engage /has not engaged in any corrosive practice with other biddersparticipating in the subject tender
- 5. THAT what is deponed to here in above is true to the best of my knowledge information and belief.

.....(Title) (Signature)

(Date)

Bidder's Official Stamp

FORMAT OF POWER OF ATTORNEY

We hereby agree to ratify all acts, deeds and things lawfully done by our said attorney pursuant to this Power of Attorney and that all acts, deeds and things done by our aforesaid attorney shall and shall always be deemed to have been done by us

Accepted

DECLARATION AND COMMITMENT TO THE CODE OF ETHICS

the Business/ Company/Firm) declare that I have read and fully understood the contents of the Public Procurement & Asset Disposal Act, 2015, Regulations and the Code of Ethics for persons participating in Public Procurement and Asset Disposal and my responsibilities under the Code. I do hereby commit to abide by the provisions of the Code of Ethics for persons participating in Public Procurementand Asset Disposal. Name of Authorized signatory..... Sign..... Position..... Office address..... Telephone..... Email Name of the Firm/Company..... Date (Company Seal/ Rubber Stamp where applicable) Witness Name..... Sign..... Date

iv) APPENDIX1~FRAUDANDCORRUPTION

(Appendix 1 shall not be modified)

1. Purpose

1.1 The Government of Kenya's Anti-Corruption and Economic Crime laws and their sanction's policies and procedures, Public Procurement and Asset Disposal Act *(no. 33 of 2015)* and its Regulation, and any other Kenya's Acts or Regulations related to Fraud and Corruption, and similar offences, shall apply with respect to Public Procurement Processes and Contracts that are governed by the laws of Kenya.

2. Requirements

- 2.1 The Government of Kenya requires that all parties including Procuring Entities, Tenderers, (applicants/proposers), Consultants, Contractors and Suppliers; any Sub-contractors, Sub-consultants, Service providers or Suppliers; any Agents (whether declared or not); and any of their Personnel, involved and engagedin procurement under Kenya's Laws and Regulation, observe the highest standard of ethics during the procurement process, selection and contract execution of all contracts, and refrain from Fraud and Corruption and fully comply with Kenya's laws and Regulations as per paragraphs 1.1above.
- 2.2 Kenya's public procurement and asset disposal act *(no. 33 of 2015)* under Section 66 describes rules to be followed and actions to be taken in dealing with Corrupt, Coercive, Obstructive, Collusive or Fraudulent practices, and Conflicts of Interest in procurement including consequences for offences committed. A few of the provisions noted be low highlight Kenya's policy of no tolerance for such practices and behavior:
 - A person to whom this Act applies shall not be involved in any corrupt, coercive, obstructive, collusiveor fraudulent practice; or conflicts of interest in any procurement or asset disposal proceeding;
 - 2) A person referred to under sub section (1) who contravenes the provisions of that subsection commits

an offence;

- 3) Without limiting the generality of the subsection (1) and (2), the person shall be: ~
 - a) disqualified from entering into a contract for a procurement or asset disposal proceeding; or
 - b) if a contract has already been entered into with the person, the contract shall be voidable;
- 4) The voiding of a contract by the procuring entity under subsection (7) does not limit any legal remedy

the procuring entity may have;

- **3.** An employee or agent of the procuring entity or a member of the Board or committee of the procuring entitywho has a conflict of interest with respect to a procurement: ~
 - a) Shall not take part in the procurement proceedings;
 - b) shall not, after a procurement contract has been entered into, take part in any decision relating to the procurement or contract; and
 - c) Shall not be a subcontractor for the tender to whom was awarded contract, or a member of the group oftenders to whom the contract was awarded, but the subcontractor appointed shall meet all the requirements of this Act.
- 4. An employee, agent or member described in subsection (1) who refrains from doing anything prohibited underthat subsection, but for that subsection, would have been within his or her duties shall disclose the conflict of interest to the procuring entity;

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4.1 If a person contravenes subsection (1) with respect to a conflict of interest described in subsection (5) (a) and the contract is awarded to the person or his relative or to another person in whom one of them had a direct or indirect pecuniary interest, the contract shall be terminated and all costs incurred by the public entity shall be made good by the a warding officer. etc.

In compliance with Kenya's laws, regulations and policies mentioned above, the Procuring Entity:

- a) Defines broadly, for the purposes of the above provisions, the terms set forth below as follows:
 - i) "corrupt practice" is the offering, giving, receiving, or soliciting, directly or indirectly, of anything of value to influence improperly the actions of another party;
 - ii) "fraudulent practice" is any act or omission, including misrepresentation, that knowingly orrecklessly misleads, or attempts to mislead, a party to obtain financial or other benefit or to avoid an obligation;
 - iii) "collusive practice" is an arrangement between two or more parties designed to achieve an improper purpose, including to influence improperly the actions of another party;
 - iv) "coercive practice" is impairing or harming, or threatening to impair or harm, directly or indirectly, any party or the property of the party to influence improperly the actions of a party;
 - v) "obstructive practice" is:
 - a) deliberately destroying, falsifying, altering, or concealing of evidence material to the investigation or making false statements to investigators in order to materially impede investigation by Public Procurement Regulatory Authority (PPRA) or any other appropriate authority appointed by Government of Kenya into allegations of a corrupt, fraudulent, coercive, or collusive practice; and/or threatening, harassing, or intimidating any party to prevent it fromdisclosing its knowledge of matters relevant to the investigation or from pursuing the investigation; or
 - b) acts intended to materially impede the exercise of the PPRA's or the appointed authority's inspection and audit rights provided for under paragraph 2.3e. below.
 - c) Defines more specifically, in accordance with the above procurement Act provisions set forth for fraudulent and collusive practices as follows:

"fraudulent practice" includes a misrepresentation of fact in order to influence a procurement or disposal process or the exercise of a contract to the detriment of the procuring entity or the tenderer or the contractor, and includes collusive practices amongst tenderers prior to or after tender submission designed to establish tender prices at artificial non-competitive levels and todeprive he procuring entity of the benefits of free and open competition.

- c) Rejects a proposal for award¹ of a contract if PPRA determines that the firm or individual recommended for award, any of its personnel, or its agents, or its sub-consultants, sub- contractors, service providers, suppliers and/ or their employees, has, directly or indirectly, engaged in corrupt, fraudulent, collusive, coercive, or obstructive practices in competing for the contract in question;
- d) Pursuant to the Kenya's above stated Acts and Regulations, may sanction or recommend to appropriate authority(ies) for sanctioning and debarment of a firm or individual, as applicable under the Act sand Regulations;
- e) Requires that a clause be included in Tender documents and Request for Proposal documents requiring (i) Tenderers (applicants/proposers), Consultants, Contractors, and Suppliers, and their Sub-contractors, Sub-consultants, Service providers, Suppliers, Agents personnel, permitthe PPRA or any other appropriate authority appointed by Government of Kenya to inspect²allaccounts, records and other documents relating to the procurement process, selection and/or contract execution, and to have them audited by auditors appointed by the PPRA or any other appropriate authority appointed by Government of Kenya; and

f) Pursuant to Section 62 of the above Act, requires Applicants/Tenderers to submit along with their Applications/Tenders/Proposals a "Self-Declaration Form" as included in the procurement document declaring that they and all parties involved in the procurement process and contract execution have not engaged/will not engage in any corrupt or fraudulent practices.

¹For the avoidance of doubt, a party's ineligibility to be awarded a contract shall include, without limitation, (i) applying for pre-qualification, expressing interest in

A consultancy, and rendering, either directly or as a nominated sub-contractor, nominated consultant, nominated manufacturer or supplier, or nominated service provider, in respect of such contract, and (ii) entering into an addendum or amendment introducing a material modification to any existing contract.

² Inspections in this context usually are investigative (i.e., forensic) in nature. They involve fact-finding activities undertaken by the Investigating Authority or persons appointed by the Procuring Entity to address specific matters related to investigations/ audits, such as evaluating the veracity of an allegation of possible Fraud and Corruption, through the appropriate mechanisms. Such activity includes but is not limited to: accessing and examining a firm's or individual's financial records and information, and making copies thereof as relevant; accessing and examining any other documents, data and information (whether in hard copy or electronic format)deemed relevant for the investigation/ audit, and making copies there of as relevant; interviewing staff and other relevant individuals; performing physical inspections and site visits; and obtaining third party verification of information.

2. TENDERER INFORMATION FORM

| | | r shall fill in this Form in accordance with the instructions indicated below. No alterations hall be permitted and no substitutions shall be accepted.] |
|-------|----------------------------------|--|
| Date: | | [insert date (as day, month and year) of Tender submission] |
| ITT N | Io | [insert number of Tendering process] |
| Alter | native No | o:[insert identification No if this is a Tender for an alternative] |
| 1. | Tendere | er's Name[insert Tenderer's legal name] |
| 2. | In case of <i>member in JV</i>] | of JV, legal name of each member <i>[insert legal name of each</i> r |
| З. | | er's actual or intended country of registration: <i>[insert actual or intended of registration]</i> |
| 4. | Tendere <i>registra</i> | er's year of registration: <i>[insert Tenderer's year of ation]</i> |
| 5. | address | er's Address in country of registration <i>[insert Tenderer's legal</i> [[try of registration] |
| 6. | Tendere | er's Authorized Representative Information |
| | Name | [insert Authorized Representative's name] |
| | Address | s[insert Authorized Representative's Address] |
| | Telepho number | one[insert Authorized Representative's telephone/fax rs] |
| | Email A | ddress: |
| 7. | Attacheo original docume | |
| | | cles of Incorporation (or equivalent documents of constitution or association), and/or aments of registration of the legal entity named above, in accordance with ITT 4.4. |
| | 🗆 In ca | ase of JV, Form of intent to form JV or JV agreement, in accordance with ITT 4.1.In |
| | case | of state-owned enterprise or institution, in accordance with ITT4.6 documents |
| | estal | blishing: |
| | i) | Legal and financial autonomy |
| | ii) | Operation under commercial law |
| | iii) | Establishing that the Tenderer is not under the supervision of the agency of the Procuring Entity |
| | | urrent tax clearance certificate or tax exemption certificate in case of Kenyan tenderers ed by the Kenya Revenue Authority in accordance with ITT 4.14. |

8. Included are the organizational chart, a list of Board of Directors, and the beneficial ownership.

OTHER FORMS

3. TENDERER'S IV MEMBERS INFORMATION FORM

[The Tenderers hall fill in this Form in accordance with the instructions indicated below. The following table shallbe filled in for the Tenderer and for each member of a Joint Venture]].

1. Tenderer's Name: [insert Tenderer's legal name]

2. Tenderer's JV Member's name: [insert JV's Member legal name]

3. Tenderer's JV Member's country of registration: *[insert JV's Member country of registration]*

4. Tenderer's JV Member's year of registration: [insert JV's Member year of registration]

5. Tenderer's JV Member's legal address in country of registration: *[insert JV's Member legaladdress in country of registration]*

6. Tenderer's JV Member's authorized representative information Name: [insert name of

JV's Member authorized representative] Address: [insert address of JV's Member

authorized representative]

Telephone/Fax numbers: [insert telephone/fax numbers of JV's Member authorized representative]

Email Address: *[insert email address of JV's Member authorized representative]*

- 7. Attached are copies of original documents of *[check the box(es) of the attached original documents]*
- □ Articles of Incorporation (or equivalent documents of constitution or association), and/or registration documents of the legal entity named above, in accordance with ITT 4.4.
- □ In case of a state-owned enterprise or institution, documents establishing legal and financial autonomy, operation in accordance with commercial law, and that they are not under the supervision of the Procuring Entity, in accordance with ITT 4.6.

8. Included are the organizational chart, a list of Board of Directors, and the beneficial ownership.

FORM OF TENDER SECURITY~[Option 1–Demand Bank Guarantee]

| Beneficiary: | Request forTenders No: |
|-------------------------------|--|
| Date: Guarantor: | |
| 1. We have been informed that | (hereinafter called "the Applicant") has |

- we have been informed that ______ (hereinafter called "the Applicant") has submitted or will submit to the Beneficiary its Tender (hereinafter called" the Tender") for the execution of _______ under Request for Tenders No. ("the ITT").
- 2. Furthermore, we understand that, according to the Beneficiary's conditions, Tenders must be supported by a Tender guarantee.
- 3. At the request of the Applicant, we, as Guarantor, hereby irrevocably undertake to pay the Beneficiary any sumor sums not exceeding in total an amount of (__) upon receipt by us of the Beneficiary's complying demand, supported by the Beneficiary's statement, whether in the demand itself or a separate signed document accompanying or identifying the demand, stating that either the Applicant:
- (a) has withdrawn its Tender during the period of Tender validity set forth in the Applicant's Letter of Tender ("theTender Validity Period"), or any extension thereto provided by the Applicant; or
- b) having been notified of the acceptance of its Tender by the Beneficiary during the Tender Validity Period or anyextension there to provided by the Applicant, (i) has failed to execute the contract agreement, or (ii) has failed to furnish the Performance.
- 4. This guarantee will expire: (a) if the Applicant is the successful Tenderer, upon our receipt of copies of the contract agreement signed by the Applicant and the Performance Security and, or (b) if the Applicant is not the successful Tenderer, upon the earlier of (i) our receipt of a copy of the Beneficiary's notification to the Applicant of the results of the Tendering process; or (ii) thirty days after the end of the Tender Validity Period.
- 5. Consequently, any demand for payment under this guarantee must be received by us at the office indicated above n or before that date.

[signature(s)]

Note: All italicized text is for use in preparing this form and shall be deleted from the final product.

FORMAT OF TENDER SECURITY [Option 2-Insurance Guarantee] TENDER GUARANTEE No.:

Sealed with the Common Seal of the said Guarantor this _____day of _____20___.

- 3. NOW, THEREFORE, THE CONDITION OF THIS OBLIGATION is such that if the Applicant:
 - a) has withdrawn its Tender during the period of Tender validity set forth in the Principal's Letter of Tender ("the Tender Validity Period"), or any extension thereto provided by the Principal; or
 - b) having been notified of the acceptance of its Tender by the Procuring Entity during the Tender Validity Period or any extension thereto provided by the Principal; (i) failed to execute the Contract agreement; or (ii) has failed to furnish the Performance Security, in accordance with the Instructionsto tenderers ("ITT") of the Procuring Entity's Tendering document.

then the guarantee undertakes to immediately pay to the Procuring Entity up to the above amount upon receipt of the Procuring Entity's first written demand, without the Procuring Entity having to substantiateits demand, provided that in its demand the Procuring Entity shall state that the demand arises from the occurrence of any of the above events, specifying which event(s) has occurred.

- 4. This guarantee will expire: (a) if the Applicant is the successful Tenderer, upon our receipt of copies of the contract agreement signed by the Applicant and the Performance Security and, or (b) if the Applicantis not the successful Tenderer, upon the earlier of (i) our receipt of a copy of the Beneficiary's notification to the Applicant of the results of the Tendering process; or (ii)twenty-eight days after the end of the Tender Validity Period.
- 5. Consequently, any demand for payment under this guarantee must be received by us at the office indicated above on or before that date.

| [Date] | [Signature of the Guarantor] |
|--------|------------------------------|
| | |

[Witness]

[Seal]

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TENDER-SECURING DECLARATION FORM

[The Bidder shall complete this Form in accordance with the instructions indicated] Date: [insert

Purchaser/I/We, the undersigned, declare that:

- 1. I/We understand that, according to your conditions, bids must be supported by a Tender-Securing Declaration.
- 2. I/We accept that I / we will automatically be suspended from being eligible for tendering in any contract with the Purchaser for the period of time of [insert number of months or years] starting on [insert date], if we are inbreach of our obligation (s) under the bid conditions, because we (a) have withdrawn our tender during the period of tender validity specified by us in the Tendering Data Sheet; or (b) having been notified of the acceptance of our Bid by the Purchaser during the period of bid validity, (i) fail or refuse to execute the Contract, if required, or(ii) fail or refuse to furnish he Performance Security, in accordance with the instructions to tenders.
- 3. I/We understand that this Tender Securing Declaration shall expire if we are not the successful Tenderer(s),upon the earlier of:
 - a) Our receipt of a copy of your notification of the name of the successful Tenderer; or
 - b) thirty days after the expiration of our Tender.
- 4. I / We understand that if I am / we are / in a Joint Venture, the Tender Securing Declaration must be in the nameof the Joint Venture that submits the bid , and the Joint Venture has not been legally constituted at the time of bidding, the Tender Securing Declaration shall be in the names of all future partners as named in the letter of intent.

| Signed: |
|--|
| Capacity / title (director or partner or sole proprietor, etc.) |
| Name: |
| |
| Duly authorized to sign the bid for and on behalf of <i>[insert complete name of Tenderer]</i> |
| Dated on [Insert date of signing] |
| |

Seal or stamp

QUALIFICATION FORMS

6. FORM EQU: EQUIPMENT

The Tenderer shall provide adequate information to demonstrate clearly that it has the capability to meet the requirements for the key equipment listed in Section III, Evaluation and Qualification Criteria. A separate Form shall be prepared for each item of equipment listed, or for alternative equipment proposed by the Tenderer.

| Item of equip | nent | | |
|-----------------------|------------------------------|------|------------------------|
| Equipment information | Name of manufacturer | | Model and power rating |
| | Capacity | | Year of manufacture |
| Current status | Current location | | |
| | Details of current commitm | ents | |
| Source | Indicate source of the equip | ment | |
| | \Box Owned \Box Rented | | Specially manufactured |

Omit the following information for equipment owned by the Tenderer.

| Owner | Name of owner | | |
|------------|--|-----------------------------------|--|
| | Address of owner | | |
| ļ | | | |
| | Telephone | Contact name and title | |
| | Fax | Telex | |
| Agreements | Details of rental / lease / manufacture ag | greements specific to the project | |

7. FORM PER ~ 1

Contractor's Representative and Key Personnel Schedule

Tenderers should provide the names and details of the suitably qualified Contractor's Representative and Key Personnel to perform the Contract. The data on their experience should be supplied using the Form PER-2 below foreach candidate.

Contractor' Representative and Key Personnel

| 1. | Title of position: Co | ontractor's Representative |
|----|---------------------------------|---|
| | Name of candidate | - |
| | Duration of | [insert the whole period (start and end dates) for which this |
| | appointment: | position will beengaged |
| | Time | [insert the number of days/week/months/ that has been |
| | commitment:for | scheduled for this position] |
| | this position: | |
| | Expected time | [insert the expected time schedule for this position (e.g. attach |
| | schedule for this | high level Ganttchart] |
| | position: | |
| 2. | Title of position: / |] |
| | Name of candidate | • |
| | Duration of | [insert the whole period (start and end dates) for which this |
| | appointment: | position will beengaged |
| | Time | [insert the number of days/week/months/ that has been |
| | commitment:for | scheduled for this position] |
| | this position: | |
| | Expected time | [insert the expected time schedule for this position (e.g. attach |
| | schedule for this | high level Ganttchart |
| | position: | |
| 3. | Title of position: / |] |
| | Name of candidate | |
| | Duration of | [insert the whole period (start and end dates) for which this |
| | appointment: | position will beengaged |
| | Time commitment:for | [insert the number of days/week/months/ that has been scheduled for thisposition] |
| | this position: | |
| | Expected time | [insert the expected time schedule for this position (e.g. attach |
| | schedule for this | high level Ganttchart] |
| | position: | |
| 4. | Title of position: / |] |
| | Name of candidate | |
| | Duration of | [insert the whole period (start and end dates) for which this |
| | appointment: | position will beengaged |
| | Time | [insert the number of days/week/months/ that has been |
| | commitment:for | scheduled for this position] |
| | this position: | |
| | Expected time | [insert the expected time schedule for this position (e.g. attach |
| | schedule for this | high level Ganttchart |
| | position: | |
| 5. | Title of position: /ii | |
| | Name of candidate | |
| | Duration of | [insert the whole period (start and end dates) for which this |
| | appointment: | position will beengaged |
| | Time | [insert the number of days/week/months/ that has been |
| | commitment: for | scheduled for this position] |
| | this position: | [insort the expected time schedule for this position (a a start |
| | Expected time schedule for this | [insert the expected time schedule for this position (e.g. attach |
| | | high level Ganttchart] |
| 1 | position: | |

8. FORM PER~2:

Resume and Declaration - Contractor's Representative and Key Personnel.

| Name of Tende | erer | |
|--------------------------|--|---|
| | position [# 1]: [title of position from Form PER-1] Professional qualifications: Academic qualifications: Language proficiency: [language and levels of speaking, reading and writing skills] etails Address of Procuring Entity: | |
| Position [# 1] | : [title of position from Form] | PER~1] |
| Personnel information | Name: | Date of birth: |
| | Address: | E-mail: |
| | | |
| | Professional qualifications: | |
| | Academic qualifications: | |
| | | guage and levels of speaking, reading and writing |
| Details | | |
| | Address of Procuring Entity | : |
| | Telephone: | Contact (manager / personnel officer): |
| | Fax: | |
| | Job title: | Years with present Procuring Entity: |

Summarize professional experience in reverse chronological order. Indicate particular technical and managerial experiencerelevant to the project.

| Project | Role | Duration of involvement | Relevant experience |
|------------------------------|---|-------------------------|---|
| [main project details] | [role and responsibilities on theproject] | [time in role] | [describe the experience relevant to this position] |
| | | | |
| | | | |

DECLARATION

I, the undersigned......*[insert either "Contractor's Representative" or "Key Personnel" as applicable]*, certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief, the information contained in this Form PER-2 correctly describes myself, my qualifications and my experience.

I confirm that I am available as certified in the following table and throughout the expected time schedule for this position as provided in the Tender:-

| Commitment | Details |
|-----------------------|--|
| Commitment to | [insert period (start and end dates) for which this Contractor's |
| duration of contract: | Representative or Key Personnel is available to work on this |
| | contract] |
| Time commitment: | [insert period (start and end dates) for which this Contractor's |
| | Representative or Key Personnel is available to work on this |
| | contract] |

I understand that any misrepresentation or omission in this Form may:

- a) be taken into consideration during Tender evaluation;
- b) result in my disqualification from participating in the Tender;
- c) result in my dismissal from the contract.

| Name of Contractor's Representative or Key Personnel | l:[ins | ert |
|--|--------|-----|
| name] | | |

Signature:

| Date: | (day | month | year): |
|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------|--------|
| Countersignature of Signature: | of authorized representative of t | he Tenderer: | |
| Date: | (day | month | year): |

TENDERERS QUALIFICATION WITHOUT PRE-QUALIFICATION

To establish its qualifications to perform the contract in accordance with Section III, Evaluation and Qualification Criteria the Tenderer shall provide the information requested in the corresponding Information Sheets included hereunder.

10 FORM ELI ~1.1Tenderer InformationForm

| <u> </u> | | ITT No. and |
|------------|--|--------------|
| | | |
| Tend | erer's name | |
| In ca | se of Joint Venture (JV), name of each member: | |
| Tende | erer's actual or intended country of registration: | |
| [indi | cate country of Constitution] | |
| Tende | erer's actual or intended year of incorporation: | |
| Tend | erer's legal address [in country of registration]: | |
| Telep | erer's authorized representative information Name: Address: bhone/Fax numbers: il address: | |
| 1. At | tached are copies of original documents of | |
| □ and/ | Articles of Incorporation (or equivalent documents of constitution or asso ordocuments of registration of the legal entity named above, in accordance wit | |
| | In case of JV, letter of intent to form JV or JV agreement, in accordance w | th ITT 4.1 |
| □ estab | In case of state-owned enterprise or institution, in accordance with ITT 4. lishing: | 6, documents |
| • | Legal and financial autonomy | |
| • | Operation under commercial law | |
| • | Establishing that the Tenderer is not under the supervision of the Procuri | ıg Entity |
| | cluded are the organizational chart, a list of Board of Directors, and the bene ership. | ficial |

11. FORM ELI ~1.2

Tenderer's JV Information Form (to be completed for each member of Tenderer's JV)

Date:_____

ITT No. and title:_____

| Tenderer's JV name: |
|--|
| JV member's name: |
| JV member's country of registration: |
| JV member's year of constitution: |
| JV member's legal address in country of constitution: |
| JV member's authorized representative information Name: Address: Telephone/Fax |
| numbers: |
| E-mail address: |
| |
| |
| |
| 1. Attached are copies of original documents of |
| □ Articles of Incorporation (or equivalent documents of constitution or association), and/or registrationdocuments of the legal entity named above, in accordance with ITT 4.4. |
| \Box In case of a state-owned enterprise or institution, documents establishing legal and financial autonomy, operation in accordance with commercial law, and that they are not under the supervision of the ProcuringEntity, in accordance with ITT 4.6. |

2. Included are the organizational chart, a list of Board of Directors, and the beneficial ownership.

12. FORM CON - 2

Historical Contract Non-Performance, Pending Litigation and Litigation History

| Tenderer's Name: Date: | |
|------------------------|--|
|------------------------|--|

JV Member's Name_____

ITT No. and title:

Non-Performed Contracts in accordance with Section III, Evaluation and Qualification Criteria

Contract non-performance did not occur since 1st January *[insert year]* specified in Section III, Evaluation and Qualification Criteria, Sub-Factor 2.1.

Contract(s) not performed since 1st January *[insert year]* specified in Section III, Evaluation and Qualification Criteria, requirement 2.1

| Year | Non- performed portion of contract | Contract Identification | Total Contract Amount (current value, currency, exchange rate and Kenya Shilling equivalent) |
|------------------|---|--|--|
| [insert year] | f [insert amount and percentage] | Contract Identification: <i>[indicate complete contract name/number, and any other identification]</i> | [insert amount] |
| | | Name of Procuring Entity: <i>[insert full name]</i> | |
| | | Address of Procuring Entity: <i>[insert street/city/country]</i> | |
| | | Reason(s) for nonperformance: <i>[indicate main reason(s)]</i> | |

Pending Litigation, in accordance with Section III, Evaluation and Qualification Criteria

□ No pending litigation in accordance with Section III, Evaluation and Qualification Criteria, Sub-Factor 2.3.

Pending litigation in accordance with Section III, Evaluation and Qualification Criteria, Sub-Factor 2.3as indicated below.

| Year of dispute | Amount in dispute (currency) | Contract Identification | Total Contract Amount (currency), Kenya Shilling Equivalent (exchange rate) |
|--------------------|------------------------------------|---|---|
| | | Contract Identification: Name of Procuring Entity: Address of Procuring Entity: Matter in dispute: Party who initiated the dispute: Status of dispute: | |

| Litization | Tiotome in another | Pro Pro Par of c | ntract Identification: Name of curing Entity: Address of curing Entity:Matter in dispute: ty who initiated the dispute:Status lispute: | uglification Cuitoria |
|---|------------------------------------|---------------------------|---|---|
| Vear of dispute | Amount in dispute (currency) | | nce with Section III, Evaluation and Q ntract Identification | Total Contract Amount (currency), Kenya Shilling Equivalent (exchange rate) |
| No Litigation History in accordance with Section III, Evaluation and Qualification Criteria, Sub-Factor 2.4. Litigation History in accordance with Section III, Evaluation and Qualification Criteria, Sub-Factor 2.4 as indicated below. Year of Outcome as award percentage of Contract Identification Amount (currency), | | | | |
| <i>[insert</i> | Net Worth | | Contract Identification: [indicate | Kenya Shilling Equivalent (exchange rate) [insert amount] |
| year] | percentage] | | complete contract name, number, andany other identification] Name of Procuring Entity: <i>[insert full name]</i> Address of Procuring Entity: <i>[insertstreet/city/country]</i> Matter in dispute: <i>[indicate main issues in dispute]</i> Party who initiated the dispute: <i>[indicate "Procuring Entity" or "Contractor"]</i> Reason(s) for Litigation and award decision <i>[indicate main reason(s)]</i> | |

Financial Situation and Performance

| Tenderer's Name: | | | Date: |
|------------------|-----|-----|--------|
| JV Member's Name | | | |
| ITT | No. | and | title: |

Financial Data

| Type of Financial information in | n Historic information for previousyears, | | | | | |
|--|---|---------------|-------------|--------|--------|--|
| (currency) | (amount in currency, currency, exchange rate*, USD equivalent) | | | | | |
| | Year 1 | Year 2 | Year 3 | Year 4 | Year 5 | |
| Statement of Financial Position | (Informat | ion from Bala | ance Sheet) | | | |
| Total Assets (TA) | | | | | | |
| Total Liabilities (TL) | | | | | | |
| Total Equity/Net Worth (NW) | | | | | | |
| Current Assets (CA) | | | | | | |
| Current Liabilities (CL) | | | | | | |
| Working Capital (WC) | | | | | | |
| Information from Income State | ement | | | | | |
| Total Revenue (TR) | | | | | | |
| Profits Before Taxes (PBT) | | | | | | |
| Cash Flow Information | | | | | | |
| Cash Flow from Operating Activities | | | | | | |

*Refer to ITT 15 for the exchange rate

Sources of Finance

Specify sources of finance to meet the cash flow requirements on works currently in progress and for future contractcommitments.

| No | Source of finance | Amount (Kenya Shilling equivalent) |
|----|-------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 1 | | |
| 2 | | |
| 3 | | |

Financial documents

The Tenderer and its parties shall provide copies of financial statements for _____years pursuant Section III, Evaluation and Qualifications Criteria, Sub-factor3.1. The financial statements shall:

- a) reflect the financial situation of the Tenderer or in case of JV member, and not an affiliated entity (such asparent company or group member).
- b) Be independently audited or certified in accordance with local legislation.
- c) Be complete, including all notes to the financial statements.
- d) Correspond to accounting periods already completed and audited.

Attached are copies of financial statements¹ for the _____ years required above ; and complying with the requirements

 $[\]overline{}^{2}$ If the most recent set of financial statements is for a period earlier than 12 months from the date of Tender, the reason for this should be justified.

Average Annual Construction Turnover

Tenderer's Name:

Date:______JV Member's Name___

_____ ITT No. and title:_____

| | Annual turnover data (construction only) | | | | | |
|----------------------------|--|---------------|------------------------------|--|--|--|
| Year | Amount Currency | Exchange rate | Kenya Shilling equivalent | | | |
| [indicate year] | [insert amount and indicate currency] | | | | | |
| | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | |
| Average | | | | | | |
| Annual | | | | | | |
| Construction Turnover * | | | | | | |

* See Section III, Evaluation and Qualification Criteria, Sub-Factor 3.2.

15. FORM FIN-3.3:

Financial Resources

Specify proposed sources of financing, such as liquid assets, unencumbered real assets, lines of credit, and other financial means, net of current commitments, available to meet the total construction cash flow demands of the subject contractor contracts as specified in Section III, Evaluation and Qualification Criteria.

| Fina | Financial Resources | | | | | |
|------|---------------------|---------------------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| No | Source of financing | Amount (Kenya Shilling equivalent) | | | | |
| 1 | | | | | | |
| 2 | | | | | | |
| 3 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | |

16. FORMFIN-3.4:

Current Contract Commitments / Works in Progress

Tenderers and each member to a JV should provide information on their current commitments on all contracts that have been awarded, or for which a letter of intent or acceptance has been received, or for contracts approaching completion, but for which an unqualified, full completion certificate has yet to be issued.

| No | Name of Contract | Procuring Entity's Contact Address,Tel, | Value of Outstanding Work [Current Kenya Shilling /month Equivalent] | Estimated Completio nDate | Average Monthly InvoicingOver Last Six Months [Kenya Shilling /month)] |
|----|---------------------|--|--|---------------------------------|---|
| 1 | | | | | |
| 2 | | | | | |
| 3 | | | | | |
| 4 | | | | | |
| 5 | | | | | |
| | | | | | |

17. <u>FORM EXP~4.1</u>

General Construction Experience

| Tenderer's Name: | | | Date: | JV | Member's |
|------------------|-------|----|--------------------|----|----------|
| Name | | | ITT No. and title: | | |
| | Page | of | | | |
| | pages | | | | |

| Starting | Ending Year | Contract Identification | | Role of Tenderer |
|----------|----------------|---|----------|------------------|
| Year | | | | |
| | | Contract name: | | |
| | | Brief Description of the Works performed | d by the | |
| | | Tenderer: | | |
| | | Amount of contract: | | |
| | | Name of Procuring Entity: | | |
| | | Address: | | |
| | | Contract name: | Brief | |
| | | Description of the Works performed by | the | |
| | | Tenderer: | | |
| | | Amount of contract: | Name of | |
| | | Procuring Entity: | | |
| | | Address: | | |
| | | Contract name: | Brief | |
| | | Description of the Works performed by the | he | |
| | | Tenderer: | Amount | |
| | | of contract: | | |
| | | Name of Procuring Entity: | | |
| | | Address: | | |

18. FORM EXP ~4.2(a)

Specific Construction and Contract Management Experience

| Tenderer's Name:_ | | | - |
|-------------------|------|------|---|
| Date: | | | - |

JV Member's Name_____ ITT No. and title:_____

| Similar Contract No. | Information | | | |
|---|-----------------------|-------------|--------------------------|------------------------|
| Contract Identification | | | | |
| Award date | | | | |
| Completion date | | | | |
| Role in Contract | Prime Contractor □ | Member inJV | Management Contractor | Sub- contracto r |
| Total Contract Amount | | | Kenya Shilling | |
| If member in a JV or sub- contractor, specify participation in total Contract amount | | | | |
| Procuring Entity's Name: | | | | |
| Address: Telephone/fax number E-mail: | | | | |
| Description of the similarity in accordance with Sub-Factor 4.2(a) ofSection III: | | | | |
| 1. Amount | | | | |
| 2. Physical size of required worksitems | | | | |
| 3. Complexity | | | | |
| 4. Methods/Technology | | | | |
| 5. Construction rate for key activities | | | | |
| 6. Other Characteristics | | | | |

19. FORMEXP~4.2(b)

| Date: |
|--------------------|
| Sub-contractor's |
| ITT No. and title: |
| |

All Sub-contractors for key activities must complete the information in this form as per ITT 34 and Section III, Evaluation and Qualification Criteria, Sub-Factor 4.2.

1. Key Activity No One:_____

| | Information | | | |
|--|---------------------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------|---|
| Contract Identification | | | | |
| Award date | | | | |
| Completion date | | | | |
| Role in Contract | Prime Contractor | Member inJV | Managemen tContractor | Sub~ contractor |
| Total Contract Amount | | | Kenya Shilling | 3 |
| Quantity (Volume, number or rate of production, as applicable) performed underthe contract per year or part of the year | Total quantity the contract (i) | y in Percentag participat | | Actual Quantity Performed (i) x (ii) |
| Year 1 | | | | |
| Year 2 | | | | |
| Year 3 | | | | |
| Procuring Entity's Name: | | ľ | | _ |
| Address: Telephone/fax numberE- mail: | | | | |

| | Information |
|---|-------------|
| | |
| Description of the key activities in accordance with Sub-Factor 4.2(b) of SectionIII: | |
| 1 | |
| 2 | |
| 3 | |
| 4 | |
| 5 | |

2 Activity No. Two 3.

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PRICE SCHEDULE FORMS

[The tenderer shall fill in these Price Schedule Forms in accordance with the instructions indicated. The list of line items in column 1 of the Price Schedules shall coincide with the List of Goods and Related Services specified by the Procuring Entity in the Schedule of Requirements.

PRICE SCHEDULES

Note: A three (3) year contract period, renewable and payable annually applies to all Licenses and Services under this procurement.

| S/No | Item | Qty | Unit of Measure | Unit Price (Exclusive of 16% VAT) | 16% VAT | Total Price (Inclusive of 16% VAT) |
|------|--|--------|--------------------|--|---------|--|
| 1 | Firewall Appliance with 5 Virtual Systems and SandBlast license subscription package for 1 year (1 No. Appliance for Primary DC and 1 No. Appliance for DR Site) | 2 | AU | | | |
| 2 | Security Management Software for 5 gateways for 1 year | 1 | AU | | | |
| 3 | Event and Reporter blade for 5 gateways (Smart-1 & open server) 2-year license subscription | 1 | AU | | | |
| 4 | Enterprise Subscription and Support | 1 | AU | | | |
| 5 | Enterprise Software Subscription and Support additional product | 1 | AU | | | |
| 6 | Any accessories necessary to implement and integrate the solution (Specify) | | AU | | | |
| 7 | Certified Training at a global OEM appointed training center (Tuition, Exam and Visa Processing Cost) | 10 | Pax | | | |
| 8 | Implementation Testing & commissioning | 1 | AU | | | |
| 9 | Monitoring portable Devices | 10 | PC | | | |
| 10 | Local Support (supported by a Service Level Agreement) TOTAL INCLUSIVE OF 16% VA | 1 T | AU | | | |
| | ANY OTHER APPLICABLE TAX | | TES (SPECIFY) | | | |
| | TOTAL INCLUSIVE OF 16% VA | | | CABLE | | |

RENEWAL CHARGES YEAR 2

| S/No | Item | Qty | Unit of Measure | Unit Price (Exclusive of 16% VAT) | 16% VAT | Total Price (Inclusive of 16% VAT) |
|------|--|----------|--------------------|---|---------|---|
| 1 | Complete Firewall Appliance with 5 Virtual Systems and SandBlast Next Generation Threat Prevention subscription package for Year 2 | 1 | AU | | | |
| 2 | Annual Service Level Agreement Year 2 | 1 | AU | | | |
| | TOTAL INCLUSIVE OF 16% VAT | | | · | | · |
| | ANY OTHER APPLICABLE TAXES/ | LEVIES (| (SPECIFY) | | | |
| | TOTAL INCLUSIVE OF 16% VAT A | NY OTH | HER APPLICABL | E TAXES/LEVIES | | |

RENEWAL CHARGES YEAR 3

| S/No | Item | Qty | Unit of Measure | Unit Price (Exclusive of 16% VAT) | 16% VAT | Total Price (Inclusive of 16% VAT) |
|------|---|----------|--------------------|---|---------|---|
| 1 | Complete Firewall Appliance with 5 Virtual Systems and SandBlast subscription package for Year 3 | 1 | AU | | | |
| 2 | Event and Reporter blade for 5 gateways (Smart-1 & open server) 1 year subscription year 3 | 1 | AU | | | |
| 3 | Annual Service Level Agreement Year 3 | 1 | AU | | | |
| | TOTAL INCLUSIVE OF 16% VAT | | | | | • |
| | ANY OTHER APPLICABLE TAXES/ | LEVIES (| (SPECIFY) | | | |
| | TOTAL INCLUSIVE OF 16% VAT A | | | | | |

SUMMARY COSTS

| S/No | Item | |
|------|--|--|
| | | |
| 1 | TOTAL COST FOR YEAR 1 | |
| 2 | RENEWAL CHARGES YEAR 2 | |
| 3 | RENEWAL CHARGES YEAR 3 | |
| | TOTAL COST (TO BE TRANSFERRED TO THE TENDER FORM | |

TENDER'S NAME: ______

TENDERER'S SIGNATURE:_____

DATE:

COMPANY'S RUBBER STAMP: _____

NOTIFICATION OF INTENTION TO AWARD

[This Notification of Intention to Award shall be sent to each Tenderer that submitted a Tender.]

[Send this Notification to the Tenderer's Authorized Representative named in the Tenderer

Information Form] For theattention of Tenderer's Authorized Representative

| Name | [insert Authorized Representative's name] |
|-------------------------------|---|
| Address: | [insert Authorized Representative's Address] |
| Telephone numbers numbers] | [insert Authorized Representative's telephone/fax |
| | |

Email Address: [insert Authorized Representative's email address]

[IMPORTANT: insert the date that this Notification is transmitted to Tenderers. The Notification must be sent to all Tenderers simultaneously. This means on the same date and as close to the same time as possible.]

Procuring Entity...... [insert the name of the Procuring Entity]

This Notification of Intention to Award (Notification) notifies you of our decision to award the above contract. The transmission of this Notification begins the Standstill Period. During the Standstill Period you may:

- a) Request a debriefing in relation to the evaluation of your Tender, and/or
- b) Submit a Procurement-related Complaint in relation to the decision to award the contract.

I). The successful Tenderer

| Name: [insert name of successful Tenderer] | |
|--|--|
| Address: | [insert address of the successful Tenderer] |
| Contract price: | [insert contract price of the successful Tender] |

ii). Other Tenderers [INSTRUCTIONS: insert names of all Tenderers that submitted a Tender. If the Tender's price was evaluated include the evaluated price as well as the Tender price as read out.]

| Name of Tenderer | Tender price | Evaluated Tender price (if applicable) |
|------------------|-----------------------|--|
| [insert name] | [insert Tender price] | [insert evaluated price] |
| [insert name] | [insert Tender price] | [insert evaluated price] |

| [insert name] | [insert Tender price] | [insert evaluated price] |
|---------------|-----------------------|--------------------------|
| [insert name] | [insert Tender price] | [insert evaluated price] |
| [insert name] | [insert Tender price] | [insert evaluated price] |

iii). How to request a debriefing

DEADLINE: The deadline to request a debriefing expires at midnight on [*insert date*] (local time).

You may request a debriefing in relation to the results of the evaluation of your Tender. If you decide to request a debriefing your written request must be made within three (3)Business Days of receipt of this Notification of Intention to Award.

Provide the contract name, reference number, name of the Tenderer, contact details; and address the request fordebriefing as follows:

| Attention | [insert full name of person, if applicable] |
|----------------|---|
| Title/position | [insert title/position] |
| Agency | [insert name of Procuring Entity] |
| Email address | [insert email address] |

If your request for a debriefing is received within the3Business Days deadline, we will provide the debriefing withinfive (5) Business Days of receipt of your request. If we are unable to provide the debriefing within this period, the Standstill Period shall be extended by five (5) Business Days after the date that the debriefing is provided. If this happens, we will notify you and confirm the date that the extended Standstill Period will end.

The debriefing may be in writing, by phone, video conference call or in person. We shall promptly advise you inwriting how the debriefing will take place and confirm the date and time.

If the deadline to request a debriefing has expired, you may still request a debriefing. In this case, we will provide the debriefing as soon as practicable, and normally no later than fifteen (15) Business Days from the date of publication of the Contract Award Notice.

iv. How to make a complaint

Period: Procurement-related Complaint challenging the decision to award shall be submitted by [*insert date andtime*].

Provide the contract name, reference number, name of the Tenderer, contact details; and address the Procurement-related Complaint as follows:

Attention[insert full name of person, if applicable]Title/position[insert title/position]Agency[insert name of Procuring Entity]Email address[insert email address]

At this point in the procurement process, you may submit a Procurement-related Complaint challenging the decision award the contract. You do not need to have requested, or received, a debriefing before making this complaint. Your complaint must be submitted within the Stand still Period and received by us before the Stand still Period ends. In summary, there are four essential requirements:

1. You must be an 'interested party'. In this case, that means a Tenderer who submitted a

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Tender in this tendering process, and is the recipient of a Notification of Intention to Award.

- The complaint can only challenge the decision to award the contract. 2
- 3. You must submit the complaint within the period stated above.
- You must include, in your complaint, all of the information required to support the 4. complaint.
- 5. The application must be accompanied by the fees set out in the Procurement Regulations, which shall not be refundable (information available from the Public Procurement Authority at complaints@ppra.go.ke; info@ppra.go.ke or

v). Standstill Period

DEADLINE: The Standstill Period is due to end at midnight on [insert date] (local time). The Standstill Period lasts ten (10) Business Days after the date of transmission of this Notification of Intention toAward.

The Standstill Period may be extended as stated in Section 4 above. If you have any questions regarding this Notification please do not hesitate to contactus.

On behalf of the Procuring Entity:

| Signature: | Name: | Title/position: |
|------------|-------|-----------------|
|------------|-------|-----------------|

Telephone:_____ Email: _____

FORM FOR REVIEW (r.203(1))

PUBLIC PROCUREMENT ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW BOARD

APPLICATION NO.....OF......20.....

BETWEEN

......APPLICANTAND

......RESPONDENT (Procuring Entity)

REQUEST FOR REVIEW

I/We.....,the above named Applicant(s), of address: Physical address P. O. Box
No...... Tel. No......Email, hereby request the Public Procurement Administrative Review Board to review
the whole/part of the above mentioned decision on the following grounds , namely: 1.
2.
By this memorandum, the Applicant requests the Board for an order/orders that: 1.
2.
SIGNED(Applicant) Dated on......day of/...20.....

onday

of20......

SIGNED

Board Secretary

3. LETTER OF AWARD

[Form head paper of the Procuring Entity]

.....[date]

To:......[name and address of the Service Provider]

This is to notify you that your Tender dated *[date]* for execution of the *[nameoftheContractandidentificationnumber, as given in the Special Conditions of Contract]* for the Contract Price of the equivalent of *[amount in numbers and words] [name of currency]*, as corrected and modified in accordance with the Instructions to Tenderers is hereby accepted by us (Procuring Entity).

You are requested to furnish the Performance Security within 28days in accordance with the Conditions of Contract, using, for that purpose, one of the Performance Security Forms included in Section X, Contract Forms, of the tenderdocument.

Please return the attached Contract dully signed AuthorizedSignature:..... Name and Title of Signatory:..... Name of Agency:....

Attachment: Contract

4. FORM OF CONTRACT [Formhead paper of the Procuring Entity] LUMP SUM REMUNERATION

This CONTRACT (herein after called the "Contract") is made the *[day]* day of the month of *[month],[year]*, between,on the one hand, *[name of Procuring Entity]* (herein after called the "Procuring Entity") and, on the other hand, *[name of Service Provider]* (hereinafter called the "Service Provider").

[*Note:* In the text below text in brackets is optional; all notes should be deleted in final text. If the Service *Provider consist of more than one entity, the above should be partially amended to read as follows:*"...(herein after called the "Procuring Entity") and, on the other hand, a joint venture consisting of the following entities, each of which will bejointly and severally liable to the Procuring Entity for all the Service Provider's obligations under this Contract, namely, *[name of Service Provider]*and *[name of Service Provider]*(herein after called the "Service Provider").]

WHEREAS

- a) The Procuring Entity has requested the Service Provider to provide certain Services as defined in theGeneral Conditions of Contract attached to this Contract (herein after called the "Services");
- b) the Service Provider, having represented to the Procuring Entity that they have the required professional skills, and personnel and technical resources, have agreed to provide the Services on the terms and conditions set forth in this Contract at a contract price of ;

NOW THEREFORE the parties hereto hereby agree as follows:

- 1. The following documents shall be deemed to form and be read and construed as part of this Agreement, and the priority of the documents shall be as follows:
 - a) The Form of Acceptance;
 - b) The Service Provider's Tender
 - c) The Special Conditions of Contract;
 - d) The General Conditions of Contract;
 - e) The Specifications;
 - f) The Priced Activity Schedule; and
 - g) The following Appendices: [*Note: If any of these Appendices are not used, the words "Not Used" should be inserted below next to the title of the Appendix and on the sheet attached hereto carrying the title of that Appendix.*]

Appendix A: Description of the ServicesAppendix B: Schedule of Payments Appendix C: Subcontractors Appendix D: Breakdown of Contract Price

Appendix E: Services and Facilities Provided by the Procuring Entity

- 2. The mutual rights and obligations of the Procuring Entity and the Service Provider shall be as set forth in theContract, in particular:
 - a) The Service Provider shall carry out the Services in accordance with the provisions of the Contract; and
 - b) The Procuring Entity shall make payments to the Service Provider in accordance with the provisions of the Contract.

INWITNESSWHERE OF, the Parties here to have caused this Contract to be signed in their respective namesas of the day and year first above written.

| For and on behalf of | [name o | of Pro | curing | Entity | 7] |
|----------------------|---------|--------|--------|--------|----|
| | | | 0 | 0 | |

[Authorized Representative]

For and on behalf of *[name of Service Provider]*

[*Note :*If the Service Provider consists of more than one entity, all these entities should appear as signatories, e.g., in the following manner:]

For and on behalf of each of the Members of the Service Provider

| [name of member] |
|-----------------------------|
| [Authorized Representative] |
| |
| [Authorized Representative] |

4 FORM OF TENDER SECURITY (Bank Guarantee) [The bank shall fill in this BankGuarantee Form in

accordance with the instructions indicated.] [Guarantor Form head or SWIFT identifier code]

| Beneficiary: | |
|--------------------|--|
| ITT No Tenders] | |
| Alternative No | [Insert identification No if this is a Tender for an |
| alternative/Date: | [Insert date of issue] |

 TENDER GUARANTEE No.
 [Insert guarantee reference number]

We have been informed that ____[insert name of the Tenderer, which in the case of a joint venture shall be thename of the joint venture (whether legally constituted or prospective) or the names of all members there of/(hereinafter called "the Applicant") has submitted or will submit to the Beneficiary its Tender (hereinafter called "the Tender") for the execution of __under Request for Tenders No.__("The ITT").

Furthermore, we understand that, according to the Beneficiary's conditions, Tenders must be supported by a Tenderguarantee.

At the request of the Applicant, we, as Guarantor, hereby irrevocably undertake to pay the Beneficiary any sum or sums not exceeding in total an amount of ______ upon receipt by us of the Beneficiary's complyingdemand, supported by the Beneficiary's statement, whether in the demand itself or a separate signed document accompanying or identifying the demand, stating that either the Applicant:

- (a) Has withdrawn its Tender during the period of Tender validity set forth in the Applicant's Form of Tender ("the Tender Validity Period"), or any extension there to provide by the Applicant; or
- (b) Having been notified of the acceptance of its Tender by the Beneficiary during the Tender Validity Period or any extension thereto provided by the Applicant, (i) has failed to sign the contract agreement, or (ii) has failed to furnish the performance security, in accordance with the Instructions to Tenderers ("ITT") of the Beneficiary's tendering document.

This guarantee will expire: (a) if the Applicant is the successful Tenderer, upon our receipt of copies of the Contract agreementsignedbytheApplicantandtheperformancesecurityissuedtothe Beneficiary in relation to such Contract agreement; or (b) if the Applicant is not the successful Tenderer, upon the earlier of (i) our receipt of a copy of the Beneficiary's notification to the Applicant of the results of the Tendering process; or (ii) twenty-eight days after the

end of the Tender Validity Period.

Consequently, any demand for payment under this guarantee must be received by us at the office indicated above onor before that date.

This guarantee is subject to the Uniform Rules for Demand Guarantees (URDG) 2010 Revision, ICC PublicationNo. 758.

[Signature(s)]

Note: All italicized text is for use in preparing this form and shall be deleted from the final product.

5 FORM OF TENDER SECURITY (TENDER BOND) [The Surety shall fill in this Tender Bond Form in

accordance with the instructions indicated. BOND NO.

BY THIS BOND *[name of Tenderer]* as Principal (herein after called "the Principal"), and *[name, legal* title, and address of surety/,authorized to transact business in Kenya ,as Surety (hereinafter called "the Surety"), are held and firmly bound unto [name of Procuring Entity] as Obligee (hereinafter called "the Procuring Entity") in the sum of [amount of Bond][amount in words], for the payment of which sum, well and truly to be made, we, the said Principal and Surety, bind ourselves, our successors and assigns, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

WHERE AS the Principal has submitted or will submit a written Tender to the Procuring Entity dated the dav of , 20 , for the supply of *[name of Contract]* (herein after called the "Tender").

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CONDITION OF THIS OBLIGATION is such that if the Principal:

- c) has with drawn its Tender during the period of Tender validity set for thin the Principal's Form of Tender (" the TenderValidityPeriod"), or any extension thereto provided by the Principal; or
- d) having been notified of the acceptance of its Tender by the Procuring Entity during the Tender Validity Period or any extension there to provide by the Principal; (i) failed to execute the Contract agreement; or (ii) has failed to furnish the Performance Security, in accordance with the Instructions to Tenderers ("ITT") of the Procuring Entity's tendering document.

then the Surety undertakes to immediately pay to the Procuring Entity up to the above amount upon receipt of the Procuring Entity's first written demand, without the Procuring Entity having to substantiate its demand, provided that in its demand the Procuring Entity shall state that the demand arises from the occurrence of any of the above events, specifying which event(s) has occurred.

The Surety hereby agrees that its obligation will remain in full force and effect up to and including the date 28 days after the date of expiration of the Tender Validity Period set forth in the Principal's Form of Tender or any extension thereto provided by the Principal.

IN TESTIMONY WHERE OF, the Principal and the Surety have caused these presents to be executed in their expective names this _____ day of _____ 20___.

Principal:

Corporate Seal (where appropriate)

Surety:

(Signature)

(Signature)

(Printed name and title)

(Printed name and title)

6 FORM OF TENDER-SECURING DECLARATION

[The Tenderer shall fill in this Form in accordance with the instructions indicated.]

| Date: | [date (as day, month and year)] |
|-----------------|---------------------------------|
| ITT No | [number of Tendering process] |
| Alternative No: | |
| То: | |

declare

that: We understand that, according to your conditions, Tenders must be supported by a Tender-

SecuringDeclaration.

We accept that we will automatically be suspended from being eligible for Tendering or submitting proposals in anycontract with the Procuring Entity for the period of time of *[number of months or years]*starting on *[date]*, if we are in breach four obligation(s) under the Tender conditions, because we:

- a) Have withdrawn our Tender during the period of Tender validity specified in the Form of Tender; or
- b) having been notified of the acceptance of our Tender by the Procuring Entity during the period of Tender validity, (i) fail to sign the Contract agreement; or (ii) fail or refuse to furnish the Performance Security, if required, in accordance with the ITT.

_____ Signature of the person

We understand this Tender Securing Declaration shall expire if we are not the successful Tenderer, upon the earlier of (i) our receipt of your notification to us of the name of the successful Tenderer; or (ii) twenty-eight days after the expiration of our Tender.

Name of the Tenderer*_____

Name of the person duly authorized to sign the Tender on behalf of the Tenderer**_

Title of the person signing the Tender_____

named above_____

Date signed______day of______,

*: In the case of the Tender submitted by joint venture specify the name of the Joint Venture as Tenderer

**: Person signing the Tender shall have the power of attorney given by the Tenderer attached to the Tender

[Note: In case of a Joint Venture, the Tender-Securing Declaration must be in the name of all members to the Joint Venture that submits the Tender.

7. MANUFACTURER'S AUTHORIZATION FORM

[The tenderer shall require the Manufacturer to fill in this Form in accordance with the instructions indicated. This letter of authorization should be on the letterhead of the Manufacturer and should be signed by a person with the proper authority to sign documents that are binding on the Manufacturer. The tenderer shall include it in its Tender, if so indicated in the **TDS**.]

Date:.....[insert date (as day, month and year) of Tender submission]

ITT No.:....*[insert number of*

ITT process] Alternative No.:.....[insert identification No

if this is a Tender for an alternative]

To:......[insert complete name of Procuring

Entity/ WHEREAS

We......*[insert complete name of Manufacturer],* who are official manufacturers of.....*[insert type of goods manufactured],* having factories at [insert full address of Manufacturer's factories], do hereby authorize *[insert complete name of tenderer]* to submit a Tender the purpose of which is to provide the following Goods, manufactured by us.....*[insert name and or brief description of the Goods],* and to subsequently negotiate and sign the Contract.

We hereby extend our full guarantee and warranty in accordance with Clause 28 of the General Conditions of Contract, with respect to the Goods offered by the above firm.

Signed:.....[insert signature(s) of authorized representative(s) of the Manufacturer]

Name:......[insert complete name(s) of authorized representative(s) of the Manufacturer]

Title:.....*[insert title]*

Dated on _____day of _____, *[insert date of signing]*

PART II – PROCURING ENTITY'SREQUIREMENTS

SECTION V ~ SCHEDULE OF REQUIREMENTS

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Datacenter Network Infrastructure

- Cat 7 throughout all our buildings running 100/1000Mb/s to the workstation or network device.
- 1/10GB/s Fiber Optic Backbone to each distribution closet.
- WAN network spanning across several geographic locations within Kenya.

KENGEN realizes the importance of cyber security in its data center network. And further information on the infrastructure is as per below; seeking to partner with a bidder that will be able to understand:

- 1. Our current data center network infrastructure
- 2. Our current challenges and constraints
- 3. Our future business strategy

CURRENT NETWORK INFRASTRUCTURE

KENGEN has invested in people, processes, and technology to improve efficiency and reduce the cost of generation. It has also invested in security technology to mitigate the risks associated with technology.

Components of the current data center infrastructure

The following are the main components of KENGEN's current infrastructure:

- a. There are 2 sites: The primary site (DC) and Disaster recovery Site (DR)
- b. The 2 sites have independent internet links.
- c. The Primary site has been extended using VXLAN technology to Disaster recovery sites
- d. Core switches are Cisco Nexus 9000 series models.
- e. Several internal, DMZ, and core system applications are running within the data center.
- f. Almost 90% of the servers are virtualized using VMware.
- g. 3,000 internal users access resources in the data center.
- h. There is an Active Directory is used for managing users and devices.
- i. Cisco ISE is used for Network Access Control (NAC), user identification, and access management with APEX licenses for 2,500 users.

GAPS IN THE DATA CENTER SECURITY

KENGEN is looking for data center firewalls to bolster security as follows:

- 1. Network Segmentation between the corporate LAN and Datacenter Networks
- 2. Micro-segmentation within the Datacenter
- 3. Manage role-based administration of Data center resources.
- 4. Apply identity-based security by relying on integration with existing AD and NAC solutions

5. Apply AI-powered advanced threat prevention in the data centers by deploying an integrated solution KenGen Puthat supports Firewall, IPS/IDS, Application and Web filtering, DNS security, agentless Zero Phishing,⁸⁴

sandboxing, content disarm and reconstruction, Identity security, site-to-site and remote access VPN, network anti-virus and bot protection.

- 6. There's a need for an integration governance risk and compliance to ensure continuous monitoring and reporting on regulatory compliance.
- 7. Provide virtual patching for data center applications and systems.
- 8. Provide scalability and flexibility
- 9. Need for dynamic integration with VMware virtualization system to provide security and access control for systems hosted in virtualization infrastructure

SCOPE OF THE SOLUTION

DC Server Farm

Envisioned Datacenter Security Design

Figure 1: Datacenter with Firewalls in High Availability

The intended scope of this project is to provide next-generation firewalls deployed in high availability across PR and DR with Integrated management to provide firewall policy management, log management, compliance, reporting, and security events management.

The data center firewalls will act as a security gatekeeper, monitoring and controlling all network traffic within a data center, preventing unauthorized access, malicious traffic, and potential data breaches by filtering incoming and outgoing connections, thus protecting sensitive data stored on servers and safeguarding the overall data center environment from cyberattacks.

SOLUTION COMPONENTS

KENGEN requires an integrated solution to provide data center network security.

- 1. Datacenter network protection
- 2. Centralized Security management
- 3. Sandboxing
- 4. Access Control
- 5. 5. Application Control

Data center Network Protection

Most of KENGEN's important data assets are on servers in the data center. These assets need to be protected first from hackers on the internet and more importantly from insider threats. Many security research papers show that the most effective and highest number of hacks, as many as 80% are from internal sources. These could be hackers who have obtained access to the LAN and wireless networks, disgruntled staff, disgruntled contractors, and/or staff whose computers have been compromised by hackers.

To further strengthen the controls to applications, databases, and web servers, KENGEN is looking to provide an additional ring around its critical information that will be able to, at a minimum:

- Block and alert on attempts of a hacker's reconnaissance attempts to understand what ports are open and what vulnerabilities can be exploited.
- Limit access to authenticated users and authorized computers to applications, databases, and web servers, utilizing Identity awareness and enforcing the principle of least privilege.
- Block malicious attacks from both known and unknown attacks.
- Block traffic to malicious sites or hackers from compromised computers and mobile devices.
- Block the exploitation of vulnerable systems through attacks such as SQL injections, Buffer overflows, remote code executions, and denial-of-service attacks.
- Automatically create a penalty box to automatically suspend offensive hosts and alert administrators of this communication.
- Granularly whitelist specific applications that are allowed to communicate to specific servers and block all else.
- Proactively audit the security configuration in relation to international regulations like NERC CIP (v5), NIST 800-53, ISO 2700, and security best practices providing actionable steps to close the gaps identified.
- Increase productivity by allowing multiple admins to effect changes concurrently.
- Increase productivity through automation with REST APIs.
- Improve security and efficiency by utilizing a single dashboard for reporting, event analysis, and management.
- Provide context and device-aware policies to enable KENGEN to enforce what devices can access what resources and what content is allowed.
- Inspect East-West traffic and automatically isolate infected virtual servers to stop threats from spreading across the network.

Centralized Security Management

The centralized security management solution must be able to consolidate and report on Data center Network Security from a single pane of glass utilizing a single management appliance to provide firewall policy management, log management, and security events management.

The security management appliance must be able at minimum to:

- Provide concurrent management access for admins to the security manager without conflict.
- Provide the ability to monitor and provide customizable reports.

- Provide a single policy for users, data, applications, and networks reducing policy overlaps and reducing administration time.
- Correlate all types of events across the network, cloud, and mobile infrastructure.
- A single console to manage the entire IT infrastructure from the data center to private/public cloud deployments for security efficiency and consistency.
- Automate operations; Routine tasks should be automated and delegated, freeing up security teams from repetitive tasks to focus on strategic security.
- Graphs, charts, and detailed information to provide for analysis of security events.
- Pre-defined security events automatically alert critical events.
- Instant notification of security policy changes and their impact on KENGENS security posture.
- Free text, google-like search through logs and events.
- Integrated security monitoring for firewall, IPS, anti-virus, anti-bot, Threat Emulation, URL
- filtering and Application Control
- Create rich, personalized reports for security managers, network engineers, and executives
- Allow for a high-level view of events with a single click allowing for a drill down into the specifics.
- Integration with common ticketing platforms to create tickets for pre-defined events.
- Integration with SMTP and SMSC serves to send SMS and email alerts to relevant personnel of predefined events.
- Allow for free-text search to improve the speed of forensics and investigations.
- Ability to provide security analysts with data to carry out investigations on each security stage of the cyber-attack chain.
- Provide real-time GRC monitoring and assessment of compliance with regulations such as NERC CIP v5, ISO, Statement of Controls, PPG 234, MAS TRM, and NCIPA.
- Provide low latency (<1) to all the sensitive applications
- Provide high data transfer speeds.
- Allow interoperable between physical and virtual domains
- Integrate with SIEM for reporting and any other monitoring tool within KenGen Network e.g. PRTG

The scope of the tender is to supply, install and configure the Data Center firewall both at the DR with all the related licenses as per the specifications.

Integrate with all the Network components and other monitoring systems eg SIEM and PRTG

| Technical and Performance Specifications for Enterprise Next Generation Firewalls | | | | | |
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| Next Generation Firewalls (2) | | | | | |
| No. | Requirements | Mandatory | Compliance:(Complied/Partially Complied/Not Complied) | Bidder's Remarks with reference to technical documentation | |
| | General Requirements | | | | |
| 1 | Brand and Model Should be specified | М | | | |
| 2 | The vendor must provide evidence of year best leadership positions in enterprise firewall, UTM firewalls and intrusion prevention based on independent security industry data. Must be a constant leader on Gartner's Magic Quadrant for at least the past 5 years. | М | | | |
| 3 | The vendor must provide of leadership in the last 3 years Miercom Next Generation Firewall ratings. | М | | | |
| 4 | The vendor must be capable of serving the entire scope of security Firewall requirements, including throughput, connection rate and next generation security application enablement for all network deployments, from small office to data center in a single hardware appliance. | М | | | |
| 5 | The vendor must have an AI powered security Firewall solution that can support the enablement of all next generation firewall security applications, including intrusion protection, application control, URL filtering, Anti-Bot, Anti- Virus, DNS security, agentless zero phishing, sandboxing, content disarm, and reconstruction managed from a central platform. | М | | | |
| 6 | The vendor must supply all industry certifications of the solution. Bidder to list supported Industry certifications: Safety, Environmental, Emissions and | М | | 8 | |

| | any applicable to the solution. | | | | |
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| | The Next Concreti | on Firowall S | ecurity Features and Ca | anabilitias | |
| | The proposed next generation | un rnewan S | | | |
| | firewall MUST support the | | | | |
| 7 | below security features and | | | | |
| | capabilities within the same | | | | |
| 8 | solution | М | | | |
| <u> </u> | a. Stateful Inspection Firewallb. Intrusion Prevention System | M | | | |
| 10 | c. User Identity Awareness | M | | | |
| | d. Application Control and | | | | |
| 11 | URL filtering | М | | | |
| 12 | e. Anti Bot and Antivirus | М | | | |
| 13 | f. Security Rating | М | | | |
| 14 | g. IoT and DNS Security | М | | | |
| 15 | h. HTTPS Inspection | М | | | |
| 16 | i. Identity Awareness | М | | | |
| 17 | j. Anti – Spam, Email Security and Zero Phishing | М | | | |
| 18 | k. IPsec VPN | М | | | |
| 19 | 1. Mobile Access | M | | | |
| 20 | m. Security Policy | М | | | |
| 20 | Management | | | | |
| 21 | n. Monitoring and Logging | М | | | |
| 22 | o. SD-WAN Capable | М | | | |
| 23 | p. Event Correlation and Reporting | М | | | |
| 24 | q. Networking & Clustering | М | | | |
| 25 | r. Virtual Systems | М | | | |
| | The proposed solution must | | | | |
| 26 | have capability to mitigate | М | | | |
| - | Distributed Denial of Service attacks. | | | | |
| | The proposed solution must | | | | |
| | have built-in Real-Time | | | | |
| 27 | Prevention of malwares where | Μ | | | |
| | Malware is blocked before | | | | |
| | getting in the network The proposed solution must | | | | |
| 20 | support application awareness | N <i>A</i> | | | |
| 28 | with Superior visibility of high- | М | | | |
| | risk applications & Shadow-IT. | | | | |
| | The proposed solution must provide a clear utilization of | | | | |
| 29 | threats MITRE ATT&CK | М | | | |
| | Framework to Prevent Cyber | <u></u> | | | |
| | Attacks | | | | |
| | Performance Specifications | | | | |

| | The Firewalls must be capable | | | | | |
|-----|--|---------------|---------------------------|---|--|--|
| | of supporting throughputs, | | | | | |
| | connection rates and concurrent | | | | | |
| | connections requirements as | | | | | |
| | below: | | | | | |
| | | | | | | |
| | Real World Enterprise Testing | | | | | |
| | Performance: | | | | | |
| | a. At least 80 Gbps of Threat | | | | | |
| | Prevention. Includes Firewall, | | | | | |
| | App Control, URLF, IPS, Anti | | | | | |
| | Malware (Bot, Virus & Spam), | М | | | | |
| | DNS Security, Zero-Phishing | 101 | | | | |
| | and Sandboxing with Content | | | | | |
| | Disarm and reconstruction with | | | | | |
| | logging enabled | | | | | |
| 30 | b. At least 100 Gbps NGFW | | | | | |
| | Scalability. Includes Firewall, | М | | | | |
| | App Control and IPS with | М | | | | |
| | logging enabled. | | | | | |
| | c. At least 18 Gbps of Threat | | | | | |
| | Prevention throughput with | М | | | | |
| | SSL inspection | | | | | |
| | d. 145 Gbps IPS. | М | | | | |
| | e. Maximum of 1.9µSec of | 101 | | | | |
| | firewall latency | Μ | | | | |
| | | | | | | |
| | f. 80 Gbps VPN AES-GCM Throughput | Μ | | | | |
| | | | | | | |
| | g. 800 Gbps Firewall Throughput (UDP). | Μ | | | | |
| | h. 31 million concurrent | | | | | |
| | connections. | Μ | | | | |
| | | Data Laga Dua | working (DLD) | | | |
| | | Data Loss Pre | vention (DLP) | | | |
| 0.1 | Vendor must have an option to | | | | | |
| 31 | add a fully integrated Data Loss | Μ | | | | |
| | Prevention application | | | | | |
| | DLP policy must be centrally | | | | | |
| 32 | managed with all other security | Μ | | | | |
| | applications | | | | | |
| | DLP application must have a | | | | | |
| 33 | mechanism for end user self- | Μ | | | | |
| | incident handling | | | | | |
| 34 | DLP application must have over | М | | Ţ | | |
| 34 | 500 pre-defined data types | 1V1 | | | | |
| | DLP must have an open | | | | | |
| 25 | scripting language to create | Л | | | | |
| 35 | customer data types relevant to | М | | | | |
| | any organization | | | | | |
| - | DLP must alert the data type | | | | | |
| 36 | owner when an incident occurs | Μ | | | | |
| | DLP application must cover | | | | | |
| | transport types of SMTP | | | | | |
| 37 | HTTP/HTTPS, and FTP TCP | Μ | | | | |
| | protocols | | | | | |
| | ▲ | Covernance | Lisk and Compliance (CPC) | | | |
| | Best Practice Governance Risk and Compliance (GRC) | | | | | |

| | Vendor must have an option to | | | |
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| 38 | provide a fully integrated | Μ | | |
| | Governance Risk and | | | |
| | Compliance application | | | |
| | Vendor must have an option for | | | |
| 39 | Real Time Compliance | М | | |
| 57 | Monitoring across all security | 111 | | |
| | services in the product | | | |
| | Vendor must have an option to | | | |
| | Deliver real-time assessment of | | | |
| 39 | compliance with major | Μ | | |
| | regulations (PCI-DSS, HiPPA, | | | |
| | SOX) | | | |
| | Vendor must have an option for | | | |
| 40 | Instant notification on policy | | | |
| | changes impacting compliance | | | |
| | Vendor must have an option to | | | |
| 41 | Provide actionable | | | |
| 41 | recommendations to improve | | | |
| | compliance | | | |
| | Vendor must have an option to | | | |
| 42 | recommend Security Best | | | |
| | Practices | | | |
| | Vendor must have an option to | | | |
| 43 | Translate regulatory | | | |
| | requirements into actionable | | | |
| | security best practices | | | |
| | Vendor must have an option to constantly Monitor Firewall | | | |
| 44 | constantly Monitor Firewall configuration with the security | | | |
| | best practices | | | |
| | Vendor must have an option to | | | |
| | Generate automated assessment | | | |
| 45 | reports for compliance rating | | | |
| | with top regulations | | | |
| | Vendor must have an option to | | | |
| | Fully Integrate into Software | | | |
| 46 | Architecture & Management | | | |
| | infrastructure | | | |
| | Vendor must have an option to | | | |
| . – | Check compliance with every | | | |
| 47 | policy change for all Network | | | |
| | Security Software Blades | | | |
| | | urity Applia | nces Hardware specifications | • |
| | Solution must have at least 2 X | | _ | |
| | 1/10 GbE copper, 8X 1/10 GbE | | | |
| 48 | fiber, 6X10/25/40 GbE fiber | Μ | | |
| | with respective SFPs and | | | |
| | transceivers. | | | |
| | The proposed solution must | | | |
| 49 | provide security rule hit count | М | | |
| ., | statistics to the management | 111 | | |
| | application. | | | |
| ~~ | The proposed solution must | 1.6 | | |
| 50 | allow security rules to be | М | | |
| | enforced within time intervals | | | |

| | to be configured with an expiry date/time. | | |
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| 51 | The proposed solution must support user, client and session authentication methods. The following user authentication schemes must be supported by the firewall and VPN module: tokens (i.e. SecureID), TACACS, RADIUS and digital certificates | М | |
| 52 | The proposed solution must include a local user database to allow user authentication and authorization without the need for an external device | М | |
| 53 | The proposed solution must support DCHP, server and relay | М | |
| 54 | The proposed solution must include the ability to work in Transparent/Bridge mode. | М | |
| 55 | The proposed solution must support Firewall high availability and load sharing with state synchronization | М | |
| 56 | The proposed solution must support Clusters in HA mode. The solution must support stateful failover between cluster members | М | |
| 57 | The proposed solution must be equipped with at least 2 redundant AC power supply units | М | |
| 58 | The proposed solution must be equipped with redundant fan trays | М | |
| 59 | Solution must support connectivity on 1Gbps, 10Gbps, 40Gbps, 100Gbps using DAC cables or MTP/O Fiber Cables | М | |
| 60 | The proposed solution must support Active-Active redundancy within a single site for all components | М | |
| 61 | Solution should not be chassis- based. Solution Must be standard 1 U device. | М | |

| 62 | Solution must be equipped with at least 2 redundant AC power supply units. | М | |
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| 63 | Solution must support up to 52 gateways. Providing linear performance growth. | | |
| 64 | Solution must support up to at least 30 gateway members working in cluster as one. | | |
| 65 | Solution must support gradual upgrade with Zero Downtime in the hardware appliances running different versions. | | |
| 66 | Solution must support Auto- Scaling. | | |
| 67 | Solution must support more Mix and Match different appliances in the same security group. | | |
| 68 | Solution must support Dynamic Balancing. | | |
| 69 | Solution must support Management Data Plane Separation (MDPS). | | |
| 70 | Solution must support offloading chosen policy rules for trusted connections for hardware acceleration of accept / drop rules and provide Sub- microseconds latency and Port line-rate throughput for a single connection. | | |
| 71 | Solution must support Active- Active redundancy within a single site and Active – active/standby in dual site | | |

| 72 | Solution must support adding\removing compute resources without changing security settings and policy. | | | |
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| 73 | Solution must support up to 8 different and independent clusters. | | | |
| 74 | Solution must support stateful failover between cluster members. | | | |
| 75 | Solution must support reuse of existing hardware. | | | |
| 76 | Solution must support scale up with zero configuration and be fully operational in less than 10 minutes. | | | |
| 77 | Solution must support creation of multiple security groups in a single deployment while facilitating and operating several different clusters. | | | |
| 78 | Solution must support Dynamic allocation of resources between multiple security groups in real- time. | | | |
| 79 | Solution must have at least 8x 100GbE ports and up to 32x 100GbE ports. | | | |
| 80 | Solution must support a range of enforcement modules. | | | |
| | Secur | ity Managem | ent Appliance Qty 2 | |
| 81 | The proposed Management and Logging appliances will be available in either virtual based appliances or physical appliances. Virtual appliances will be deployed within the current Hyper-V virtual datacenter environment. | М | | |
| 82 IGen P | The proposed Management and Logging appliances should be configured in high availability with capacity to support up to 5 ufirewalls. | М | | |

| 83 | The proposed solution should have a Peak Logs per Sec of | М | | |
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| | 40,000 | | | |
| 84 | The proposed solution must have a capacity of 88GB logs per day | М | | |
| 85 | The proposed management and logging appliance will have OEM support for a period of 3 years | М | | |
| | • | ement Applia | nce Features and Capabilities | <u> </u> |
| 86 | The communication between the management servers and the security firewalls must be encrypted and authenticated with PKI Certificates. | М | | |
| 87 | Solution must be able to segment the rule base in a sub- policy structure in which only relevant traffic is being forwarded to relevant segment | М | | |
| 88 | Solution must be able to segment the rule base in a sub- policy structure in which only relevant traffic is being forwarded to relevant policy segment for an autonomous system | М | | |
| 89 | Solution must be able to segment the rule base in favor of delegation of duties in which changes in one segment will not affect other segments on the same autonomous system | М | | |
| 90 | Solution must be able to segment the rule base in favor of delegation of duties in which changes in one segment will not affect other segments | М | | |
| 91 | Solution must be able to segment the rule base in a layered structure | М | | |
| 92 | Solution must be able to segment the rule base to allow structure flexibility to align with dynamic networks | М | | |
| 93 | Solution must be able to re-use segment of the rule base (e.g. use same segment of rules on different policy packages) | М | | |
| 94 | Solution must have the granularity of administrators that works on parallel on same policy without interfering each other | М | | |

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| | Solution must integrate logs, | | | |
| 95 | audit logs in one console to | М | | |
| 73 | have context while working on | 111 | | |
| | the security policy | | | |
| 96 | Support Concurrent Security | М | | |
| 90 | Policy installation | 1VI | | |
| | Installation and Configuration | | | |
| 07 | MUST be done by the partner | М | | |
| 97 | with certified solution | М | | |
| | certifications. | | | |
| | Supp | ort and Imple | ementation Services | |
| | The proposed solution must | | | |
| 98 | include direct Support and | М | | |
| 90 | Warranty from OEM for a | 1 V1 | | |
| | duration of 3 years | | | |
| | The proposed solution must | | | |
| 99 | include security | М | | |
| 77 | Subscription/Services/Licensing | 111 | | |
| | for a period of 3 years | | | |
| 1 | The proposed solution should | | | |
| 100 | 1 11 | М | | |
| | a duration of 3 years | | | |
| | | Trai | ning | |
| | The proposed solution should | | | |
| | include in person and in class | | | |
| | Associate and Professional | | | |
| | level Training and certification | | | |
| 101 | for 10 staffs delivered in an | М | | 、 |
| 101 | OEM certified training center. | TAT | | |
| | The proposal should include | | | |
| | tuition fees, Exam fees, visa | | | |
| | processing and should NOT | | | |
| | include accommodation costs | | | |
| | Monitoring | g Portable Dev | rices for Solution - Qty 10 | |
| <u> </u> | Body: 163.0x77.6x8.3mm, | | | |
| | 227g; Glass front (Corning- | | | |
| | made glass), glass back | | | |
| 100 | (Corning-made glass), titanium | | | |
| 102 | frame (grade 5); IP68 | | | |
| | dust/water resistant (up to 6m | | | |
| | for 30 min), Apple Pay (Visa, | | | |
| | MasterCard, AMEX certified). | | | |
| 1 | Display: 6.90" LTPO Super | | | |
| | Retina XDR OLED, 120Hz, | | | |
| | HDR10, Dolby Vision, 1000 | | | |
| 103 | nits (typ), 2000 nits (HBM), | | | |
| | 1320x2868px resolution, | | | |
| | 19.55:9 aspect ratio, 460ppi; | | | |
| | Always-On display. | | | |
| | Chipset: Apple A18 Pro (3 nm): | | | |
| 104 | Hexa-core (2x4.04 GHz + | | | |
| 104 | 4x2.X GHz); Apple GPU (6- | | | |
| | core graphics). | | | |
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| 105 | Memory: 256GB 8GB RAM OS/Software: iOS 18, upgradable to iOS 18.3.1 | | |
| 106 | Rear camera: Wide (main): 48 MP, f/1.8, 24mm, 1/1.28", 1.22µm, dual pixel PDAF, sensor-shift OIS; Telephoto: 12 MP, f/2.8, 120mm, 1/3.06", 1.12µm, dual pixel PDAF, 3D sensor-shift OIS, 5x optical zoom; Ultra-wide angle: 48 MP, f/2.2, 13mm, 0.7µm, PDAF; Depth: TOF 3D LiDAR scanner. Front camera: Wide (main): 12 MP, f/1.9, 23mm, 1/3.6", PDAF, OIS; Depth: SL 3D | | |
| 107 | Video capture: Rear camera: 4K@24/25/30/60/100/120fps, 1080p@25/30/60/120/240fps, 10-bit HDR, Dolby Vision HDR (up to 60fps), ProRes, 3D (spatial) video/audio, stereo sound rec; Front camera: 4K@24/25/30/60fps, 1080p@25/30/60/120fps, gyro- EIS | | |
| 108 | Battery: 4685mAh; Wired, PD2.0, 50% in 30 min (advertised), 25W wireless (MagSafe), 15W wireless (China only), 15W wireless (Qi2), 4.5W reverse wired USB Type-C 3.2 Gen 2, DisplayPort | | |
| 109 | Connectivity: 5G; eSIM; Dual SIM; Wi-Fi 7; BT 5.3; NF | | |
| 110 | Misc: Face ID, accelerometer, gyro, proximity, compass, barometer; stereo speakers; Ultra-Wideband (UWB) support (gen2 chip), Emergency SOS, Messages and Find My via satellite | | |
| 111 | Accessories for the portable devices (Glass Protector, Charging adapter and Case) | | |

| S/No | Requirement | Technical Specifications | Bidders' response (Please provide a relevant narrative response) (Complied/Not Complied) |
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| 1 | Key security policies and blades. | Successful bidder should implement, configure, Customize and undertake continuous optimization of the Firewall Solution to deliver the following enterprise security services and features: • Intrusion Prevention System • User Identity Acquisition • Application Control and URL filtering • Anti – Bot and Anti – Virus • Threat Emulation (Sandboxing) • Anti – Spam and Email Security • IPSec VPN • Mobile Access Management • Security Policy Management • Event Logging, Correlation and Status reporting | |
| 2 | Key Enterprise security services and features | Successful bidder should implement, configure, Customize and undertake continuous optimization of the Firewall Solution to deliver the following enterprise security services and features: Stateful Inspection based on granular analysis of communication and application state to track and control the network flow. Security rule hit count statistics to the management application. Security rules to be enforced within time intervals to be configured with an expiry date/time. Encrypted communication between the management servers and the security gateways and authentication with PKI Certificates. A local user database to allow user authentication and authorization without the need for an external device. HTTP, HTTPS proxy, DCHP, server and relay implementation Gateway high availability and load sharing with state synchronization. | |
| 3 | IPV6 support | Synchronization. Successful bidder should implement, configure, Customize and undertake continuous optimization of the Firewall Solution to deliver the following enterprise security services and features: Configuration of dual stack gateway on a bond interface, OR on a sub-interface of a bond interface. IPv6 traffic handling on IPS and APP module. Firewall, Identity Awareness, URL Filtering, Antivirus and Anti-Bot. AD integration using ipv6 traffic. Display IPv6 routing table (separated per customer security context in CLI and GUI (EMS/Portal). | |
| 4 nGen Pu | Intrusion Prevention System | Security context in CLI and GOT (EMS) Fortal). Successful bidder should implement, configure, Customize and undertake continuous optimization of the Firewall Solution to deliver the following enterprise security services and features, IPS based on the following detection mechanisms: exploit signatures, protocol anomalies, application controls and behavior-based detection. IPS and firewall module integration on one platform. | |

| | | • IPS to have options to create profiles for either client or | |
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| | | server-based protections, or a combination of both. | |
| | | • IPS to provide at least two pre-defined profiles/policies | |
| | | that can be used immediately. • IPS to have a software- | |
| | | based fail-open mechanism, configurable based on | |
| | | thresholds of security gateways CPU and memory usage. | |
| | | • IPS to provide an automated mechanism to activate or | |
| | | manage new signatures from updates. | |
| | | • IPS to support network exceptions based on source, | |
| | | destination, service or a combination of the three. | |
| | | • IPS to include a troubleshooting mode which sets the in- | |
| | | use profile to detect only, with one click without modifying | |
| | | individual protections. | |
| | | • IPS application to have a centralized event correlation and | |
| | | reporting mechanism. | |
| | | • The administrator to be able to automatically activate | |
| | | new protections, based on configurable parameters | |
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| | | (performance impact, threat severity, confidence level, | |
| | | client protections, server protections) | |
| | | IPS to detect and prevent the following threats: Protocol | |
| | | misuse, malware communications, tunnelling attempts and | |
| | | generic attack types without predefined signatures. | |
| | | • For each protection the solution to include protection type | |
| | | (server-related or client related), threat severity, | |
| | | performance impact, confidence level and industry | |
| | | reference. | |
| | | • IPS to detect and block network and application layer | |
| | | attacks, protecting at least the following services: email | |
| | | services, DNS, FTP, Windows services (Microsoft | |
| | | Networking), SNMP | |
| | | • IPS and/or Application Control to include the ability to | |
| | | detect and block peer to peer traffic using evasion | |
| | | techniques. | |
| | | Solution to protect from DNS Cache Poisoning and | |
| | | prevents users from accessing blocked domain addresses. | |
| | | • IPS and/or Application Control must detect and block | |
| | | remote controls applications, including those that are | |
| | | capable tunnelling over HTTP traffic. | |
| 5 | User Identity | Successful bidder should implement, configure, Customize | |
| 0 | Management | and undertake continuous optimization of the Firewall | |
| | Management | Solution to deliver the following enterprise security | |
| | | services and features | |
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| | | • Acquire user identity by querying Microsoft Active | |
| | | Directory based on security events. | |
| | | • Have a browser-based User Identity authentication | |
| | | method for non-domain users or assets. | |
| | | • Have a dedicated client agent that can be installed by | |
| | | policy on users' computers that can acquire and report | |
| | | identities to the Security Gateway. | |
| | | Support terminal server environments | |
| | | • Integrate seamlessly with directory services, IF-MAP and | |
| | | Radius | |
| | | • Allow identification through a proxy (example: | |
| | | Xforwarded headers) | |
| | | Acquire user identity from Microsoft Active Directory | |
| | | without any type of agent installed on the domain | |
| | | controllers. | |
| | | • Support Kerberos transparent authentication for single | |
| | | sign on. | |
| | | Share or propagate user identities between multiple | |
| | | security gateways. | |
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| | | • Create identity roles to be used across all security | |
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| | | applications. | |
| 6 | Application | Successful bidder should implement, configure, Customize | |
| | Control and | and undertake continuous optimization of the Firewall | |
| | URL Filtering | Solution to deliver the following enterprise security | |
| | | services and features: | |
| | | • Implement an Application control database containing | |
| | | known applications. | |
| | | • Create a filtering for single site being supported by | |
| | | multiple categories.Have users and groups granularity with security rules. | |
| | | Categorize applications and URLs and applications by | |
| | | Risk Factor. | |
| | | • Application control and URLF security policy are defined | |
| | | by user identities. | |
| | | • Provide a mechanism to limit application usage based on | |
| | | bandwidth consumption. | |
| | | Allow network exceptions based on defined network | |
| | | objects | |
| | | • Provide the option to modify the Blocking Notification | |
| | | and to redirect the user to a remediation page. | |
| | | • Include a Black and White lists mechanism to allow the | |
| | | administrator to deny or permit specific URLs regardless of | |
| | | the categoryProvide an override mechanism on the categorization for | |
| | | the URL database. | |
| 7 | Anti-Bot and | Successful bidder should implement, configure, Customize | |
| | Anti-Virus | and undertake continuous optimization of the Firewall | |
| | Features | Solution to deliver the following enterprise security | |
| | | services and features: | |
| | | • Provide an integrated Anti-Bot and Anti-Virus protection. | |
| | | • Anti-bot application to detect and stop suspicious | |
| | | abnormal network behavior. | |
| | | • Anti-Bot application to use a multi-tiered detection | |
| | | engine, which includes the reputation of IPs, URLs and DNS | |
| | | addresses and detect patterns of bot communications.Provide mechanisms to protect against spear phishing | |
| | | attacks | |
| | | • Provide mechanisms to protect against water holing | |
| | | attacks and DNS based attacks. | |
| | | • Provide detection and prevention capabilities for DNS | |
| | | hide outs. | |
| | | • Provide detection and prevention capabilities for DNS | |
| | | tunneling attacks | |
| | | • The solution implementation MUST include an Anti-Bot | |
| | | and Antivirus policy administered from a central console. | |
| | | • Anti-Virus to be able to stop incoming malicious files and scan archive files. | |
| | | • Anti-Virus and Anti-Bot policies to be centrally managed | |
| | | with granular policy configuration and enforcement. | |
| 8 | SSL | Successful bidder should implement, configure, Customize | |
| - | Inspection | and undertake continuous optimization of the Firewall | |
| | (inbound / | Solution to deliver the following enterprise security | |
| | outbound) | services and features: | |
| | | • Offers support for SSL Inspection/Decryption with | |
| | | leading performance across all threat mitigation | |
| | | technologies | |
| | | • Threat emulation/sandboxing are integrated with SSL | |
| | | Inspection Leverage the URL filtering data base to allow | |
| | | administrator to create granular https inspection policy | |
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| | | Inspection of HTTPS based URL Filtering without | |
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| 0 | | requiring SSL decryption | |
| 9 | Threat | Successful bidder should implement, configure, Customize | |
| | Emulation | and undertake continuous optimization of the Firewall | |
| | and | Solution to deliver the following enterprise security | |
| | sandboxing) | services and features: (1 mark per feature) | |
| | | Provide the ability to Protect against zero-day & | |
| | | unknown malware attacks before static signature | |
| | | protections have been created | |
| | | Implement Sandboxing Technology • Undertake System | |
| | | Activity Detection: | |
| | | • Implement Anti-Evasion Technology: • Undertake Threat | |
| | | Extraction techniques such as, File Scrubbing and | |
| | | Flattening | |
| 10 | Anti-Spam & | Successful bidder should implement, configure, Customize | |
| 10 | Email | and undertake continuous optimization of the Firewall | |
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| | Security | Solution to deliver the following enterprise security | |
| | | services and features: | |
| | | Anti-Spam and Anti-Phishing Security | |
| | | • Email security. | |
| | | Anti-Spam and Email security to have real-time | |
| | | classification and protections based on detected spam | |
| | | outbreaks. | |
| | | • The Anti-Spam and Email security to include IP reputation | |
| | | blocking based on an online service to avoid false positives | |
| | | • Solution to include a Zero-hour protection mechanism for | |
| | | new viruses spread through email and spam without | |
| | | relying solely in heuristic or content inspection | |
| 11 | IPsec VPN | Successful bidder should implement, configure, Customize | |
| 11 | | and undertake continuous optimization of the Firewall | |
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| | | Solution to deliver the following enterprise security | |
| | | services and features: | |
| | | Support all common site-to-site VPN topologies | |
| | | Support clientless SSL VPNs for remote access. | |
| | | Support L2TP VPNs. | |
| | | • Allow the administrator to apply security rules to control | |
| | | the traffic inside the VPN. | |
| | | • Support domain-based VPNs and route-based VPNs using | |
| | | VTI's and dynamic routing protocols. • Ability to establish | |
| | | VPNs with gateways with dynamic public Ips | |
| | | • Solution to include IP compression for client-to-site and | |
| | | site-to-site VPNs | |
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| | | Support MFA for remote VPN connections. | |
| 12 | Security | Successful bidder should implement, configure, Customize | |
| | Management | and undertake continuous optimization of the Firewall | |
| | | Solution to deliver the following enterprise security | |
| | | services and features: | |
| | | • Security management application to support role-based | |
| | | administrator accounts. For instance, roles for firewall | |
| | | policy management only or role for log viewing only. | |
| | | Solution to include a Certificate-based encrypted secure | |
| | | communications channel. • Solution to include the ability to | |
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| | | use external CAs, which supports PKCS#12, CAPI or | |
| | | Entrust standards. | |
| | | • Enable all security applications to be managed from the | |
| | | central console. | |
| | | • Solution to have a security policy verification mechanism | |
| | | prior to policy installation. | |
| | | • Solution to have a security policy revision control | |
| | | mechanism. | |
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| | | Management solution to provide High Availability | |

| | | • Solution to include the ability to centrally distribute and | |
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| | | apply new gateway software versions | |
| | | • Solution to include a tool to centrally manage licenses of | |
| | | all gateways controlled by the management station The | |
| | | management GUI to have the ability to easily exclude IP | |
| | | address from the IPS signature definition | |
| 13 | Threat | Successful bidder should implement, configure, Customize | |
| | Prevention | and undertake continuous optimization of the Firewall | |
| | Updates | Solution to deliver the following enterprise security | |
| | | services and features: | |
| | | • Provide the details of its threat prevention update | |
| | | mechanism and its ability to handle zero-day attacks across | |
| | | all next generation threat prevention applications | |
| | | including IPS, Application Control, and URL filtering, Anti- | |
| | | Bot and Anti-Virus. | |
| | | • Provide details on the re-categorization of URL, under the | |
| | | circumstances that a website has been comprised and | |
| | | possibly distributing malware. | |
| 14 | Logging & | Successful bidder should implement, configure, Customize | |
| | Monitoring | and undertake continuous optimization of the Firewall | |
| | | Solution to deliver the following enterprise security | |
| | | services and features: | |
| | | • The central logging to be part of the management system. | |
| | | Alternatively, administrators can install dedicated Log | |
| | | Servers. | |
| | | • Solution to have the ability to log all integrated security | |
| | | applications on the gateway and including IPS, Application | |
| | | Control, URL Filtering, Anti-Virus, Anti-Bot, Anti – Spam, | |
| | | User Identity, Data Loss Prevention, Mobile Access. | |
| | | • Solution to include the option to dynamically block an | |
| | | active connection from the log graphical interface without | |
| | | the need to modify the rule base | |
| | | • Solution to support exporting logs in database format • | |
| | | Solution to include a graphical monitoring interface that | |
| | | provides an easy way to monitor gateways status | |
| | | Solution to provide the following system information for | |
| | | each gateway: OS, CPU usage, memory usage, all disk | |
| | | partitions and % of free hard disk space Solution to provide | |
| | | the status of each gateway components (i.e. firewall, VPN, | |
| | | cluster, antivirus, etc.) | |
| | | • Solution to include the status of all VPN tunnels, site~ | |
| | | tosite and client-to-site | |
| | | Solution to include customizable threshold setting to take | |
| | | actions when a certain threshold is reached on a gateway. | |
| | | Actions must include: Log, alert, send an SNMP trap, send | |
| | | an email and execute a user defined alert. | |
| | | Solution to include preconfigured graphs to monitor the | |
| | | evolution in time of traffic and system counters: top | |
| | | security rules, top P2P users, VPN tunnels, network traffic | |
| | | and other useful information. Solution must provide the | |
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| | | option to generate new customized graphs with different | |
| | | chart types | |
| 15 | Furant | Solution to include six monitoring portable devices | |
| 15 | Event | • Successful bidder should implement, configure, | |
| | Correlation | Customize and undertake continuous optimization of the | |
| | and | Firewall Solution to deliver the following enterprise | |
| | Reporting | security services and features: | |
| | | • Solution to correlate events from all the gateway features | |
| | | and third-party devices | |
| | | • Allow the creation of filters based on any characteristic of | |
| | | the event such as security application, source and | μ |

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| 16 | Mobility | destination IP, service, event type, event severity, attack name, country of origin and destination, etc. The application to have a mechanism to assign these filters to different graph lines that are updated in regular intervals showing all events that matches that filter. Allowing the operator to focus on the most important events. Allow the administrator to group events based on any of it characteristics, including many nesting levels and export to PDF. Allow search inside the list of events, drill down into details for research and forensics. Detect Denial of Service attacks correlating events from all sources. Detect credential guessing attacks Support automatic reports scheduling for information that need to extract on regular basis (daily, weekly, and monthly). Solution must also allow the administrator to define the date and time that reporting system begins to generate the scheduled report. Support the following reports formats: HTML, CSV and MHT Show Top sources of blocked connections, their destinations and services • Show Top Rules used by the security policy Show Top security attacks detected by enforcement point (perimeter) determining the top sources and destinations Successful bidder should implement, configure, Customize and undertake continuous optimization of the Firewall | |
| | | Solution to deliver the following enterprise security services and features. Provide a fully integrated secure mobility solution on the next generation firewall. Support both managed and unmanaged access devices, such as BYOD. | |
| 17 | Software requirements | Successful bidder should implement, configure, Customize and undertake continuous optimization of the Firewall Solution to deliver the following enterprise security services and features: (1 mark per feature) • Provide Multiple virtual firewalls running layer 2 & 3 virtual systems simultaneously • Provide IPsec VPN and SSL VPN i.e. there MUST secure, superior VPN access with threat protected remote access • Integrate with MS Active Directory without buying extra hardware or software • Provide QoS features such as policing, shaping and priority queuing | |
| 18 | Management and reporting | Successful bidder should implement, configure, Customize and undertake continuous optimization of the Firewall Solution to deliver the following enterprise security services and features: Provide a detailed report of malicious files detection for each one of the malicious files. Management via Telnet, SSH, Serial Console port, HTTPS, and via central management software Support integration with AAA such as Local, RADIUS, TACACS+, NT, RSA, and LDAP | |
| 19 | Networking | The system must support dynamic routing and integrate within the existing DC infrastructure. | |

Bidders who do not meet the technical requirements indicated above, shall not proceed to financial evaluation criteria

PART III – CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT ANDCONTRACT FORMS

SECTION VIII ~ GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT

General ProvisionsDefinitions A.

Unless the context otherwise requires, the following terms whenever used in this Contract have the followingmeanings:

- The Adjudicator is the person appointed jointly by the Procuring Entity and the Service Provider a) to resolve disputes in the first instance, as provided for in Sub-Clause 8.2 hereunder.
- "Activity Schedule" is the priced and completed list of items of Services to be performed by b) the ServiceProvider forming part of his Tender:
- "Completion Date" means the date of completion of the Services by the Service Provider as c) certified by the Procuring Entity
- "Contract" means the Contract signed by the Parties, to which these General Conditions d) of Contract (GCC) are attached, together with all the documents listed in Clause 1 of such signed Contract;
- "Contract Price" means the price to be paid for the performance of the Services, in accordance e) with Clause6;
- "Day works" means varied work inputs subject to payment on a time basis for the Service f) Provider's employees and equipment, in addition to payments for associated materials and administration.
- "Procuring Entity" means the Procuring Entity or party who employs the Service Provider g)
- h) "Foreign Currency" means any currency other than the currency of Kenya;
- "GCC" means these General Conditions of Contract; i)
- "Government "means the Government of Kenya; i)
- "Local Currency "means Kenya shilling; k)
- "Member," in case the Service Provider consist of a joint venture of more than one entity, 1) means any of these entities; "Members" means all these entities, and "Member in Charge" means the entity specified in the SC to act on their behalf in exercising all the Service Provider' rights and obligations towards the Procuring Entity under this Contract;
- "Party" means the Procuring Entity or the Service Provider, as the case maybe, and "Parties" m) means both of them;
- "Personnel" means persons hired by the Service Provider or by any Subcontractor as employees n) and assigned to the performance of the Services or any part there of;
- "Service Provider" is a person or corporate body whose Tender to provide the Services has 0) been accepted by the Procuring Entity:
- "Service Provider's Tender" means the completed Tendering Document submitted by the p) Service Providerto the Procuring Entity
- "SCC" means the Special Conditions of Contract by which the GCC may be amended or **q**) supplemented;
- "Specifications" means the specifications of the service included in the Tendering Document r) submitted by the Service Provider to the Procuring Entity
- "Services" means the work to be performed by the Service Provider pursuant to this Contract, as s) describedin Appendix A; and in the Specifications and Schedule of Activities included in the Service Provider's Tender.
- "Subcontractor" means any entity to which the Service Provider subcontracts any part of the t) Services in accordance with the provisions of Sub-Clauses3.5and4;
- "Public Procurement Regulatory Authority (PPRA)" shall mean the Government Agency u) responsible foroversight of public procurement.
- "Project Manager" shall the person appointed by the Procuring Entity to act as the Project v) Manager for the purposes of the Contract and named in the Particular Conditions of Contract, or other person appointed from time to time by the Procuring Entity and notified to the 10° Contractor.

w) "Notice of Dissatisfaction" means the notice given by either Party to the other indicating its dissatisfaction and intention to commence arbitration.

1.2 Applicable Law

The Contract shall be interpreted in accordance with the laws of Kenya.

1.3 Language

This Contract has been executed in the English language, which shall be the binding and controlling languagefor all matters relating to the meaning or interpretation of this Contract.

1.4 Notices

Any notice, request, or consent made pursuant to this Contract shall be in writing and shall be deemed to havebeen made when delivered in person to an authorized representative of the Party to whom the communication addressed, or when sent by registered mail, hand delivery, or email to such Party at the address **specified in SCC**.

1.5 Location

The Services shall be performed at such locations as a respecified in Appendix A, in the specifications and, where the location of a particular task is not so specified, at such locations, whether in Kenya or elsewhere, as the Procuring Entity may approve.

1.6 Authorized Representatives

Any action required or permitted to be taken, and any document required or permitted to be executed, under this Contract by the Procuring Entity or the Service Provider may be taken or executed by the officials **specifiedin the SCC**.

1.7 Inspection and Audit by the PPRA

Pursuant to paragraph 2.2 e. of Attachment 1 to the General Conditions, the Service Provider shall permit and shall cause its sub contract or sand sub-consultants to permit, PPRA and/or persons appointed by PPRA to inspect the Site and/or the accounts and records relating to the procurement process, selection and/or contract execution, and to have such accounts and records audited by auditors appointed by PPRA. The Service Provider's and its Subcontractors' and sub-consultants' attention is drawn to Sub-Clause 3.10 which provides, inter alia, that acts intended to materially impede the exercise of PPRA's inspection and audit rights constitute a prohibited practice subject to contract termination (as well as to a determination of ineligibility pursuant to PPRA's prevailing sanctions procedures).

1.8 Taxes and Duties

The Service Provider, Subcontractors, and their Personnel shall pay such taxes, duties, fees, and other impositions as may be levied under the Applicable Law, the amount of which is deemed to have been included in the Contract Price.

2. Commencement, Completion, Modification, and Termination of Contract

2.1 Effectiveness of Contract

This Contract shall come into effect on the date the Contract is signed by both parties or such other later date as maybe **stated in the SCC**.

2.2 Commencement of Services

2.2.1 Program

Before commencement of the Services, the Service Provider shall submit to the Procuring Entity for approvala Program showing the general methods, arrangements order and timing for all activities. 100 KenGen Publishe Services shall be carried out in accordance with the approved Program as updated.

2.2.2 Starting Date

The Service Provider shall start carrying out the Services thirty (30) days after the date the Contract becomeseffective, or at such other date as may be **specified in the SCC**.

2.3 Intended Completion Date

Unless terminated earlier pursuant to Sub-Clause 2.6, the Service Provider shall complete the activities by theIntended Completion Date, as is **specified in the SCC**. If the Service Provider does not complete the activities by the Intended Completion Date, it shall be liable to pay liquidated damage as per Sub- Clause 3.8. Inthiscase, the Completion Date will be the date of completion of all activities.

2.4 Modification

Modification of the terms and conditions of this Contract, including any modification of the scope of theServices or of the Contract Price, may only be made by written agreement between the Parties.

2.4.1 Value Engineering

The Service Provider may prepare, at its own cost, a value engineering proposal at any time during the performance of the contract. The value engineering proposal shall, at a minimum, include the following;

- a) The proposed change(s), and a description of the difference to the existing contract requirements;
- b) A full cost/benefit analysis of the proposed change(s) including a description and estimate of costs (including life cycle costs, if applicable) the Procuring Entity may incur in implementing the value engineering proposal; and
- c) A description of any effect(s) of the change on performance/functionality.

The Procuring Entity may accept the value engineering proposal if the proposal demonstrates benefits that:

- a) accelerates the delivery period; or
- b) reduces the Contract Price or the lifecycle costs to the Procuring Entity; or
- c) improves the quality, efficiency, safety or sustainability of the services; or
- d) yields any other benefits to the Procuring Entity, without compromising the necessary functions of the Facilities.

If the value engineering proposal is approved by the Procuring Entity and results in:

- a) a reduction of the Contract Price; the amount to be paid to the Service Provider shall be the percentagespecified in the **SCC** of the reduction in the Contract Price; or
- b) an increase in the Contract Price; but results in a reduction in lifecycle costs due to any benefit described in (a) to(d) above, the amount to be paid to the Service Provider shall be the full increase in the Contract Price.

2.5 Force Majeure

2.5.1 Definition

For the purposes of this

Contract, "ForceMajeure" means an event which is beyond there as on able control of a Party and which makes a Party's performance of its obligations under the Contract impossible or so impractical as to be considered impossible under the circumstances.

2.5.2 No Breach of Contract

The failure of a Party to fulfill any of its obligations under the contract shall not be considered to be a breach of, or default under, this Contract insofar as such inability arises from an event of Force Majeure, provided that the Party affected by such an event (a) has taken all reasonable precautions, due care and reasonable alternativemeasures in order to carry out the terms and conditions of this

KenGen Publicontract, and (b) has informed the other Party as soon as possible about the occurrence of such an 10

event.

2.5.3 Extension of Time

Any period with in which a Party shall, pursuant to this Contract, complete any action or task, shall be extended for a period equal to the time during which such Party was unable to perform such action as a result of Force Majeure.

2.5.4 Payments

During the period of their inability to perform the Services as a result of an event of Force Majeure, the ServiceProvider shall be entitled to continue to be paid under the terms of this Contract, as well as to be reimbursed for additional costs reasonably and necessarily incurred by them during such period for the purposes of the Services and in reactivating the Service after the end of such period.

2.6 Termination

2.6.1 By the Procuring Entity

The Procuring Entity may terminate this Contract, by not less than thirty(30) days' written notice of termination to the Service Provider, to be given after the occurrence of any of the events specified in paragraphs(a)through

(d) of this Sub-Clause 2.6.1:

- a) If the Service Provider does not remedy a failure in the performance of its obligations under the Contract, within thirty (30) days after being notified or within any further period as the Procuring Entity may have subsequently approved in writing;
- b) if the Service Provider become insolvent or bankrupt;
- c) if, as the result of Force Majeure, the Service Provider is unable to perform a material portion of the Services for a period of not less than sixty (60) days; or
- d) if the Service Provider, in the judgment of the Procuring Entity has engaged in Fraud and Corruption, as defined in paragraph2.2a. of Attachment1 to the GCC, in competing for or in executing the Contract

2.6.2 By the Service Provider

The Service Provider may terminate this Contract, by not less than thirty (30) days' written notice to the Procuring Entity, such notice to be given after the occurrence of any of the events specified in paragraphs (a) and

(b) of this Sub-Clause 2.6.2:

- a) If the Procuring Entity fails to pay any monies due to the Service Provider pursuant to this Contract and not subject to dispute pursuant to Clause 7 within forty-five (45) days after receiving written notice from the Service Provider that such payment is overdue; or
- b) if, as the result of Force Majeure, the Service Provider is unable to perform a material portion of the Services for a period of not less than sixty (60) days.

2.6.3 Payment up on Termination

Upon termination of this Contract pursuant to Sub-Clauses 2.6.1 or 2.6.2, the Procuring Entity shall make the following payments to the Service Provider:

- a) remuneration pursuant to Clause 6 for Services satisfactorily performed prior to the effective date of termination;
- b) except in the case of termination pursuant to paragraphs (a), (b), (d) of Sub-Clause 2.6.1, reimbursement of any reasonable cost incident to the prompt and orderly termination of the Contract, including the cost of the return travel of the Personnel.

3 Obligations of the Service Provider

3.1 General

The Service Provider shall perform the Services in accordance with the Specifications and the 108 KenGen Public

Activity Schedule, and carry out its obligations with all due diligence, efficiency, and economy, in accordance with generally accepted professional techniques and practices, and shall observe sound management practices, and employ appropriate advanced technology and safe methods. The Service Provider shall always act, in respect of any matter relating to this Contractor to the Services, as faithful adviser to the Procuring Entity, and shall atall times support and safeguard the Procuring Entity's legitimate interests in any dealings with Subcontractorsor third parties.

3.2 Conflict of Interests

3.2.1 Service Provider Not to Benefit from Commissions and Discounts.

The remuneration of the Service Provider pursuant to Clause 6 shall constitute the Service Provider's sole

remunerationinconnectionwiththisContractortheServices, and theServiceProvidershallnotacceptfor their own benefit any trade commission, discount, or similar payment in connection with activities pursuant to this Contractor to the Services or in the discharge of their obligations under the Contract, and the Service Providershall use their best efforts to ensure that the Personnel, any Subcontractors, and agents of either of them similarly shall not receive any such additional remuneration.

3.2.2 Service Provider and Affiliates Not to be Otherwise Interested in Project

The Service Provider agree that, during the term of this Contract and after its termination, the Service Provider and its affiliates, as well as any Subcontractor and any of its affiliates, shall bed is qualified from providing goods, works, or Services(other than the Services and any continuation thereof) for any project resulting from or closely related to the Services.

3.2.3 Prohibition of Conflicting Activities

Neither the Service Provider nor its Subcontractors nor the Personnel shall engage, either directly or indirectly, in any of the following activities:

- a) During the term of this Contract, any business or professional activities in Kenya which would conflict with the activities assigned to them under this Contract;
- b) during the term of this Contract, neither the Service Provider nor their Subcontractors shall hire publicemployees' inactive duty or on any type of leave, to perform any activity under this Contract;
- c) After the termination of this Contract, such other activities as may be specified in the SCC.

3.3 Confidentiality

The Service Provider, its Subcontractors, and the Personnel of either of them shall not, either during the term or within two (2) years after the expiration of this Contract, disclose any proprietary or confidential information relating to the Project, the Services, this Contract, or the Procuring Entity's business or operations without the prior written consent of the Procuring Entity.

3.4 The Service Provider (a) shall take out and maintain, and shall cause any Subcontractors to take out and maintain, at its (or the Sub contractors', as the case may be)own cost but on terms and conditions approved by the Procuring Entity, insurance against the risks, and for the coverage, as shall be specified in the SCC; and

(b) at the Procuring Entity's request, shall provide evidence to the Procuring Entity showing that such insurancehas been taken out and maintained and that the current premiums have been paid.

3.5 Service Provider's Actions Requiring Procuring Entity's Prior Approval

The Service Provider shall obtain the Procuring Entity's prior approval in writing before taking any of the following actions:

- a) Entering into a subcontract for the performance of any part of the Services,
- b) appointing such members of the Personnel not listed by name in Appendix C ("Key Personnel andSubcontractors"),
- c) changing the Program of activities; and

d) Any other action that may be **specified in the SCC**.

3.6 Reporting Obligations

The Service Provider shall submit to the Procuring Entity the reports and documents specified in Appendix Bin the form, in the numbers, and within the periods set forth in the said Appendix.

3.7 Documents Prepared by the Service Provider to Be the Property of the Procuring Entity

All plans, drawings, specifications, designs, reports, and other documents and software submitted by the Service Provider in accordance with Sub-Clause 3.6 shall become and remain the property of the Procuring Entity, and the Service Provider shall, not later than upon termination or expiration of this Contract, deliver all such documents and software to the Procuring Entity, together with a detailed inventory thereof. The Service

Provider may retain a copy of such documents and software. Restrictions about the future use of these documents, if any, shall be **specified in the SCC**.

3.8 Liquidated Damages

3.8.1 Payments of Liquidated Damages

The Service Provider shall pay liquidated damages to the Procuring Entity at the rate per day **stated in the SCC** for each day that the Completion Date is later than the Intended Completion Date. The total amount of liquidated damages shall not exceed the amount **defined in the SCC**. The Procuring Entity may deduct liquidated damages from payments due to the Service Provider. Payment of liquidated damages shall not affect the Service Provider's liabilities.

3.8.2 Correction for Over-payment

If the Intended Completion Date is extended after liquidated damages have been paid, the Procuring Entity shall correct any overpayment of liquidated damages by the Service Provider by adjusting the next payment certificate. The Service Provider shall be paid interest on the overpayment, calculated from the date of payment to the date of repayment, at the rates specified in Sub-Clause 6.5.

3.8.3 Lack of performance penalty

If the Service Provider has not corrected a Defect within the time specified in the Procuring Entity's notice, a penalty for Lack of performance will be paid by the Service Provider. The amount to be paid will be calculated as a percentage of the cost of having the Defect corrected, assessed as described in Sub-Clause7.2 and **specified in the SCC**.

3.9 Performance Security

The Service Provider shall provide the Performance Security to the Procuring Entity no later than the date specified in the Form of acceptance. The Performance Security shall be issued in an amount and form and by a bank or surety acceptable to the Procuring Entity, and denominated in the types and proportions of the currencies in which the Contract Price is payable. The performance Security shall be valid until a date 28 day from the Completion Date of the Contract in case of a bank guarantee, and until one year from the CompletionDate of the Contract in the case of a Performance Bond.

3.10 Fraud and Corruption

The Procuring Entity requires compliance with the Government's Anti-Corruption laws and its prevailing sanctions. The Procuring Entity requires the Service Provider to disclose any commissions or fees that may have been paid or are to be paid to agents or any other party with respect to the tendering process or execution of the Contract. The information disclosed must include at least the name and address of the agent or other party, the amount and currency, and the purpose of the commission, gratuity or fee.

3.11 Sustainable Procurement

KenGen Publike Service Provider shall conform to the sustainable procurement contractual provisions, if and as 110

specified in the SCC.

4 Service Provider's Personnel

4.1 Description of Personnel

The titles, agreed job descriptions, minimum qualifications, and estimated periods of engagement in the carrying out of the Services of the Service Provider's Key Personnel are described in Appendix C. The Key Personnel and Subcontractors listed by title as well as by name in Appendix Care hereby approved by the Procuring Entity.

4.2 Removal and/or Replacement of Personnel

- a) Except as the Procuring Entity may otherwise agree, no changes shall be made in the Key Personnel. If, for any reason beyond the reasonable control of the Service Provider, it becomes necessary to replace any of the Key Personnel, the Service Provider shall provide as a replacement a person of equivalent or betterqualifications.
- b) If the Procuring Entity finds that any of the Personnel have (i) committed serious misconduct or have beencharged with having committed a criminal action, or (ii) have reasonable cause to be dissatisfied with theperformance of any of the Personnel, then the Service Provider shall, at the Procuring Entity's written request specifying the grounds thereof, provide as a replacement a person with qualifications and experience acceptable to the Procuring Entity.
- c) The Service Provider shall have no claim for additional costs arising out of or incidental to any removal and/or replacement of Personnel.

5 Obligations of the Procuring Entity

5.1 Assistance and Exemptions

The Procuring Entity shall use its best efforts to ensure that the Government shall provide the Service Providersuch assistance and exemptions as **specified in the SCC**.

5.2 Change in the Applicable Law

If, after the date of this Contract, there is any change in the Applicable Law with respect to taxes and duties which increases or decreases the cost of the Services rendered by the Service Provider, then the remuneration and reimbursable expenses otherwise payable to the Service Provider under this Contract shall be increased ordecreased accordingly by agreement between the Parties, and corresponding adjustments shall be made to the amounts referred to in Sub-Clauses 6.2(a) or (b), as the case may be.

5.3 Services and Facilities

The Procuring Entity shall make available to the Service Provider the Services and Facilities listed under Appendix F.

6 Payments to the Service Provider

6.1 Lump-Sum Remuneration

The Service Provider's remuneration shall not exceed the Contract Price and shall be a fixed lumpsum including all Subcontractors' costs, and all other costs incurred by the Service Provider in carrying out the Services described in Appendix A. Except as provided in Sub-Clause 5.2, the Contract Price may only be increased above the amounts stated in Sub-Clause 6.2 if the Parties have agreed to additional payments in accordance with Sub- Clauses2.4and6.3.

6.2 Contract Price

- a) The price payable is set forth in the SCC.
- b) Price may be payable in foreign currency, if so allowed in this document.

$6.3 \ Payment for Additional Services, and Performance Incentive Compensation$

- **6.3.1** For the purpose of determining the remuneration due for additional Services as may be agreed under Sub-Clause 2.4, a breakdown of the lump-sum price is provided in Appendices D and E.
- **6.3.2 If the SCC so specify,** the service provider shall be paid performance incentive compensation asset out in thePerformance Incentive Compensation appendix.
- **6.3.3** Where the contract price is different from the corrected tender price, in order to ensure the contractor is not paid less or more relative to the contract price (*which would be the tender price*), payment valuation certificates and variation orders on omissions and additions valued based on rates in the schedule of rates in the Tender, will be adjusted by a <u>plus or minus</u> percentage. The percentage already worked out during tender evaluation isworked out as follows: (*corrected tender price–tender price)/tender price X100*.

6.4 Terms and Conditions of Payment

Payments will be made to the Service Provider according to the payment schedule **stated in the SCC**. **Unless otherwise stated in the SCC**, the advance payment (Advance for Mobilization, Materials and Supplies) shall be made against the provision by the Service Provider of a bank guarantee for the same amount, and shall be

valid for the period **stated in the SCC**. Any other payment shall be made after the conditions **listed in the SCC** for such payment have been met, and the Service Provider have submitted an invoice to the Procuring Entity specifying the amount due.

6.5 Interest on Delayed Payments

If the Procuring Entity has delayed payments beyond thirty (30) days after the due date stated in the **SCC**, interest shall be paid to the Service Provider foreach day of delay at the rate stated in **the SCC**.

6.6 Price Adjustment

6.6.1 Prices shall be adjusted for fluctuations in the cost of inputs only if **provided for in the SCC.** If so provided, the amounts certified in each payment certificate, after deducting for Advance Payment, shall be adjusted by applying the respective price adjustment fact or to the payment amounts due in each currency. A separate formula of the type indicated below applies to each Contract currency:

$P_C = A_C + B_C Lmc / Loc + C_C Imc / Ioc$

Where:

Pc is the adjustment factor for the portion of the Contract Price payable in a specific currency "c".

Ac, Bc and Cc are coefficients specified in the **SCC**, representing: Ac the non-adjustable portion; Bc the adjustable portion relative to labor costs and Cc the adjustable portion for other inputs, of the Contract Price payable in that specific currency "c"; and

Lmc is the index prevailing at the first day of the month of the corresponding invoiced ate and Loc is the index prevailing 28 days before Tender opening for labor; both in the specific currency "c".

Imc is the index prevailing at the first day of the month of the corresponding invoice date and Ioc is the indexprevailing 28 days before Tender opening for other inputs payable; both in the specific currency "c".

If a price adjustment factor is applied to payments made in a currency other than the currency of the source of the index for a particular indexed input, a correction factor Zo/Zn will be applied to the respective component factor of pn for the formula of the relevant currency. Zo is the number of units of Kenya Shillings of the index, equivalent to one unit of the currency payment on the date of the base index, and Zn is the corresponding number of such currency units on the date of the current index.

6.6.2 If the value of the index is changed after it has been used in a calculation, the calculation shall be corrected and an adjustment made in the next payment certificate. The index value shall be deemed to take account to fall changes in cost due to fluctuations in costs.

- **6.7.1** If applicable, the Day work rates in the Service Provider's Tender shall be used for small additional amounts of Services only when the Procuring Entity has given written instructions in advance for additional services to bepaid in that way.
- **6.7.2** All work to be paid for as Day works shall be recorded by the Service Provider on forms approved by the Procuring Entity. Each completed form shall be verified and signed by the Procuring Entity representative as indicated in Sub-Clause1.6 within two days of the Services being performed.
- **6.7.3** The Service Provider shall be paid for Day works subject to obtaining signed Day works forms as indicated inSub-Clause6.7.2

7 Quality Control

7.1 Identifying Defects

The principle and modalities of Inspection of the Services by the Procuring Entity shall be as **indicated in theSCC.** The Procuring Entity shall check the Service Provider's performance and notify him of any Defects that are found. Such checking shall not affect the Service Provider's responsibilities. The Procuring Entity may instruct the Service Provider to search for a Defect and to uncover and test any service that the Procuring Entityconsiders may have a Defect. Defect Liability Period is as **defined in the SCC**.

Correction of Defects, and Lack of Performance Penalty

- a) The Procuring Entity shall give notice to the Service Provider of any Defects before the end of the Contract. The Defects liability period shall be extended for as long as Defects remain to be corrected.
- b) Every time notice a Defect is given, the Service Provider shall correct the notified Defect within the length of time specified by the Procuring Entity's notice.
- c) If the Service Provider has not corrected a Defect within the time specified in the Procuring Entity's notice, the Procuring Entity will assess the cost of having the Defect corrected, the Service Provider will pay this amount and a Penalty for Lack of Performance calculated as described in Sub-Clause 3.8.

8 Settlement of Disputes

8.1 Contractor's Claims

- **8.1.1** If the Contractor considers himself to be entitled to any extension of the Time for Completion and/or any additional payment, under any Clause of these Conditions or otherwise in connection with the Contract, the Contractor shall give notice to the Project Manager, describing the event or circumstance giving rise to the claim. The notice shall be given as soon as practicable, and not later than 28 days after the Contractor became aware, or should have become aware, of the event or circumstance.
- **8.1.2** If the Contractor fails to give notice of a claim within such period of 28days, the Time for Completion shall notbe extended, the Contractor shall not be entitled to additional payment, and the Procuring Entity shall be discharged from all liability in connection with the claim. Otherwise, the following provisions of this Sub- Clauses hall apply.
- **8.1.3** The Contractor shall also submit any other notices which are required by the Contract, and supporting particulars for the claim, all s relevant to such event or circumstance.
- **8.1.4** The Contractor shall keep such contemporary records as may be necessary to substantiate any claim, either onthe Site or at another location acceptable to the Project Manager. Without admitting the Procuring Entity's liability, the Project Manager may, after receiving any notice under this Sub-Clause, monitor the record-keepingand /or instruct the Contractor to keep further contemporary records. The Contractor shall permit the Project Manager to inspect all these records, and shall (if instructed) submit copies to the Project Manager.

8.1.5 Within 42 days after the Contractor became aware (or should have become aware) of the event or circumstance giving rise to the claim, or within such other period as may be proposed by the Contractor and approved by theProject Manager, the Contractor shall send to the Project Manager 11: KenGen Public

a fully detailed claim which includes full supporting particulars of the basis of the claim and of the extension of time and /or additional payment claimed. If the event or circumstance giving rise to the claim has a continuing effect:

- 8.1.5.1 This fully detailed claim shall be considered as interim;
 - a) The Contractor shall send further interim claims at monthly intervals, giving the accumulated delay and /or amount claimed, and such further particulars as the Project Manager may reasonably

/or amount claimed, and such further particulars as the Project Manager may reasonably require; and

- b) The Contractor shall send a final claim within 28 days after the end of the effects resulting from the eventor circumstance, or within such other period as may be proposed by the Contractor and approved by the Project Manager.
- **8.1.6** Within 42 days after receiving a claim or any further particulars supporting a previous claim, or within such other period as may be proposed by the Project Manager and approved by the Contractor, the Project Managershall respond with approval, or with disapproval and detailed comments. He may also request any necessary further particulars, but shall nevertheless give his response on the principles of the claim within the above defined time period.
- **8.1.7** Within the above defined period of 42 days, the Project Manager shall proceed in accordance with Sub-Clause 3.5[Determinations] to agree or determine (i) the extension (if any) of the Time for Completion (before or after its expiry) in accordance with Sub-Clause 8.4 [Extension of Time for Completion], and/or (ii) the additional payment (if any) to which the Contractor is entitled under the Contract.
- **8.1.8** Each Payment Certificate shall include such additional payment for any claim as has been reasonably substantiated as due under the relevant provision of the Contract. Unless and until the particulars supplied are sufficient to substantiate the whole of the claim, the Contractor shall only been titled to payment for such part of the claim as he has be enable to substantiate.

- If the Project Manager does not respond within the time framed fined in this Clause, either Party 8.1.9 may consider that the claim is rejected by the Project Manager and any of the Parties may refer to Arbitration in accordance with Sub-Clause 8.2 [Matters that may be referred to arbitration].
- **8.1.10** The requirements of this Sub-Clause are in addition to those of any other Sub-Clause which may apply to a claim. If the Contract or fails to comply with this or another Sub-Clause in relation to any claim, any extension of time and/or additional payment shall take account of the extent (if any) to which the failure has prevented or prejudiced proper investigation of the claim, unless the claim is excluded under the second paragraph of this Sub- Clause.

8.2 Matters that may be referred to arbitration

- **8.2.1** Notwithstanding anything stated herein the following matters may be referred to arbitration before the practical completion of the Services or abandonment of the Services or termination of the Contract by either party:
 - a) The appointment of a replacement Project Manager upon the said person ceasing to act.
 - b) Whether or not the issue of an instruction by the Project Manager is empowered by these Conditions
 - c) Whetherornotacertificatehasbeenimproperly withheld or is not inaccordance with these Conditions.
 - e) Any dispute arising in respect of war risks or war damage.
 - All other matters shall only be referred to arbitration after the completion or alleged completion f) of the Services or termination or alleged termination of the Contract, unless the Procuring Entity and the Contractor agree otherwise in writing.

8.3 Amicable Settlement

8.3.1 Where a Notice of Dis satisfaction has been given, both Parties shall attempt to settle the dispute amicably before the commencement of arbitration. However, unless both Parties agree otherwise, the Party giving a Notice of Dissatisfaction in accordance with Sub-Clause 8.1 above should move to commence arbitration after the fifty-sixth day from the day on which a Notice of Dissatisfaction was given, even if no attempt at an amicable settlement has been made.

8.4 Arbitration

- 8.4.1 Any claim or dispute between the Parties arising out of or in connection with the Contract not settled amicablyin accordance with Sub-Clause 8.3 shall be finally settled by arbitration. Arbitration shall be conducted in accordance with the Arbitration Laws of Kenva.
- 8.4.2 The arbitrators shall have full power to open up, review and revise any certificate, determination, instruction, opinion or valuation of the Project Manager, relevant to the dispute. Nothing shall disqualify representatives of the Parties and the Project Manager from being called as a witness and giving evidence before the arbitrators on any matter whatsoever relevant to the dispute.
- 8.4.3 Neither Party shall be limited in the proceedings before the arbitrators to the evidence, or to the reasons for dissatisfaction given in its Notice of Dissatisfaction.
- **8.4.4** Arbitration may be commenced prior to or after completion of the services. The obligations of the Parties, and the Project Manager shall not be altered by reason of any arbitration being conducted during the progress of theservices.
- 8.4.5 The terms of the remuneration of each or all the members of Arbitration shall be mutually agreed upon by the Parties when agreeing the terms of appointment. Each Party shall be responsible for paying one-half of this remuneration.

8.5 Arbitration with proceedings

8.5.1 In case of any claim or dispute, such claim or dispute shall be notified in writing by either party to the other with a request to submit to arbitration and to concur in the appointment of an Arbitrator within thirty days of the notice. The dispute shall be referred to the arbitration and final decision of Arbitrator, the Arbitrator shall be appointed, on the request of the applying party, by the Chairman or Vice Chairman of any of the following professional institutions;

- a) Law Society of Kenya or
- b) Chartered Institute of Arbitrators (Kenya Branch)
- **8.5.2** The institution written to first by the aggrieved party shall take precedence over all other institutions.
- **8.5.3** The arbitration maybe on the construction of this Contractor on any matter or thing of what so ever nature arising there under or in connection there with, including any matter or thing left by this Contract to the discretion of the Project Manager, or the withholding by the Project Manager of any certificate to which the Contractor may claim to been titled to or the measurement and valuation referred to in clause 23.0 of these conditions, or the rights and liabilities of the parties subsequent to the termination of Contract.
- **8.5.4** Provided that no arbitration proceedings shall be commenced on any claim or dispute where notice of a claim or dispute has not been given by the applying party within ninety days of the occurrence or discovery of the matter or issue giving rise to the dispute.
- **8.5.5** Notwithstanding the issue of a notice as stated above, the arbitration of such a claim or dispute shall not commence unless an attempt has in the first instance been made by the parties to settle such claim or dispute amicably with or without the assistance of third parties. Proof of such attempt shall be required.
- **8.5.6** The Arbitrator shall, without prejudice to the generality of his powers, have powers to direct such measurements, computations, tests or valuations as may in his opinion be desirable in order to determine the rights of the parties and assess and award any sums which ought to have been the subject of or included in anycertificate.
- **8.5.7** The Arbitrator shall, without prejudice to the generality of his powers, have powers to open up, review and revise any certificate, opinion, decision, requirement or notice and to determine all matters in dispute which shall be submitted to him in the same manner as if no such certificate, opinion, decision requirement or notice had been given.
- 8.5.8 The award of such Arbitrator shall be final and binding upon the parties.

8.6 Failure to Comply with Arbitrator's Decision

8.6.1 In the event that a Party fails to comply with a final and binding Arbitrator's decision, then the other Party may, without prejudice to any other rights it may have, refer the matter to a competent court of law.

9.1 The Adjudicator

- 9.1.1 Should the Adjudicator resign or die, or should the Procuring Entity and the Service Provider agree that the Adjudicator is not functioning in accordance with the provisions of the Contract; a new Adjudicator will be jointly appointed by the Procuring Entity and the Service Provider. In case of disagreement between the Procuring Entity and the Service Provider, within 30days, the Adjudicator shall be designated by the AppointingAuthority **designated in the SCC** at the request of either party, within 14 days of receipt of such request.
- **9.2** The Adjudicator shall be paid by the hour at the rate **specified in the TDS and SCC**, together with reimbursable expenses of the type's **specified in the SCC**, and the cost shall be divided equally between the Procuring Entity and the Service Provider, whatever decision is reached by the Adjudicator. Either party may refer a decision of the Adjudicator to an Arbitrator within 28 days of the Adjudicator's written decision. If neither party refers the dispute to arbitration within the above 28 days, the Adjudicator's decision will be final and binding.

B. SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT

SECTION IX ~ SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT

| Number of GCClause | Amendments of, and Supplements to, Clauses in the General Conditions ofContract |
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| 1.1(d) | The contract name is <i>KGN-ICT-008-2025- TENDER FOR KenGen STIMA</i> <i>PLAZA LOCAL AREA NETWORK UPGRADE</i> |
| 1.1(g) | The Procuring Entity is Kenya Electricity Generating Company PLC |
| 1.1(0) | The Service Provider is: |
| 1.4 | The addresses are: |
| | Procuring Entity: KenGen |
| | Attention: General Manager Supply Chain |
| | Postal address P.O Box 47936 00100 Nairobi, Kenya Physical Address KenGen Pension Plaza II, 9 th Floor, Kolobot Road, Parklands. Telephone: 0711036000 |
| | Electronic mail address: <u>contracts@kengen.co.ke</u> |
| | Service Provider: |
| | Attention: |
| | Email address |
| 2.1 | The date on which this Contract shall come into effect Upon contract signing |
| 2.2.2 | The Starting Date for the commencement of Services is Upon contract signing or any other date as specified by both parties in writing |
| 2.3 | The contract period shall be three (3) years, but renewable annually upon satisfactory performance and mutual agreement. |
| | The parties will review the contractual engagement after the first year before committing to the subsequent years |
| 6.3.2 | Performance Security |
| | Shall be at 10% of the Order Value where the order value is above Five Million Kenya Shillings. Performance security shall be on per Order basis and from a reputable bank licensed by Central Bank of Kenya. Supplier shall provide a Proforma with Delivery Duration, against which a |
| | Purchase Order and Performance Security will be executed. |

| Number of GCClause | Amendments of, and Supplements to, Clauses in the General Conditions ofContract |
|------------------------|---|
| | The performance security shall remain valid for 30 days beyond the validity of the contract. |
| | The Performance Security shall be in the form of: an on-Demand Bank Guarantee from a bank registered by Central Bank of Kenya |
| | The Performance security shall be denominated in the currency of the contract. |
| 6.5 | Payment Terms. |
| | KenGen's payment terms are thirty (30) days upon receipt of certified invoices and service entry sheets confirming that the invoiced services have been performed, inspected and accepted in accordance with the contract. |
| | Payment shall be through Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT). |
| | Advance Payment: |
| | Advance Payment shall not be applicable. |
| Prices | Prices |
| | • Prices shall remain fixed for the first one (1) year of the three-year contract period. |
| | • The parties will review the contractual engagement after the first year before committing to the subsequent years. |
| Delivery | Delivery period |
| | The services shall be delivered within one month and 'as and when required' from the contract signature date. |
| Contract Duration | The contract period shall be Three (3) Years , but renewable annually upon satisfactory performance and mutual agreement. |
| | The parties will review the contractual engagement after the first year before committing to the subsequent years |
| Inspection and Test | Pre-shipment inspection All consignments subject to Pre-Export Verification of Conformity (PVoC) to Standards Programme must obtain a Certificate of Conformity (CoC) issued by PvoC Country Offices Prior to shipment. The Certificate is a mandatory Customs Clearance document in Kenya. |
| | Consignments arriving at Kenyan Ports without this document will be denied entry into the Country. Since PVoC is a conformity assessment process to verify that products imported to Kenya are in compliance with the applicable Kenya standards or approved equivalents, regulations and technical requirements before shipment, it is the sole responsibility of the supplier (i.e. exporter) to demonstrate the same and hence meet any associated costs of verification. |
| Resolution of | Resolution of disputes |
| disputes | • The procuring entities and the contractor shall make every effort to resolve to be amicably by direct informal negotiations any disagreement or dispute arising between them under or in connection with the contract |
| Arbitration | Arbitration where necessary shall be by the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators Kenya Chapter |
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| Governing | Governing Language |
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| Language | The contract shall be written in the English language. All correspondence and other documents pertaining to the contract, which are exchanged by the parties, shall be written in the same language. |
| Taxes | a) "Taxes" means all present and future taxes, levies, duties, charges, assessments, deductions or withholdings whatsoever, including any interest thereon, and any penalties and fines with respect thereto, wherever imposed, levied, collected, or withheld pursuant to any regulation having the force of law and "Taxation" shall be construed accordingly. |
| | b) Local Taxation i. Nothing in the Contract shall relieve the Contractor and/or his Sub-Contractors from their responsibility to pay any taxes, statutory contributions and levies that may be levied on them in Kenya in respect of the Contract. |
| | ii. The Contract Price shall include all applicable taxes and shall not be adjusted for any of these taxes. |
| | iii. Tax exemption granted under this Contract shall be for an official aid funded project and shall be as provided under the applicable tax laws in Kenya. |
| | iv. The Contractor shall be deemed to be familiar with the tax laws in the Employer's Country and satisfied themselves with the requirements for all taxes, statutory contributions and duties to which they may be subjected during the term of the Contract. This shall include applicable local or foreign withholding tax, excise duty, Value Added Tax (VAT), importation duties, Local government taxes, and any other taxes not mentioned herein. |
| | v. In instances where discussions are held between the Employer and the Contractor regarding tax matters, this shall not be deemed to constitute competent advice and hence does not absolve the Contractor of their responsibility in relation to due diligence on the tax issue as per (i). |
| | c) Tax Deduction |
| | i. If the Employer is required to make a tax deduction by Law, then the deduction shall be made from payments due to the Contractor and paid directly to the Kenya Revenue Authority. The Employer shall upon remitting the tax to Kenya Revenue Authority furnish the Contractor with the relevant tax deduction certificates. |
| | ii. Where payments for the Contract Price are made directly by the financiers to the Contractor, the Contractor and the financiers shall make the necessary arrangements with Employer to ensure that withholding income tax is remitted to the Kenya Revenue Authority. |
| | d) Tax Indemnity |
| | i. The Contractor shall indemnify and hold the Employer harmless from and against any and all tax liabilities, which the Employer may incur for any reason of failure by the Contractor to comply with any tax laws arising from the execution of the Contract whether during the term of the Contract or after its expiry. |
| Gen Public | i. The Contractor warrants to pay the Employer (within fourteen (14) |

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| | | days of demand by the Employer), an amount equal to the loss, liability or cost which the Employer determines has been (directly or indirectly) suffered by the Employer for or on account of the Contractor's Tax liability arising from the Contract. |
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| i | iii. | Where the amount in (ii) above remains unpaid after the end of the fourteen (14) days moratorium, the Employer shall be entitled to compensation for financing charges. |

C. FORMS

SECTION X ~CONTRACT FORMS

FORM NO. 1 ~ PERFORMANCE SECURITY – (Unconditional Demand Bank Guarantee)

[Guarantor letterhead or SWIFT identifier code]

Beneficiary: ______ [insert name and Address of Procuring Entity]

Date:_____[Insert date of issue]

PERFORMANCE GUARANTEE No.:

- 1. We have been informed that _________ (hereinafter called "the Applicant") has entered into Contract No. ________ with the Beneficiary, for the execution of ________ (herein after called "the Contract").
- 2. Furthermore, we understand that, according to the conditions of the Contract, a performance guarantee isrequired.

document accompanying or identifying the demand, stating that the Applicant is in breach of its obligation(s) under the Contract, without the Beneficiary needing to prove or to show grounds for your demand or the sum specified therein.

- 4. This guarantee shall expire, no later than the....Day of....., $2...^2$, and any demand for payment under it must be received by us at this office indicated above on or before that date.
- 5. The Guarantor agrees to a one-time extension of this guarantee for a period not to exceed *[six months] [one year],* in response to the Beneficiary's written request for such extension, such request to be presented to the Guarantor before the expiry of the guarantee."_____

[Name of Authorized Official, signature(s) and seals/stamps]

Note: All italicized text (including footnotes) is for use in preparing this form and shall be deleted from the final product.

¹The Guarantor shall insert an amount representing the percentage of the Accepted Contract Amount specified in the Letter of Acceptance, less provisional sums, if any, and denominated either in the currency(ies) of the Contract or a freely convertible currency acceptable to the Beneficiary.

²Insert the date twenty-eight days after the expected completion date as described in GC Clause 11.9. The Procuring Entity should note that in the event of an extension of this date for completion of the Contract, the Procuring Entity would need to request an extension of this guarantee from the Guarantor. Such¹² request must be in writing and must be made prior to the expiration date established in the guarantee. In preparing this guarantee, the Procuring Entity might consider adding the following text to the form, at the end of the pen ultimate paragraph: "The Guarantor agrees to a one-time extension of this guarantee for a period not to exceed [six months] [one year], in response to the Beneficiary's written request for such extension, such request to be presented to the Guarantor before the expiry of the guarantee."

FORM No. 2 ~ PERFORMANCE SECURITY OPTION 2 – (Performance Bond)

[Note: Procuring Entities are advised to use Performance Security–Unconditional Demand Bank Guaranteeinstead of Performance Bond due to difficulties involved in calling Bond holder to action]

[Guarantor letterhead or SWIFT identifier code] Beneficiary: [insert name and Address of Procuring Entity] Date:_____[Insert date of issue]

PERFORMANCE BOND No.:

Guarantor: [Insert name and address of place of issue, unless indicated in the letterhead]

1. By this Bond_____as Principal (hereinafter called "the

Contractor") and ______] as Surety (herein after called "theSurety"), are held and firmly bound unto] as Obligee (herein after called "the Procuring Entity") in the amount of _______ for the payment of which sum well and truly to be made in thetypes and proportions of currencies in which the Contract Price is payable, the Contractor and the Surety bind themselves, their heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

thereto, which to the extent herein provided for, are by reference made part hereof and are herein after referred to as the Contract.

- 3. NOW, THEREFORE, the Condition of this Obligation is such that, if the Contractor shall promptly and faithfully perform the said Contract (including any amendments thereto), then this obligation shall be null andvoid; otherwise, it shall remain in full force and effect. Whenever the Contractor shall be, and declared by the Procuring Entity to be, in default under the Contract, the Procuring Entity having performed the Procuring Entity's obligations there under, the Surety may promptly remedy the default, or shall promptly:
 - 1) Complete the Contract in accordance with its terms and conditions; or
 - 2) Obtain a tender or tenders from qualified tenderers for submission to the Procuring Entity for completing the Contract in accordance with its terms and conditions, and upon determination by the Procuring Entity and the Surety of the lowest responsive Tenderers, arrange for a Contract between such Tenderer, and Procuring Entity and make available as work progresses (even though there should be a default or a succession of defaults under the Contract or Contracts of completion arranged under this paragraph) sufficient funds to pay the cost of completion less the Balance of the Contract Price; but not exceeding, including other costs and damages for which the Surety may be liable here under, the amount set forth in the first paragraph hereof. The term "Balance of the Contract Price," as used in this paragraph, shall meanthe total amount payable by Procuring Entity to Contractor; or
 - 3) pay the Procuring Entity the amount required by Procuring Entity to complete the Contract in accordance with its terms and conditions up to a total not exceeding the amount of this Bond.
- 4. The Surety shall not be liable for a greater sum than the specified penalty of this Bond.
- 5. Any suit under this Bond must be instituted before the expiration of one year from the date of the issuing of the Taking-Over Certificate. No right of action shall accrue on this Bond to or for the use of any person or corporation other than the Procuring Entity named herein or the heirs, executors, administrators, successors, and assigns of the Procuring Entity.

| 6. | In testimony whereof, the Contractor has hereunto set his hand and affixed I has caused these presents to be sealed with his corporate seal duly attested I legal representative, thisdayof20 | / | | - |
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FORM NO. 3 ~ ADVANCE PAYMENT SECURITY[Demand Bank Guarantee]

[Guarantor letter head or SWIFT identifiercode] [Guarantor letter head or SWIFT identifier code]

Beneficiary: _____ [Insert name and Address of Procuring Entity]

Date:_____[Insert date of issue]

ADVANCE PAYMENTGUARANTEE No.: [Insert guarantee reference

number] Guarantor: [Insert name and address of place of issue, unless indicated in the letterhead]

- 1. We have been informed that _________ (hereinafter called "the Applicant") has entered into Contract No. ________ dated _______ with the Beneficiary, for the execution of _________ (herein after called "the Contract").
- 2. Furthermore, we understand that, according to the conditions of the Contract, an advance payment in the sum

_____() is to be made against an advance payment guarantee.

- 3. At the request of the Applicant, we as Guarantor, hereby irrevocably undertake to pay the Beneficiary any sumor sums not exceeding in total an amount of _____0^I upon receipt by us of the Beneficiary's complying demand supported by the Beneficiary's statement, whether in the demand itself or in a separate signed document ac companying or identifying the demand, stating either that the Applicant:
 - a) Has used the advance payment for purposes other than the costs of mobilization in respect of the Works; or
 - b) has failed to repay the advance payment in accordance with the Contract conditions, specifying theamount which the Applicant has failed to repay.
- 4. A demand under this guarantee may be presented as from the presentation to the Guarantor of a certificate from the Beneficiary's bank stating that the advance payment referred to above has been credited to the Applicant on its account number___at
- 5. The maximum amount of this guarantee shall be progressively reduced by the amount of the advance paymentrepaid by the Applicant as specified in copies of interim statements or payment certificates which shall be presented to us. This guarantee shall expire, at the latest, upon our receipt of a copy of the interim payment certificate indicating that ninety (90)percent of the Accepted Contract

Amount, less provisional sums, has been certified for payment, or on the day of 2^{2} , whichever is earlier. Consequently, any demand for payment under this guarantee must be received by us at this office on or before that date.

6. The Guarantor agrees to a one-time extension of this guarantee for a period not to exceed *[six months]* /*[one year],* in response to the Beneficiary' s written request for such extension, such request to be presented to the Guarantor before the expiry of the guarantee.

[Name of Authorized Official, signature(s) and seals/stamps]

Note: All italicized text (including footnotes) is for use in preparing this form and shall be deleted from thefinal product.

¹ The Guarantor shall insert an amount representing the amount of the advance payment and denominated²: KenGen Public

either in the currency(ies) of the advance payment as specified in the Contract, or in a freely convertible currency acceptable to the Procuring Entity.

² Insert the expected expiration date of the Time for Completion. The Procuring Entity should note that in the event of an extension of the time for completion of the Contract, the Procuring Entity would need to request an extension of this guarantee from the Guarantor. Such request must be in writing and must be made prior to the expiration date established in the guarantee. In preparing this guarantee, the Procuring Entity might consider adding the following ext. to the form, at the end of the penultimate paragraph: "The Guarantor agrees to a one-time extension of this guarantee for a period not to exceed [six months] [one year], in response to the Beneficiary's written request for such extension, such request to be presented to the Guarantor before the expiry of the guarantee."

FORM NO. 4 BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP DISCLOSURE FORM

(Amended and issued pursuant to PPRA CIRCULAR No. 02/2022)

 Tender Reference No.:
 [insert identification no] Name of the

 Tender Title/Description:
 [insert name of the assignment] to:

 name of Procuring Entity]

In response to the requirement in your notification of award dated <u>[insert date of notification of award]</u> to furnish additional information on beneficial ownership: <u>[select one option as applicable and delete the options that are not applicable]</u>

I) We here by provide the following beneficial ownership information.

| | Details of all Beneficial Owners | | % of voting rights a person holds in the company | Whether a person directly or indirectly holds a right to appoint or remove a member of the board of directors of the company or an equivalent governing body of the Tenderer (Yes / No) | Whether a person directly or indirectly exercises significant influence or control over the Company (tenderer) (Yes / No) |
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| 1. | Full Name National identity card number or Passport number | Direct ly - % of shares | Directly % of voting rights Indirectly % of | 1. Having the right to appoint a majority of the board of the directors or an equivalent governing body of the Tenderer: | 1. Exercise s significant influence or control over the Company body of the Company (tenderer) |
| KenGen | Personal Identificati on Number (where applicable) Public | Indire ctly - % | voting rights | YesNo 2. Is this right held directly or indirectly?: | YesNo- 12(|

Details of beneficial ownership

| | Details of all Beneficial Owners | % of shares a person holds in the comp any Direct ly or indire ctly | % of voting rights a person holds in the company | Whether a person directly or indirectly holds a right to appoint or remove a member of the board of directors of the company or an equivalent governing body of the Tenderer (Yes / No) | Whether a person directly or indirectly exercises significant influence or control over the Company (tenderer) (Yes / No) |
|----|---|--|--|--|---|
| | NationalityDate of birth [dd/mm/y yyy]Postal addressResidential addressResidential addressTelephone numberEmail addressOccupatio n or profession | of shares | | Direct Indirect | 2. Is this influence or control exercised directly or indirectly? Direct Indirect |
| 2. | Full NameNational identity card number or Passport numberPersonal Identificati on Number (where applicable)Nationality (ies)Date of birth [dd/mm/y yyy]Postal address | Direct ly - % of shares Indire ctly - % of shares | Directly % of voting rights Indirectly ~% of voting rights | 1. Having the right to appoint a majority of the board of the directors or an equivalent governing body of the Tenderer: YesNo 2. Is this right held directly or indirectly?:DirectIndirect | Exercise s significant influence or control over the Company body of the Company (tenderer) Yes Is this influence or control exercised directly or indirectly? Direct |

| | Details of all Beneficial Owners | | % of shares a person holds in the comp any Direct ly or indire ctly | % of voting rights a person holds in the company | Whether a person directly or indirectly holds a right to appoint or remove a member of the board of directors of the company or an equivalent governing body of the Tenderer (Yes / No) | Whether a person directly or indirectly exercises significant influence or control over the Company (tenderer) (Yes / No) | |
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II) Am fully aware that beneficial ownership information above shall be reported to the Public Procurement Regulatory Authority together with other details in relation to contract awards and shall be maintained in the Government Portal, published and made publicly available pursuant to Regulation 13(5) of the Companies (Beneficial Ownership Information) Regulations, 2020.(Notwithstanding this paragraph Personally Identifiable Information in line with the Data Protection Act shall not be published or made public). *Note that Personally Identifiable Information (PII) is defined as any information that can be used to distinguish one person from another and can be used to deanonymize previously anonymous data. This information includes National identity card number or Passport number, Personal Identification Number, Date of birth, Residential address, email address and Telephone number.*

III) In determining who meets the threshold of who a beneficial owner is, the Tenderer must consider a natural person who in relation to the company:

- (a) holds at least ten percent of the issued shares in the company either directly or indirectly;
- (b) exercises at least ten percent of the voting rights in the company either directly or indirectly;
- (c) holds a right, directly or indirectly, to appoint or remove a director of the company; or
- (d) exercises significant influence or control, directly or indirectly, over the company.
- IV) What is stated to herein above is true to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

KenGen Public

Name of the person duly authorized to sign the Tender on behalf of the Tenderer: ** [insert complete name of person duly authorized to sign the Tender]

Designation of the person signing the Tender: [insert complete title of the person signing the Tender]

Date this [insert date of signing] day of...... [Insert month], [insert year]

Bidder Official Stamp