

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS DUBE TRADEPORT CORPORATION



APPOINTMENT OF A SERVICE PROVIDER TO OPERATE AND MAINTAIN THE AGRIZONE WATER TREATMENT WORKS FOR A PERIOD OF 3 YEARS LOCATED AT DUBE TRADEPORT

REF NO.: DTP/RFP/17/AGZ/10/2016

Dube TradePort Corporation (DTPC) was created as a provincial public entity to develop the Dube TradePort precinct. Refer to www.dubetradeport.co.za for more information on DTPC.

The AgriZone currently consists of 16ha of glass greenhouses, producing crops for high-value local and international markets. When in full operation, the production will result in a maximum water demand of 900m³ per day in order to meet the crop water irrigation demands. AgriZone Water Treatment Works (WTW) consists of a Reverse Osmosis (RO) unit, Ultra Violet (UV) disinfectant system, Activated Carbon Filtration system and Sand Filter units.

DTPC wishes to appoint a suitably qualified, experienced and competent service provider who will ensure that the WTW is maintained at an optimal working standard. The services are required to ensure and to achieve the following services:

- Operation and maintenance of AgriZone WTW
- Conducting of Clean-In-Place (CIP) operation on the RO membranes and management of the resultant chemical waste

The contract will have an element of Enterprise Development (ED) of a minimum of 15% to be executed by historically disadvantaged companies which are 51% or more black owned. The ED element is designed to assist with the development and sustainability assistance of black companies (i.e. EME and QSE) through contract participation and development in the contract.

EVALUATION OF THIS BID

All proposals will be evaluated in various stages – compliance and functionality will be assessed and thereafter all responsive proposals will be evaluated in accordance with the PPPFA regulations, 2011 using the 90/10.

REQUESTS FOR DOCUMENTS & ENQUIRIES

Bid documents will be available from **5th December 2016** to **12th December 2016** during weekdays (Mon – Fri) between 08h30 and 16h00, at the Dube TradePort Corporation offices at 7 Umsinsi Junction, 4th floor, 29° South, La Mercy, KwaZulu-Natal. A non-refundable document fee of R 1000.00 (one thousand Rands) must be paid via EFT prior to collection of the Bid Documents. No cash will be accepted and proof of payment must be produced on collection of the Bid Documents. Please allow 2 days for funds to reflect in the account. DTPC will only release documents once the payment has been cleared in its bank account. Payments must contain the reference, "**RFP/17/AGZ/10**" and must clearly identify the Bidder, e.g. "ABC Consortium". Electronic versions of these documents will only be available on confirmation and/or proof of payment.

Dube TradePort Corporation banking details:

Bank: ABSA; A/C No: 405 687 3817; Branch Code: 632 005; A/C Name: Dube TradePort Corporation; Account type: Current

A **COMPULSORY** briefing session followed by a site visit for bidders, who have paid for the Bid Documents, will be held at DTPC 29° South, 7 Umsinsi Junction, La Mercy, KZN on **13th December 2016 at 11h00**.

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Enquiries should be directed to: tenders@dubetradeport.co.za

CLOSING TIME & DATE FOR SUBMITTING RESPONSES

Proposals must be submitted at the DTPC offices on or before **11h00**, South African time on **13th January 2017**. Documents should be clearly marked "**PROPOSAL FOR OPERATING AND MAINTAINING THE AGRIZONE WATER TREATMENT WORKS FOR A PERIOD OF 3 YEARS LOCATED AT DUBE TRADEPORT**"