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TERMS OF REFERENCE/SPECIFICATIONS FOR AMBULANCE SERVICES IN THE PRETORIA CAMPUS

CLOSING DATE: 31 October 2025

TIME: 11:00

NB. NB: All proposal/quotation must be submitted to Quotations@nlsa.ac.za, kindly note that failure to submit via this email address will result in your proposal /quotation being rejected and disqualified.

1. BACKGROUND

- 1.1 The National Library of South Africa, hereafter referred to as NLSA, is a world class African National Library and Information Hub. The NLSA is responsible for collecting, recording, preserving, and making available the national documentary heritage of South Africa. The NLSA promotes awareness, appreciation, and access to published documents, nationally and internationally and in doing so contributes to the development and prosperity of South Africa
- 1.2 The National Library of South Africa is required to comply with the City of Tshwane Joint Operations Committee (JOC) requirements to host an event. The NLSA is seeking services for an ambulance for an event taking place over a period of 2 days.

2. SCOPE OF WORK

2.1 The service provider must provide:

- One fully equipped ambulance for events.
- Two Basic Life Support Medical Personnel
- Two Intermediate Life Support Medical Personnel
- Medical plan
- Events operating license
- Malpractice liability

- Valid copies of the HPCSA registration cards for medics
- The driver's license and a valid PDP for the ambulance driver

2.2 The service is required during the event, which will take place on 6 and 7 November 2025, between 08:00 and 17:00.

3. NLSA'S RIGHTS

3.1 The NLSA is entitled to amend any RFQ conditions, RFQ validity period, RFQ terms of reference, or extend the RFQ's closing date, all before the RFQ closing date. All Bidders, to whom the quotation documents have been issued and where the NLSA have record of such Bidders, may be advised in writing of such amendments in good time and any such changes will also be posted on the NLSA's website under the relevant Bid information. All prospective Bidders must, therefore, ensure that they visit the website regularly and before they submit their quotations response to ensure that they are kept updated on any amendments in this regard.

4. DURATION OF THE PROJECT

4.1 The appointed supplier shall make an undertaking that confirmation to render the service is confirmed within 24 hours after issuing of the Purchase Order.

5. CONDITIONS OF BID

5.1 The NLSA reserves the right not to accept the lowest proposal.

5.2 The NLSA reserves the right to appoint one or more Bidder.

5.3 The NLSA reserves the right not to award the contract.

5.4 The NLSA reserves the right to have any documentation, submitted by the successful Bidder checked or inspected by any other person or organisation.

5.5 The NLSA will not be held responsible for any costs incurred by the Bidder in the preparation and submission of the RFQ.

5.6 No upfront Payment will be done by NLSA

5.7 All delivery of the requested equipment must be made at the specified National Archives and Records Services of South Africa.

5.8 The NLSA reserves the right to purchase and request delivery of the equipment in phases.

5.9 The quotations shall remain valid for a period of 60 days, and may be extended at the discretion of the NLSA

6. EVALUATION CRITERIA

6.1. Standard Bid Documents

6.1.1 Fully completed SBD 4 and SBD 6.1 forms.

6.1.2 All the bidders must be registered on the National Treasury Central Database.

6.2. Mandatory

6.2.1 Provide an events operating license (within Gauteng region).

NB: Failure to submit the mandatory document listed above shall result in the disqualification of your Bid.

6.2. Pricing Phase

6.2.1. The following formula must be used to calculate the points out of 80 for price in respect of an invitation for a tender with a Rand value equal to or below R50 million, inclusive of all applicable taxes:

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

P_s = Points scored for price of tender under consideration;

P_t = Price of tender under consideration; and

$P_{\min}$ = Price of lowest acceptable tender.

6.3. The Evaluation will be based on price and specific goals points.

6.4. Specific Goals:

Specific Goal	Points
100% Black owned	20 points
Less than 100% Black owned	10 points

7. Evaluation stage:

Only those service providers / suppliers who responded exactly as per above scope of work and to the satisfaction of the NLSA shall be considered.

8. PRICING

8.1 Provide detailed quotation VAT inclusive covering all the items to be supplied as per specification.

9. ENQUIRIES

All enquiries regarding this RFQ must be directed to the SCM Office:

For any RFQ related enquiries please send to the following email address quoting the Bid

Description as a Reference; Judy.Moshige@nlsa.ac.za and quotations@nlsa.ac.za OR (012) 402 3017