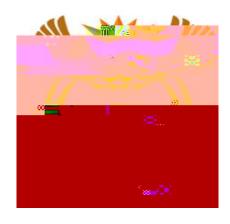
INVITATION TO BID



NDOH 06 / 2020-2021

SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF TOXICOLOGY SAMPLING KITS TO FORENSIC PATHOLOGY SERVICES MORTUARIES FOR A PERIOD OF THREE (3) YEARS.

PRICING SCHEDULE – NON-FIRM PRICES (PURCHASES)

NOTE: PRICE ADJUSTMENTS WILL BE ALLOWED AT THE PERIODS AND TIMES SPECIFIED IN THE BIDDING DOCUMENTS.

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

N	ame of Bidder	Bid number: NDOH 06/2020-2021						
С	losing Time 11:00		Closing date: 08 June 2020					
OF	OFFER TO BE VALID FORDAYS FROM THE CLOSING DATE OF BID.							
ITE NC).	DESCRIPTION	BID PRICE IN RSA CURRENCY **(ALL APPLICABLE TAXES INCLUDED)					
	Required by:							
-	At:							
-	Brand and model							
-	Country of origin							
-	Does the offer comply with the sp	ecification(s)?	*YES/NO					
-	If not to specification, indicate de							
-	Period required for delivery							
-	Delivery:		*Firm/not firm					

^{** &}quot;all applicable taxes" includes value- added tax, pay as you earn, income tax, unemployment insurance fund contributions and skills development levies.

^{*}Delete if not applicable

PRICE ADJUSTMENTS

A NON-FIRM PRICES SUBJECT TO ESCALATION

1. IN CASES OF PERIOD CONTRACTS, NON FIRM PRICES WILL BE ADJUSTED (LOADED) WITH THE ASSESSED CONTRACT PRICE ADJUSTMENTS IMPLICIT IN NON FIRM PRICES WHEN CALCULATING THE COMPARATIVE PRICES

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2. **DEFINITIONS**

- (a) "B-BBEE" means broad-based black economic empowerment as defined in section 1 of the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act;
- (b) "B-BBEE status level of contributor" means the B-BBEE status of an entity in terms of a code of good practice on black economic empowerment, issued in terms of section 9(1) of the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act;
- (c) "bid" means a written offer in a prescribed or stipulated form in response to an invitation by an organ of state for the provision of goods or services, through price quotations, advertised competitive bidding processes or proposals;
- (d) "Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act" means the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act, 2003 (Act No. 53 of 2003);
- (e) "EME" means an Exempted Micro Enterprise in terms of a code of good practice on black economic empowerment issued in terms of section 9 (1) of the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act;
- (f) "functionality" means the ability of a tenderer to provide goods or services in accordance with specifications as set out in the tender documents.
- (g) "prices" includes all applicable taxes less all unconditional discounts;
- (h) "proof of B-BBEE status level of contributor" means:
 - 1) B-BBEE Status level certificate issued by an authorized body or person;
 - 2) A sworn affidavit as prescribed by the B-BBEE Codes of Good Practice;
 - 3) Any other requirement prescribed in terms of the B-BBEE Act;
- "QSE" means a qualifying small business enterprise in terms of a code of good practice on black economic empowerment issued in terms of section 9 (1) of the Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment Act;
- (j) "rand value" means the total estimated value of a contract in Rand, calculated at the time of bid invitation, and includes all applicable taxes;

3. POINTS AWARDED FOR PRICE

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

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

80/20 or 90/10

$$Ps = 80 \ 1 \quad \frac{Pt \quad P \min}{P \min}$$
 or $Ps = 90 \ 1 \quad \frac{Pt \quad P \min}{P \min}$

Where

Ps = Points scored for price of bid under consideration

Pt = Price of bid under consideration

Pmin = Price of lowest acceptable bid

4. POINTS AWARDED FOR B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL OF CONTRIBUTOR

4.1 In terms of Regulation 6 (2) and 7 (2) of the Preferential Procurement Regulations, preference points must be awarded to a bidder for attaining the B-BBEE status level of contribution in accordance with the table below:

B-BBEE Status Level of Contributor	Number of points (90/10 system)	Number of points (80/20 system)
1	10	20
2	9	18
3	6	14
4	5	12
5	4	8
6	3	6
7	2	4
8	1	2
Non-compliant contributor	0	0

5. BID DECLARATION

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

Black people with disabilities						
Black people living in rural or underdeveloped areas or townships						
Cooperative owned by black people						
Black people who are military veterans						
OR						
Any EME						
Any QSE						

ο.	DECLARATION WITH REGARD TO COMPANY/FIRM
8.1	Name of
8.2	company/firm: registration number:
8.3	Company registration number:
8.4	TYPE OF COMPANY/ FIRM
	Partnership/Joint Venture / Consortium One person business/sole propriety Close corporation Company (Pty) Limited [TICK APPLICABLE BOX]
8.5	DESCRIBE PRINCIPAL BUSINESS ACTIVITIES
8.6	COMPANY CLASSIFICATION Manufacturer Supplier Professional service provider Other service providers, e.g. transporter, etc. [TICK APPLICABLE BOX]
8.7	Total number of years the company/firm has been in business:
8.8	I/we, the undersigned, who is / are duly authorised to do so on behalf of the company/firm, certify that the points claimed, based on the B-BBE status level of contributor indicated in paragraphs 1.4 and 6.1 of the foregoing certificate, qualifies the company/ firm for the preference(s) shown and I / we acknowledge that:

- i) The information furnished is true and correct;
- ii) The preference points claimed are in accordance with the General Conditions as indicated in paragraph 1 of this form;

- iii) In the event of a contract being awarded as a result of points claimed as shown in paragraphs 1.4 and 6.1, the contractor may be required to furnish documentary proof to the satisfaction of the purchaser that the claims are correct;
- iv) If the B-BBEE status level of contributor has been claimed or obtained on a fraudulent basis or any of the conditions of contract have not been fulfilled, the purchaser may, in addition to any other remedy it may have
 - (a) disqualify the person from the bidding process;
 - (b) recover costs, losses or damages it has incurred or suffered as a result of that person's conduct;
 - (c) cancel the contract and claim any damages which it has suffered as a result of having to make less favourable arrangements due to such cancellation;
 - (d) recommend that the bidder or contractor, its shareholders and directors, or only the shareholders and directors who acted on a fraudulent basis, be restricted by the National Treasury from obtaining business from any organ of state for a period not exceeding 10 years, after the audi alteram partem (hear the other side) rule has been applied; and
 - (e) forward the matter for criminal prosecution.

DECLARATION OF BIDDER'S PAST SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT PRACTICES

- 1 This Standard Bidding Document must form part of all bids invited.
- It serves as a declaration to be used by institutions 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 disregarded if that bidder, or any of its directors have
 - a. abused the institution's supply chain management system;
 - b. committed fraud or any other improper conduct in relation to such system; or
 - c. failed to perform on any previous contract.
- In order to give effect to the above, the following questionnaire must be completed and submitted with the bid.

Item Question Yes No

Was any contract between the bidder and any organ of state terminated during the past five years i0t

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CERTIFICATE OF INDEPENDENT BID DETERMINATION

I, the undersigned, in submitting the accompanying bid:							
(Bid Number and Description)							
in response to the invitation for the bid made by:	n response to the invitation for the bid made by:						
(Name of Institution)							

do hereby make the following statements that I certify to be true and complete in every respe05RTIFICATE(I)-5

- 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 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.

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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.

Signature	Date
Position	Name of Bidder
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Republic of South Africa

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- 1.12 "Force majeure" means an event beyond the control of the supplier and not involving the supplier's fault or negligence and not foreseeable. Such events may include, but is not restricted to, acts of the purchaser in its sovereign capacity, wars or revolutions, fires, floods, epidemics, quarantine restrictions and freight embargoes.
- 1.13 "Fraudulent practice" means a misrepresentation of facts in order to influence a procurement process or the execution of a contract to the detriment of any bidder, and includes collusive practice among bidders (prior to or after bid submission) designed to establish bid prices at artificial non-competitive levels and to deprive the bidder of the benefits of free and open competition.
- 1.14 "GCC" means the General Conditions of Contract.
- 1.15 "Goods" means all of the equipment, machinery, and/or other materials that the supplier is required to supply to the purchaser under the contract.
- 1.16 "Imported content" means that portion of the bidding price represented by the cost of components, parts or materials which have been or are still to be imported (whether by the supplier or his subcontractors) and which costs are inclusive of the costs abroad, plus freight and other direct importation costs such as landing costs, dock dues, import duty, sales duty or other similar tax or duty at the South African place of entry as well as transportation and handling charges to the factory in the Republic where the supplies covered by the bid will be manufactured.
- 1.17 "Local content" means that portion of the bidding price which is not included in the imported content provided that local manufacture does take place.
- 1.18 "Manufacture" means the production of products in a factory using labour, materials, components and machinery and includes other related value-adding activities.
- 1.19 "Order" means an official written order issued for the supply of goods or works or the rendering of a service.
- 1.20 "Project site," where applicable, means the place indicated in bidding documents.
- 1.21 "Purchaser" means the organization purchasing the goods.
- 1.22 "Republic" means the Republic of South Africa.

7. Performance security

analyzed and may be rejected if found not to comply with the requirements of the contract. Such rejected supplies shall be held at the cost and risk of the supplier who shall, when called upon, remove them immediately at his own cost and forthwith substitute them with supplies which do comply with the requirements of the contract. Failing such removal the rejected supplies shall be returned at the suppliers cost and risk. Should the supplier fail to provide the substitute supplies forthwith, the purchaser may, without giving the supplier further opportunity to substitute the rejected supplies, purchase such supplies as may be necessary at the expense of the supplier.

8.8 The provisions of clauses 8.4 to 8.7 shall not prejudice the right of the purchaser to cancel the contract on account of a breach of the conditions thereof, or to act in terms of Clause 23 of GCC.

9. Packing

- 9.1 The supplier shall provide such packing of the goods as is required to prevent their damage or deterioration during transit to their final destination, as indicated in the contract. The packing shall be sufficient to withstand, without limitation, rough handling during transit and exposure to extreme temperatures, salt and precipitation during transit, and open storage. Packing, case size and weights shall take into consideration, where appropriate, the remoteness of the goods' final destination and the absence of heavy handling facilities at all points in transit.
- 9.2 The packing, marking, and documentation within and outside the packages shall comply strictly with such special requirements as shall be expressly provided for in the contract, including additional requirements, if any, specified in SCC, and in any subsequent instructions ordered by the purchaser.

10. Delivery and documents

- 10.1 Delivery of the goods shall be made by the supplier in accordance with the terms specified in the contract. The details of shipping and/or other documents to be furnished by the supplier are specified in SCC.
- 10.2 Documents to be submitted by the supplier are specified in SCC.

11. Insurance

11.1 The goods supplied under the contract shall be fully insured in a freely convertible currency against loss or damage incidental to manufacture or acquisition, transportation, storage and delivery in the manner specified in the SCC.

12. Transportation

12.1 Should a price other than an all-inclusive delivered price be required, this shall be specified in the SCC.

13. Incidental services

- 13.1 The supplier may be required to provide any or all of the following services, including additional services, if any, specified in SCC:
 - (a) performance or supervision of on-site assembly and/or commissioning of the supplied goods;
 - (b) furnishing of tools required for assembly and/or maintenance of the supplied goods;
 - (c) furnishing of a detailed operations and maintenance manual for each appropriate unit of the supplied goods;

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such remedial action as may be necessary, at the supplier's risk and expense and without prejudice to any other rights which the purchaser may have against the supplier under the contract.

16. Payment

- 16.1 The method and conditions of payment to be made to the supplier under this contract shall be specified in SCC.
- 16.2 The supplier shall furnish the purchaser with an invoice accompanied by a copy of the delivery note and upon fulfillment of other obligations stipulated in the contract.
- 16.3 Payments shall be made promptly by the purchaser, but in no case later than thirty (30) days after submission of an invoice or claim by the supplier.
- 16.4 Payment will be made in Rand unless otherwise stipulated in SCC.

17. Prices

17.1 Prices charged by the supplier for goods delivered and services performed under the contract shall not vary from the prices quoted by the supplier in his bid, with the exception of any price adjustments authorized in SCC or in the purchaser's request for bid validity extension, as the case may be.

18. Contract amendments

18.1 No variation in or modification of the terms of the contract shall be made except by written amendment signed by the parties concerned.

19. Assignment

19.1 The supplier shall not assign, in whole or in part, its obligations to perform under the contract, except with the purchaser's prior written consent.

20. Subcontracts

20.1 The supplier shall notify the purchaser in writing of all subcontracts awarded under this contracts if not already specified in the bid. Such notification, in the original bid or later, shall not relieve the supplier from any liability or obligation under the contract.

21. Delay in the suppliers performance

- 21.1 Delivery of the goods and performance of services shall be made by the supplier in accordance with the time schedule prescribed by the purchaser in the contract.
- 21.2 If at any time during performance of the contract, the supplier or its subcontractor(s) should encounter conditions impeding timely delivery of the goods and performance of services, the supplier shall promptly notify the purchaser in writing of the fact of the delay, its likely duration and its cause(s). As soon as practicable after receipt of the supplier's notice, the purchaser shall evaluate the situation and may at his discretion extend the supplier's time for performance, with or without the imposition of penalties, in which case the extension shall

supplier's point of supply is not situated at or near the place where the supplies are required, or the supplier's services are not readily available.

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person associated with the supplier, the supplier will be allowed a time period of not more than fourteen (14) days to provide reasons why the envisaged restriction should not be imposed. Should the supplier fail to respond within the stipulated fourteen (14) days the purchaser may regard the intended penalty as not objected against and may impose it on the supplier.

- 23.5 Any restriction imposed on any person by the Accounting Officer / Authority will, at the discretion of the Accounting Officer / Authority, also be applicable to any other enterprise or any partner, manager, director or other person who wholly or partly exercises or exercised or may exercise control over the enterprise of the first-mentioned person, and with which enterprise or person the first-mentioned person, is or was in the opinion of the Accounting Officer / Authority actively associated.
- 23.6 If a restriction is imposed, the purchaser must, within five (5) working days of such imposition, furnish the National Treasury, with the

may be due to him

25. Force Majeure

- 25.1 Notwithstanding the provisions of GCC Clauses 22 and 23, the supplier shall not be liable for forfeiture of its performance security, damages, or termination for default if and to the extent that his delay in performance or other failure to perform his obligations under the contract is the result of an event of force majeure.
- 25.2 If a force majeure situation arises, the supplier shall promptly notify the purchaser in writing of such condition and the cause thereof. Unless otherwise directed by the purchaser in writing, the supplier shall continue to perform its obligations under the contract as far as is reasonably practical, and shall seek all reasonable alternative means for performance not prevented by the force majeure event.

26. Termination for insolvency

26.1 The purchaser may at any time terminate the contract by giving written notice to the supplier if the supplier becomes bankrupt or otherwise insolvent. In this event, termination will be without compensation to the supplier, provided that such termination will not prejudice or affect any right of action or remedy which has accrued or will accrue thereafter to the purchaser.

27. Settlement of Disputes

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34.3 If a bidder(s) or contractor(s), has / have been found guilty by the Competition Commission of the restrictive practice referred to above, the purchaser may, in addition and without prejudice to any other remedy provided for, invalidate the bid(s) for such item(s) offered, and / or terminate the contract in whole or part, and / or

Toxicology Sampling Kit for the collection, transport and storage of post-mortem biological fluids and human tissue for the purpose of forensic toxicological analysis.

To be used mainly in the Department of Health – Forensic Mortuaries

The following qualities are required:

- 1. It is imperative that the kit must be prepared in a manner that would prevent contamination, maintain the credibility of the samples in terms of maintaining the chain of custody.
- 2. Quality control measures must be in place to prove this.
- 3. The intention is for a standardized Toxicology Sample Kit to be procured at provincial level and used at mortuaries nationally for the collection of post-mortem samples from where it will be transported to the relevant Department of Health Forensic Chemistry Laboratories for the toxicological analysis of samples.
- 4. The prescribed minimum specifications of the required Toxicology Sample Kit are stipulated under the following:

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	printed clearly, e.g. font size 14, with water-fast ink on labels that	
	will not come loose or get damaged when exposed to repeated	
	freezing, thawing and wetting, as well as long-term storage.	
9.	The containers for all biological samples must be supplied fully	
	capped with self-sealing, leak-free lids/stoppers with a watertight	
	fit where relevant. All plastic containers must be firm so that no	
	squeezing of containers is possible.	
	Note: All containers will be tested for leaks prior to the awarding	
	of the tender.	
10.	The outer packaging must be sealed with self-adhesive tamper-	
	resistant tape bearing a unique serial number on the tape with	
	the prefix T and, e.g. T000001 (bar coded and	
	numerical) that must be recorded with full serial tracking as per	
	ISO standard 13485:2016. The seal number must be part of the	
	seal strip and not a separate label. It must be easy to see if a	
	seal or the packaging has undergone tampering.	
	This tape must be suitable for round/square containers and	
	should not be able to be removed without disturbing a unique	
	component of the tape to indicate tampering, and should be at	
	least 40m long.	

17.

The inside of the bucket should be fitted with a suitable, stable material (e.g. polystyrene) appropriately cut out to hold samples in place. This should prevent movement of specimens during

The content of the tube must be indicated on a label affixed to the tube.

Tube 2 must contain sodium heparin (No gel tube). The content of the tube must be indicated on a label affixed to the tube.

Each tube must contain a label providing sufficient space to write the site of collection (e.g. cardiac, peripheral etc.)

Both tubes must have a waterproof label written "Post-Mortem Blood".

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Note:



- 1. Collect all necessary samples and fill the necessary containers as labelled.
- 2. The containers with blank labels may be used to collect other specimens for analysis. Indicate the type of specimen on the blank label.
- 3. For blood alcohol analysis a post-mortem blood alcohol kit must be submitted separately.
- 4. For carbon monoxide analysis a post-mortem blood alcohol kit must be submitted separately.
- 5. Use the empty PET tube for gastric exhibits like tablets and granules. It should be rapidly separated, dried and stored.
- 6. When writing on the container labels, use a permanent waterproof marker.
- 7. Ensure that all containers have been sealed properly before returning them to the relevant spaces in the mold inside the bucket to prevent leakage.
- 8. The Post-mortem Toxicology Referral Form must be completed by the Forensic Medical Practitioner in triplicate (one for the SAPS Investigating Officer, one for the FCL and one for the case docket at the Mortuary). Stick the bar-code sticker provided to you upon submission of the kit at the Laboratory, on this form.
 Note: This will serve as proof of receipt of the kit with reference number from the Laboratory.
- 9. The original completed Post-mortem Toxicology Referral Form must be placed in the zip seal bag located on the ### .
- 10. Ensure that the lid is tightly sealed and secured. Press down firmly.
- 11. Apply the self-adhesive tamper resistant tape in the form of an "X" covering the

- spillage of the solvent (SVR) after it is added to the container. Ethanol analysis is done at the Laboratory. A spillage may negatively influence the results obtained by the Laboratory.
- 15. Do not use SVR if ethanol poisoning is suspected to have caused death.
- 16. All non-biological exhibits (tablets, drugs or poison) should be sealed in the tamper-evident exhibit sealing bag, and submitted with the biological samples and not inserted into the bucket, at the relevant Forensic Chemistry Laboratory of the National Department of Health.

Post-mortem Toxicology Referral Form

Document number: FCL001

Section 1: Involved persons (Mandatory field	ds - samples will not be accepted unless Sections 1 and
completed in full	
1.1 Name of Forensic Medical Practitioner	Signature
Institution	Date
Postal address	
Tel number	Fax number
e-mail address	

1.2 Name of Investigating Officer

Tel number

below are

Was the deceased hospitalized before his/her	death?	Yes	No	
If YES, please indicate the following			1	
Length of hospitalization:				
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Were toxicological analysis performed on blood in hospital?	Yes	No	Unsure	
If <u>YEŞ</u> please list results:				
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Analysis requirement:	Motivation (attach a schedule if necessary):	
Specific drugs		
Specific poisons/chemicals		
Other		
Additional comments		
PDOH FPS Supervisor:		
	uest is an essential requirement to enable FPS to establish the cause of death (h	ame,
designation):		
Signature:	Date:	
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SAPS:	is related to imical investigation / judicial inquest (name, designation):	
it is committee that the toxicology request	is related tolkingar investigation / judicial inquest (name, designation).	
Signature:	Date:	
Order placed on the FCL is a costly exercis	e. Please provide justification for this order:	
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Signature:	Date:	

Version Revision 05: Effective date: Kit implementation