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## NOTICE NO: 63/2015

### SUPPLY AND DELIVERY PERSONAL PROTECTIVE UNIFORM WHICH MEETS NFPA 1971, 2007 EDITION REQUIREMENTS FOR FIRE FIGHTERS

Closing Date	12 MAY 2015 @ 12:00
Location of Bid	Supply Chain Office, St. Croix Street, JBAY
Name of tendering firm:	
Contact Person (Full Names):	
Tel No.:	Cell No.:
Fax No.:	
Email:	
Supplier Database No.:	
Signature of Tenderer:	
Issued By:	
KOUGA LOCAL MUNICIPALITY	
PO Box 21	
JEFFREYS BAY , 6330	
Contact Person: Mr. D. BARNARD at Tel: 042 2910250 email:dbarnard@kouga.gov.za	

**NB: THIS TENDER WILL BE EVALUATED ON THE 80/20 POINT SCORING SYSTEM**

**PLEASE TAKE NOTE OF ALL LISTED INSTRUCTIONS AND COMMENT**

- NB: PLEASE ENSURE THAT YOU FAMILIARIZE YOURSELF WITH THE COMPLETE DOCUMENT AND SIGN ALL PAGES WHERE IT IS REQUIRED TO DO SO.
- ALL FORMS IN THIS DOCUMENT MUST BE COMPLETED AND SUBMITTED WITH THE RELEVANT DOCUMENTATION REQUIRED.
- DO NOT RE-TYPE THE PRICE SCHEDULE
- PLEASE BE ADVISED THAT A COPY OF A CERTIFIED COPY DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A CERTIFIED COPY.
- DO NOT USE CORRECTION FLUID ON THE DOCUMENT. IF ANY MISTAKES ARE MADE, PLEASE DRAW A LINE THROUGH IT AND INITIAL NEXT TO IT.
- PLEASE BE ADVISED IF YOUR DOCUMENTATION IS UP TO DATE ON THE SUPPLIER DATABASE THE BELOW MENTIONED LIST OF DOCUMENTATION DO NOT NEED TO BE SUBMITTED – **THIS DOES NOT APPLY TO THE MUNICIPAL BILLING CLEARANCE CERTIFICATE/LEASE AGREEMENT**
- DOCUMENT TO BE COMPLETED IN BLACK INK.
- ALL OTHER DOCUMENTS TO BE SUBMITTED FROM BIDDER WITHIN 7 DAYS OF REQUEST.( TIMEFRAME MAY ME REDUCED AS PER ARISING REQUIREMENT)

**NB. THESE DOCUMENTS MUST BE SUBMITTED. FAILURE TO COMPLY WILL RESULT IN NON ACCEPTANCE OF TENDER**

1. Company Registration Documents/ Formal Registration Documentation/ JV Agreements/Consortia/ Partnerships and Trust's – Applicable to all entities (ie. Companies, Public & Private Entities, Partnerships and Joint Ventures)

- Please Note: A CM9/ Name Change Document will not suffice as Proof of Business Registration.

2. Authorised Signatory

- (a) A copy of the recorded Resolution taken by the Board of Directors, members, partners or trustees authorising the representative to submit this bid on the bidder's behalf must be attached to the Bid Document on submission of same.

- (b) A bid shall be eligible for consideration only if it bears the signature of the bidder or of some person duly and lawfully authorised to sign it for and on behalf of the bidder.

3. Original and valid SARS Tax Clearance Certificate must be submitted (for all entities and all partners of Joint Venture)

4. Latest Municipal Billing Certificate/ Copy of Municipal Account to be submitted.(If business premises is being rented a copy of the lease agreement must be submitted)

- Last 3 months up to tender closing date
- Subject to change to one calendar month if Bid Value exceeds R10million.

5. A Sole Proprietor must submit a certified ID copy.

6. For B-BBEE Status Level Contribution/ EME Certificate for any Preference Points to be claimed (Certified copy of the valid certificate to be submitted)

- A Joint Venture will only qualify for preference points if a consolidated B-BBEE/EME certificate has been submitted.

- If a certified copy is not submitted a 7day request will be issued after independent verification, no points will be awarded.

7. Any Special Conditions of Contract Documentation- Must be submitted as set out in tender contract.

### PERSONAL DETAILS OF THE TENDERER

PLEASE PROVIDE THE FOLLOWING DETAILS:

**Name of Company/Close Corporation/Partnership/Sole Trader/Private Person**

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(Clearly state whether your business is a Company/Close Corporation/  
Partnership/Sole Trader or if you are an individual)

Company/Close Corporation's Registration No. ....

1.2 Value Added Tax Registration No. ....

OR

Income Tax Reference No. ....

1.3 Full Details of Directors/ Trustees/ Members and Shareholders

Full Name	Identity Number

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**IT IS COMPULSORY IN THE CASE OF A FEMALE DIRECTOR / MEMBER OR PARTNER TO ALSO FURNISH HER MAIDEN NAME, AND IF APPLICABLE, ALL HER PREVIOUS MARRIED NAMES**

1.4 The Tenderer's Representative for the purpose of this Tender is:

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**2. STREET ADDRESS OF REGISTERED OFFICES**

Street address, which address the Tenderer chooses as it's domicilium citandi et executandi for all purposes of this Tender.

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**3. POSTAL ADDRESS**

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**2. CONTACT DETAILS**

**4.1 TELEPHONE NUMBERS**

Business: Code ..... ..

Cell: .....

**4.2 Facsimile Number: Code ..... ..**

**4.3 Email address: .....**

**5. COMPANY RESOLUTION**

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5.2 A Tender shall be eligible for consideration only if it bears the signature of the Tenderer or of some person duly and lawfully authorized to sign it for and on behalf of the Tenderer.

**6. BANK DETAILS (FOR FUTURE ELECTRONIC BANK TRANSFERS) – PLEASE SUBMIT A RECENTLY (PAST 3MONTHS) STAMPED LETTER FROM THE BANK CONFIRMING ACCOUNT DETAILS.**

NAME OF BANK	ACCOUNT NAME	BRANCH CODE NO.	BANK A/C NO.

**CERTIFICATION:**

**I declare that the information in this annexure is true and correct in all respects.**

**SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_ CAPACITY: \_\_\_\_\_**

## **KOUGA MUNICIPALITY**

### **GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT:**

General Conditions of Contract- applicable to this contract- please refer to [www.treasury.gov.za](http://www.treasury.gov.za)

The Kouga Municipality Supply Chain Management policy will be applicable to the contract – please refer to [www.kouga.gov.za](http://www.kouga.gov.za)

### **NOTICE NO: 63 OF 2015**

### **SPECIFICATIONS ON PERSONAL PROTECTIVE UNIFORM**

#### **SCOPE**

This document establishes the type of personal protective uniform generally used by fire services.

Prices and other factors will determine the type and quantity of items that will be purchased. Each item must be separately priced and items and quantities are not guaranteed.

The general requirements and standard requirements will be part of this tender document.

All prices must exclude VAT, valid for at least 90 days. Supply and deliver of operational uniform for Fire Department.

#### **STATUTORY REQUIREMENTS**

South African National Standards, specifications and codes of practice compliant.

#### **STATEMENT OF COMPLIANCE**

Tenderers shall provide certified documents indicating compliancy with the specifications in all respects.

#### **SERVICE REQUIREMENTS**

- Tenderers shall provide detailed information on their ability to perform routine repairs to equipment after delivery.
- Tenderers shall state what the maximum delivery time will be if spare parts have to be imported.

#### **GUARANTEE**

Tenderers shall state in their tenders what guarantee is offered. All guarantee certificates shall be submitted with the tender documents.

### **SPECIFICATION VARIATION**

Tenderers may submit alternative offers, which in their opinion are to the Emergency Services' advantage economically and technically.

The customers attention shall be clearly drawn to this alternative offers.

#### **SUPPLY OF PERSONAL PROTECTIVE UNIFORM:**

- Structural fire fighting boots
- Structural fire fighting gloves
- Structural fire fighting hood
- Structural fire fighting helmets
- Structural fire fighting suits

### **STRUCTURAL FIREFIGHTING BOOT**

#### **1. SCOPE**

This specification defines the minimum requirements for a purpose-designed, firefighter's structural firefighting boot as defined by the National Fire Protection Association's standard NFPA 1971, Protective Ensemble for Structural Fire Fighting, 2007 Edition (hereinafter referred to as NFPA 1971).

#### **2. STANDARDS / CERTIFICATION**

The manufacturer must certify that the product proposed in its bid meet or exceed all requirements of NFPA 1971, 2007 Edition. The manufacturer must also list and label this product with Underwriters Laboratories Inc. (UL) as the third party certification organization prescribed in NFPA 1971, 2007 Edition or recognised equivalent.

A current Certificate of Compliance from a recognised third-party testing laboratory shall be supplied with tender bid to fulfil this requirement.

#### **3. CONSTRUCTION**

The structural fire fighting boot shall be of vulcanised rubber upper and sole construction and shall incorporate the following design elements:

Pull-on system loop system.	:	Upper to feature durable pull-on rubber
Height	:	Minimum 420 mm
Colour	:	Black/Yellow
Upper & Lining thickness NFPA.	:	2.7mm (Combined). Cut resistance as per
Outsole	:	One-piece moulded Lug type sole.



		Calender type soles are not acceptable.
Sole Shock Protection	:	18kV Electrical shock resistance
Insole	:	Sponge insole & removable high density
PU insole.		
Steel Midsole	:	1-piece Stainless Steel, meets EN 345
Flexing test. Steel Shank	:	Triple fluted 1.2mm thick, Corrosion resistant, Meets NFPA Ladder Shank Bend Resistance
Steel Toe Cap	:	Meets EN 345 Impact & Compression.
Reflective Trim	:	Top & Sides (3) Retro-reflective Trim inserts.
Shin Protection	:	Heavy-duty layered Shin guard.
Arch Protection	:	Ribbed, layered rubber reinforced foot arch protection.
Side Arch Protection	:	Reinforced, layered side arch protection.
Ankle Protection	:	Added ankle padding.
Ankle Protection support.	:	Layered rubber heavy-duty heel protection
Chemical Resistance	:	Upper & Sole acid and alkali resistant.

#### 4. MATERIALS

Leg lining	:	Kevlar/Nomex Minimum weight 160/m <sup>2</sup> ; Minimum thickness 1.5mm
Upper Rubber,	:	Black: 65% Natural Rubber, 30% Styrene Butadiene 5% Chloroprene Rubber.
Foxing Rubber,	:	Yellow: 65% Natural Rubber, 30% Styrene Butadiene 5% Chloroprene Rubber.
Sole / Heel	:	Black: 70% Chloroprene rubber, 30% Nitrile rubber. Oil resistant – immersion in iso-octane (22 hours 12% max. change in volume.  Abrasion Resistant: DIN 53516 – 250mm max.  Hardness Shore A: 65 +- 5

#### 5. LABELING REQUIREMENTS

Labels shall be permanently and integrally printed on materials that meet all the requirements for labels of NFPA 1971. The element shall be clearly labelled to fully identify the material content.

The labelling on each element shall contain manufacturing information, which shall include, at a minimum, a lot number, manufacturing date, model number, country of origin & manufacturer.

## 6. TESTING

A leakage test shall be performed prior to delivery by the manufacturer by immersing each boot in water and applying an air pressure of not less than 50kPa.

## 7. PACKAGING

Each pair shall be individually packaged in a clear poly-bag along with the all user information guides and information.

# STRUCTURAL FIREFIGHTING GLOVE

## 1. SCOPE

This specification defines the minimum requirements for a structural firefighting glove specifically designed to withstand the effects of flame, heat, vapour, hazardous liquids, sharp objects and other hazards encountered during structural firefighting operations.

## 2. CONSTRUCTION

### Design:

A five finger glove of wing thumb construction shall incorporate the following elements:

Elastic snugger band on back.

Leather hanger loop.

Leather seam welt between thumb and index finger.

Lock stitched seams: Minimum 8 stitches per 25mm; Heat resistant Kevlar 7 thread.

Knitwrist with leather pull tab +- 90mm wide at base.

Knitwrist shall be a two-ply Nomex/Spandex material.

### Materials Configuration:

The design shall be of a three layer construction consisting of the following:

#### Outer Leather Shell

Double chrome tanned Thermo cowhide.

#### Moisture Barrier

A polyurethane moisture barrier to prevent liquid penetration of chemicals and water shall be fitted.

The moisture barrier tabs shall be stitched to the leather shell.

Liner:

A fire-retardant modacrylic Self Extinguishing Fleece liner shall be fitted.

**3. CERTIFICATION**

The product must meet or exceed all requirements of NFPA 1971, 2007 Edition.

Current certification/verification shall be furnished by written documentation supplied by a recognized independent third party test laboratory.

A sample glove meeting the requirements of this specification shall be supplied upon request for inspection and verification of compliance within 10 working days.

**4. PACKAGING**

Each pair of gloves shall be individually packaged in a clear poly-bag along with the all user information guides and information.

**5. LABELING REQUIREMENTS**

Labels shall be permanently and integrally printed on materials that meet all the requirements for labels of NFPA 1971. The element shall be clearly labelled to fully identify the material content.

The labelling on each element shall contain manufacturing information, which shall include, at a minimum, a lot number, manufacturing date, model number, country of origin & manufacturer

## **STRUCTURAL FIREFIGHTING HOOD**

### **1. SCOPE**

This specification defines the minimum requirements for a firefighter's structural Hood.

The purpose of the hood is to afford limited protection to the head, neck and a portion of the shoulder area, of the firefighter against adverse environmental effects during fireground operations, as defined by the National Fire Protection Association's standard NFPA 1971, Protective Ensemble for Structural Fire Fighting, 2007 Edition (hereinafter referred to as NFPA 1971).

### **2. CONSTRUCTION**

Workmanship and material shall be first quality throughout. All exceptions to specifications must be clearly spelled out at the time of bid.

The hood and materials shall meet or exceed both the design and performance requirements for as outlined in NFPA 1971.

The hood shall be a double layer, full drape, yoke style design providing chest, back and partial shoulder protection.

A tube style design shall not be acceptable.

All head and bib seams shall be flat lock stitched.

The bib hem shall be hemmed with a tight crochet stitch designed to eliminate bulky binding.

The face opening shall easily stretch to a minimum of 38cm to provide superior donning and fit characteristics for any size firefighter's head.

The face opening shall be sewn with minimum 12mm elastic and hemmed with over lock stitch.

### **3. MATERIALS**

The hood body shall consist of a double layer of 20/80 Nomex / Lenzing FR blend knit with a weight of approximately 220gram per square meter.

All thread material shall be 100% Nomex.

### **4. LABELING REQUIREMENTS**

A flame-retardant label shall be permanently fixed to the hood by means of all four label edges being sewn to the hood.

Labels shall be permanently and integrally printed on materials that meet all the requirements for labels of NFPA 1971.

The element shall be clearly labelled to fully identify the material content and shall be labelled with the FEMSA-style DANGER label.

The labelling on each element shall contain manufacturing information, which shall include, at a minimum, a lot number, manufacturing date and manufacturer

## 5. PERFORMANCE

The minimum Thermal Protective Performance (TPP) ratings shall be as follows:

Before washing	:	23
After washing	:	24

## 6. CARE INSTRUCCIONES

The manufacturer shall provide a user information guide which complies with user information requirements of NFPA 1971, and shall reference that standard. Topics shall include, but not necessarily be limited to: pre-use information, preparation for use, inspection frequency and details, don/doff, use consistent with NFPA 1500, maintenance and cleaning, and retirement and disposal criteria and considerations. This document shall be packaged with each unit supplied.

## 7. CERTIFICATION

The manufacturer must certify that the product proposed in its bid meet or exceed all requirements of **NFPA 1971, 2007 Edition**. The manufacturer must also list and label this product with Underwriters Laboratories Inc. (UL) as the third party certification organization prescribed in NFPA 1971, 2007 Edition or recognised equivalent.

**A current Certificate of Compliance from a recognised third-party testing laboratory shall be supplied with tender bid to fulfil this requirement.**

## 8. PACKAGING

Each hood body shall be individually packaged in a clear poly-bag along with the all user information guides and information.

### **STRUCTURAL FIREFIGHTING HELMETS (v.RX)**

#### 1. SCOPE

This specification covers the requirements for Structural Fire Fighting helmets.

Helmets conforming to this specification are designed to help protect the firefighter from head and neck injuries related to structural firefighting activities and technical rescue activities.

## 2. STANDARDS

Helmets for Structural Firefighting shall meet or exceed NFPA 1971 Standard on Protective Ensemble for Structural Fire Fighting 2007 Edition (Pertaining to Structural Fire Helmets)

Helmets for Technical Rescue shall meet or exceed NFPA 1951 Standard on Protective Ensemble for Technical Rescue Incidents 2007 Edition (Pertaining to Technical Rescue Helmets)

Helmets for consideration must meet both NFPA requirements.

Certification/verification shall be furnished by written documentation supplied by a recognized independent third party test laboratory.

A sample helmet meeting the requirements of this specification shall be supplied upon request for inspection and verification of compliance within 10 working days.

The helmet manufacturer shall be certified ISO 9001 company to assure quality procedures and production capabilities.

## 3. CONSTRUCTION

### 3.1 Physical configuration

The basic helmet shall have a condensed rear brim design with a length of 290mm, a width of 254mm at the faceshield hardware and a height of 172mm

### 3.2 Impact Management System

The impact management system shall consist of an outer shell, a unitary inner shell and a crown strap suspension. These three components, working together as a system shall be designed to reduce the force of an impact to the helmet and the helmet wearer.

### 3.3 Shell

The helmet shall be of a contemporary style and shall be constructed of heat-resistant thermoplastic.

Colour pigment shall be added to the thermoplastic resin as part of the manufacturing process that moulds the helmet to help maintain appearance by masking chips and scratches that might occur in daily wear and tear.

The shell finish shall be available in white, yellow, red, black, blue, orange and lime-yellow.

The edge of the outer shell shall have aluminium reinforced; elastomeric edge beading that is secured at the rear of the brim by a stainless steel clip and D-ring fastened by a stainless steel rivet.

The edge beading shall not melt, drip or ignite when tested to NFPA 1971-2007, Section 6-6.12, Heat Resistance requirements.

#### 3.4 Unitary Inner Shell

The inner shell shall be of unitary design, incorporating impact attenuating structures and shall be constructed of a heat-resistant thermoplastic. No urethane or other foam shall be utilised.

#### 3.5 Crown Strap Suspension System

The crown strap suspension system shall consist of two 19mm nylon woven straps attached to four nylon keys.

The keys shall be inserted into key sockets formed into the unitary inner shell.

#### 3.6 Ratchet Headband

The helmet shall have a quick-adjustment sizing capability by means of a ratchet adjustment system attached to a heat-resistant nylon headband. The headband shall be attached to the unitary inner shell by four black acetal buttons (two fronts, two rears).

The headband shall have the ability to be raised or lowered inside of the unitary inner shell by adjusting the headband at one of three vertical positions on the T-shaped posts.

The rear ratchet height adjuster shall permit at least 25mm of travel to permit the ratchet to be positioned for comfort on the nape of the firefighters head.

The ratchet housing shall be wrapped in a cushion-backed leather cover to enhance fit and comfort at the nape of the head. This leather ratchet cover shall be attached by four pieces of Velcro hook and loop material to permit removal for cleansing and replacement.

#### 3.7 Brow Pad

The headband shall be supplied with a fire retardant (FR) cotton flannel brow pad, backed with foam cushion padding material at the forehead. This brow pad shall extend rearward on each side 165mm from the centreline of the headband to provide stability and comfort to the firefighter.

The brow pad shall be attached by hook and loop material to permit removal for laundering and replacement.

Attachment to the headband with stitching shall not be permitted.

#### 3.8 Chin Strap

The chinstrap shall be a three point design consisting of 19mm black Nomex webbing with a super-tough nylon quick-release buckle.

The male side of the quick-release buckle shall be anchored to the right side of the outer shell with a dielectric anchor block secured to the faceshield-mounting bracket with two stainless steel screws.

The third point of the strap shall connect through a rear anchor loop. The female side of the quick-release buckle shall be attached to the left side of the outer shell in the same manner.

When the chinstrap is connected and fully extended, maximum side-to-side length shall be at least 600mm when measured from one anchor block to the opposite anchor block.

### 3.9 Ear/Neck Protector

The ear/neck protector shall consist of a 170g rip-stop Nomex outer shell backed with FR cotton flannel for comfort. A 25mm strip of loop material shall be stitched in one continuous band across the top of the outer shell portion of the ear/neck protector for attachment to the three corresponding strips of 25mm hook material located on the interior of the unitary shell.

When properly attached to the inner shell of the helmet, the ear/neck protector shall have the following minimum coverage to the sides and rear of the helmet brim

- 150mm from the sides of the helmet brim at the chinstrap
- 165mm from the centre rear of the helmet brim

### 3.10 Faceshield

The faceshield shall be minimum length of 150mm (6") and moulded in the formed position to fit the contour of the helmet brim.

The faceshield shall be mounted to the brim of the outer shell by means of a Quick-Attach mounting blade system to allow rapid removal/replacement of the faceshield without the use of tools.

When mounted, the faceshield shall permit a minimum retractability of 90 degrees in the stowed position.

The faceshield mounting hardware shall be constructed from glass-reinforced, flame resistant, nylon tested to NFPA 1971-2007, Section 6-3 Flame Resistance Test 2.

### 3.11 NFPA Compliant Goggles (Alternate Configuration)

An optional or additional NFPA compliant goggle option shall be available. The goggle shall be mounted to the brim of the outer shell by means of a Quick-Attach mounting blade system to allow for the rapid removal/exchange without the use of tools.

### 3.12 Retro-reflective Trim

The outer shell shall have five 25mm x 100mm fluorescent lime-yellow, retro-reflective markings located around the outer shell. The reflective materials



shall be glass bead based to maximize the resistance to heat exposure experienced in firefighting.

Vinyl based reflective materials will not be considered equal.

#### **4. WARRANTY**

The manufacturer shall warrant to the original purchaser that the entire helmet (excluding faceshield) shall be free of defects in material and workmanship, under normal use and service, for a period of two years from the date of manufacture. The faceshield is not warranted.

#### **5. AFTER-SALES SERVICE**

The supplier shall ensure that all spares and components subject to wear and tear including faceshields, neck protectors, reflective trim and brow pads are available during the warranty period

### **STRUCTURAL FIRE FIGHTING SUIT**

#### **Sizing**

Firefighting Suit shall be made in six sizes labeled X Small, Small, Medium, Large, X Large, XX Large and XXX Large.

#### **Outer Material**

Aromatic Polyamide Fibre with a blend of at least 60% Kevlar 40% Nomex Material Construction - Rip Stop Weave. Material weight 234 gr/m<sup>2</sup>

#### **Colour**

Rust Red, Navy, Yellow or Khaki

#### **Scope**

The garment is designed to be worn by Structural Firefighters giving adequate Protection from Radiant heat and Hot Steam, Water, Hot Ash and protection from Flash Flames for periods of time as well as protection against Acid, Alkali and Organic Chemicals.

#### **Standard Design**

The suit shall consist of a Coat and Trousers made up as follows: -

**Outer Shell**                      Aromatic Polyamide Fibre enriched with 60% Kevlar -

<b>Vapour Barrier</b>	Material to be in a Rip Stop Weave
<b>Thermal Barrier</b>	AquaTech According to NFPA 1971- 2000 OR X1715
<b>Lining</b>	100% Aramid Batt/Quilted 100% Nomex Facecloth/Quilted

### **Outer Shell Construction**

Degradation temperature of Outer Shell 1020F°

The Outer Shell shall be of a single layer construction throughout Jacket & Trouser Yarns must be guaranteed to 230 C

All raw edges and seams to be over locked by using at least five (5) Strands of yarn.

Yarns to be of the same colour as Outer material

Seam strength to be at least 200 N.

The fabric shall withstand at least 350 cycles on the Taber Abrasion Machine without the

Material holing (90% of material weight retained).

The TPP (Thermal Protective Performance) shall be no less than 45 cal/cm<sup>2</sup> on the composite of the material on offer.

### **Collar**

The Collar shall be of a double layer of the same material as the outer Shell and shall have a layer of the quilted Thermal barrier in the middle of it.

A Storm flap constructed in the same way, as the Collar shall be fitted in such a way as to ensure a "Dry Suit. The area over the chin shall have a layer of Nomex Knit.

### **Pockets**

Two pockets to be placed on the Coat manufactured from the same material As the Outer shell and must be made to be waterproof.

A Radio Pocket that is guaranteed to keep the Radio dry is to be placed on the Left breast. The Radio antenna is also to be protected against heat.

The pockets must be 275mm x 225mm and the pocket-flap 75mm, held down two Velcro squares.

### **Shoulders, Sleeves and Wristlets**

There must be no seams on the Shoulders. Sleeves shall be constructed in such a way to afford maximum movement.

Nomex Wristlets knitted and shaped must be attached to the inner Coat as well as nomex knitted Thumb straps.

The design of the garment must allow unrestricted movement and minimum lift.

### **Reinforced Patches TROUSER**

Reinforcing material must be placed on the shoulders, elbows and knees as well as around the end of the sleeves and trouser-legs.

A layer of quilted Thermal barrier must be sewn between the outer material and the reinforced patches.

Reinforced material must be a Polymer Coated Kevlar with a weight of 600 gr/m<sup>2</sup> and must be extremely flexible.

### **Vapour Barrier**

AquaTech According to NFPA 1971- 2000

### **Thermal Barrier**

The material must be of 100% Aramit Batt with a weight of 200 gr/m<sup>2</sup>

### **Lining**

The material must be of 100% Nomex Facecloth with a weight of 100 gr/m<sup>2</sup> The Thermal barrier and Lining must be Quilted with Kevlar yarns and the Combined weight not is more than 312 gr/m<sup>2</sup>.

The Vapour Barrier, Thermal barrier and Lining together shall form the Inner Garment.

The same Yarn as specified for the Outer shell shall be used on the Inner garment. The Inner Jacket must be attached to the Outer Jacket by means of a heavy duty zip.

The Inner Trousers must be attached to the Outer Trousers by means of 50 mm Velcro in the waist.

The trousers shall extend no less than 150 mm above the waist.

The suspenders shall be no less than 50 mm wide.

The suspenders shall be equipped with two non-slip thermoplastic slide fasteners for adjustment with Reflective.

### **Front Closure**

The front of the Jacket must be closed by means of a heavy duty Zip and 50 mm velcro.

The Velcro must run the full length of the front of the Jacket while the Zip must be between 50 to 65 cm in length, depending on suit size.

### **Stress Points**

All stress points must be stitched in such a way as to ensure that it will not come loose.

### **Reflective Trim**

The garment must have Fire Resistant Reflective Trim, 50 mm wide, to a pattern to be determined by the Tendered.

The trim must retain at least 85% of its original brightness (425Ra) at 260 C.

The trim colour must be Fluorescent Lime-Yellow with Silver Reflective Stripe.

### **General**

The garment shall have no metal clips or rivets.

The Manufacturer must offer a repair service if so required by the Tendered at a material cost basis.

All materials used must conform to a recognized standard and documentary proof thereof must be furnished on request.

### **Marking**

Each Coat and each pair of Trousers must have a white woven Cotton label of a nominal size of 60 mm x 40 mm.

All cut edges must be turned in and the label securely sewn centrally to the inside of the back of the inner shell at the top of both the coat and trousers.

The label must provide the following information printed in legible block letters:

- a) The manufacturer's name or trade mark or both
- b) The composition of the materials
- c) The year of manufacture

### **Workmanship**

The suits shall be cut and made with first class workmanship throughout and shall be free from defects that affect their appearance or can affect their serviceability, or both, and from marks, spots and stains incurred in the making up.

All seams shall be smooth and all stitching shall be uniform.

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**COST BREAKDOWN**

**Please attach a formal cost breakdown if deemed necessary**

PROTECTIVE  
CLOTHING FIRE  
DEPARTMENT  
SCHEDULE OF ITEMS

ITEM NO.	ITEM DESCRIPTION	UNIT	PRICE VAT EXCL	VAT	PRICE VAT INCL
1	FIRE FIGHTING BOOTS, NFPA 1971 APPROVED				
<b>SIZES</b>	5	PAIR			
	6	PAIR			
	7	PAIR			
	8	PAIR			
	9	PAIR			
	10	PAIR			
2	FIRE FIGHTING GLOVES,NFPA 1971 COMPLIANCE				
<b>SIZES</b>	SMALL	PAIR			
	MEDIUM	PAIR			
	LARGE	PAIR			
	X LARGE	PAIR			
	XX LARGE	PAIR			
3	FIRE FIGHTING FLASH HOOD, NFPA 1971 COMPLIANCE				
	ONE SIZE FITS ALL	EACH			

4	<b>STRUCTURAL FIRE FIGHTING HELMETS, NFPA 1971 COMPLIANCE</b>				
<b>SIZES</b>	ONE SIZE FITS ALL	EACH			
5	<b>FIRE FIGHTING BUNKER SUIT COMPLETE, NFPA 1971 COMPLIANCE</b>				
<b>SIZES</b>	SMALL	PER SUIT			
	MEDIUM	PER SUIT			
	LARGE	PER SUIT			
	X LARGE	PER SUIT			
	XX LARGE	PER SUIT			
	XXX LARGE	PER SUIT			

Delivery Period ..... days/weeks

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Authorizing Signature

Date

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On behalf of

Name of bidder

## Form of Offer

### NOTICE NO: 64/2015

#### **SUPPLY AND DELIVERY PERSONAL PROTECTIVE UNIFORM WHICH MEETS NFPA 1971, 2007 EDITION REQUIREMENTS FOR FIRE FIGHTERS**

1. I hereby undertake to render services/goods described in the attached bidding documents to Kouga Local Municipality in accordance with the requirements and specifications stipulated in bid number: 60/2015 at the price/s quoted. My offer/s remain binding upon me and open for acceptance by the purchaser during the validity period indicated and calculated from the closing time of bid.
2. The following documents shall be deemed to form and be read and construed as part of this agreement:
  - (i) Bidding documents, viz
    - Invitation to bid;
    - Tax clearance certificate;
    - Pricing schedule(s);
    - Filled in task directive/proposal;
    - Preference claims for Broad Based Black Economic Empowerment Status Level of Contribution in terms of the Preferential Procurement Regulations 2011;
    - Declaration of interest;
    - Declaration of Bidder's past SCM practices;
    - Certificate of Independent Bid Determination;
    - Special Conditions of Contract;
  - (ii) General Conditions of Contract; and
  - (iii) Other (specify)
3. I confirm that I have satisfied myself as to the correctness and validity of my bid; that the price(s) and rate(s) quoted cover all the goods specified in the bidding documents; that the price(s) and rate(s) cover all my obligations and I accept that any mistakes regarding price(s) and rate(s) and calculations will be at my own risk.
4. **The offered total of the Prices to Supply and Deliver Personal Protective Uniform which meets NFPA 1971, 2007 Edition requirements for fire fighters to be delivered to Kouga Municipality inclusive of Value Added Tax as quoted on Page ten and eleven (21 to 22) is correct.**
5. I accept full responsibility for the proper execution and fulfilment of all obligations and conditions devolving on me under this agreement as the principal liable for the due fulfillment of this contract.
6. I declare that I have no participation in any collusive practices with any bidder or any other person regarding this or any other bid.
7. I confirm that I am duly authorized to sign this contract.

NAME (PRINT) .....

CAPACITY .....

SIGNATURE .....

NAME OF FIRM .....

DATE .....

WITNESSES	
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## DECLARATION OF INTEREST

1. No bid will be accepted from persons in the service of the state\*.
2. Any person, having a kinship with persons in the service of the state, including a blood relationship, may make an offer or offers in terms of this invitation to bid. In view of possible allegations of favouritism, should the resulting bid, or part thereof, be awarded to persons connected with or related to persons in service of the state, it is required that the bidder or their authorised representative declare their position in relation to the evaluating/adjudicating authority.
3. **In order to give effect to the above, the following questionnaire must be completed and submitted with the bid.**

3.1 Full Name: .....

3.2 Identity Number: .....

3.3 Position occupied in the Company( Director, trustee, shareholder).....

3.4 Company Registration Number: .....

3.5 Tax Reference Number: .....

3.6 VAT Registration Number: .....

3.7 The names of all the directors/ trustees/shareholders member, their individual identity numbers and state employee numbers must be indicated in paragraph 4 below.

3.8 Are you presently in the service of the state\* **YES / NO**

3.8.1 If yes, furnish particulars.....

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\* MSCM Regulations: "in the service of the state" means to be –

- (a) a member of –
  - (i) any municipal council;
  - (ii) any provincial legislature; or
  - (iii) the national Assembly or the national Council of provinces;
- (b) a member of the board of directors of any municipal entity;
- (c) an official of any municipality or municipal entity;
- (d) an employee of any national or provincial department, national or provincial public entity or constitutional institution within the meaning of the Public Finance Management Act, 1999 (Act No.1 of 1999);
- (e) a member of the accounting authority of any national or provincial public entity; or
- (f) an employee of Parliament or a provincial legislature.

Shareholder" means a person who owns shares in the company and is actively involved in the management of the company or business and exercises control over the company.

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3.9. Have you been in the service of the state for the past twelve months? **YES / NO**

3.9.1 If yes, furnish particulars.

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3.10. Do you, have any relationship (family, friend, other) with persons in the service of the state and who may be involved with the evaluation and or adjudication of this bid? **YES / NO**

3.10.1 If yes, furnish particulars.

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3.11 Are you, aware of any relationship (family, friend, other) between any other bidder and any persons in the service of the state who may be involved with the evaluation and or adjudication of this bid? **YES / NO**

3.11.1 If yes, furnish particulars

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3.12 Are any of the company's directors, trustees, managers, principal shareholders or stakeholders in the service of the state?

**YES / NO**

3.12.1 If yes, furnish particulars.

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3.13 Are any spouse, child or parent of the company's directors, trustees, managers, principal shareholders or stakeholders in service of the state?

**YES / NO**

3.13.1 If yes, furnish particulars.

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3.14 Do you or any directors, trustees, managers, principal shareholders Or stakeholders of this company have any interest in other related companies or business whether or not they are bidding for this contract?

**YES / NO**

3.14.1 If yes, furnish particulars.

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4. Full details of directors/ trustees/ members/ shareholders.

Full Name	Identity Number	State Employee Number (Applicable if employed by government)

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Signature

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Date

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Capacity

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Name of Bidder

## PREFERENCE POINTS CLAIM FORM IN TERMS OF THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS 2011

This preference form must form part of all bids invited. It contains general information and serves as a claim form for preference points for Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment (B-BBEE) Status Level of Contribution

**NB: BEFORE COMPLETING THIS FORM, BIDDERS MUST STUDY THE GENERAL CONDITIONS, DEFINITIONS AND DIRECTIVES APPLICABLE IN RESPECT OF B-BBEE, AS PRESCRIBED IN THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS, 2011.**

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### 1. GENERAL CONDITIONS

1.1 The following preference point systems are applicable to all bids:

- the 80/20 system for requirements with a Rand value of up to R1 000 000 (all applicable taxes included); and
- the 90/10 system for requirements with a Rand value above R1 000 000 (all applicable taxes included).

1.2 The value of this bid is estimated to not exceed R1 000 000 (all applicable taxes included) and therefore the 80/20 system shall be applicable.

1.3 Preference points for this bid shall be awarded for:

- (a) Price; and
- (b) B-BBEE Status Level of Contribution.

1.3.1 The maximum points for this bid are allocated as follows:

	POINTS
<b>1.3.1.1 PRICE</b>	80
<b>1.3.1.2 B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL OF CONTRIBUTION</b>	20
<b>Total points for Price and B-BBEE must not exceed</b>	<b>100</b>

1.4 Failure on the part of a bidder to fill in and/or to sign this form and submit a B-BBEE Verification Certificate from a Verification Agency accredited by the South African Accreditation System (SANAS) or a Registered Auditor approved by the Independent Regulatory Board of Auditors (IRBA) or an Accounting Officer as contemplated in the Close

Corporation Act (CCA) together with the bid, will be interpreted to mean that preference points for B-BBEE status level of contribution are not claimed.

- 1.5. The purchaser reserves the right to require of a bidder, either before a bid is adjudicated or at any time subsequently, to substantiate any claim in regard to preferences, in any manner required by the purchaser.

## 2. DEFINITIONS

- 2.1 **“all applicable taxes”** includes value-added tax, pay as you earn, income tax, unemployment insurance fund contributions and skills development levies;
- 2.2 **“B-BBEE”** means broad-based black economic empowerment as defined in section 1 of the Broad -Based Black Economic Empowerment Act;
- 2.3 **“B-BBEE status level of contributor”** means the B-BBEE status received by a measured entity based on its overall performance using the relevant scorecard contained in the Codes of Good Practice on Black Economic Empowerment, issued in terms of section 9(1) of the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act;
- 2.4 **“bid”** means a written offer in a prescribed or stipulated form in response to an invitation by an organ of state for the provision of services, works or goods, through price quotations, advertised competitive bidding processes or proposals;
- 2.5 **“Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act”** means the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act, 2003 (Act No. 53 of 2003);
- 2.6 **“comparative price”** means the price after the factors of a non-firm price and all unconditional discounts that can be utilized have been taken into consideration;
- 2.7 **“consortium or joint venture”** means an association of persons for the purpose of combining their expertise, property, capital, efforts, skill and knowledge in an activity for the execution of a contract;
- 2.8 **“contract”** means the agreement that results from the acceptance of a bid by an organ of state;
- 2.9 **“EME”** means any enterprise with an annual total revenue of R5 million or less .
- 2.10 **“Firm price”** means the price that is only subject to adjustments in accordance with the actual increase or decrease resulting from the change, imposition, or abolition of customs or excise duty and any other duty, levy, or tax, which, in terms of the law or regulation, is binding on the contractor and demonstrably has an influence on the price of any supplies, or the rendering costs of any service, for the execution of the contract;
- 2.11 **“functionality”** means the measurement according to predetermined norms, as set out in the bid documents, of a service or commodity that is designed to be practical and useful, working or operating, taking into account, among other factors, the quality, reliability, viability and durability of a service and the technical capacity and ability of a bidder;
- 2.12 **“non-firm prices”** means all prices other than “firm” prices;

- 2.13 **“person”** includes a juristic person;
- 2.14 **“rand value”** means the total estimated value of a contract in South African currency, calculated at the time of bid invitations, and includes all applicable taxes and excise duties;
- 2.15 **“sub-contract”** means the primary contractor’s assigning, leasing, making out work to, or employing, another person to support such primary contractor in the execution of part of a project in terms of the contract;
- 2.16 **“total revenue”** bears the same meaning assigned to this expression in the Codes of Good Practice on Black Economic Empowerment, issued in terms of section 9(1) of the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act and promulgated in the *Government Gazette* on 9 February 2007;
- 2.17 **“trust”** means the arrangement through which the property of one person is made over or bequeathed to a trustee to administer such property for the benefit of another person; and
- 2.18 **“trustee”** means any person, including the founder of a trust, to whom property is bequeathed in order for such property to be administered for the benefit of another person.

### **3. ADJUDICATION USING A POINT SYSTEM**

- 3.1 The bidder obtaining the highest number of total points will be awarded the contract.
- 3.2 Preference points shall be calculated after prices have been brought to a comparative basis taking into account all factors of non-firm prices and all unconditional discounts;.
- 3.3 Points scored must be rounded off to the nearest 2 decimal places.
- 3.4 In the event that two or more bids have scored equal total points, the successful bid must be the one scoring the highest number of preference points for B-BBEE.
- 3.5 However, when functionality is part of the evaluation process and two or more bids have scored equal points including equal preference points for B-BBEE, the successful bid must be the one scoring the highest score for functionality.
- 3.6 Should two or more bids be equal in all respects, the award shall be decided by the drawing of lots.

#### 4. POINTS AWARDED FOR PRICE

##### 4.1 THE 80/20 OR 90/10 PREFERENCE POINT SYSTEMS

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

$$P_s = 80 \left( 1 - \frac{P_t - P_{\min}}{P_{\min}} \right) \quad \text{or} \quad P_s = 90 \left( 1 - \frac{P_t - P_{\min}}{P_{\min}} \right)$$

Where

$P_s$  = Points scored for comparative price of bid under consideration

$P_t$  = Comparative price of bid under consideration

$P_{\min}$  = Comparative price of lowest acceptable bid

#### 5. Points awarded for B-BBEE Status Level of Contribution

5.1 In terms of Regulation 5 (2) and 6 (2) of the Preferential Procurement Regulations, preference points must be awarded to a bidder for attaining the B-BBEE status level of contribution in accordance with the table below:

B-BBEE Status Level of Contributor	Number of points (90/10 system)	Number of points (80/20 system)
1	10	20
2	9	18
3	8	16
4	5	12
5	4	8
6	3	6
7	2	4
8	1	2
Non-compliant contributor	0	0



- 5.2 Bidders who qualify as EMEs in terms of the B-BBEE Act must submit a certificate issued by an Accounting Officer as contemplated in the CCA or a Verification Agency accredited by SANAS or a Registered Auditor. Registered auditors do not need to meet the prerequisite for IRBA's approval for the purpose of conducting verification and issuing EMEs with B-BBEE Status Level Certificates.
- 5.3 Bidders other than EMEs must submit their original and valid B-BBEE status level verification certificate or a certified copy thereof, substantiating their B-BBEE rating issued by a Registered Auditor approved by IRBA or a Verification Agency accredited by SANAS.
- 5.4 A trust, consortium or joint venture, will qualify for points for their B-BBEE status level as a legal entity, provided that the entity submits their B-BBEE status level certificate.
- 5.5 A trust, consortium or joint venture will qualify for points for their B-BBEE status level as an unincorporated entity, provided that the entity submits their consolidated B-BBEE scorecard as if they were a group structure and that such a consolidated B-BBEE scorecard is prepared for every separate bid.
- 5.6 Tertiary institutions and public entities will be required to submit their B-BBEE status level certificates in terms of the specialized scorecard contained in the B-BBEE Codes of Good Practice.
- 5.7 A person will not be awarded points for B-BBEE status level if it is indicated in the bid documents that such a bidder intends sub-contracting more than 25% of the value of the contract to any other enterprise that does not qualify for at least the points that such a bidder qualifies for, unless the intended sub-contractor is an EME that has the capability and ability to execute the sub-contract.
- 5.8 A person awarded a contract may not sub-contract more than 25% of the value of the contract to any other enterprise that does not have an equal or higher B-BBEE status level than the person concerned, unless the contract is sub-contracted to an EME that has the capability and ability to execute the sub-contract.

## **6. BID DECLARATION**

- 6.1 Bidders who claim points in respect of B-BBEE Status Level of Contribution must complete the following:

## 7. B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL OF CONTRIBUTION CLAIMED IN TERMS OF PARAGRAPHS 1.3.1.2 AND 5.1

7.1 B-BBEE Status Level of Contribution: ..... = .....(maximum of 10 or 20 points)

**(Points claimed in respect of paragraph 7.1 must be in accordance with the table reflected in paragraph 5.1 and must be substantiated by means of a B-BBEE certificate issued by a Verification Agency accredited by SANAS or a Registered Auditor approved by IRBA or an Accounting Officer as contemplated in the CCA).**

## 8 SUB-CONTRACTING

8.1 Will any portion of the contract be sub-contracted? YES / NO

8.1.1 If yes, indicate:

- (i) what percentage of the contract will be subcontracted? .....%
- (ii) the name of the sub-contractor? .....
- (iii) the B-BBEE status level of the sub-contractor? .....
- (iv) whether the sub-contractor is an EME? YES / NO

## 9 DECLARATION WITH REGARD TO COMPANY/FIRM

9.1 Name of firm :.....

9.2 VAT registration number :.....

9.3 Company registration number :.....

9.4 TYPE OF COMPANY/ FIRM

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

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9.5 DESCRIBE PRINCIPAL BUSINESS ACTIVITIES

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9.6 COMPANY CLASSIFICATION

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

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9.7 MUNICIPAL INFORMATION

Municipality where business is situated .....

Registered Account Number .....

Stand Number .....

## 9.8 TOTAL NUMBER OF YEARS THE COMPANY/FIRM HAS BEEN IN BUSINESS?

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9.9 I/we, the undersigned, who is / are duly authorised to do so on behalf of the company/firm, certify that the points claimed, based on the B-BBE status level of contribution indicated in paragraph 7 of the foregoing certificate, qualifies the company/ firm for the preference(s) shown and I / we acknowledge that:

- (i) The information furnished is true and correct;
- (ii) The preference points claimed are in accordance with the General Conditions as indicated in paragraph 1 of this form.
- (iii) In the event of a contract being awarded as a result of points claimed as shown in paragraph 7, the contractor may be required to furnish documentary proof to the satisfaction of the purchaser that the claims are correct;
- (iv) If the B-BBEE status level of contribution has been claimed or obtained on a fraudulent basis or any of the conditions of contract have not been fulfilled, the purchaser may, in addition to any other remedy it may have –
  - (a) disqualify the person from the bidding process;
  - (b) recover costs, losses or damages it has incurred or suffered as a result of that person's conduct;
  - (c) cancel the contract and claim any damages which it has suffered as a result of having to make less favourable arrangements due to such cancellation;
  - (d) restrict the bidder or contractor, its shareholders and directors, or only the shareholders and directors who acted on a fraudulent basis, from obtaining business from any organ of state for a period not exceeding 10 years, after the audi alteram partem (hear the

other side) rule has been applied; and

(e) forward the matter for criminal prosecution

**WITNESSES:**

1. ....

2. ....

..... SIGNATURE(S) OF BIDDER(S)
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DATE:.....

ADDRESS:.....

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# POINT ALLOCATION

		UP TO	ABOVE
		R1 000 000	R1 000 000
		80/20	90/10
<b>A</b>	<b>PRICE</b>	80	90
<b>B</b>	<b>PREFERENCE POINTS</b>	20	10

**KOUGA MUNICIPALITY**

**Attach resolution re authority of signatory as per instruction of Page 3 of tender document.**

**AUTHORITY FOR SIGNATORY**

Companies submitting tenders must provide evidence that the person who signed the tender document has authority to do so, by attaching a copy of the relevant resolution of the Board of Directors, duly signed and dated, to this form. Alternatively this form may be completed by competent authority.

By resolution of the Board of Directors at a meeting held on .....

Mr/Ms

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Has been duly authorised to sign all documents in connection with this Tender on behalf of:

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SIGNED OF BEHALF OF COMPANY:.....

IN HIS CAPACITY AS: .....

SIGNATURE OF SIGNATORY:.....

COMPANY STAMP:

**MBD 9****CERTIFICATE OF INDEPENDENT BID DETERMINATION**

1 This Municipal Bidding Document (MBD) must form part of all bids<sup>1</sup> invited.

2 Section 4 (1) (b) (iii) of the Competition Act No. 89 of 1998, as amended, prohibits an agreement between, or concerted practice by, firms, or a decision by an association of firms, if it is between parties in a horizontal relationship and if it involves collusive bidding (or bid rigging).<sup>2</sup> Collusive bidding is a *pe se* prohibition meaning that it cannot be justified under any grounds.

3 Municipal Supply Regulation 38 (1) prescribes that a supply chain management policy must provide measures for the combating of abuse of the supply chain management system, and must enable the accounting officer, among others, to:

- a. take all reasonable steps to prevent such abuse;
- b. reject the bid of any bidder if that bidder or any of its directors has abused the supply chain management system of the municipality or municipal entity or has committed any improper conduct in relation to such system; and
- c. cancel a contract awarded to a person if the person committed any corrupt or fraudulent act during the bidding process or the execution of the contract.

4 This MBD serves as a certificate of declaration that would be used by institutions to ensure that, when bids are considered, reasonable steps are taken to prevent any form of bid-rigging.

5 In order to give effect to the above, the attached Certificate of Bid Determination (MBD9) must be completed and submitted with the bid:

<sup>1</sup> Includes price quotations, advertised competitive bids, limited bids and proposals.

<sup>2</sup> Bid rigging (or collusive bidding) occurs when businesses, that would otherwise be expected to compete, secretly conspire to raise prices or lower the quality of goods and / or services for purchasers who wish to acquire goods and / or services through a bidding process. Bid rigging is, therefore, an agreement between competitors not to compete.



**CERTIFICATE OF INDEPENDENT BID DETERMINATION**

I, the undersigned, in submitting the accompanying bid:

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(Bid Number and Description)

in response to the invitation for the bid made by:

\_\_\_\_\_

(Name of Municipality / Municipal Entity)

do hereby make the following statements that I certify to be true and complete in every respect:

I certify, on behalf of : \_\_\_\_\_ that:  
(Name of Bidder)

1. I have read and I understand the contents of this Certificate;
2. I understand that the accompanying bid will be disqualified if this Certificate is found not to be true and complete in every respect;
3. I am authorized by the bidder to sign this Certificate, and to submit the accompanying bid, on behalf of the bidder;
4. Each person whose signature appears on the accompanying bid has been authorized by the bidder to determine the terms of, and to sign, the bid, on behalf of the bidder;
5. For the purposes of this Certificate and the accompanying bid, I understand that the word "competitor" shall include any individual or organization, other than the bidder, whether or not affiliated with the bidder, who:
  - (a) has been requested to submit a bid in response to this bid invitation;
  - (b) could potentially submit a bid in response to this bid invitation, based on their qualifications, abilities or experience; and
  - (c) provides the same goods and services as the bidder and/or is in the same line of business as the bidder
6. The bidder has arrived at the accompanying bid independently from, and without consultation, communication, agreement or arrangement with any competitor. However communication between partners in a joint venture or consortium<sup>9</sup> will not be construed as collusive bidding.
7. In particular, without limiting the generality of paragraphs 6 above, there has been no consultation, communication, agreement or arrangement with any competitor regarding:
  - (a) prices;

- (b) geographical area where product or service will be rendered (market allocation)
- (c) methods, factors or formulas used to calculate prices;
- (d) the intention or decision to submit or not to submit, a bid;
- (e) the submission of a bid which does not meet the specifications and conditions of the bid; or
- (f) bidding with the intention not to win the bid.

8. In addition, there have been no consultations, communications, agreements or arrangements with any competitor regarding the quality, quantity, specifications and conditions or delivery particulars of the products or services to which this bid invitation relates.

9. The terms of the accompanying bid have not been, and will not be, disclosed by the bidder, directly or indirectly, to any competitor, prior to the date and time of the official bid opening or of the awarding of the contract.

10. I am aware that, in addition and without prejudice to any other remedy provided to combat any restrictive practices related to bids and contracts, bids that are suspicious will be reported to the Competition Commission for investigation and possible imposition of administrative penalties in terms of section 59 of the Competition Act No. 89 of 1998 and or may be reported to the National Prosecuting Authority (NPA) for criminal investigation and or may be restricted from conducting business with the public sector for a period not exceeding ten (10) years in terms of the Prevention and Combating of Corrupt Activities Act No. 12 of 2004 or any other applicable legislation.

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Signature

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Date

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Position

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Name of Bidder

<sup>3</sup> Joint venture or Consortium means an association of persons for the purpose of combining their expertise, property, capital, efforts, skill and knowledge in an activity for the execution of a contract.

## **DECLARATION OF BIDDER'S PAST SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT PRACTICES**

- 1 This Municipal Bidding Document must form part of all bids invited.
- 2 It serves as a declaration to be used by municipalities and municipal entities in ensuring that when goods and services are being procured, all reasonable steps are taken to combat the abuse of the supply chain management system.
- 3 The bid of any bidder may be rejected if that bidder, or any of its directors have:
  - a. abused the municipality's / municipal entity's supply chain management system or committed any improper conduct in relation to such system;
  - b. been convicted for fraud or corruption during the past five years;
  - c. willfully neglected, reneged on or failed to comply with any government, municipal or other public sector contract during the past five years; or
  - d. been listed in the Register for Tender Defaulters in terms of section 29 of the Prevention and Combating of Corrupt Activities Act (No 12 of 2004).
- 4 **In order to give effect to the above, the following questionnaire must be completed and submitted with the bid.**

Item	Question	Yes	No
4.1	<p>Is the bidder or any of its directors listed on the National Treasury's Database of Restricted Suppliers as companies or persons prohibited from doing business with the public sector?</p> <p>(Companies or persons who are listed on this Database were informed in writing of this restriction by the Accounting Officer/Authority of the institution that imposed the restriction after the <i>audi alteram partem</i> rule was applied).</p> <p><b>The Database of Restricted Suppliers now resides on the National Treasury's website(<a href="http://www.treasury.gov.za">www.treasury.gov.za</a>) and can be accessed by clicking on its link at the bottom of the home page.</b></p>	<p>Yes</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>No</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p>
4.1.1	If so, furnish particulars:		
4.2	<p>Is the bidder or any of its directors listed on the Register for Tender Defaulters in terms of section 29 of the Prevention and Combating of Corrupt Activities Act (No 12 of 2004)?</p> <p><b>The Register for Tender Defaulters can be accessed on the National Treasury's website (<a href="http://www.treasury.gov.za">www.treasury.gov.za</a>) by clicking on its link at the bottom of the home page.</b></p>	<p>Yes</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>No</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/></p>

4.2.1	If so, furnish particulars:		
4.3	Was the bidder or any of its directors convicted by a court of law (including a court of law outside the Republic of South Africa) for fraud or corruption during the past five years?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
4.3.1	If so, furnish particulars:		
<b>Item</b>	<b>Question</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>
4.4	Does the bidder or any of its directors owe any municipal rates and taxes or municipal charges to the municipality / municipal entity, or to any other municipality / municipal entity, that is in arrears for more than three months?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
4.4.1	If so, furnish particulars:		
4.5	Was any contract between the bidder and the municipality / municipal entity or any other organ of state terminated during the past five years on account of failure to perform on or comply with the contract?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
4.5.1	If so, furnish particulars:		

### CERTIFICATION

I, THE UNDERSIGNED (FULL NAME) .....

**CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION FURNISHED ON THIS DECLARATION FORM  
TRUE AND CORRECT.**

**I ACCEPT THAT, IN ADDITION TO CANCELLATION OF A CONTRACT, ACTION MAY  
BE TAKEN AGAINST ME SHOULD THIS DECLARATION PROVE TO BE FALSE.**

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**Signature**

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**Position**

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**Date**

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**Name of Bidder**

**KOUGA MUNICIPALITY**

**CERTIFICATE FOR PAYMENT OF MUNICIPAL SERVICES**

**DECLARATION IN TERMS OF CLAUSE 112(1) OF THE MUNICIPAL FINANCE MANAGEMENT ACT (NO.56 OF 2003)** - (To be signed in the presence of a Commissioner of Oaths)

I, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ (full name and ID no.), hereby acknowledge that according to SCM Regulation 38(1)(d)(i), the Municipality may reject the tender of the tenderer if any municipal rates and taxes or municipal service charges owed by the Tenderer or any of its directors/members/partners to the Kouga Municipality, or to any other municipality or municipal entity, are in arrears for more than 3 (three) months.

I declare that I am duly authorised to act on behalf of \_\_\_\_\_ (name of the firm) and hereby declare, that to the best of my personal knowledge, neither the firm nor any director/member/partner of said firm is in arrears on any of its municipal accounts with any municipality in the Republic of South Africa, for a period longer than 3 (three) months.

I further hereby certify that the information set out in this schedule and/or attachment(s) hereto is true and correct. The Tenderer acknowledges that failure to properly and truthfully complete this schedule may result in the tender being disqualified, and/or in the event that the tenderer is successful, the cancellation of the contract.

PHYSICAL BUSINESS ADDRESS(ES) OF THE TENDERER	MUNICIPAL ACCOUNT NUMBER

**FURTHER DETAILS OF THE BIDDER'S Director / Shareholder / Partners, etc.:**

Director / Shareholder / partner	Physical address of the Business	Municipal Account number(s)	Physical residential address of the Director / shareholder / partner	Municipal Account number(s)

**NB: A municipal billing certificate must be submitted. If the entity or rents / leases premises, a copy of the rental/lease agreement must be submitted with this tender. Please refer to Instruction Page 3 of this document.**

<b>Signature</b>	<b>Position</b>	<b>Date</b>

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>COMMISSIONER OF OATHS</b></p> <p>Signed and sworn to before me at _____, on this _____ day of _____ 20__</p> <p>by the Deponent, who has acknowledged that he/she knows and understands the contents of this Affidavit, it is true and correct to the best of his/her knowledge and that he/she has no objection to taking the prescribed oath, and that the prescribed oath will be binding on his/her conscience.</p> <p><b>COMMISSIONER OF OATHS:-</b></p> <p>Position: _____</p> <p>Address: _____</p> <p>Tel: _____</p>	<p><b>Apply official stamp of authority on this page:</b></p>
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