# STANDARD BIDDING DOCUMENT FOR

# THE PROCUREMENT OF NONCONSULTANCY SERVICES

# DOMESTIC TENDER ZIMRA NCB 10/2021





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# DOMESTIC TENDER FOR THE SUPPLY AND INSTALLATION OF AN ENTERPRISE DATABASE SECURITY SYSTEM

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PROCURING ENTITY: ZIMBABWE REVENUE AUTHORITY

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## **PART 1: BIDDING PROCEDURES**

## References:

References to the Act are to the Public Procurement and Disposal of Public Assets Act [Chapter22:23] and references to the Regulations are to the Public Procurement and Disposal of Public Assets (General) Regulations (Statutory Instrument No. 5 of 2018). The terms and requirements in the Act and Regulations govern the submission of Bids and should be read by all Bidders.

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Preparation of Bids

You are requested to bid for the Supply and Installation of an Enterprise Database Security System specified in the Statement of Requirements below only completing that returning the following documentation:

- 1. the Bid Submission Sheet in this Part;
- 2. the Statement of Requirements in Part 2;
- 3. Technical specification and Compliance Sheet.
- 4. a copy of every document necessary to demonstrate eligibility in terms of section 28 (1) of the Regulations;
- 5. Proof of supplier registration with the Procurement Regulatory Authority of Zimbabwe (PRAZ)
- 6. A bid security;
- 7. A copy of CR 14, CR6 and a Certificate of Incorporation or equivalent documents (foreign companies should submit similar company documents from country of company registration)
- 8. A valid tax clearance (ITF 263) or equivalent document/s
- 9. A copy of your company profile
- 10. Proof of purchase of a bidding document for hard copies (attach receipt) soft copies via email are free of charge (No receipt required)
- 11. At least three (3) reference letters showing bidders' direct experience in the successful provision of similar quality of the required services.

## **Payment Instructions:**

Bank Name:

Commercial Bank of Zimbabwe

Account Name:

Procurement Regulatory Authority of Zimbabwe

Account Number:

01121064850040

Branch:

Kwame Nkrumah

You are advised to carefully read the complete Bidding Document, as well as the General Conditions of Contract, which are available on the Authority's website, before preparing your Bid. Part 3: Contract is provided not for completion at this stage but to enable Bidders to note the Contract terms they will enter into if their Bid is successful.

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The standard forms in this document may be retyped for completion but the Bidder is responsible for their accurate reproduction. All pages of the Bid must be clearly marked with the Procurement Reference Number above, the Bidder's name, and any reference number.

#### Number of bids allowed

No Bidder may submit more than one bid, either individually or as a joint venture partner in another Bid, except as a subcontractor. Where the procurement is divided into lots and packages, only one Bid can be submitted. A conflict of interest will be deemed to arise if bids are received from more than one Bidder owned, directly or indirectly, by the same person.

## Clarification

Clarification of the bidding document may be requested in writing by any Bidder and should be sent to;

The Director Procurement Zimbabwe Revenue Authority (ZIMRA) 10<sup>th</sup> Floor, ZB Centre Corner Kwame Nkrumah Ave/ First Street Harare, Zimbabwe.

Or via Email to procurement@zimra.co.zw

Such queries should be submitted within 10 days from the date of publication and responses to questions / queries will be made in writing total prospective bidders at least 10 days before tender closing.

## Pre-bid meeting

There is no pre-bid meeting for this tender.

## Validity of Bids

The minimum period for which the Bidder's bid must remain values 90 days from the deadline for the submission of bids.

### Submission of Bids

Bids must be submitted in writing in a sealed envelope to the address below, no later than the date and time of the deadline below. It is the Bidder's responsibility to ensure that they receive a receipt confirming submission of their bid that has correct details of the Bidder and the number of the Bid.

The Bidder must mark the envelope with the Bidder's name and address and the Procurement Reference Number.

Bids should be submitted in triplicate with one (1) original copy marked "ORIGINAL" and two (2) copies each marked "COPY" All 3 copies should be in sealed envelopes clearly marked with the details of the tender, and should be deposited in a tender box situated at the below address. In the event of any discrepancy between the original and the copies, the original will prevail.

Late bids will be rejected. The Procuring Entity reserves the right to extend the bid submission deadline but will notify all potential bidders who have collected the bidding documents of the amended bid submission deadline.

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Date of deadline	25 June 2021	Deadline Time:	10:00 hours Harare time (GMT + 2 hours)
Submission address:	Procurement Management Unit Director Zimbabwe Revenue Authority (ZIMRA) 10th Floor ZB Centre Corner Kwame Nkrumah Ave/ First Street Harare Zimbabwe		
Means of acceptance:			

Bid opening

Due to the COVID 19 pandemic, NO Bidders will be the closing day.

Withdrawal, amendment or modification of Bids

it has been submitted by sending a written A Bidder may withdraw, substitute, or modify its Bid after notice, duly signed by an authorized representative. However to Bid may be withdrawn, substituted, or modified in the interval between the deadline for submission of the period of Bid validity specified by the Bidder or any extension of that period

s the opening of bids on

## **Delivery Requirements**

The delivery period required (from the date of contract signing) and the final destination for delivery are as indicated in the Delivery Schedule in Part 2.

## **Bid Prices and Discounts**

The prices and discounts quoted by the Bidder in the Bid Submission Form and in the Price Schedules must conform to the requirements specified below.

Prices must be quoted as specified in the Price Schedule included in Part 2 Statement of Requirements. In quoting prices, the Bidder is free to use transportation through carriers registered in any eligible country and similarly may obtain insurance services from any eligible country. Prices quoted must include the following costs and components:

#### (a) For Goods

- The price of the Goods and the cost of delivery to the final destination, including the (i) relevant INCOTERM, as stated in the Delivery Schedule;
- The custom duties to be paid on the Goods on entry in Zimbabwe, if not already (ii) included;
- (iii) Any other applicable import taxes;
- (iv) Any sales and other taxes due within Zimbabwe which will be payable on the Goods. if not already included;
- Any rebate or mark-up of the local agent or representative. (v)

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(b) for Related Services, (other than inland transportation and other services required to convey the Goods to their final destination), whenever such Related Services are specified in the Schedule of Requirements:

the price of each item comprising the Related Services (inclusive of any applicable taxes).

## **Bid Security**

The Bidder must include Bid Security of ZWL\$340,856.00 (in either of the following forms;

Option 1 ----- A Certified Bank Cheque in the ZIMRA name.

Option 2 -----A Bank Guarantee in the ZIMRA name

Option 3 ----- A Cash Deposit to the Authority PRAZ

The bid security shall be valid for a period of 90 days after the end of the bidding period.

Any bid not accompanied by a Bid Security where this is a requirement of bidding will be rejected by the Procuring Entity as non-responsive.

If a bidder chooses options 2 or 3, the following should be noted; Option 2

## Submission of bank guarantee

A standard bank Guarantee of **ZWL\$340,856.00** which is valid for 90 destantianable from a reputable Registered Commercial Bank.

Please note: The required Bank Guarantee should include the following features and be redeemable in Zimbabwe in order for it to be considered valid:

- 1. Letterhead of registered commercial bank (i.e. the Supplier of the Bank Guarantee
- 2. The Header has to clearly state that it is a Bank Guarantee.
- 3. Purpose of the Bank Guarantee to be clearly stated.
- 4. The date when the Common Seal of the said Surety was effected should be clearly shown.
- 5. Conditions of the said Obligations must be stated.
- 6. The physical address of the Surety should be given.
- 7. The validity period of the Bank Guarantee must be clearly stated.
- 8. Signature of surety and the date when it was endorsed must be clearly shown.
- 9. It must be an original document that is date stamped.
- 10. Bid Bonds from Insurance Companies are not acceptable.

The Bank Guarantee of the unsuccessful bidders will be released immediately after the award of the Tender while that of the winning bidder will only be released after submission of the Performance Bond as specified in the tender document section 1.9

## Option 3

If <u>Option 3</u> is chosen bidders must pay **ZWL\$340,856.00** for the Bid Security that shall be Refundable at the end of the bid validity period plus another **ZWL\$28,000.00** that shall be non-refundable for cash bid bond establishment fee in line with SI 219 of 2020.

The amount is payable at Procurement Regulatory Authority of Zimbabwe (PRAZ), 61 Samora Machel Avenue, Harare or to be deposited into the following Account numbers:

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1. NON-REFUNDABLE (LOCAL)

BANK NAME:

COMMERCIAL BANK OF ZIMBABWE

ACCOUNT NAME:

PROCUREMENT REGULATORY AUTHORITY OF ZIMBABWE

ACCOUNT NUMBER:

01121064850020

BRANCH:

KWAME NKRUMAH

2. REFUNDABLE (LOCAL)

BANK NAME:

COMMERCIAL BANK OF ZIMBABWE

ACCOUNT NAME:

PROCUREMENT REGULATORY AUTHORITY OF ZIMBABWE

ACCOUNT NUMBER:

01121064850030

BRANCH:

KWAME NKRUMAH

The Bid Security of a Joint Venture (JV) must be in the name of the JV that submitted by If the JV has not been legally constituted at the time of bidding, the Bid Security must be in the name of all intended partners.

## **Evaluation of Bids**

Bids will be evaluated using the following methodology:

1. Preliminary examination to confirm that all documents required have been provided, to confirm the eligibility of Bidders in terms of section 28 (1) of the Regulations and to confirm that the Brois administratively compliant in terms of section 28 (2) of the Regulations.

- 2. **Technical evaluation** to determine substantial responsiveness to the specifications in the Statement of Requirements;
- 3. Financial evaluation and comparison to determine the evaluated price of bids and to determine the lowest evaluated bid.
- 4. Bids failing any stage will be eliminated and not considered in subsequent stages.

PLEASE NOTE THAT PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS WHO STILL HAVE ZIMRA PENDING AND UNFULFILLED ORDERS OR CONTRACTS THAT HAVE BEEN PROVEN FOR SIMILAR REQUIREMENTS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED SPECIFICALLY FOR THIS TENDER.

## Review by the Special Procurement Oversight Committee

Section 54 of the Act provides for review by the Special Procurement Oversight Committee especially sensitive or especially valuable contracts. This requirement will be subject to this review; hence, at least two identical copies of the bid document are required. Where the copies are not identical, the contents of the bid marked original will alone be considered. This tender is subject to **SPOC review** thus the bidders must pay **ZWL\$8,000.00** According to **SI219 of 2020**.

### **Evaluation** criteria

The Procuring Entity's evaluation of a Bid will take into account, in addition to the Bid Price, the following criteria and methodologies.

- (a) **Delivery schedule**: The specified Goods are required to be delivered by the date indicated in the Delivery Schedule in Part 2. Bids offering delivery after the date shall be treated as non-responsive.
- (b) **Deviation in payment schedule:** The payment schedule is stated in the Special Conditions of Contract (SCC) in Part 3. A Bidder may propose a deviation from the schedule and if the deviation is considered acceptable to the Procuring Entity, the Bid will be evaluated by

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calculating interest earned for any earlier payments involved in the terms outlined in the Bid as compared with those stipulated in the SCC, at the rate of interest indicated by the Reserve Bank of Zimbabwe on the closing date for submission of bids.

## Cost of major replacement components, mandatory spare parts, and service:

Bidders must state the unit prices for these items. The total cost of these items and quantities will be added to the Bid price, for evaluation purposes only.

# Eriga Miley and Qualification Criteria

Bidgets are required to meet the criteria in section 28 of the Act to be eligible to participate in public.

They must therefore provide any available procurement and to be qualified for the proposed contract. They must therefore provide any available ocumentation and certify their eligibility in the Bid Submission Sheet. To be eligible, Bidders must

1. hat the legal capacity to enter into a contract;

got be insolvent, in receivership, bankrupt or being wound up, not have had business activities suspended and not be the subject of legal proceedings for any of these circumstances;

- 3. have fulfilled their obligations to pay taxes and social security contributions in Zimbabwe;
- 4. not have a conflict of interest in relation to this procurement requirement;
- 5. not be debarred from participation in public procurement under section 72 (6) of the Act and section 74(1) (c), (d) or (e) of the Regulations or declared ineligible under section 99 of the Act;
- 6. have the nationality of an eligible country as specified in the Special Conditions of Contract; and
- 7. have been registered with the Authority as a Supplier and have paid the applicable Supplier Registration Fee set out in Part III of the Fifth Schedule to the Regulations.

Participation in this bidding procedure is open to Zimbabwean bidders only.

## **Origin of Goods**

All goods and related services must have as their country of origin an eligible country, as specified in the Special Conditions of Contract.

#### Technical Criteria

The Technical Specifications Sheet details the minimum specification of the goods required. The goods offered must meet this specification, but no credit will be given for exceeding the specification. No alternatives to technical specifications given shall be accepted for evaluation.

#### Currency

Bids should be priced in both Zimbabwean (Z\$) and United States Dollars (USD) according to S1185/2020. The currency of evaluation will be Zimbabwean Dollars (Z\$) and the currency of payment for local companies will be the Zimbabwean Dollars, using the exchange rates published by the Reserve Bank of Zimbabwe on the date of the invoice, see http://www.rbz.co.zw/.

## **Award of Contract**

The lowest evaluated bid, after application of any additional evaluation criteria, including any margin of preference, which is substantially responsive to the requirements of this bidding document, will be recommended for award of contract. The proposed award of contract will be by issue of a Notification of Contract Award in terms of section 55 of the Act, which will be effective until signature of the contract documents in accordance with Part 3: Contract. Unsuccessful Bidders will

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receive the Notification of Contract Award and, if they consider they have suffered prejudice from the process, they may within 14 days of receiving this Notification, submit to the Procuring Entity a Challenge in terms of section 73 of the Act, subject to payment of the applicable fee set out in section 44 of and the Third Schedule to the Regulations.

## Right to Reject

The Procuring Entity reserves the right to accept or reject any Bids or to cancel the procurement process and reject all Bids at any time prior to contract award.

## **Corrupt Practices**

The Government of Zimbabwe requires that Procuring Entities, as well as Bidders and Contractors, observe the highest standard of ethics during the procurement and execution of contracts. In pursuit of this policy:

1. the Procuring Entity will reject a recommendation for award if it determines that the Bidder recommended for award has, directly or through an agent, engaged in corrupt, fraudulent, collusive or coercive practices in competing for the Contract or been declared ineligible to be awarded a procurement contract under section 99 of the Act;

2. the Authority may under section 72 (6) of the Act impose the sample under section 74 (1) of the Regulations; and

3. Any conflict of interest on the part of the Bidder must be declared

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## **Bid Submission Sheet**

{Note to Bidders: Complete this form with all the requested details and submit it as the first page of your Bid. Attach the completed Statement of Requirements and any other documents requested in Part 1. Ensure that your Bid is authorised in the signature block below. A signature and authorisation on this form will confirm that the terms and conditions of this Bid prevail over any attachments. If your Bid is not authorised, it may be rejected. If the Bidder is a Joint Venture (JV), the Bid must 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.

Bidders must mark as "CONFIDENTIAL" information in their Bids which is confidential to their business. This may include proprietary information, trade secrets or commercial or financially sensitive information?

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Name of Bidder:	000 100 100 100s	3
Bidder's Reference Number:	360 HARARE	9

Date of Bid:

We offer to supply the items listed in the attached Statement of Requirements, at the prices indicated on the attached Price Schedule and in accordance with the terms and conditions stated in your Bidding Document referenced above.

We confirm that we meet the eligibility criteria specified in Part 1: Procedures of Bidding.

We declare that we are not debarred from bidding and that the documents we submit are true and correct.

The validity period of our bid is: ........ {Days} from the date of submission.

We confirm that the prices quoted in the attached Price Schedule are fixed and firm for the duration of the validity period and will not be subject to revision, variation or adjustment.

## Bid Authorised by:

Signature		Name:	
Position:		Date:	(DD/MM/YY)
Authorised	for and on behalf of:		
Company		•••••	
Address:		•••••	

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PART 2 STATEMENT OF REQUIREMENTS

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Name of Bidder:

Bidder's Reference Number:

## List of Goods and Price Schedule

Lot No	Description of Goods	Quantity <sup>2</sup>	Total Price US\$	Total Price ZWL\$
			[to be provided by the Bidder]	[to be provided by the Bidder]
1	Supply and Installation of an Enterprise Database Security System	1		
VAT				716
OTHER COSTS			Pag MMBABNE	
TOTAL COSTS			P.O. P.O. HELDON	

Note 1: The description or quantity must indicate the unit of measure where relevant.

Note 2: Total prices must be for delivery through to the final destination stated in Part 1.

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## **Delivery Schedule**

Name of Bidder:

Bidder's Reference Number:

{Note to Bidders: If the delivery period offered, or any other details, differ from the requirements below, this should be stated in your tender}.

## Expected delivery period is 4 weeks

The delivery period required is measured from the date of the signing of the Contract between the Procuring Entity and the Bidder.

The Project Site for delivery of the goods is the final destination:

ZIMBABWE REVENUE AUTHORITY

**CENTRAL STORES** 

61-63 PLYMOUTH ROAD, ENFIELD COMPLEX SOUTHERTON,

**HARARE** 

ZIMBABWE.



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## **Technical Specification and Compliance Sheet**

Name of Bidder:

Bidder's Reference Number:

The Goods and Related Services must comply with following Technical Specifications and Standards:

[Columns a and b are completed by the Procuring Entity. Column c must be completed by the Bidder to indicate the full specification of the items offered and their compliance with the specification required (in Column b)]

## A. Functionality

- Database Firewall Activity monitoring and real-time protection for critical databases.
- Database Assessment Vulnerability assessment, configuration management, and data classification for databases, scan data environments to detect vulnerabilities and suggest remedial actions.
- Database Activity Monitor Full auditing and visibility into database data usage, continuously
  monitor data access and protect sensitive data across the enterprise.

• User Rights Management for Databases - Review and manager user access rights to sensitive databases.

## A.1 Find and Classify Sensitive Data

- · Perform scheduled automatic discovery of new databases
- Discover database multiple instances at the same IP on any port. Allow for configuration to look for specific ports
- Discover rogue databases or databases with no network activity
- Capability to discover where sensitive data is stored and assign classification to data when discovered or mapped
- Capability to discover sensitive data and mask or obfuscate returned sensitive data by replacing it with "XXXXX" prior to storing, alerting, viewing or reporting.

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• Support auditing and checking for outbound data that is "leaking "from the database based on request. Alert for sensitive data returned by a query.

#### A.2 Assess and Harden

- Provide a vulnerability assessment feature for databases
- Generate a detailed report of all vulnerabilities found and provide progress reports for the remediation tasks

## A.3 Configuration Auditing

- Detect anomalies in database configurations
- Solution should provide patches to deploy for vulnerabilities found
- Provide auditing support for files—such as database files, application files, application configuration files
- Detect default database accounts

## A.4 Behavioural Vulnerabilities

- Capability to detect based upon user behaviour and take a baseline of "normal activity" and test
  policies with previously monitored database access history to validate those policies to catch
  abnormal activity
- Solution should be able to stop unauthorized or suspicious activity by blocking SQL connections in real time based on policies
- Solution should have capacity to monitor quantity of transaction levels

## A.5 Preconfigured Tests based on Best Practices (STIG, CIS)

 Ability to utilize external database of vulnerabilities (e.g SANs, National Vulnerability database)

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• The solution should identify configuration issues such as best practices, privileged users, user account and passwords, replication and links

Ability to tune individual vulnerability types

#### A.6 Monitor and Enforce

- Prevent cyber-attacks- Solution should detect and stop known attacks on databases and detect transaction anomalies
- Monitor and Block Privileged Users- Monitor privileged user access or local SQL activity that
  does not cross the network such as Bequeath, IPC, Shared Memory, or Named Pipes
- Detect Application-Layer Fraud- The solution should support individual user access auditing for packaging applications, like SAP, PeopleSoft. Ensure transparent data auditing for such packaged applications. Ensure detection and blocking of unauthorized software products connecting to the database
- Enforce change controls- Provide an integrated workflow system for incident escalation and remediation. Ability to integrate with Manage Engine Service-Desk and QRADAR SIEM.
- Real-Time Alerts- Proactively alert the administrators for any type of activity necessary. Alert
  policies should be managed by separate groups of personnel for role separation implementation.
   Solution should support Syslog, email notifications and / or custom notification types

## A.7 Audit and Report

- Automated and Centralized Controls Provide database activity information (e.g, who logged in,
  DB user, application user, OS user, from where, how). Gather the following information from
  user accounts: Database Accounts, OS accounts, permissions (table, read, write), age of account,
  date creation, deleted accounts.
  - Solution should monitor stored procedures activated, views, triggers and capture activity generated within stored procedures
  - Monitor changes such as creating new tables, alter tables, drop tables and the user that created it and the full SQL code.
  - o Monitor basic queries and advanced queries such as complex and distributed queries
  - o Support auditing of DML statements such as INSERTS, UPDATES, and DELETES
  - o Solution should monitor database activity originating from the database server itself.

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- o Solution should monitor traffic that is encrypted with SSL or IPSEC
- o Ability to set granular policies to such levels as table, column, specific application, specific type of database, specific user ID, specific IP address
- o Ability to prevent operations by time of day or origin
- Cross-DBMS Audit Repository-Provide correlation across different databases and database types

## A.8 Effective User Rights Management Across Databases

The tool should automatically aggregate user rights across heterogeneous databases.

## A.9 Meet Compliance Requirements

The tool should help the authority address multiple compliance regulations including NIST 800-53, PCI DSS, SOX, and HIPAA.

## A.10 Implementation with minimal performance impact

Compliance requirements are addressed and security strategies implemented without impacting performance.

## **A.11 Support Heterogeneous Environments**

- Broad platform support: Cross-platform solution supports all major DEMS platforms and protocols running on all major operating systems.
- Host-based monitoring monitor both network and local database protocols (shared memory, named pipes, etc.) at the OS level of the database server.
- OS Type: AIX, HP-UX, Red Hat Enterprise Linux, SUSE Enterprise Linux, Solaris Intel/AMD and SPARC, Windows, iSeries
- Supported Platform: Oracle, Microsoft SQL Server, Microsoft SharePoint, IBM DB2, IBM Informix, Sun MySQL and MySQL Cluster, Sybase ASE, PostgreSQL, Teradata, SAP HANA, PostgreSQL, MongoDB
- Supported Application Server Platforms: Oracle Application Server (AS), JBoss Enterprise Application Platform
- Integration with security systems and standards: LDAP, RADIUS, IBM Security Qradar, Manage Engine ServiceDesk, Beyond Trust PAM

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Solution Supplier and Deployment

B.1 Solution should be a leader in the Gartner Magic Quadrant.

**B.2** Hybrid deployment (On-premise + Cloud).

## **Training**

C.1 Provide training and certification on solution for 7 administrators (Training should be provided by a Trained and certified expert with 5 or more year's proven experience of implementing the same product).

## Volume

D.1 Oracle Databases - 10

D.2 Microsoft SQL Server -20

**D.3** SAP HANA - 3



## Licensing

E.1 Licensing for 2 years should be provided.

## Experience

F.1 Reference for implementation of the same solution is required.

The detailed technical evaluation will examine the technical specification of the items offered in column c and determine whether this meets the minimum specification in column b. Bidders must complete column c or their tender will be rejected. Bidders are required to include technical literature to positively support the details provided in column c.

Declaration by the Accounting Officer

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28/5/2021

I declare that the procurement is based on neutral and fair technical requirements and bidder qualifications

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PART 3 CONTRACT

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## **Contract Agreement**

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THIS CONTRACT AGREEMENT is made the [insert: date] day of [insert: month], [insert: year].

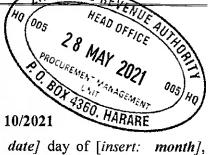
### **BETWEEN**

- (1) [insert complete name of Procuring Entity], a [insert description of type of legal entity, for example, an agency of the Ministry of .... of the Government of Zimbabwe, or corporation incorporated under the laws of Zimbabwe] and having its principal place of business at [insert full postal address of Procuring Entity] (hereinafter called "the Procuring Entity"), and
- (2) [insert name of Contractor], a corporation incorporated under the laws of [insert: country of Contractor] and having its principal place of business at [insert full postal address of Contractor] (hereinafter called "the Contractor").

WHEREAS the Procuring Entity invited Bids for certain Goods and ancillary services, viz., [insert brief description of Goods and Services] and has accepted a Bid by the Contractor for the supply of those Goods and Services in the sum of [insert Contract Price in words and figures, expressed in the Contract currency] (hereinafter called "the Contract Price").

## NOW THIS AGREEMENT WITNESSETH AS FOLLOWS:

- 1. In this Agreement words and expressions shall have the same meanings as are assigned to them in the General and Special Conditions of Contract referred to below.
- 2. The following documents shall constitute the Contract between the Procuring Entity and the Contractor, and each shall be read and construed as an integral part of the Contract:
  - (a) This Contract Agreement;
  - (b) Special Conditions of Contract;
  - (c) General Conditions of Contract;
  - (d) Technical Requirements (including Schedule of Requirements and Technical Specifications);
  - (e) The Contractor's Bid, original Price Schedules and Delivery Schedule;
  - (f) The Procuring Entity's Notification of Contract Award;
  - (g) [Add here any other document(s)].
- 3. This Contract Agreement shall prevail over all other Contract Documents. In the event of any discrepancy or inconsistency within the Contract Documents, then the documents shall prevail in the order listed above.



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#### PART 3 CONTRACT

- 4. In consideration of the payments to be made by the Procuring Entity to the Contractor as mentioned below, the Contractor hereby agrees with the Procuring Entity to provide the Goods and Services and to remedy any defects in them in conformity with the Contract.
- 5. The Procuring Entity hereby agrees to pay the Contractor in consideration of the provision of the Goods and Services and the remedying of any defects in them, the Contract Price or such other sum as may become payable under the Contract at the times and in the manner prescribed by the Contract.

IN WITNESS whereof the parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be executed in accordance with the laws of Zimbabwe on the day, month and year indicated above.

## For and on behalf of the Procuring Entity

Signed:	
Name:	
In the capacity of:	[Title or other appropriate designation]

## For and on behalf of the Contractor

Signed:	
Name:	To ZIMBASW
In the capacity of:	[Title or other appropriate designation]
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## **General Conditions of Contract**

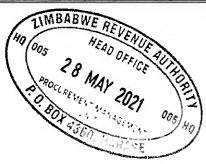
Any resulting contract is subject to the Zimbabwe General Conditions of Contract (GCC) for the Procurement of Goods (copy available on request) except where modified by the Special Conditions below.

## **Special Conditions of Contract**

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The clause numbers given in the first column correspond with the relevant clause number of the General Conditions of Contract.

GCC reference	Special Conditions
GCC 7.5	Eligible Countries: All countries are eligible,
GCC 8.1	Notices: Any notice shall be sent to the following addresses:  For the Procuring Entity, the address shall be as given in the Contract document and the contact shall be, 6th Floor ZB Centre, Corner Kwame Nkrumah Avenue and First Street, Harare Zimbabwe.  For the Contractor, the address shall be as given in the Bid and the contact shall be {state name of contact}
GCC 19.1	Liquidated Damages: Liquidated Damages in terms of section 88 of the Act shall apply. In the case of delays in the delivery of goods, the Contractor will be liable to pay damages of 0.5% of contract price per week of delay up to a maximum of 10% of contract value. If 10% is exceeded, the contract may be cancelled NB. The contractor will not be charged liquidated damages when the delay in delivery or performance is beyond the contractor's control and is not caused by fault or negligence on the part of the contractor.



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GCC 21.2	Packing, Marking and Documentation: The goods shall meet the following special packing requirements in addition to the general requirements stated in GCC clause 21.1		
	The documents to be furnished by the Contractor are:		
	1. A negotiable bill of lading when the goods are coming by sea		
	2. An airway bill, when the goods are coming by Air		
	3. A road consignment note, when the goods are coming by road		
	4. Insurance certificate,		
	Sample provision - For Goods supplied from abroad:		
	Upon shipment, the Contractor shall notify the Procuring Entity and the insurance company in writing of the full details of the shipment. In the event of Goods sent by airfreight, the Contractor shall notify the Procuring Entity a minimum of forty-eight (48) hours ahead of dispatch, the name of the carrier, the flight number, the expected time of arrival, and the waybill number. The Contractor shall email and then send by courier the following documents to the Procuring Entity, with a copy to the insurance company:		
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REMENT WATAGEMENT	one original and two copies of the negotiable, clean, on-board through bill of lading marked "freight prepaid" and showing Procuring Entity as the consignee and Notify Party as stated in the Contract, with delivery through to final destination as per the Schedule of Requirements and two copies of non-negotiable bill of lading, road consignment note, truck or air waybill, or multimodal transport document, marked "freight prepaid" and showing delivery through to final destination as per the Schedule of Requirements;		
	(iii) two copies of the packing list identifying contents of each package;		
	(iv) copy of the Insurance Certificate, showing the Procuring Entity as the beneficiary;		
	<ul> <li>(v) one original of the manufacturer's or Contractor's Warranty Certificate covering all items supplied;</li> </ul>		
	<ul><li>(vi) original copy of the Certificate of Inspection furnished to the Contractor by the nominated inspection agency and six copies [state whether inspection is required];</li></ul>		
	(vii) [any other procurement-specific documents required for delivery/payment purposes].		
	<ul> <li>(vi) original copy of the Certificate of Inspection furnished to the Contractor by the nominated inspection agency and six copies (where inspection is required);</li> </ul>		
	(vii) [other procurement-specific documents required for delivery/payment purposes].		
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GCC 22.1	Insurance: The Goods shall be insured in accordance with the specified Incoterms.	
GCC 23.1 & 23.2	Inspections and tests: the tests and/or inspections of the Goods and Related Services that the Contractor is required to carry at its own expense are: 100% inspection on technical compliance.	
GCC 24.1	Performance security:	
	The winning bidder must furnish ZIMRA with a performance guarantee within 14 days after contract signature by the last party This guarantee will be in the form of a Performance Bond or guarantee equivalent to the value of 10% of the total cost of the supplier's proposal, valid for the duration of the contract and endorsed by a registered reputable Commercial Bank in Zimbabwe.	
GCC 24.4	Reduction of performance security ( Not applicable)	
GCC 25.1	Warranty: The period of the warranty shall be one (1) year manufacturer warranty.	
GCC 25.6	Failure to remedy a defect: The period allowed to the Contractor to remedy a defect during the period of the Warranty shall be (30) days	
GCC 29.1	Price adjustments: The following price adjustments are applicable.	
MEABAR	When the application of price adjustment would modify the initial price by more than twenty per centum or would modify the balance owing under the contract by more than twenty per centum, the procuring entity may terminate the contract	
Ecç30E	Terms of Payment: The structure of payments shall be:	
N 100 E AUTHORI	Contracts with local suppliers will be paid in Zimbabwean Dollars (ZW\$) at the prevailing auction rate	
8 3	Contracts with all foreign suppliers will be signed and paid in United States Dollars	
	Acceptance: The Contract Price shall be paid to the Contractor within thirty (30) days after the date of the acceptance certificate for the respective delivery issued by the Procuring Entity.	
	In the event that advance payment is required, the Contractor must avail a bank guarantee of the equivalent amount from a reputable registered commercial bank.	
	BIDDERS MUST STATE THEIR PAYMENT TERMS.	
GCC 31.1	Contract Administration Fee: The Contract Administration Fee set out in S.I 219 of 2020 is due upon the signing of the Contract and the applicable Fee is ZWL\$40,000.00 for Domestic Bidders.	

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## **Bank Guarantee for Performance Security**

[This is the format for the Performance Security to be issued by a commercial bank in Zimbabwe in accordance with GCC 18.1]

Contract No:

To:

[Name and address of Procuring Entity]

PERFORMANCE GUARANTEES No:

Date:

We have been informed that [name of supplier] (fiereinafter called "the Supplier") has undertaken, pursuant to Contract No [reference number of Contract] dated [date of Contract] (hereinafter called "the Contract") for the supply of [description of goods and related services] under the Contract.

Furthermore, we understand that, according to your conditions, Contracts must be supported by a performance guarantee.

At the request of the Supplier, we [name of bank] hereby irrevocably undertake to pay you, without cavil, delay or argument, any sum or sums not exceeding in total an amount of [insert amount in figures and in words] upon receipt by us of your first written demand accompanied by a written statement that the Supplier is in breach of its obligation(s) under the Contract conditions, without you needing to prove or show grounds or reasons for your demand of the sum specified therein.

This guarantee is valid until full recovery of the entire sum of money above stated, consequently, we must receive at the above-mentioned office any demand for payment under this guarantee in case of default.

Signature Signature