

# TENDER NUMBER: NPSC/OT/T13/2022~2025 TENDER NAME: PROVSION FOR INSTALLATION/CONFIGURATION, TESTING, COMMISSIONING AND SUPPORT OF AN INTERNET CONNECTIVITY SERVICE FOR THE NPSC HEADQUARTERS AND THE REGIONAL OFFICES.

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#### INVITATION TO TENDER

# PROCURING ENTITY: NATIONAL POLICE SERVICE COMMISSION, SKY PARKPLAZA, WOODVALE CLOSE, WESTLANDS NAIROBI

CONTRACT NAME AND DESCRIPTION: PROVSION FOR INSTALLATION/CONFIGURATION, TESTING, COMMISSIONING AND SUPPORT OF AN INTERNET CONNECTIVITY SERVICE FOR THE NPSC HEADQUARTERS AND THE REGIONAL OFFICES.

- 1. The National Police Service Commission invites sealed tenders for the provision for installation/configuration, testing, commissioning and support of an internet connectivity service for the NPSC headquarters and the regional offices for one year renewable yearly up to a maximum of three years subject to satisfactory performance.
- 2. Tendering will be conducted under open competitive tendering method using a standardized tender document and is open to all qualified and interested Tenderers.
- 3. Qualified and interested tenderers may obtain further information and inspect the Tender Documents during office hours Monday to Friday between 0900hrs and 1600hrs at the address given below. Tender documents may be viewed and/or downloaded from the <u>www.npsc.go.ke or</u> Public Procurement Information Portal <u>www.tenders.go.ke</u>
- 4. Tender documents may be viewed and downloaded for free from the <u>www.npsc.go.ke</u> or <u>www.tenders.go.ke</u>. Tenderers who download the tender document and intend to submit a bid must forward their particulars immediately to procurement@npsc.go.ke or Manager, Supply Chain Management Service 2<sup>nd</sup> floor Sky Park Plaza, Woodvale close Westlands to facilitate any further clarification or addendum.
- 5. All Tenders must be accompanied by Original tender security (Bid bond) of Kenya Shillings 250,000.00 in form of a Demand Bank guarantee from a bank recognized by the Central Bank of Kenya and operating in Kenya, valid for (120 days).
- 6. The Tenderer shall chronologically serialize all pages of the tender documents submitted.
- 7. Completed tenders must be delivered to the address below on or before 31<sup>st</sup> May, 2023 Electronic Tenders will not be permitted.
- 8. Completed tenders are to enclosed in plain sealed envelope, marked with the tender number and name and be deposited in the Tender Box at the reception area, NPSC Headquarters, Nairobi, or be addressed to;

The CS / CEO National Police Service Commission, P.O. Box 47636 – 00100

- 9. So as to be received on or before 31<sup>st</sup> May, 2023 at 10.00 am. Tenders that do not fit in the tender box shall be deposited at the Manager, Supply Chain Management office, 2<sup>nd</sup> floor.Late tenders will be rejected.
- 10. Tenders will be opened immediately thereafter in the presence of the Tenderers' designated representatives who choose to attend at the address below:

The CS / CEO National Police Service Commission,P.O. Box 47636 – 00100 Sky Park Plaza, Westland 2<sup>nd</sup> floor

#### PART 1 ~ TENDERING PROCEDURES

#### SECTION I ~INSTRUCTIONS TO TENDERERS

#### A. General

#### 1. Scope of Tender

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

#### 2. Throughout this tendering document:

#### 2.1 The terms:

- a) The term "in writing" means communicated in written form (e.g., by mail, e-mail, fax,including if specified **in the TDS**, distributed or received through the electronic-procurement system used by the Procuring Entity) with proof of receipt;
- b) if the contexts or esquires, "singular" means "plural" and vice versa; and
- c) "Day" means calendar day, unless otherwise specified as "Business Day". A Business Day is 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

- 3.1 The Procuring Entity requires compliance with the provisions of the Public Procurement and Asset 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 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.
- 3.2 The Procuring Entity requires compliance with the provisions of the Competition Act 2010, regarding collusive practices in contracting. Any tenderer found to have engaged in collusiveconduct shall be disqualified and criminal and/or civil sanctions may be imposed. To this effect, Tenders shall be required to complete and sign the "Certificate of Independent TenderDetermination" annexed to the Form 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 firmany unfair competitive advantage over competing firms.
- 3.4 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 competitiveadvantage 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 wouldgive such firm unfair competitive advantage over competing firms.

#### 4. Eligible Tenderers

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

(including Activities Schedules, Performance Specifications and Drawings) for the Non-Consulting Services 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 Procuring Entity 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 provided or were provided by any affiliate that directly or indirectly controls, is controlled by, or is under common 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 documents, as the case may be. This criterion also shall apply to the determination of the nationality of

during such period of sanctioning. The list of debarred firms and individuals is available at the PPRA Website <u>www.ppra.go.ke</u>

- 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 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

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 is be provided in *"SECTION III- EVALUATION AND QUALIFICATION CRITERIA, Item 9"*.
- 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 less than 51 percent 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 shall not 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 of 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 should be 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)
- viii) Section VIII ~ Contract Forms
- 6.2 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.
- 6.3 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.

6.4 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 the Site 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 the Tenderer'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 shallbe 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 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 ProcuringEntity shall not be responsible or liable for those costs, regardless of the conduct or outcome of the Tenderingprocess.

#### 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;
  - b 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'squalifications 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 orto be paid to 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 to be paid to agents or any other party relating to this Tender.

#### 15 Alternative Tenders

- 15.1 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.
- 15.2 When alternative times for completion are explicitly invited, a statement to that effect will be included **in the TDS** and the method of evaluating different time schedules will be described in Section III, Evaluation and Qualification Criteria.
- 15.3 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 Conditions of Contract and / or Special Conditions of Contract. The Tenderer shall submit 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.

#### 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 notrestrictive. The Tenderer may offer other standards of quality provided that it demonstrates, to the Procuring Entity'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 potentialconflict 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 Entity may request in relation to ownership and control which information information submitted by a tenderer pursuant to these requirements, then the tender will be rejected.

on any changesto 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

- 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.
- 20.2 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 made in 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-responsive or 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 PPRA debars 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.
- 21.10 A 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 shall submit copies of the Tender, in the number specified **in the TDS**, and clearly marked as "Copies. "In the event of 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 each person 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.

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#### 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 date for Tender opening date. Within the single envelope, package or container, the Tenderershall place the following separate, sealed envelopes:
  - a. in an envelope or package or container marked "ORIGINAL", all documents comprising the Tender, as described 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 required copies 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 assume no 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.

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- 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 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 behalf of 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

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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 be disclosed to Tenderers or any other persons not officially concerned with the Tendering process until information on the Intention 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.

- 31.1 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 the Procuring Entity and may not subsequently be made responsive by correction of the material deviation, reservation, or omission.
- 31.5 Provided that a Tender is substantially responsive, the Procuring Entity may waive any nonconformity in the Tender.
- 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 nonconformities 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 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 to disqualification 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 f 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.
- 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

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#### 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 the estimated 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 competition 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 Procuring Entity 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. In case 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 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 transmitthe Letter of Award 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 partiesmeeting 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 successful Tenderer, 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 VIII, Contract Forms, or another Form acceptable to the Procuring Entity. If the Performance Security furnished by the 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 the following 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
  - 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 not agreed 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 amend the provisions in the Instructions to Tenderers (ITT). Whenever there is a conflict, the provisions here in shall prevail over those in ITT.

[Where a new-procurement system is used, modify the relevant parts of the TDS accordingly to reflect thee-procurement process].

[Instructions for completing the Tender Data Sheet are provided, as needed, in the notes in italics mentioned for the relevant ITT].

ITT Reference				
	A. General			
ITT 1.1	<ul> <li>The Procuring Entity is: NATIONAL POLICE SERVICE COMMISSION</li> <li>The name of the ITT is: PROVSION FOR INSTALLATION/CONFIGURATION, TESTING,</li> <li>COMMISSIONING AND SUPPORT OF AN INTERNET CONNECTIVITY SERVICE FOR THE NPSC</li> <li>HEADQUARTERS AND THE REGIONAL OFFICES.</li> <li>The number and identification of lots (contracts) comprising this ITT is: NPSC/OT/T13/2022-2025</li> </ul>			
ITT 2.1(a)	Not applicable			
ITT 2.2	The Intended Completion Date is The contract will run for one year renewable yearly up to a maximum of three years subject to satisfactory performance from date of contract signing.			
ITT 3.3	Information that any unfair competitive advantage over competing firms is as follow: Bidders shall be required to fill and sign FORM SD2 (Self-Declaration that the tenderer will not engage in any corrupt or fraudulent practice			
ITT 3.4	Not applicable			
ITT 4.1	Not applicable			
	B. Contents of Tendering Document			
ITT 8.1	Bidder conference shall be held at NPSC Headquarters on: 24 <sup>th</sup> May,2023 at 10:00 am			
ITT 8.2	The Tenderer will submit any request for clarifications in writing to National Police Service Commission through <u>procurement@npsc.go.ke</u> to reach the Procuring Entity not later than seven (7) days prior to the deadline for submission of tenders. NPSC shall reply to any clarifications sought by the tenderer within three (3) working days excluding weekends/public holidays of receiving the request to enable the tenderer to make timely submission of its tender.			
ITT 8.4	Minutes of the pre-Tender meeting and the pre-arranged pretender visit of the site of the works shall be published on the NPSC website			
	C. Preparation of Tenders			
ITT 13.1 (i)	The Tenderer shall submit the following additional documents in its Tender: <i>As indicated in the evaluation criteria</i> Other documents required are : indicated in the evaluation criteria			

ITT Reference	PARTICULARS OF APPENDIX TO INSTRUCTIONS TO TENDERS			
<b>ITT</b> 15.1	Alternative Tenders Shall NOT be considered			
IIT 15.2	Not applicable			
IIT 15.3	Not applicable			
ITT 16.7	The prices quoted by the Tenderer shall NOT be subject to adjustment during the performance of the Contract.			
ITT 20.1	Tenders shall remain valid for a period of 120 days from the date of closing the tender. Tenders valid for a shorter duration shall be rejected			
ITT 21.1	A Tender Security Tenderers shall submit an original tender security (Bid bond) amounting to Kenya Shillings 250,000.00 in form of a Demand Bank guarantee from a bank licensed and operating in Kenya.			
	A Tender-Securing Declaration- Not applicable			
ITT 21.3 (a)	Not applicable			
<b>FTT 22.1</b>	In addition to the original of the Tender, the number of copies is: ONE			
ITT 22.3	The written confirmation of authorization to sign on behalf of the Tenderer MUST be submitted in the form of a Power of Attorney.			
	D. Submission and Opening of Tenders			
ITT 24.1	For Tender submission purposes only, the Procuring Entity's address is: National Police Service Commission Sky Park Plaza, Woodvale close, Westlands P.O Box 47363-00100 2 <sup>nd</sup> floor			
ITT 27.1	The Tender opening shall take place at: National Police Service Commission Sky Park Plaza, Woodvale close, WestlandsP.O Box 47363-00100 2 <sup>nd</sup> floor 31 <sup>st</sup> May, 2023 at 10.00 am			
ITT 27.6	The Form of Tender and priced schedule of requirements shall be initialed by ONE (1) Representative of the Tenderer who is authorized to sign the document.			
	E. Evaluation and Comparison of Tenders			
ITT 31.7	For comparison purposes only, to reflect the price of a missing or non-conforming item or component in the manner specified as follows: The adjustment shall be based on the price of the item or component as quoted in other substantially responsive Tenders. If the price of the item or component cannot be derived from the price of other substantially responsiveTenders, the Procuring Entity shall use its best estimate. <i>Not applicable</i>			
ITT 33.1	Prices shall be quoted in Kenya Shillings.			

ITT Reference	PARTICULARS OF APPENDIX TO INSTRUCTIONS TO TENDERS	
ITT 31.7	The tender price shall be fixed	
ITT 33.1	The currency that shall be used in Tender submission, evaluation and comparison purposesonly; <b>KENYA SHILLINGS</b>	
ITT 34.1	Margin of preference shall be not allowed.	
ITT 34.2	Tender is open to all	
ITT 35.2 (d)	Additional evaluation factors shall be; As indicated in the evaluation criteria	
	F. Award of Contract	
ITT 43	The award criteria is lowest evaluated price	
ITT 49.1	In case of a dispute between the service provider and the employer, thesame shall be resolved amicably between the parties in the first instance failure to which the dispute shall be referred for arbitration as per provisions of the Arbitration Act of 1995 before a single arbitrator to be agreed on by the parties and in failure of such an agreement by the Chairperson for the time being of the chartered institute of Arbitrators Kenya branch and any award given shall be final.	
ITT 50.1	The procedures for making a Procurement-related Complaint are available from the PPRA Website <u>www.ppra.go.ke</u> or email <u>complaints@ppra.go.ke</u> . If a Tenderer wishes to make a Procurement-related Complaint, the Tenderer shouldsubmit its complaint following these procedures, in writing (by the quickest means available, that is either by hand delivery or email	

#### SECTION III - EVALUATION AND QUALIFICATION CRITERIA

#### **<u>1.</u>** PRELIMINARY EVALUATION

The following will be mandatory requirements. Failure to provide any of them will automatically lead to thefirm being non responsive.

No.	Criteria	R/NR
1.	Copy of Certificate of Registration/Incorporation	
2.	Copy of Valid Tax Compliance Certificate	
3.	Copy of Valid business license permit from the County Government	
4.	Dully filled, signed and stamped Confidential Business Questionnaire	
5.	Dully filled, signed and stamped Integrity Declaration form in theformat provided	
6.	Dully filled, signed and stamped Non-Debarment Statement in the format provided	
7.	Fully filled Form of Tender in the format provided	
8.	Fully filled Price Schedule in the format provided	
9.	Evidence of physical address (attach documentary evidence in form of lease agreement or payment for utilities e. g. Land rates, water bills, electricity bills, e.t.c)	
10.	Copy of PIN/VAT certificate	
11.	Provide tender security of ksh 250,000 in form of a Demand Bank guarantee from a bank licensed and operating in Kenya.	
12.	Copy of ISP license of Tier-One and/or Tier-two Unified Service Provider licensed by Communications Authority (CA) of Kenya as a 'National Network Facilities Provider' (NNFP) (Attach Proof of Valid Licensing)	
13.	Copy of CR12 from registrar of companies that is within 6(six)months of tender issuance	
14.	Each page of the document must be paginated, serialized and initialized. i.e. (1 of x,2 of x,3 of x) where x is the total number of pagers	
	FINAL DETERMINATION (R/NR)	

Note:

- The successful tenderers (those that have passed the mandatory requirements) will be proceeding to the technical evaluation
- Please note submitting false information is an offence and the NPSC may initiate debarment of a supplier by PPRA.

### TECHNICAL EVALUATION

The total technical score is 100%. The minimum score required to proceed to the financial stage is 80%.

Item	Technical	Point	Max.
		Scored	Points
1.	Audited accounts for the last 3 years (2019 to 2021).		
	By a registered Auditor/Firm with a valid practicing		15
	license/certificate from ICPAK		
2.	Demonstrate Countrywide Network Coverage of at least 70% 3G,4G, 5G, Fibre or any other Fixed Wireless Technology or any other Connectivity Technologies with 99.99 % Uptime (Provide Proof of Network Coverage from Communication Authority of Kenya)		10
	(Network Coverage=5mks)		
	Bidder to provide a Minimum of 10 Public IPs for Web applications (Public IPs=5Mks)		
3.	The ISP MUST have trouble ticketing tool for call logging, monitoring and troubleshooting purpose and the same should be accessed through the network by NPSC. (Provide Screen Shot as evidence)		10
	Bidder MUST configure and set up a user-friendly Network Management Tool/Monitoring Tool and provide access to NPSC to monitor Internet Bandwidth utilization. (Provide monitoring tools to be used and Access levels)		
4.(a)	The ISP/Bidder MUST Provide NPSC HQ Primary Link dedicated 100Mbps/100Mbps Uplink/Downlink backbone network with a Backup Link for Load Balancing (Equivalent to		5
	subscribed bandwidth) for full redundancy with at least two (2) multiple networks e.g., TEAMS, SEACOM, EASSY etc. (Attach evidence)		
(b)	The Internet Solution MUST support MPLS Links to NPSC Regional Offices (Mombasa 20Mbps/ Garissa 10Mbps/ Kakamega 10Mbps/Kisumu 20Mbps/Nakuru 20Mbps/Nyeri 20Mbps) And Provide HQ MPLS Backhaul Link aggregate at 100Mbps- (Clearly Demonstrate Solution architecture/Technology for maximum Points)		5
5.	Provide CVs with details of at least 4 Technical staff members to carry out implementation and maintenance:		
	Project Leader:		

1		L	1
	i. Must have at least 3 years' experience or at least		
	having worked on three (3) projects of implementing and maintaining internet systems. (Each year of experience/Each project experience in = $1$ -mark, Total Max 3 marks. O marks for		
	experience below 3 years) (Max 3 Marks)		
	ii. Must at least have a Degree in Computer		
	Science, Information Technology, electrical engineering or related field. 2 marks. (Max. 2Marks)		
	iii. Master's Degree in Computer Science, Information Technology, electrical engineering or related field (an added advantage) = 2 marks (Max. 2 Marks)		20
	iv. C i s c o CCIE Professional Certification =2 marks(Max. 2 Max)		
	v. IEEK/EBK certified Engineer in Electronics, computer science or electrical (Attach IEEK/EBK Certificate(s) = 2marks (Max. 2 Marks)		
	TOTAL MAX. MARKS FOR TEAM LEADER = $11$		
	Technical Staff: 3		
	i. Experience or at least having worked in implementing and maintaining internet systems projects. (Each year of experience/ Each project experience in = 1 mark per technician, Total Max for all technicians = 3 marks. O marks for experience below 1 year (Max. 3 Marks)		
	ii. Must at least have a Degree/Diploma in Computer Science, Information Technology or related field. Each degreeor diploma = 1 mark per technician, Total Max for all technicians = 3 marks. (Max. 3 Marks)		
	iii. Cisco CCNP Professional Certification. Each professional certification = 1 mark per technician, Total Max for all technicians = 3 marks. (Max. 3Marks)		
	TOTAL MAX. MARKS FOR TECHNICAL STAFF = 9		
7.	• The bidder should provide a detailed presentation		-
	Document/Architecture Design of the proposed		5
	connection model for internet showing routes (Fiber,		
	Radio, etc)		
	• Demonstrate Secure and Direct Connection to Cloud Servers.		
	• Demonstrate Unified Threat Management (UTM) Services.		
	Demonstrate Anti-DDOS (Defense Against Distributed		
	Denial of Service)		
	(Documentation on Architecture Design=3mks)		
	(Demonstration of Security Solution=2mks).(Max. 5Mks)		
	Reputation Experience/Similar Works		

8.	Give at least five (5) customer references in respect to similar services offered and of similar value (KES) or above; attach relevant document e.g. relevant pages of contracts, copies of LPO/LSO with Invoice & Delivery Note and reference letters attached.	
	1 LPO/Contract0 Mark	
	2 LPO/Contract ~~~4 Marks	
	3 LPO/Contract ~~~6 Marks	10
	4 LPO/Contract~~~8 Marks	10
	5 or above LPO/Contract ~~~10 Marks	
9.	Bidders to provide evidence that they are the <b>sole provider</b> of the internet connection and Not leasing/Not Partnering from any other Internet Service Provider locally in KENYA. i.e. they should have their own network and internet infrastructure locally in Kenya. The bidder should be a Tier one and Tier two service provider in internet service provision hierarchy. (Attach evidence)	5
10.	A clear organizational escalation matrix should be given For $24/7$ Support and Uptime.	5
11.	Provide a clear Proposed project implementation plan with clearly indicated timelines and Phases. Bidders to provide relocation costs of NPSC Headquarters Internet Link from Skypark Plaza (Westlands) to CBK Pension Towers (Nairobi CBD), As and when required.	5
12.	Bidders to indicate Service Level Agreement (SLA) terms and conditions that would be applicable to proposed service, in terms of availability, packet loss, and latency. Attach a proposed SLA covering these specifications.	5
	Total Score (Points / Marks)	 100

(The **PASS MARK** For the Technical Evaluation is 80%. Bidders who pass at this stage will proceed to the Financial Evaluation.)

## FINANCIAL EVALUATION

- Upon completion of the technical evaluation, the evaluation committee shall conduct a comparison of the bid prices for the technically responsive bids that score 80% and above. The tender will be awarded to the lowest evaluated most responsive tender.
- N/B: All prices quoted must be VAT inclusive at the applicable rates and all other applicable levies

Note

• Pursuant to clause 2.24.20 on post qualification, the Commission may seek confidential information on the validity and authenticity of the documents submitted by the tenderer to the lowest evaluated bidder prior to tender award.

#### 1. FORM OF TENDER

#### INSTRUCTIONS TO TENDERERS

- *i)* The Tenderer must prepare this Form of Tender on stationery with its letterhead clearly showing the Tenderer's complete name, contacts and business address.
- *ii)* All italicized text is to help Tenderer in preparing this form.
- *iii)* Tenderer must complete and sign CERTIFICATE OF INDEPENDENT TENDERDETERMINATION and the SELF DECLARATION OF THE TENDERER attached to this Form of Tender.
- iv) TheFormofTendershallincludethefollowingFormsdulycompletedandsignedbytheTenderer.
  - a) Tenderer's Eligibility-Confidential Business Questionnaire
  - b) Certificate of Independent Tender Determination
  - c) Self-Declaration of the Tenderer

Date of this Tender submission: [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 f or

an 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 Kenyain 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: <u>[insert the total price of the Tender in words</u> <u>and figures, indicating the various amounts and the respective currencies</u>]; Or

Option 2, in case of multiple lots:(a)Total price of each lot[*insert the total price of each lot in wordsand figures, indicating the various amounts and the respective currencies*]; and (b) Total price of alllots (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 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) a s 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 nota state-owned enterprise or institution] / [We are a state-owned enterprise or institution but meet the requirements of ITT 4.6];
- *1)* **Commissions, gratuities and fees:** We have paid, or will pay the following commissions, gratuities, orfees 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

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

- *a)* [Delete if not appropriate, or amend to suif]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, noncollusive 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 inPublic 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 anyconflict 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 inany 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 Tenderer ......\*[insert complete name of person signing the Tender]

Signature of the person named above......[insert signature of person whose name and capacity are shown above]

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 ifTender is a JV.* Tenderer is further reminded that it is an offence to give false information on thisForm.

a)	TENA	DESCRIPTION
	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	Full Address and Contact Details of the Tenderer.	<ol> <li>Country</li> <li>City</li> <li>Location</li> <li>Building</li> <li>Floor</li> <li>Postal Address</li> <li>Name and email of contact person.</li> </ol>
6	Current Trade License Registration Number and Expiring date	
7	Name, country and full address ( <i>postal and physical</i> <i>addresses, email, and</i> <i>telephone number</i> ) of Registering Body/Agency	
8	Description of Nature of Business	
9	Maximum value of business which the Tenderer handles.	
1 0	State if Tenders Company is listed instock exchange, give name and full address ( <i>postal</i> <i>and physical addresses, email,</i> <i>and telephone 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.
  - i) Private or public Company \_\_\_\_\_
  - ii) State the nominal and issued capital of the Company-Nominal Kenya Shillings (Equivalent)
     Issued Kenya Shillings (Equivalent)
  - iii) Give details of Directors as follows.

	Names of Director	Nationality	Citizenship	% Shares owned
1				
2				
3				

### e) 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 under common 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 consultantin 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- consulting services 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
8	with aprofessional staff of the Procuring Entity who would be involved in the implementation or supervision of the

	Type of Conflict	Disclosure YES OR NO	If YES provide details of therelationship with Tenderer
	Contract.		
9	Has the conflict stemming from such relationship stated initem 7 and 8 above been resolved in a manner acceptable to the Procuring Entity throughout the tendering process and execution of the Contract?		

## f) Certification

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

Full Nam e

Title or Designati on

(Signature)

(Date)

## ii) CERTIFICATE OF INDEPENDENT TENDER DETERMINATION

I, the undersigned, in submitting the accompanying Letter of Tender to he

		[Name of Procuring Entity] for: [Name and number of tender] in response to the request
		rs made by: [Name of Tenderer] do hereby make the following s that I certify to be true and complete in every respect:
State	linem	s that i certify to be true and complete in every respect.
I cer that	• /	on behalf of [Name of Tenderer]
1.	I ha	we read and I understand the contents of this Certificate;
2.		derstand that the Tender will be disqualified if this Certificate is found not to be e and complete inevery respect;
3.		n the authorized representative of the Tenderer with authority to sign this tificate, and to submit the Tender on behalf of the Tenderer;
4.	"co	the purposes of this Certificate and the Tender, I understand that the word mpetitor" shall include any individual or organization, other than the Tenderer, ether or not affiliated with the Tenderer, who:
	a)	Has been requested to submit a Tender in response to this request for tenders;
	b)	could potentially submit a tender in response to this request for tenders, based on their qualifications, abilities or experience;
5.	The	Tenderer discloses that [check one of the following, a s applicable]:
	a)	The Tenderer has arrived at the Tender independently from, and without consultation, communication, agreement or arrangement with, any competitor;
	b)	the Tenderer has entered into consultations, communications, agreements or arrangements with one or more competitors regarding this request for tenders, and the Tenderer discloses, in the attached document(s), complete details thereof, including the names of the competitors and the nature of, and reasons for, such consultations, communications, agreements or arrangements;
6.	abo	particular, without limiting the generality of paragraphs(5)(a) or (5)(b) we, there has been noconsultation, communication, agreement or angement with any competitor regarding:
	a)	prices;
	b)	methods, factors or formulas used to calculate prices;
	c)	the intention or decision to submit, or not to submit, a tender; or
	d)	the submission of a tender which does not meet the specifications of the request for Tenders; except asspecifically disclosed pursuant to paragraph (5) (b) above;
7.	with of t aut	addition, there has been no consultation, communication, agreement or arrangement h any competitor regarding the quality, quantity, specifications or delivery particulars he works or services to which this request for tenders relates, except as specifically horized by the procuring authority or as specifically disclosed pursuant to paragraph (b) above;
8.	Ten ten	terms of the Tender have not been, and will not be, knowingly disclosed by the derer, directly or indirectly, to any competitor, prior to the date and time of the official der opening, or of the awarding of the Contract, which ever comes first, unless otherwise uired by law or as specifically disclosed pursuant to paragraph (5) (b) above.

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, ..... being a resident of ..... being a resident of ..... do hereby make a statement asfollows:-

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

.....*(insert name of the Procuring entity)* and duly authorized and competent to makethis statement.

- 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)

(Sig nature) (Date)

**Bidder Official Stamp** 

#### FORM SD2

# SELF DECLARATION THAT THE PERSON/TENDERER WILL NOT ENGAGE IN ANY CORRUPTOR FRAUDULENT PRACTICE

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

..... *(insert name of the Company)* who is a Bidder in respect of TenderNo.....

- 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.
- *3.* THAT the aforesaid Bidder, its servants and/or agents /subcontractors have not offered any inducement to any member of the Board, Management, Staff and/or employees and/or agents of ...... (name of the 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) (Signatu re) (Date)

Bidder's Official Stamp

### DECLARATION AND COMMITMENT TO THE CODE OF ETHICS

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			
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Position	• • • • • • • • • • •		
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(Compan	y Seal/ Ri	abber Stamp where	e applicable)
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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 engaged in 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:
  - 1) A person to whom this Act applies shall not be involved in any corrupt, coercive, obstructive, collusive or 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 sub-section 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 remedythe procuring entity may have;
- 3. An employee or agent of the procuring entity or a member of the Board or committee of the procuring entity who 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 of tenders 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 under that subsection, but for that subsection, would have been within his or her duties shall disclose the conflict of interest to the procuring entity;
- 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 or recklessly 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 from disclosing 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 forthfor fraudulent and collusive practices as follows:

"fraudulent practice" includes a misrepresentation of fact in order to influence a procurementor disposal process or the exercise of a contract to the detriment of the procuring entity or thetenderer 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 to deprive he procuring entity of the benefits of free and open competition.

- c) Rejects a proposal for award<sup>1</sup> 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, Subconsultants, Service providers, Suppliers, Agents personnel, permit the PPRA or any other appropriate authority appointed by Government of Kenya to inspect<sup>2</sup>all accounts, 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 processand contract execution have not engaged/will not engage in any corrupt or fraudulent practices.

<sup>1</sup>For 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.

<sup>2</sup> Inspections in this context usually are investigative (i.e., forensic) in nature. They involve factfinding 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 interviewing staff and other relevant individuals; performing physical inspections and site visits; and obtaining third party verification of information.

## 2. TENDERER INFORMATION FORM

		erer shall fill in this Form in accordance with the instructions indicated below. No s toits format shall be permitted and no substitutions shall be accepted.]	
Dates		[insert date (as day, month and year) of Tender submission]	
ITT N	Jo	[insert number of Tendering process]	
Alter	native	e No:[insert identification No if this is a Tender for an alternative]	
1.	Tenderer's Name:		
2.	In ca <i>in JV</i>	se of JV, legal name of each member <i>[insert legal name of each member ]</i>	
3.		lerer's actual or intended country of registration <i>[insert actual or intended ntry of registration]</i>	
4. regis	Tend tratio	lerer's year of registration: <i>[insert Tenderer's year of n]</i>	
5.		lerer's Address in country of registration <i>[insert Tenderer's legal address puntry of registration]</i>	
6.	Tend	lerer's Authorized Representative Information	
	Nam	e:[insert Authorized Representative's name]	
	Addr	ress[insert Authorized Representative's Address]	
		phone[insert Authorized Representative's telephone/fax [bers]	
	Emai	il Address:	
7.	Attac docu	ched are copies of original documents of	
	a	rticles of Incorporation (or equivalent documents of constitution or association), nd/or documents of registration of the legal entity named above, in accordance with ITT 4.4.	
	Ir	n case of JV, Form of intent to form JV or JV agreement, in accordance	
	W	vith ITT 4.1.In case of state-owned enterprise or institution, in accordance	
	W	vith ITT4.6 documents establishing:	
	i)	Legal and financial autonomy	
	ii	) Operation under commercial law	
	ii	i) Establishing that the Tenderer is not under the supervision of the agency of the Procuring Entity	
		current tax clearance certificate or tax exemption certificate in case of Kenyan enderers issued 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 (Optional)

[The Tenderers hall fill in this Form in accordance with the instructions indicated below. The following table shall be 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.

## 4. FORM OF TENDER SECURITY~ [Option 1-Demand Bank Guarantee]-Mandatory

Date

- 1. We have been informed that \_\_\_\_\_\_(here inafter called "the Applicant") has submitted or will submit to the Beneficiary its Tender (here inafter 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 sum or 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 ("the Tender ValidityPeriod"), 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 any extension thereto 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 (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 onor before that date.

[signature(s)]

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

## 5. 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 shallbe prepared for each item of equipment listed, or for alternative equipment proposed by the Tenderer.

Item of equip	ment		
Equipmen t	Name of manufacturer	Model and power rating	
informatio n	Capacity	Year of manufacture	
Current status	Current location		
	Details of current commitments		
Source	Indicate source of the equipment	eased	

Omit the following information for equipment owned by the Tenderer.

Owner	Name of owner		
	Address of owner		
	Telephone	Contact name and title	
	Fax	Telex	
Agreements	Details of rental / lease / manufacture a	ntal / lease / manufacture agreements specific to the project	

## 6. 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: Contractor's Representative				
	Name of candidate				
	Duration of appointment:	[insert the whole period (start and end dates) for which this position will be engaged]			
	Time commitment:for this position:	[insert the number of days/week/months/ that has been scheduled for this position]			
	Expected time schedule for this	[insert the expected time schedule for this position (e.g. attach high level Ganttchart]			
	position:				
2.	Title of position: /	1			
4.	Name of candidate	/ 			
	Duration of	<i>[insert the whole period (start and end dates) for which this</i>			
	appointment:	position will be engaged			
	Time commitment:for	[insert the number of days/week/months/ that has been scheduled for this			
	this position:	position]			
	Expected time	[insert the expected time schedule for this position (e.g. attach			
	schedule for this position:	high level Ganttchart]			
3.	Title of position: /	]			
	Name of candidate	Name of candidate:			
	Duration of	[insert the whole period (start and end dates) for which this			
	appointment:	position will be engaged			
	Time commitment:for this position:	[insert the number of days/week/months/ that has been scheduled for this position]			
	Expected time schedule for this	[insert the expected time schedule for this position (e.g. attach high level Ganttchart]			
	position:				
4.	Title of position: /	1			
4.	Name of candidate:				
	Duration of appointment:	[insert the whole period (start and end dates) for which this position will be			
	Time commitment:for	engaged] [insert the number of days/week/months/ that has been scheduled for this			
	this position:	position]			
	Expected time schedule for	[ <i>insert the expected time schedule for this position (e.g. attach high level Ganttchart</i> ]			
	thisposition:				
5.	Title of position: // Name of candidate	9			
	Duration of appointment:	[insert the whole period (start and end dates) for which this position will be engaged]			
	Time commitment:for this position:	[insert the number of days/week/months/ that has been scheduled for this position]			

Expected time schedule for	[insert the expected time schedule for this position (e.g. attach high level Ganttchart]
thisposition:	

## 7. FORM PER~2:

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

Name of Tenderer

Position [# 7]:	[ [title of position from Form	1 PER~ 1]	
Personnel information	Name:	Date of birth:	
	Address:	E-mail:	
	Professional qualifications	:	
	Academic qualifications:		
	Language proficiency: <i>[language and levels of speaking, reading and writing skills]</i>		
Details			
	Address of Procuring Entit	y:	
	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 experience relevant to the project.

Project	Role	Duration of involvemen t	Relevant experience
[main projec t details ]	[role and responsibilities on theproject]	[time in role]	<i>[describe the experience relevant to thisposition]</i>

#### 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 FormPER-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 duration of contract:	[insert period (start and end dates) for which this Contractor's 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: [insert

name]

Signature:

\_\_\_\_\_Date:

(day month year):

Countersignature of authorized representative of

the Tenderer:Signature:

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

## ~1.1 Tenderer

## Information Form

Date:

ITT No. and title:\_\_\_\_\_

Tenderer's name

In case of Joint Venture (JV), name of each member:

Tenderer's actual or intended country of registration:

[indicate country of Constitution]

Tenderer's actual or intended year of incorporation:

Tenderer's legal address [in country of registration]:

Tenderer'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/ordocuments of registration of the legal entity named above, in accordance with ITT 4.4

In case of JV, letter 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 ITT 4.6, documentsestablishing:

- Legal and financial autonomy
- Operation under commercial law
- Establishing that the Tenderer is not under the supervision of the Procuring Entity

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

## 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 registrationdocuments of the legal entity named above, i	

 $\Box$  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.

## Historical Contract Non-Performance, Pending Litigation and Litigation History

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

Contract(s) not performed since 1<sup>st</sup> 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)
[inser t year]	[insert amount and percentage]	Contract Identification: <i>[indicate complete contract name/number, and any other identification]</i> Name of Procuring Entity: <i>[insert full name]</i> Address of Procuring Entity: <i>[insert full name]</i>	[insert amount]
		<pre>street/city/country] Reason(s) for nonperformance: [indicate main reason(s)]</pre>	

□ 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 disput e	Amount indispute (currenc y)	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:	
		Contract Identification:	
		Name of Procuring	
		Entity: Address of	
		Procuring Entity:Matter	
		in dispute:	
		Party who initiated the	
		dispute: Status of dispute:	
Litigation	History in acc	ordance with Section III, Evaluation and Q	Qualification Criteria

□ 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 Contract Identification Total Contract	Criteria, Su	$D^{-1}actor 2.4 as m$		
award     percentage     Amount(currency),       ofNet Worth     Kenya Shilling       Equivalent     (exchange rate)	Year of award	percentage	Contract Identification	Amount(currency), Kenya Shilling Equivalent

Year of disput e	Amount indispute (currenc y)	Contract Identification	Total Contract Amount (currency), Kenya Shilling Equivalent (exchange rate)
[inser tyear]	[insert percentage ]	Contract Identification: [indicate complete contract name, number, andany other identification] Name of Procuring Entity: <i>[insertfull name]</i> Address of Procuring Entity: <i>[insertstreet/city/country]</i> Matter in dispute: <i>[indicate mainissues in dispute]</i> Party who initiated the dispute: <i>[indicate "Procuring Entity" or"Contractor"]</i> Reason(s) for Litigation and awarddecision <i>[indicate main reason(s)]</i>	[insert amount]

## Financial Situation and Performance

### Financial Data

Type of Financial	Historic i	nformation fo	or previous	years	2
informationin (currency)	(amount in currency, currency, exchange rate*, USD equivalent)				
(currency)					
	- Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5
	I'cui i	I cui 2	i cui b	I cui I	icai b
Statement of Financial Position	(Informat	ion from Bal	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	1				
Cash Flow from OperatingActivities					
e permitigne triffice					

\*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 contract commitments.

No.	Source of finance	Amount (Kenya Shillingequivalent)
1		
2		
3		

## Financial documents

The Tenderer and its parties shall provide copies of financial statements for \_\_\_\_\_years pursuantSection 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 statements<sup>1</sup> for the \_\_\_\_\_years required above ; and complying with the requirements

#### 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				

## 15. 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 Contrac t	Procurin g Entity's Contact Address,Tel,	Value of Outstanding Work [Current Kenya Shilling /month Equivalent]	Completion	Average Monthly InvoicingOver Last Six Months [Kenya Shilling /month)]
1					
2					
3					
4					
5					

## 1. 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:	[insert Authorized Representative's telephone/fax numbers]
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.]

DATE OF TRANSMISSION:	
Procuring Entity	[insert the name of the Procuring Entity]
Contract title	[insert the name of the contract]
ITT No:	[insert ITT reference number from Procurement Plan]

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 pricewas 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]
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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]

### 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 yourwritten 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 for debriefing asfollows:

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 within five (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 in writing 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 Complaintas 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 to 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 Tender in this tendering process, and is the recipient of a Notification of Intention to Award.
- 2 The complaint can only challenge the decision to award the contract.
- 3. You must submit the complaint within the period stated above.
- 4. You must include, in your complaint, all of the information required to support the 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 <u>complaints@ppra.go.ke</u> 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 to Award.

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 contact us.

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

.....AP

#### PLICANTAND

Request for review of the decision of the..... (Name of the Procuring Entity of ......dated the...day of

#### **REQUEST FOR REVIEW**

I/We,the above named Applicant(s), of address: Physical addressP. O. Box No
NoEmail, 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
FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY Lodged with the Secretary Public Procurement Administrative Review Board on day

of .....20......

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/*forexecutionofthe/*nameoftheContractandidentificationnumber, as given in the Special Conditions of Contract/* for the Contract Price of the equivalent of *[amount in numbers and words]* [*nameof 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 VIII, Contract Forms, of the tender document.

Please return the attached Contract dully signed

AuthorizedSignature:.....

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Name and Title of Signatory:.....

Name of Agency:....

Attachment: Contract

#### FORM OF CONTRACT /Form head 4

#### paper of the Procuring Entity/LUMP

#### SUMREMUNERATION

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 "ProcuringEntity") and, on the other hand, a joint venture consisting of the following entities, each of which will be jointly 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

- The Procuring Entity has requested the Service Provider to provide certain Services as defined in a) the General 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:

- The following documents shall be deemed to form and be read and construed as part of this 1. Agreement, and the priority of the documents shall be as follows:
  - The Form of Acceptance; a)
  - The Service Provider's Tender b)
  - The Special Conditions of Contract: c)
  - d) The General Conditions of Contract;
  - The Specifications; e)
  - The Priced Activity Schedule; and f)
  - The following Appendices: [Note: If any of these Appendices are not used, the words "Not Used" g) 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 Services AppendixB: Schedule of Payments Appendix C: Subcontractors Appendix D: Breakdown of Contract Price Appendix E: Services and Facilities Provided by the Procuring Entity

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

INWITNESSWHERE OF, the Parties here to have caused this Contract to be signed in their respective names as of the dayand year first above written.

For and on behalf of [name of Procuring Entity]

[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 Bank

Guarantee Form in accordance with the instructions indicated.] [Guarantor Form

head or SWIFT

identifier code]

 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 the name 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 Tender guarantee.

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 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 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 on or before that date.

This guarantee is subject to the Uniform Rules for Demand Guarantees (URDG) 2010 Revision, ICC Publication No. 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 addressof 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.

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) haswithdrawnitsTenderduringtheperiodofTendervaliditysetforthinthePrincipal'sF ormofTender("the TenderValidityPeriod").oranyextensiontheretoprovidedbythePrincipal;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 the irrespective names this

\_\_\_\_\_day of \_\_\_\_\_20\_\_\_\_.

Principal:\_\_\_\_\_Corporate Seal (where appropriate)

Surety:\_\_\_\_\_

(Signature)

(Signature)

(Printed name and title)

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# PART II – PROCURING ENTITY'S REQUIREMENTS

### SECTION V ~ SCHEDULE OF REQUIREMENTS

# INTERNET BANDWIDTH PROVISION~ THREE (3) YEAR FRAMEWORK

National Police Service Commission (NPSC) intends to acquire the services of an Internet Service Provider (ISP) in Supply, installation, configuration, bandwidth provision and technical support of an internet link for its headquarters and the Regional Offices.

In line with the principle of a fully managed service, NPSC require that the bidder is responsible for operation, maintenance and fault correction of the internet bandwidth that they are contracted to provide. In order to carry out this responsibility, the bidder must offer to NPSC a Service Level Agreement (SLA) as an integral part of the service, which details the compliance with technical requirements and service levels, together with penalties and compensation for non-compliance.

The Commission desires to get a provider for 100MBPS internet bandwidth for its HQ offices and Back up link of the same capacity. The Bidder MUST as well demonstrate clearly the Provision of MPLS Loop links to the Regional Offices provided in the Technical Specifications. The Commission is running several KEY online applications from its HQ offices, which will be able to run in the regional offices as a single LAN. These applications have continuously attracted heavy traffic for users. These applications are accessed via the LAN/WLAN by our Regional/Branch offices and their uptimes is expected to be at 99.99% availability.

The tender is open to ONLY licensed Data Networks Operators with appropriate and recognized accreditations. The successful bidder must be a licensed Data Networks Operator with adequate capacity and extensive experience in installation and support of enterprise Critical Mission Internet infrastructure. The bidder must provide adequate evidence of ability to install an Internet bandwidth link of the said capacity.

A detailed list of at least five (5) top corporate/public institutions, services offered, duration of service provision and a contact person from the corporate/public customer in each must be provided.

NPSC ICT Technical team requires overall access on performance monitoring of the Internet Link and status in 24/7 basis.

#### Technology

The proposed infrastructure must be able to support all common communication protocols and technologies such as IPV4 and IPV6, Voice and Video, etc.

#### Bandwidth

The proposed technology must be able to support at least 100MBPS and above.

#### **Terminating Equipment Type**

The Bidder will provide the Terminating equipment to be used for that purpose to complete the solution which should be compatible with capacity to take NPSC load at peak. This is the router.

# **Technical Specifications**

# A. Internet Link at NPSC HQS AND THE REGIONAL OFFICES

ITEM	EM Minimum Requirements		onse
		Complied	Not Complied
Internet Bandwidth Capacity	• NPSC HQs (Skypark Plaza/CBK Pension Towers), Dedicated 100Mbps/100Mbps uplink /downlink Symmetrical.		
	Backup/Redundancy solution 100Mbps     dedicated, for Load Balancing		
71	HQs MPLS Backhaul 100Mbps		

		<u>.                                    </u>
	<ul> <li>Branch/Regional Offices MPLS Loops ((Mombasa 20Mbps/ Garissa 10Mbps/ Kakamega 10Mbps/Kisumu 20Mbps/Nakuru 20Mbps/Nyeri 20Mbps)</li> </ul>	
Network Coverage	<ul> <li>Provision of Network coverage of over 70% countrywide. (Provide proof)</li> </ul>	
Quality of Service	• Guarantee 99.99% uptime.	
IP Addressing	<ul> <li>Capacity to carry IPV4 and IPV6.</li> <li>Provide Minimum of 10 Public Ips for web applications</li> </ul>	
Internet Security,	Secure and direct connection to Cloud servers and applications.	
Monitoring and Management	Unified Threat Management (UTM) Services	
	Anti-DDOS (Defense against Distributed Denial of Service) Services	
	• Configure a Network Management Tool /Monitoring Tool for NPSC to monitor internet bandwidth utilization.	
	• The setup MUST provide a user -friendly and client-based bandwidth management platform.	
Web Applications Configurations and features	<ul> <li>Minimum Ten (10) Public Ips for Server/Web applications.</li> <li>Scalability- The setup should allow easy addition and removal of tunnels of additional offices as well as variation of tunnels capacities</li> <li>Traffic prioritization – The setup must allow configuration of prioritizing between the data, voice, video and traffic based on protocol</li> <li>Quality of service (QOS)- The setup must be able to provide for configuration of QOS to enable smooth transfer of traffic such as voice and video.</li> <li>Capacity to create PTP Tunnels to Regional/County Headquarters.</li> </ul>	
ISP Licensing	• Tier-one (T-1) and/or Tier-Two (T-2) Service Provider licensed by Communication Authority of Kenya (CA) as "National Network facilities Provider" NNFP License (Attach proof of Licensing)	
Service Level Agreement	<ul> <li>Three (3) Years renewable Annually, Subject to Satisfactory performance.</li> <li>Demand for 24/7 access, Support and uptime.</li> </ul>	
Headquarter Campus Installation	<ul> <li>Bidders to provide relocation Costs from SkyPark Plaza (Westlands) to CBK Pension Towers (Nairobi CBD). AS and when required.</li> </ul>	

NOTES: ANY BIDDER WHO DOES NOT COMPLY WITH THE ABOVE SPECIFICATIONS WILL

# AUTOMATICALLY BE DISQUALIFIED.

#### Data Communication/ Link Unavailability

The data communication latency and delay must be in agreement with the generally acceptable delays for proper provision of service for various media. The link are deemed available only when bi-directional signal transmission is possible at a rate corresponding to the channel capacity of the link while meeting the prescribed SLA parameters; otherwise the link is considered to be "Unavailable".

The bidder will use reasonable endeavors to ensure that the link availability is maintained at the prescribed QoS levels. The link connectivity and the QoS levels will be monitored continuously. During every 24-hour period (starting with 00:00 hrs. till and ending with 00:00 hrs. next day), if there is a loss of connectivity (or poor QoS levels) for more than 59 minutes, NPSC will be entitled to claim the prorated charges for one day of the monthly fees as service credit.

#### **Expected** Outcome

The contractor is expected to provide 100MBPS internet bandwidth for a period of three (3) Years renewable annually subject to satisfactory performance.

#### Warranty Periods

a. The service provider will be responsible for the comprehensive maintenance and servicing during the three (3) year's period from acceptance, installation & testing of software/hardware.

b. The service provider will do preventive maintenance for upkeep of their System to run efficiently.

c. 99.99% Uptime shall be calculated as: (Total Time – Down Time) X 100 / Total Time.

Deduction in payment will be made for downtime in the quarterly bills raised by the ISP.

d. The response time for attending the faults will be with immediate effect after they are reported to the service provider. The service provider will rectify the faults within 2 hours failing which; the service provider will arrange temporary replacements.

The services shall be provided 24 hours & 7 days in a week.

#### Training and documentation

This should entail a detailed documentation for all the implementations clearly showing the various protocols used, IP addresses, connections and any other relevant information during the implementation.

#### NPSC Responsibilities:

- 1. NPSC will be responsible for the provision of suitable electric power in the
- sites i.e. NPSC HQ and the Regional offices, where the Internet and back up links will be installed. 2. The bandwidth will be signed off after TWO weeks of continuous testing.
- The bandwidth will be signed on after TwO weeks of continuous testing. However, the billing commencement date will only be after the connectivity is operating to the satisfaction of NPSC and per the terms of reference to the bid document.

#### Bidder's Responsibilities

- 1. All of the administrative and logistics support involved with the installation and maintenance of this network will be the responsibility of the service provider.
- 2. The successful Bidder shall bear the sole responsibility for any arrangements required to fulfill the contract.
- 3. The Bidder will be responsible for the procurement of all component parts and ancillary materials required to establish the internet link and shipment to installation sites.
- 4. The Bidder should provide a minimum of one-year warranty for any supplied equipment.
- 5. The Bidder should make the necessary precautions for electrical grounding/lightening protection of the provided equipment if necessary.
- 6. Bidder is responsible for directly billing the NPSC for payment of monthly recurring expenses for the bandwidth. The billing shall be on a quarterly basis.
- 7. Bidder is responsible for knowledge transfer to at least 3 NPSC technical staff on how to effectively manage the implemented Internet bandwidth.

#### ISP will be required to sign Service Level Agreement having the following:

- a. Internet bandwidth at all the time (Amount to be fixed).
- b. Packet Losses: Less than 1 % (Average over 1000 ping) at any given point of time to any part of globe.
- c. Internet availability: More than 99.99 % uptime per month.
- d. Reports for performance, monitoring/usage to be submitted by the ISP on monthly basis or as per requirement of NPSC.

In case of the above parameters going out of specifications, NPSC will be compensated adequately in respect of the extended time for the loss of hours in service. Also, if services are not found satisfactory, NPSC reserves the right to cancel the contract with one-month notice.

# IMPLEMENTATION/ COMPLETION OF WORK PROGRAM:

Phase/ Stages	Tasks	Date
Phase 1: Analysis:	<ul> <li>a) Project Planning</li> <li>b) Conduct Solutions Overview</li> <li>c) Gather Business Requirements</li> <li>d) Conduct Fit Gap Analysis</li> </ul>	
Phase 2: Design, Develop and Implement	<ul><li>a) Conduct and implement</li><li>b) Conduct pilot on solution workability</li></ul>	
Phase 3: Integration	<ul><li>a) Finalize Configuration and set up</li><li>b) Finalize on customization and Integration</li></ul>	
Phase 4: Deployment and Implementation	<ul><li>a) Documentation and Technical Drawings.</li><li>b) Conduct User Training</li><li>c) Commissioning</li></ul>	
Phase 5: Support	a. Support and Maintenance	

NOTES: BIDDERS ARE PERMITTED TO SUGGEST THE BEST IMPLEMENTATION MODEL FOR SUCCESSFUL COMPLETION OF THE PROJECT.HOWEVER THIS DOES NOT CONSTITUTE AN AWARD OF MARKS.

# PRICE SCHEDULE FORM.

# A. NAIROBI HEADQUARTERS

ITEM	REGION	LINK CAPACITY	UNIT PRICE
1	Primary Link	100Mbps	
2	Backup Link-	100Mbps	
1	Any Other Additional Requirements		
	SUB TOTAL		

# **B.** Regional Office MPLS Links.

ITEM	REGION	MPLS LINK CAPACITY	UNIT PRICE
1	Mombasa Office-RC Building	20Mbps	
2	Garissa Office-RC Building	10Mbps	
3	Kakamega Office-RC Building	20Mbps	
4	Nakuru Office-RC Building	20Mbps	
5	Kisumu Office (RPC Nyanza Office) <i>Tentative</i>	20Mbps	
6	Nyeri Office (RPC Central office) <i>Tentative</i>	10 Mbps	
7	Any Other Additional Requirements		
TOTAL	TOTAL PRICE		

# NOTE:

1. TERMINATING EQUIPMENT SPECIFICATIONS: Bidder to quote separately.

2. Indicate ONE-OFF SET UP COSTS AND RECURRING COSTS Separately

3 All prices and taxes quoted should be inclusive of VAT.

Signature & Rubber Stamp of Bidder

# PART III – CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT AND CONTRACT FORMS

#### SECTION VI ~ GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT

#### A. General

#### **Provisions** Definitions

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

- a) The Adjudicator is the person appointed jointly by the Procuring Entity and the Service Provider to resolve disputes in the first instance, as provided for in Sub-Clause8.2 hereunder.
- b) "Activity Schedule" is the priced and completed list of items of Services to be performed by the Service Provider formingpart of his Tender;
- c) "Completion Date" means the date of completion of the Services by the Service Provider as certified by the ProcuringEntity
- d) "Contract" means the Contract signed by the Parties, to which these General Conditions of Contract (GCC) are attached, together with all the documents listed in Clause 1 of such signed Contract;
- e) "Contract Price" means the price to be paid for the performance of the Services, in accordance with Clause 6;
- f) "Day works" means varied work inputs subject to payment on a time basis for the Service Provider's employees and equipment, in addition to payments for associated materials and administration.
- g) "Procuring Entity" means the Procuring Entity or party who employs the Service Provider
- h) "Foreign Currency" means any currency other than the currency of Kenya;
- i) "GCC" means these General Conditions of Contract;
- j) "Government "means the Government of Kenya;
- k) "Local Currency "means Kenya shilling;
- 1) "Member," in case the Service Provider consist of a joint venture of more than one entity, 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;
- m) "Party" means the Procuring Entity or the Service Provider, as the case maybe, and "Parties" means both of them;
- n) "Personnel" means persons hired by the Service Provider or by any Subcontractor as employees and assigned to the performance of the Services or any part there of;
- o) "Service Provider" is a person or corporate body whose Tender to provide the Services has been accepted by the Procuring Entity;
- p) "Service Provider's Tender" means the completed Tendering Document submitted by the Service Provider to the Procuring Entity
- q) "SCC" means the Special Conditions of Contract by which the GCC may be amended or supplemented;
- r) "Specifications" means the specifications of the service included in the Tendering Document submitted by the ServiceProvider to the Procuring Entity
- s) "Services" means the work to be performed by the Service Provider pursuant to this Contract, as described in Appendix A; and in the Specifications and Schedule of Activities included in the Service Provider's Tender.
- t) "Subcontractor" means any entity to which the Service Provider subcontracts any part of the Services in accordance with the provisions of Sub-Clauses3.5and4;
- u) "Public Procurement Regulatory Authority (PPRA)" shall mean the Government Agency responsible for oversight of public procurement.
- v) "Project Manager" shall the person appointed by the Procuring Entity to act as the Project 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 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 language for 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 have been made whendelivered in person to an authorized representative of the Party to whom the communication is addressed, or when sent by registered mail, hand delivery, or email to such Party at the address **specified in the 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 f 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 **specified in 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 pursuantto 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 **statedin 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 approval a Program showing the general methods, arrangements order and timing for all activities. The 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 becomes effective, or atsuch 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 the Intended 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 the Services 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 cyclecosts, 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 percentage specified 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" meansaneventwhich 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 alternative measures in order to carry out the terms and conditions of this Contract, and(b)

has informed the other Party as soon as possible about the occurrence of such an 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 Service Provider shallbe 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 ServiceProvider, 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 inwriting;
- 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 inparagraph2.2a. 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, suchnotice 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 Activity 81

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 at all times support and safeguard the Procuring Entity's legitimate interests in any dealings with Subcontractors or 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,andtheServiceProvidershallnotacceptfortheir 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 Provider shall 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 public employees' 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 insurance has been taken out and maintained and that the current premiumshave 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 and Subcontractors"),
- 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 B in 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.

#### 3.8.2Correction 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.

#### 3.8.3Lack 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 Formof 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 Completion Date 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 toagents 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

The Service Provider shall conform to the sustainable procurement contractual provisions, if and as 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 better qualifications.
- b) If the Procuring Entity finds that any of the Personnel have (i) committed serious misconduct or have been charged with having committed a criminal action, or (ii) have reasonable cause to be dissatisfied with the performance 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 Provider such 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 ordecreases 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 or decreased 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 lump-sum 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-Clauses2.4 and 6.3.

#### 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.

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

6.3.1For the purpose of determining the remuneration due for additional Services as may be agreed

under Sub-Clause 2.4, abreakdown of the lump-sum price is provided in Appendices D and E.

- 6.3.2If the SCC so specify, the service provider shall be paid performance incentive compensation asset out in the Performance Incentive Compensation appendix.
- 6.3.3Where 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 is worked out as follows: (corrected tender price-tender price)/tenderprice 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 eachContract 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".

 $A_c$ ,  $B_c$  and  $C_c$  are coefficients specified in the **SCC**, representing:  $A_c$  the non-adjustable portion;  $B_c$  the adjustable portion relative to labor costs and  $C_c$  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 prevailing28 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 loc is the index prevailing 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 paymenton the date of the base index, and Zn is the corresponding number of such currency units on the date of the current index.

6.6.2If 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 costs.

### 6.7 Day works

6.7.1If 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 be paid in that way.

- 6.7.2All 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-Clause 1.6 within two days of the Services being performed.
- 6.7.3The Service Provider shall be paid for Day works subject to obtaining signed Day works forms as indicated in Sub-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 the SCC**. 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 Entity considers 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 timespecified 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

- 8.1.1If 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.
- 8.1.2If the Contractor fails to give notice of a claim within such period of 28days, the Time for Completion shall not be 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.
- 8.1.3The 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.
- 8.1.4The Contractor shall keep such contemporary records as may be necessary to substantiate any claim, either on the 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-keeping and /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.
- 8.1.5Within 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 the Project Manager, the Contractor shall send to the Project Manager 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 amountclaimed, 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 event or 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 Manager shall respond with approval, or with disapproval and detailed comments. He may also request any necessary further particulars, but shall nevertheless givehis 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) inaccordance 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.
- 8.1.9 If the Project Manager does not respond within the time framed fined in this Clause, either Party may consider that the claim is rejected by the Project Manager and any of the Parties may refer to Arbitration in accordance withSub-Clause8.2 [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

- 8.2.1Notwithstanding 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) Whetherornotacertificatehasbeenimproperlywithheldorisnotinaccordance with these Conditions.
  - e) Any dispute arising in respect of war risks or war damage.
  - f) All other matters shall only be referred to arbitration after the completion or alleged completion 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

8.4.1Any claim or dispute between the Parties arising out of or in connection with the Contract not settled amicably in accordance with Sub-Clause 8.3 shall be finally settled by arbitration. Arbitration shall be conducted in accordance with the Arbitration Laws of Kenya.

- 8.4.2The 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.
- 8.4.3Neither 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 the services.
- 8.4.5The 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 onehalf 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 a person to be agreed between the parties. Failing agreement to concur in the appointment of an 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)

8.5.2The institution written to first by the aggrieved party shall take precedence over all other institutions.

- 8.5.3The 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.
- 8.5.4Provided that no arbitration proceedings shall be commenced on any claim or dispute where notice of a claim or dispute has notbeen given by the applying party within ninety days of the occurrence or discovery of the matter or issue giving rise to the dispute.
- 8.5.5Notwithstanding 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.
- 8.5.6The 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 any certificate.
- 8.5.7The 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.
- 8.5.8The 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 on 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 Appointing Authority **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

Number of GC Clause	Amendments of, and Supplements to, Clauses in the General Conditions of Contract
1.1(a)	The Adjudicator is -to be appointed in case of dispute
1.1(v)	Project Manager is – User department~ Deputy Director ICT
1.1(d)	The contract name is – <b>PROVSION FOR INSTALLATION/CONFIGURATION</b> <b>TESTING, COMMISSIONING AND SUPPORT OF AN INTERNET</b> <b>CONNECTIVITY SERVICE FOR THE NPSC HEADQUARTERS AND THE</b> <b>REGIONAL OFFICES.</b>
1.1(g)	The Procuring Entity is – National Police Service Commission
1.1(1)	The Member in Charge is – N/A
1.1(0)	The Service Provider is –To be determined
1.4	Address-National Police Service Commission Sky Park Plaza, Woodvale close, Westlands P.O Box 47363-00100 2nd floor
	Service Provider:         Attention:         Email address
1.6	The Authorized Representatives are: For the Procuring Entity; <b>Deputy Director ICT</b> For the Service Provider: Owner or one with power of Attorney
2.1	The date on which this Contract shall come into effect is ~ Immediately after signing the contract or as advised in writing during contract signing.
2.2.2	The Starting Date for the commencement of Services is - Immediately after signing the contract or as advised in writing during contract signing.
2.3	The Intended Completion Date is- for a period of three (3) Years renewable annually subject to satisfactory performance.
2.4.1	If the value engineering proposal is approved by the Procuring Entity the amount to be paid to the Service Provider shall be N/A
3.2.3	Activities prohibited after termination of this Contract are: As indicated by the PPAD Act 2015
3.5(d)	The other actions are –N/A
3.7	Restrictions on the use of documents prepared by the Service Provider are: For the intended purpose only
3.8.1	The liquidated damages rate is as indicated in the PPADA 2015 per day The maximum amount of liquidated damages for the whole contract is N/A percent of the final Contract Price.
3.8.3	The percentage N/A to be used for the calculation of Lack of performance Penalty(ies) is .

5.1	The assistance and exemptions provided to the Service Provider are: N/A		
Number of GC Clause	Amendments of, and Supplements to, Clauses in the General Conditions of Contract		
6.2(a)	The amount in Kenya Shillings of awarded tender price		
6.3.2	The performance incentive paid to the Service Provider shall be: N/A		
6.5	Payment shall be made within 60 days of receipt of the invoice and the relevant documents. Invoicing may be done on monthly or quarterly basis. If monthly at end of the month if quarterly at end of quarter		
6.6.1	Price adjustment is N/A in accordance with Sub-Clause 6.6. No price adjustment during the contract period		
7.1	The principle and modalities of inspection of the Services by the Procuring Entity are as follows: _ By Inspection and Acceptance Committee The Defects Liability Period is N/A.		
9.1	The designated Appointing Authority for a new Adjudicator is Both parties		
9.2	In case of a dispute between the service provider and the employer, the same shall be resolved amicably between the parties in the first instance failure to which the dispute shall be referred for arbitration as per provisions of the Arbitration Act of 1995 before a single arbitrator to be agreed on by the parties and in failure of such an agreement by the Chairperson for the time being of the chartered institute of Arbitrators Kenya branch and any award given shall be final.		
Number of GC Clause	Amendments of, and Supplements to, Clauses in the General Conditions of Contract		
6.2(a)	The amount in Kenya Shillings of awarded tender price		
6.3.2	The performance incentive paid to the Service Provider shall be: N/A		
6.5	Payment shall be made within <u>60</u> days of receipt of theinvoice and the relevant documents. Invoicing may be done on monthly or quarterlybasis. If monthly at end of the month if quarterly at end of quarter		
6.6.1	Price adjustment is $N/A$ in accordance with Sub-Clause 6.6. No price adjustment during the contract period		
7.1	The principle and modalities of inspection of the Services by the Procuring Entityare as follows: _ <i>By Inspection and Acceptance Committee</i> The Defects Liability Period is N/A.		
9.1	The designated Appointing Authority for a new Adjudicator is <i>Both parties</i>		
9.2	In case of a dispute between the service provider and the employer, the same shall be resolved amicably between theparties in the first instance failure to which the dispute shall be referred for arbitration as per provisions of the Arbitration Act of 1995 before a single arbitrator to be agreed on by the parties and in failure of such an agreement by the Chairperson for the time being of the chartered institute of Arbitrators Kenya branchand any award given shall be final.		

### C. <u>APPENDICES</u>

### Appendix A ~ Description of the Services

Give detailed descriptions of the Services to be provided, dates for completion of various tasks, place of performance for different tasks, specific tasks to be approved by Procuring Entity, etc.

#### Appendix B - Schedule of Payments and Reporting Requirements

List all milestones for payments and list the format, frequency, and contents of reports or products to be delivered; persons to receive them; dates of submission; etc. If no reports are to be submitted, state here "Not applicable."

#### Appendix C - Breakdown of Contract Price

List here the elements of cost used to arrive at the breakdown of the lump-sum price:

- 1. Rates for Equipment Usage or Rental or for Personnel (Key Personnel and other Personnel).
- 2. Reimbursable expenditures.

This appendix will exclusively be used for determining remuneration for additional Services.

#### Appendix D - Services and Facilities Provided by the Procuring Entity

#### D. FORMS

#### SECTION VIII ~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.:

We have been informed that (hereinafter called "the Applicant") has entered into Contract 1. No. 

- Furthermore, we understand that, according to the conditions of the Contract, a performance guarantee is 2. required.
- At the request of the Applicant, we as Guarantor, hereby irrevocably under take to pay the Beneficiary 3. any sum or sums not exceeding in total an amount of \_\_\_\_\_(), such sum being payable in the types and proportions

of currencies in which the Contract Price is payable, 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 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.

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

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>The 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.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Insert 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. 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 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 Guarantee instead of Performance Bond due to difficulties involved in calling Bond holder to action]

tdate 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 (	(here	einafter	called "t	he Coi	ntra <u>ct</u> oi	r") and
		]	as	Surety	(herein	after	called	"the
Surety"), an	reheld and firmly bound unto	]	as	Obligee	(herein	after	called	"the
Procuring 1	Entity") in the amount of							

for the payment of which sum well and truly to be made in the types 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.

- 2. WHEREAS the Contractor has entered into a written Agreement with the Procuring Entity dated the dayof\_\_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_, for\_\_\_\_\_\_ in accordance with the documents, plans, specifications, and amendments 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 and void; otherwise, it shall remain in fullforce 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 inaccordance 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 mean the total amountpayable 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 his seal, and the Surety has caused these presents tobe sealed with his corporate seal duly attested by the signature of his legal representative, this day\_of\_20\_.

SIGNED ON	on behalf of by
	in the capacity of In the
presence of	
SIGNED ON	on behalf of By
	in the capacity of In the
presence of	

### FORM NO. 3 ~ ADVANCE PAYMENT SECURITY [Demand Bank Guarantee]

[Guarantor letter head or SWIFT identifier code][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

0 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 sum or sums not exceeding in total an amount of \_\_\_\_()<sup>1</sup> 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 the amount 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 payment repaid 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,<sup>2</sup> 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 the final product.

<sup>1</sup>*The Guarantor shall insert an amount representing the amount of the advance payment and denominated either in the currency(ies) of the advance payment asspecified in the Contract, or in a freely* 

convertible currency acceptable to the Procuring Entity.

<sup>2</sup> 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."

#### INSTRUCTIONS TO TENDERERS: DELETE THIS BOX ONCE YOU HAVE COMPLETED THE FORM

This Beneficial Ownership Disclosure Form ("Form") is to be completed by the successful tenderer. In case of joint venture, the tenderer must submit a separate Form for each member. The beneficial ownership information to be submitted in this Form shall be current as of the date of its submission.

For the purposes of this Form, a Beneficial Owner of a Tenderer is any natural person who ultimately owns or controls the Tenderer by meeting one or more of the following conditions:

- Directly or indirectly holding 25% or more of the shares.
- Directly or in directly holding 25% or more of the voting rights.
- Directly or indirectly having the right to appoint a majority of the board of directors or equivalent governing body of the Tenderer.

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

to:

[insert complete name of Procuring Entity]

In response to your notification of award dated \_\_\_\_\_\_ *[insert date of notification of award]* to furnish additional information on beneficial ownership: \_\_\_\_\_\_ *[select one option as applicable and delete the optionsthat are not applicable]* 

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

Details of beneficial ownership

Identity of BeneficialOwner	Directly or indirectly holding 25% or more of the shares (Yes / No)	Directly or indirectly holding 25 % or moreof the Voting Rights (Yes / No)	Directly or indirectly having the rightto appoint a majority of the board of the directors or an equivalent governing body of the Tenderer (Yes / No)
[include full name (last, middle, first), nationality, country of residence]			

OR

*ii)* We declare that there is no Beneficial Owner meeting one or more of the following conditions: directly or indirectly holding 25% or more of the shares. Directly or indirectly holding 25% or more of the voting rights. Directly or indirectly having the right to appoint a majority of the board of directors or equivalent governing body of the Tenderer.

#### OR

We declare that we are unable to identify any Beneficial Owner meeting one or more of the following conditions. [If thisoption is selected, the Tenderer shall provide explanation on why it is unable to identify any Beneficial Owner]

Directly or indirectly holding 25% or more of the shares. Directly or indirectly holding 25% or more of the votingrights.

Directly or indirectly having the right to appoint a majority of the board of directors or equivalent

Name of the Tenderer......\*[insert complete name of the Tenderer]\_\_\_\_\_

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

*Title of the person signing the Tender ......[insert complete title of the person signing the Tender]*